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PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 7th April 1917.

APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

March 27.

2989. E. E. Dutt and P. C. Dutt. *A process for the synthetic production of hydro-carbons of the paraffin series.*

2990. Minerals Separation Limited. *Improvements in ore concentration.*

2991. K. V. Ayre. *Improvements in axles of vehicles, their appendices and the like.*

2992. A. A. Crozier. *Improvements in or applicable to pneumatic tyres for the wheels of motor cars and other vehicles.*

2993. Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co, Ld. *Improvements in valve receivers for wireless signals.*

March 28.

2994. J. Chapman. *Improvements in or relating to the making of roadways.*

2995. J. H. Humphryes. *Improvements in and relating to tanks and like receptacles.*

March 29.

2996. W. J. Melhuish. *A milk-like food for the feeding of agricultural stock.*

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2819. G. Constantinesco and W. Haddon. *Improvements in the storage and utilisation of energy by means of liquids.*

2820. A. O. Tate. *Improved waterproof material and method and apparatus for manufacturing same.*

2899. H. Dass. *Improvements in expanding bracelets.*

2901. D. Jagannadha Rao. *Improved water lift of the pycoto type.*

2937. T. W. Wrench. *Railway carriage safety lock.*

2968. J. G. Robinson and The Superheater Corporation, Ld. *Improvements in and relating to steam superheaters of the multiple smoke or fire tube type.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

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2870. N. C. Bose. *Fan propelled by weights.*

2909. W. M. McEwen. *An improved air circulating device.*

2927. J. E. Hamilton. *An improved electric controller particularly for use in connection with electrically propelled vehicles.*

2929. D. Campbell and C. Goodyear. *Improvements in coking ovens.*

2931. G. A. Buhl. *Improved process of desiccation and apparatus therefor.*

2932. A. C. Ionides. *Improvements in means for controlling elastic fluids.*

2935. M. Pillet-Will. *Improvements in driving wheels for mechanical tractors.*

2942. G. F. Beyts. *An improved in plummer block.*

PATENTS SEALED.

2029. Bell.
2318. General Electric Co.
2750. Varma.
2791. Bottomley and William Bottomley & Sons.
2792. Boyd.
2793. Bonnard.
2811. Rottenburg.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

440 of 1905. International Cigar Machinery, Co. (To 23 April 1918.)
584 of 1906. McDonald. (To 8 April 1918.)
417 of 1907. Mooney. (To 25 March 1918.)
448 of 1907. Roberts. (To 31 March 1918.)
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194 of 1911. Grob. (To 9 April 1918.)
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391 of 1911. Minerals Separation Ld. (To 28 May 1918.)
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155 of 1912. Hybinette. (To 25 March 1918.)
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258 of 1912. Postum Cereal Co. Ld. (To 21 May 1918.)
853 of 1913. Dalen. (To 25 March 1918.)
854 of 1913. Dalen. (To 25 March 1918.)
855 of 1913. Regina Machine Co., Ld (To 25 March 1918.)
866 of 1913. Universal Metal Lath & Patent Co. (Incorporated). (To 31 March 1918.)
869 of 1913. Still. (To 31 March 1918.)
874 of 1913. Begg. (To 31 March 1918.)
883 of 1913. Gibb. (To 7 April 1918.)

EXTENSION OF COPYRIGHT IN DESIGN.

Class 1. No. 221 of 1912. Paul Ruben, of 56, Leadenhall Street, London, England, July 1, 1912. (Copyright in design extended for five years.)

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March 26th to 31st.

Class 13. Nos. 5458 to 5469. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James' Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. March 22.

Class 13. Nos. 5471 to 5485. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James' Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. March 27.

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CALCUTTA,
The 26th February 1917.

O. F. JENKINS,
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For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

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,, ,, 2 ,,	,, 6 ,,	,,	Re.	1 0 0
,, ,, 3 ,,	,, 9 ,,	,,	Re.	1 8 0

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DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 4th April 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 31st March 1917.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE.										
				COIN AND BULLION.							SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).			
				In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.					
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.	TOTAL.	REMARKS.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta	2,65,89,900	29,09,49,890	31,75,39,790	5,65,18,962	1,11,71,790	64,77,183	6,67,50,000	13,36,772	..		(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 38,49,19,195	63,11,73,848	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R39,99,21,571. (c) Includes treasury bills purchased under Section 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R29,99,19,195.
Cawnpore	..	1,71,93,025	1,71,93,025	1,62,43,584	94,25,002								2,56,68,586	
Lahore	...	6,53,46,330	6,53,46,330	1,95,30,855	1,88,64,285	..							3,83,95,140	
Bombay	1,06,16,455	25,13,39,090	26,19,55,545	3,54,32,728	5,52,03,715	1,14,55,589							10,20,92,032	
Karachi	..	3,10,79,450	3,10,79,450	59,01,998	36,81,030			..	..		..		95,83,028	
Madras	67,48,500	9,47,92,670	10,15,41,170	1,76,97,420	1,17,69,780			..		...			2,94,67,200	
Rangoon	..	6,90,96,425	6,90,96,425	1,77,45,571	98,76,330				..				2,76,21,901	
	4,39,54,855	81,97,96,880	86,37,51,735	17,10,71,118	11,99,91,932	1,99,32,772	6,67,50,000	13,36,772		..	9,99,99,946	38,49,19,195	86,40,01,735	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			*Nil.*	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									2,50,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			86,37,51,735								TOTAL RESERVE R		86,37,51,735	

Gold worth £177,015 (R26,55,225) was transferred to the Paper Currency Reserve from the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 31st March 1917.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 31st March 1917 to 15 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 23RD MARCH TO 31ST MARCH 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins. Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.					Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Coinage for Ceylon Government.		
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Cents coined and paid over.	Closing balance
Calcutta	(a) 13	...	...	13	39	...	39	9	(b) 17	19	...	45	...	...	...	...	...	15
Bombay	...	1	...	1	58	...	58	...	(c) 119	1	4	124	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) Received from Bombay Mint.
(b) Exclusive of 44 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(c) Exclusive of 27 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, LT.-COLONEL, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

HIS MAJESTY'S MINT;
Calcutta, the 3rd April 1917.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

Examination qualifying for admission to the fourth grade of the Accounts Branch of the Public Works Department.

The examination will be conducted by the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, on June 4th and 5th, 1917, at the following centres:—

Centres.	Registering officer.
(1) The Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.	For candidates registered by—
(There is no other centre at Calcutta).	The Accountant-General, Bengal. The Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs. The Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal State Railway. The Government Examiner of Accounts, East Indian Railway. The Government Examiner of Accounts, Bengal Nagpur Railway. For candidates outside Government service over 25 years of age registered by the Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
(2) Office of the Accountant-General, Bihar and Orissa, Ranchi.	For candidates registered by the Accountant-General, Bihar and Orissa.
(3) The Office of the Comptroller, Assam, Shillong.	For candidates registered by him.
(4) The Office of the Accountant-General, Burma, Rangoon.	Ditto ditto.
(5) The Office of the Government Examiner of Railway Accounts, Chittagong.	Ditto ditto.
(6) The Office of the Accountant-General, Railways, Simla.	Ditto ditto.

Candidates must apply for registration to one of the Government officials on the above list. Those over 25 years of age not in Government service must apply for registration to the Principal only.

Applications *on the prescribed form* must reach the office of the registering officer not later than May 4th, 1917. Each must be accompanied by a fee of Rs. 10, and the following certificates in original, or true copies of them certified by an officer of the Engineer or Accounts Branch. These certificates will not be returned:—

(*i*) Certificate of good character signed by applicant's immediate official superior, or by the instructor under whom he has been educated, or by some other superior under whom he may have been brought up or employed, or to whom he may be well known. (This certificate must have special reference to the two years immediately preceding the application.)

(*ii*) Certificate of age, baptismal or of birth (not required, if the candidate is already in permanent Government employ).

(*iii*) Certificate that the application is in the candidate's own handwriting.

Copies of rules may be had on application from the undersigned.

B. HEATON,

Principal.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR,

The March 1917.

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THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
5. Tracers.
6. Men trained in—
   (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
   (b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

W. G. WOOD, C.S.I.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee

CURRENCY NOTE.

No. 013.—The following Currency Note of the Calcutta Circle is stated to have been destroyed, and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number. Any other person claiming a right to it is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned.

Note wholly destroyed.

Register No.	Number of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
W 270 of 96-97	A/67 96098	100	J. W. Meares, Esq., Electrical Adviser to the Government of India, Blair Athal, Simla

N. B. DEANE,
Deputy Controller, in charge of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
Dated the 2nd April 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS—REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

RESOLUTION.

G. O. No. Press 945, dated 30th March 1917.

READ the following paper :—

Again G. O. No. 821 Rev., dated 17th March 1917.

From the Collector of Madras, P. O. C. No. 141-Pet. of 1917, dated 29th March 1917, submitting for favour of necessary action the agreement executed by Messrs. Binny and Co., Ltd., in connection with the proposed acquisition of land required for making extensions to the Buckingham Mills.

ORDER :—The agreement has been executed by the Secretary to Government (Revenue Department) on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council and will be published in the Fort St. George Gazette, and a copy transmitted for publication in the Gazette of India under section 42 of the Land Acquisition Act I of 1894.

2. * * * * *

(True Extract),
A. R. KNAPP,
Acting Secretary to Government.

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT made this thirtieth day of March One thousand nine hundred and seventeen Between THE BUCKINGHAM MILL COMPANY LIMITED a Company registered under the Indian Companies Act and having its registered office in Madras (hereinafter called the Company) of the one part and THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INDIA IN COUNCIL (hereinafter called the Secretary of State) of the other part WHEREAS upon the application of the Company the Government of Madras by order No. 821 Press dated the 17th day of March One thousand nine hundred and seventeen has agreed to acquire on behalf of the Company under the provisions of Act No. I of 1894 of the Governor-General of India in Council the piece of land and hereditaments described and delineated in the plan and schedule hereto annexed and situate in Perambore Division Madras it having been shown to the satisfaction of the said Government of Madras that the proposed acquisition is needed for the construction of a work *viz.* for making immediate extensions to the Buckingham Mills in order to meet the urgent needs of Government and that such work is likely to prove useful to the public AND WHEREAS the said Government has called upon the Company under the provisions of Section 41 of the said Act to enter into the agreement with the Secretary of State hereinafter contained.

NOW THESE PRESENTS WITNESS that it is hereby agreed and declared as follows :—

1. The Company shall pay to the Government of Madras before the said land and hereditaments are transferred to the Company the cost of the land and any buildings thereon and all costs of the acquisition inclusive of all payments and allowances in respect thereof payable under the said Act.
2. Upon such payment by the Company the Secretary of State shall execute and do all such Acts deeds matters and things as may be necessary or proper for effectually vesting the land and hereditaments acquired in the Company and giving it an absolute title thereto.
3. The terms upon which the said land and hereditaments shall be held by the Company are that the Company shall construct a building or buildings on the piece of land as an extension to its factory for the purpose of carrying out the work which the Army Clothing Department wishes it to do and shall so long as the Company shall carry on business in Madras use the said building or buildings for such purpose.
4. That the said building or buildings shall be completed and fit for use within six months from the date when the said land and premises are transferred to the Company and that the Company so long as it shall continue to carry on business in Madras shall maintain and keep the said building or buildings in proper repair and condition.
5. That the public shall not be entitled to the use of the said building or buildings.

IN WITNESS whereof the seal of the Buckingham Mill Company Limited hath been hereunto affixed and Arthur Rowland Knapp Secretary to the Government of Madras in the Revenue Department for and on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council has hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year first above written.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

All that piece of land situate in Perambore Division Madras bearing Survey No. 200 bounded by the North by Survey No. 201 on the East by Survey No. 159, on the South by Survey No. 199, and on the West by Survey No. 203 and containing one ground one thousand two hundred and thirty square feet and registered in the records of the Tahsildar of Madras in the name of Syed Bi Bi and in the occupation of A. Rangaswami Mudaliar and his son Sivananda Mudali and two minor daughters.

The Common seal of the Buckingham Mill Company Limited was hereunto affixed in the presence of C. B. Simpson and H. N. C. Campbell being two of the Directors and Binny and Company Limited the Secretaries and Treasurers thereof in the presence of— } C. B. SIMPSON. H. N. C. CAMPBELL.

... Assistant to Binny and Co. Ltd.—Assistant to Binny & Co., Ltd.

SIGNED sealed and delivered by Arthur Rowland Knapp on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council in the presence of— } A. R. KNAPP, Secy. to Govt. Rev. Deptt.

A. S. RAMANATHAN,
Clerk, Revenue Secretariat.

S. J. AUGUSTUS,
Clerk, Revenue Secretariat.

REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 2nd Battalion, The Black Watch, (R. H.), dated at Bangalore, this 28th day of March 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—S.-9697, Private W. Sneddon.
Age—20 years and 9 months.
Height—5 feet 10 inches.
Colour of- Complexion, sallow, inclined to bluish through shaving; hair, dark brown; eyes, black.
Trade—Miner.
Date of Enlistment—22nd June 1915.
Place of Enlistment—Fife.
Parish and County in which born—Fife.
Date of Desertion or absence - 23rd March 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Agram Camp, Bangalore.
Marks—Clean shaven, no top teeth. Shrapnel wound left hand. General appearance untidy.
Under two years.

GEO. ANDREWS, Major,
Commanding, No. 1 Combined British Infantry Depôt.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 2nd Battalion, The Black Watch, (R. H.), dated at Bangalore, this 28th day of March 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—S-12495, Private William Gray.
Age—22 years and 2 months.
Height—5 feet 6 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, sallow; hair, dark brown; eyes, black.
Trade—Plumber's mate.
Date of Enlistment—20th January 1916.
Place of Enlistment—Leith.
Parish and County in which born—Midlothian.
Date of Desertion or absence—23rd March 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Agram Camp, Bangalore.
Marks—Neck stiffly inclined to right side. Mole on left cheek. Quick speaker. Stammers slightly.
Under two years

GEO. ANDREWS, Major,
Commanding No. 1, Combined British Infantry Depôt.

NOTICE.

The Book Depôt attached to the Office of the Superintendent, Government Printing, India, will be closed from the 1st to 15th May, inclusive for the purpose of Stock-taking.

J. J. MEIKLE,
Superintendent, Government Printing, India.

8, HASTINGS STREET,
CALCUTTA,
The 29th March 1917.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 29th March 1917.

No. 2462-*C. & I.*—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 59 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (I of 1914), as applied to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following correction in the 2nd line of rule 52 of the rules published with his Notification No. 1314-C. & I., dated the 25th February 1915, for the grant of licenses for the manufacture, supply, storage and sale of certain kinds of liquor in the Delhi Province, published at pages 467-474 of Part II of the Gazette of India, dated the 6th March 1915:—

For "eight gallons" *substitute* "one gallon".

Delhi, the 30th March 1917.

No. 2508-*Education.*—The following Bye-laws framed by the Municipal Committee of Delhi, under Section 197 (*c*) (*g*) and 199 of Act III of 1911 regarding the sale of butter and clarified butter (generally known as ghi) within the limits of the Delhi Municipality have been approved by the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, and are hereby published for general information.

(*Vide* Bye-laws attached.)

The bye-laws will come into force six weeks after the date of publication of this Notification.

BYE-LAWS.

Bye-laws regarding the sale of butter and clarified butter (generally known as ghi) under Section 197 (*c*) (*g*) and 199 of the Punjab Municipal Act III of 1911.

License.

1. No person shall sell or expose for sale butter or clarified butter (generally known as ghi) unless such person is licensed by the Municipal Committee in this behalf.

Form of License.

2. Licenses will be issued by the Health Officer in the form appended to these bye-laws.

3. Such licenses shall be issued on the following conditions:—

Condition of License.

(*i*) No person so licensed shall sell or expose for sale butter or clarified butter (ghi) to which any foreign fat or oil has been added, unless such butter or clarified butter (ghi) is contained in a vessel or canister plainly and conspicuously painted on all sides and on the top with a red stripe at least three inches in width.

(*ii*) Such license shall be produced whenever it is demanded by the Health Officer or by any person deputed by him to make any inspection under these bye-laws.

Duration of Licenses.

4. All such licenses shall remain in force from the date of issue to the 31st day of March following.

Penalties.

5. Any person who commits or abets the commitment of Bye-laws No. 1 and any licensee who commits or abets the commitment of a breach of any of the conditions on which his license was granted shall be liable, on conviction by a Magistrate to a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and in addition any such licensee who commits or abets the commission of a breach of the license shall be liable to have his license revoked by the Health Officer.

Delhi, the 2nd April 1917.

No. 2562-*R. & A.*—By virtue of the authority conferred by Section 71 of Act VII of 1878 (The Forest Act), the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to confer on Mr. A. E. P. Griessen, Superintendent of Arboriculture, New Capital, the powers of a Forest Officer as detailed in Section 71 (*d*) aforesaid, in respect of the reserved forest area known as the Southern Ridge, Delhi.

No. 2563-*R. & A.*—In virtue of the authority conferred by Section 25(i) of Act VII of 1878 (The Forest Act), the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to prescribe the following rule in regard to the reserved forest area known as the Southern Ridge, Delhi:—

"No person shall without the written permission of the Forest Officer hunt, shoot, or set traps or snares in the reserved forest area."

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 31st March 1917.

No. 664-330.—Mr. H. C. Greenfield, I.C.S., is appointed to be Cantonment Magistrate of Nasirabad, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

No. 665-330.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to invest Munshi Mangi Lal Dosi, Tahsildar of Nasirabad, with the ordinary powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd Class to be exercised within the limits of the Nasirabad Cantonment.

No. 666-330—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 5 of the Ajmer Courts Regulation (I of 1877), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint Munshi Mangi Lal Dosi, Tahsildar of Nasirabad, to be a Subordinate Judge of the 2nd Class within the limits of the Nasirabad Cantonment.

No. 667-330—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (V of 1898), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to invest Pandit Triloki Nath Sharma, Tahsildar, Deoli, with the ordinary powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd Class to be exercised within the limits of the Deoli Cantonment.

No. 668-330—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 5 of the Ajmer Courts Regulation (I of 1877), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint Pandit Triloki Nath, Tahsildar, Deoli, to be a Subordinate Judge of the 2nd Class within the limits of the Deoli Cantonment.

No. 669-330—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 11 of the Ajmer Courts Regulation (I of 1877), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to invest Pandit Triloki Nath, Tahsildar of Deoli, with the powers of a Judge of the Court of Small Causes to be exercised within the limits of the Deoli Cantonment.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Indore, the 31st March 1917.

No. 952-*D*.—The Reverend R. C. B. Clarke, 2nd Chaplain, Mhow, assumed charge of the Office of the Chaplain of Mhow with effect from the 4th January 1917.

No. 958-*D*.—The Reverend R. C. B. Clarke, on relief by the Reverend K. C. Horwood, resumed charge of the Office of the 2nd Chaplain of Mhow, with effect from the afternoon of the 27th January 1917.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 30th March 1917.

No. 595.—Mr. C. H. Gidney, I.C.S. (United Provinces), took over charge of the office of the Cantonment Magistrate, Quetta, from Major R. H. Palin, Cantonment Magistrate's Department, on the afternoon of the 23rd March 1917.

The 31st March 1917.

No. 186-J.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898) as applied to the territory administered by the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General as such Agent, the said Agent is pleased to appoint Hakim Gopal Das to be a Magistrate of the third class within the local limits of the Quetta Municipality.

By order,

R. H. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

First Assistant.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE NO. 211 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 22nd March 1917.

In the matter of Mahomed Esoof, son of Goolam Hoosain of Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Mahomed Esoof, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 21st day of March 1917.

CASE NO. 54 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 16th March 1917.

In the matter of Maung Ba, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Ba, No. 99, 62nd Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Ba.

CASE NO. 55 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 20th March 1917.

In the matter of Abdulla Ahmed, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition presented by M. C. Bham, S. Dadabhoy Brothers and M. G. Parekh & Co., of Rangoon, creditors of Abdulla Ahmed, carrying on business at No. 24, Edward Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of Insolvency pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, against the said Abdulla Ahmed was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 16th day of March 1917.

CASE NO. 56 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd March 1917.

In the matter of Maung Bah Uyah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Bah Uyah, No. 21, 108th Street, Rangoon, on the 19th day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Bah Uyah.

CASE NO. 57 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 20th March 1917.

In the matter of T. P. Achyutham Nayar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by T. P. Achyutham Nayar, clerk in Signal Engineer's office, Burma Railway, Sule Pagoda Road, Rangoon, on the 19th day March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said T. P. Achyutham Nayar.

CASE No. 59 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 20th March 1917.

In the matter of Bissessar Ahir, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Bissessar Ahir, Hackney Carriage Driver, No. 29, Lower Kemmendine Road, Rangoon, on the 20th day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Bissessar Ahir.

CASE No. 60 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 21st March 1917.

In the matter of Maung Aye, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Aye, clerk in Rangoon Municipality, residing at No. 16, 112th Street, Rangoon, on the 20th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Aye.

CASE No. 61 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd March 1917.

In the matter of Mahomed Wally, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mahomed Wally, fitter, of No. 46, 60th Street, Rangoon, on the 19th day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 21st day of March 1917 against the said Mahomed Wally.

CASE No. 62 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd March 1917.

In the matter of Vannianather Vaithilingam, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Vannianather Vaithilingam, contractor of No. 71, Thompson Street, Rangoon, on the 21st day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Vannianather Vaithilingam.

CASE No. 63 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd March 1917.

In the matter of Maung Kyiu Khai, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Kyiu Khai, Actor of No. 95, Zegale Quarter, Kemmendine, Rangoon, on the 21st day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Kyiu Khai.

CASE No. 64 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd March 1917.

In the matter of Maung Ba, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Ba, No. 49, Morton Street, Rangoon, on the 22nd day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Ba.

CASE No. 65 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 23rd March 1917.

In the matter of Siblal Sunar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Siblal Sunar, No. 58, 36th Street, Rangoon, on the 22nd day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Siblal Sunar.

CASE No. 203 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 27th March 1917.

In the matter of Nagalingam Naidu of No. 21, 38th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Nagalingam Naidu an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 27th day of March 1917.

CASE No. 213 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 28th March 1917.

In the matter of Kyee Swan of No. 154, Kamakasit Village, Ran goon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Kyee Swan an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 28th day of March 1917.

CASE No. 66 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 26th March 1917.

In the matter of Shaik Hossain, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Shaik Hossain, Light-house-keeper, residing at No. 2, Clerk Street, Rangoon, on the 23rd day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Shaik Hossain.

CASE No. 68 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 28th March 1917.

In the matter of Chinnasawmy Veerasawmy Murugesan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Chinnasawmy Veerasawmy Murugesan, No. 6, 58th Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Chinnasawmy Veerasawmy Murugesan.

CASE No. 69 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th March 1917.

In the matter of Mahomed Gazee and Abdul Satar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mahomed Gazee, unemployed, of 28th Street, and Abdul Satar, of Strand Road, Rangoon, on the 28th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mahomed Gazee and Abdul Satar.

J. HORMASJI,
Registrar.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

SUIT No. 16 OF 1917.

Dated the 28th March 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Abdur Rahim, son of Musammat Bandi Jan, caste Kanchan, Hanz Qazi, Delhi, Debtor.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Abdur Rahim to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on the 11th April 1917.

SUIT No. 17 OF 1917.

Dated the 28th March 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Maula Bakhsh, son of Alah Bakhsh, of Delhi, Kucha Chailan, Debtor.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Maula Bakhsh to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on the 19th April 1917.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 13 OF 1917.

Dated the 27th March 1917.

In the matter of Jela, son of Mansa, Rahgar of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 19th February 1917, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditor it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

(SECTION 44 (1)).

Notice to Creditors of application for discharge.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M. A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT AT DELHI.

Dated the 27th March 1917.

In the matter of insolvency of Ghulam Murtiza, son of Mohammad Khan of Delhi, Insolvent.

To

The Creditors.

Take notice that the above named insolvent has applied to the Court for his discharge and that the Court has fixed the 14th day of April 1917 at 10 o'clock for hearing the application.

RAHIM BAKHSH,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS.

In Insolvency.

Madras, the 30th March 1917.

Notice is hereby given that orders have been made by this Court adjudging the persons hereunder mentioned Insolvents and vesting the estates and effects of the said Insolvents in the Official Assignee of this Court; and all persons indebted to the said Insolvents, or who have any of their estates and effects, are hereby required forthwith to pay or deliver the same to the said Official Assignee.

No. of Petition.	Date of Presentation.	Name, address and description of Insolvent.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Public Examination.
150 of 1916	7th August 1916	T. A. Chidambara Chetty, T. A. Chokalinga Chetty and T. A Swaminathan Chetty carrying on business under the name and style of T. A. firm at No. 33, Coral Merchant Street, George Town, Madras.	8th August 1916	13th April 1917.
34 of 1917	15th February 1917.	T. Lachmi Dass, formerly residing at 1, 2 and 3, Raju Hanumantha Lala Street, Triplicane, Madras, but now residing at Thiruvothiyur.	15th February 1917	13th April 1917
37 of 1917	19th February 1917.	Kamaruddin Saib, residing at No. 2-7, Haji Shaik Hussain Line, Ice House Road, Triplicane, Madras.	19th February 1917	4th May 1917.
57 of 1917	10th March 1917	D. Ramakrishna Naidu, residing at No. 4, Vinayaga Mudelly Street, George Town, Madras.	10th March 1917	20th July 1917.

J. R. ATKINSON,
Deputy Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
150—1917	Abdulla Gulamali Munshi	Mahomedan	No. 3, Reay Road, Mazagon	Lately Electrical Contractor and now unemployed.	27th	March	1917	27th	March	1917
151—1917	Shripad Narsing Bichu	Hindu	Mugbhat	Typist in the employ of Messrs. Siemans Brothers.	„	„	„	„	„	„
152—1917	Fredrick James Bayley	Eurasian	Wandby Road	Telegraphist in the Government Central Telegraph Office, Bombay.	28th	„	„	28th	„	„
153—1917	Shaik Ebrahim bin Abdul Rahiman.	Mahomedan	Byculla	Fitter in the Khatao Makanji's Mills Ltd.	„	„	„	„	„	„
154—1917	Vandravan Jepal Woswal	Hindu	Moombadevi	Lately American Kachee Cotton Speculator and now unemployed.	29th	„	„	29th	„	„
155—1917	Mulji Haridas Thucker	„	Holi Chukla	Lately Dealer in groceries at Karachi and now Servant in the employ of Messrs. Pragji Sureji & Co., Bombay.	30th	„	„	30th	„	„
156—1917	Madhowji Damji Thucker	„	4, Kamatipura Lane	Servant in the employ of Katchea Vithal	„	„	„	„	„	„
157—1917	Shiwdoolari Gayadin Dikshit	„	Warden Road	Lately dealer in hay and now unemployed	2nd	April	„	2nd	April	„
158—1917	Krishnaji Vishnoo Haldownekar	„	Khandewdi	Boarding House keeper	„	„	„	„	„	„
159—1917	Pundlik Sitaram Narvekar and Yeshwant Pundlik Narvekar.	„	Nal Bazar	1st Debtor, lately hawker in vegetables and now unemployed and the 2nd Debtor, servant in the employ of Shankar Dada.	„	„	„	„	„	„
160—1917	Arthur Hubert Monsulate	Anglo-Indian	Fort, Opposite General Post Office.	Telegraphist in the Central Telegraph Office, Bombay.	„	„	„	„	„	„

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors' have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,
Bombay, this 2nd day of April 1917.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st March 1917.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	TOTAL.	4 PER CENT. Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	GRAND TOTAL.
Balance of 15th March 1917	28,29,900	95,61,100	4,35,18,000	1,49,44,400	66,62,300	23,64,600	7,70,50,400	2,500	40,50,400	8,39,33,200
Add—										
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st March 1917	...	2,500	...	5,500	...	4,000	12,000	...	...	12,000
	28,29,900	95,63,600	4,35,18,000	1,49,49,900	66,62,300	23,68,600	7,70,62,400	2,500	40,50,400	8,39,45,200
Deduct—										
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	34,500	5,40,200	81,700	1,27,200	1,20,000	9,03,600	...	...	9,03,600
Balance on 31st March 1917	28,29,900	95,29,100	4,29,77,800	1,48,68,200	65,35,100	22,48,600	7,61,58,800	2,500	40,50,400	8,30,41,600

NOTE.—

From	to		Enfaced from India		re-transferred from London
From 9th June 1867	to 31st Jan. 1917	Enfaced from India	12,406 lakhs,	re-transferred from London	12,904 lakhs
" 1st Feb. 1917	" 15th Feb. "	ditto	...	ditto	14 "
" 16th Feb. "	" 28th Feb. "	ditto	...	ditto	...
" 1st March "	" 15th Mar. "	ditto	4 lakhs	ditto	1 lakh
" 16th " "	" 31st " "	ditto	...	ditto	7 lakhs
			12,410		12,928

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 3rd April 1917.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, DEPARTMENT OF MINES.

INDIAN MINES ACT, 1901.

Examination for coal mine managers' certificates of competency held at Dhanbad on February 21st, 22nd and 23rd, 1917.

List of successful candidates in order of merit.

1st Class.

Cyril Laing Martin.
Gregory George Carapiet.
Jadu Gopal Banerji.
John Thompson.
Hrishikesh Ghose.
Jhaverilal K. Dholakia.
Harish Chandra Roy.
Upendra Nath Roy.
Abraham Pearce.

2nd Class.

Horace Albert Lyon.
Burton E. Aukim.
Bhola Nath Ghose.
Terence George Walker.
Indu Bhusan Mukherji.
John Morgan.
Haridas Sircar.
Shishir Kumar Banerji.
A. R. Hatton.
Kristo Dhone Ghose.
Durga Pada Naug.

H. B. PERIE,
for Chief Inspector of Mines in India.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS,

The 17th March 1917.

No. 276.—The following promotions and reversions of officers in the Northern India Salt Revenue Department are ordered with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	From	To	Nature of promotion or reversion.	With effect from
Mr. Mahmood Hasan	Officiating Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Inspector, 2nd grade.	Reversion .	20th November 1916. Consequent on return from leave of Mr. Ahmad Husain.
Mr. N. Daly . .	Superintendent, 4th grade, s. p. t.	Superintendent, 4th grade.	Substantive promotion.	21st November 1916. Consequent on retirement from the service of Government of Mr. Bhan Chand, Superintendent, 4th grade.
Mr. Bijoy Krishna De	Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, s.p.t.	Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade.	Ditto	
Mr. Abid Husain .	Officiating Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	S. p. t. promotion.	
Mr. Sujan Singh Gyani.	Officiating Superintendent, 4th grade.	Superintendent, 4th grade, s. p. t.	S. p. t. promotion.	21st November 1916. In succession to Mr. A. V. Nash on military duty. Consequent on substantive promotion in the vacancy of Mr. Bhan Chand.
Mr. Ahmad Husain .	Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade.	Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, s. p. t.	Ditto.	

The 19th March 1917.

No. 277.—Mr. Harnam Singh, Superintendent, Didwana Circle, Sambhar Lake Division, is granted privilege leave for 1 day in extension of the period sanctioned in Notification No. 236, dated 24th January 1917.

J. F. CONNOLLY,
Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 3rd April 1917.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities . .	6,61,93,597	12	0
Reserve Fund Rs. 2,13,00,000 0 0; Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* . 63,00,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0	Other authorized Investments .	1,21,13,315	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	63,00,000	0	0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .	6,42,38,883	13	4
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 3,60,43,019 5 5; Public Deposits at Branches 1,73,73,905 10 2	5,34,16,924	15	7	Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	4,00,81,119	10	0
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	22,15,66,564	7	11	Bills discounted and purchased	2,40,16,884	14	0
Bank Post Bills, etc. . .	13,94,210	10	3	Balances with other Banks .	23,65,919	13	8
Sundries	20,14,153	9	10	Bullion	......		
				Dead Stock	29,71,633	4	2
				Stamps	11,957	5	1
				Sundries . . .	7,09,818	11	3
					21,27,03,130	3	6
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 5,89,61,730 7 11; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches † 4,80,26,993 0 2	10,69,88,723	8	1
RUPEES .	31,96,91,853	11	7	RUPEES .	31,96,91,853	11	7

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,007 8 0

† Do. do. do. „ 5,18,782 8 0

Rs. 8,69,790 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 5th April 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.

Percentage 38·43

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 3rd April 1917.

No. 1971-*T*.—Mr. W. J. Comber, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class, has been granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 5th March 1917.

Conductor G. H. Sercombe, Telegraph Master, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class, during the absence of Mr. Comber or until further orders.

The 5th April 1917.

No. 2053-*T*.—Mr. G. R. Joseph, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, was reverted to the grade of Telegraph Master with effect from the 20th March 1917.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 5th April 1917.

No. 2048-T.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 29th March 1917 to 4th April 1917.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Railway Telegraph offices.		
Angai . . .	Dholpur-Bari Railway .	10th February 1917 . .	Opened.
Barauli . . .	Ditto	Ditto . .	"
Belaka Baori . .	Gwalior Light Railway .	1st March 1917 . . .	"
Bhangarh . . .	Ditto .	Ditto . .	"
Semai	Ditto .	Ditto . .	"

The following alterations in the names of Government Telegraph offices are notified :—

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W. SUTHERLAND,
Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

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3rd February „
10th „ „
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PART III

Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations.

STOLEN.

The Government Promissory Note No. 281927 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 300, originally standing in the name of Benode Behari Kar, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The Public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned security.

Name of the advertiser—BENODE BEHARI KAR,

Residence—Muktear, Ulubaria (Howrah).

Estate Captain G. D. Mathew, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the late George Dudley Mathew, a Captain in the 2nd Gurkha Rifles, who was killed in action in France on 10th May 1915, Letters of Administration to whose Estate have been granted to James Edmund Vallance, of Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, are required to send in the same on or before 28th April next to the said Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Calcutta, after which date the said Administrator will proceed to administer the assets having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice, and no claims sent in subsequently will be recognised.

J. E. VALLANCE.

CALCUTTA,
17th March 1917.

LOST.

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Name of the Advertiser—SURBO SUNDARI DASI,

Residence—38, Brojodulal Street, Calcutta.

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COTTON PRESS RETURN.

No. 10 of 1916-17.

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 31st January, 1917.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each) (*a*)	Percentage to total for India	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton pressed in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity pressed from 1st September, 1916, to 31st January, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs each)	
						Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	35·6	194	30	28,206	145,057	234,783
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	14·0	164	106	84,044	390,049	543,699
Madras	377,000	8·8	55	15	(*b*)508	44,803	77,524
Punjab (including Native States)	333,000	7·8	92	19	13,329	129,332	108,941
United Provinces	309,000	7·2	80	32	17,083	237,492	205,508
Sind	74,000	1·7	16	3	4,665	31,375	25,489
Burma	45,000	1·1	16	2	3,622	32,038	17,552
Bihar and Orissa	16,000	0·4	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	20,000	0·5	3	2	178	611	1,660
Assam	11,000	0·3	...	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province	6,000	0·1	1	1	...	2,591	682
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	0·4	9	4	3,368	17,303	(*c*)
Delhi	...	...	1	1	189	643	566
TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (*d*)	3,329,000	77·9	631	215	155,192	1,031,290	1,216,404
Hyderabad	500,000	11·7	41	1	2,471	2,471	10,348
Central India	309,000	7·2	32	(*c*)	(*c*)	(*c*)	(*c*)
Rajputana	119,000	2·8	10	2	5,938	21,601	8,717
Mysore	16,000	0·4	3	2	870	4,563	5,129
TOTAL NATIVE STATES (*e*)	944,000	22·1	86	5	9,288	28,635	24,189
GRAND TOTAL	4,273,000	100	717	220	164,480	1,059,925	1,240,593

(*a*) [illegible] the 20th March, 1917.
(*b*) Figures for the weeks ending 20th and 27th January, 1917.
(*c*) No returns received.
(*d*) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*e*) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 31st January, 1917.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received in the half-month	Quantity of cotton received in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity received from 1st September, 1916, to 31st January, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs each)	
				Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	177	35	14,074	106,390	20,605
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	10	10	7,563	31,987	49,546
Madras	14	9	(a)2,144	42,768	41,422
Punjab	3	1	241	3,817	8,746
United Provinces	15	5	669	18,965	29,862
Sind	3	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Bengal	10	9	5,158	33,802	27,356
Ajmer-Merwara	2	2	1,719	31,798	(b)
Delhi	2	2	234	8,025	9,434
Total British Provinces (c)	236	73	31,802	277,555	186,971
Hyderabad	3	1	186	2,139	2,382
Central India	3	1	2,394	12,637	6,596
Rajputana	1	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Mysore	2	2	132	1,071	1,068
Total Native States (d)	9	4	2,712	15,847	10,046
GRAND TOTAL	245	77	34,514	293,402	197,017

Note.—This statement shows the quantity of *unpressed* cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.

(a) Figures for the weeks ending 20th and 27th January, 1917.
(b) No returns received.
(c) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(d) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.

III.—Total quantity of cotton pressed in the Pressing Factories and of unpressed cotton received in the Spinning Mills, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st January, 1917, in *British Provinces (including Native States within Provincial boundaries)*.

Province	Total estimated outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of cotton pressed up to 31st January, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of unpressed cotton received in spinning mills up to 31st January, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total of columns 3 and 4 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Percentage ratio of col. 5 to col. 2
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States), and Baroda	1,519,000	145,057	106,390	251,447	16 6
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	390,042	31,987	422,029	70·3
Madras	377,000	44,803	42,768	87,571	23·2
Punjab (including Native States), North-West Frontier Province, Delhi	339,000	132,566	11,845	144,411	42·6
United Provinces	309,000	237,492	18,965	256,457	83·0
Sind	74,000	31,378	...	31,378	42·4
Burma	45,000	32,038	...	32,038	71·2
Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, Assam	47,000	611	33,802	34,413	73·2
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	17,303	31,798	49,101*	258·4
Total	3,329,000	1,031,3[illegible]	277,555	1,308,845	39·3

Note.—This table contains the totals of tables I and II excluding Hyderabad, Central India, Rajputana, and Mysore.

* Includes cotton received from adjoining States in Rajputana.

Department of Statistics, India
April 2, 1917

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

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Public Debt.

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Simla, the 6th April 1917.

The Government of India are assured that their officers of all grades will wish to support the Indian War Loan and to apply their savings for as long a period as possible to investment in the Loan. The ordinary procedure for subscribing to the various sections of the Loan is described in the Finance Department's Notification No. 380-F., dated the 1st March 1917, from which it will be seen that Post Office 5 year Cash Certificates offer full facilities for the utilisation of savings throughout the coming year up to a maximum amount of Rs. 7,500 by any one person, and that it is also possible to distribute subscriptions to War Loan 1929-1947 and War Bonds over the seven months from March 15th to October 15th, 1917. Government, however, believe that many officers will welcome an arrangement which will enable them to subscribe to the War Loan by monthly deductions from their pay, and that this will be a practical encouragement to the setting aside of money for subscription to the War Loan throughout the coming year.

2. They have accordingly obtained the Secretary of State's approval to the scheme described in Appendix A to this Notification. This scheme is applicable to all Government officers : it enables any Government officer to obtain War

Loan 1929-1947, War Bonds 1920 and War Bonds 1922 by payment of the amount applied for in ten instalments to be deducted from his pay. It also enables Cash Certificates to be obtained by deduction from pay.

3. There may, however, be officers who feel that by a prolongation of the period of repayment they will be enabled to take up a larger amount of the Indian War Loan, while, also, there may be Government servants who are unable to afford so large a monthly deduction as Rs. 10. To meet such cases, the Bank of Bengal have offered to make available to Government servants serving in the marginally noted Provinces, the facilities which they have announced that they will place at the disposal of approved borrowers, to enable them to contribute to the Indian War Loan. The Government of India have much pleasure in placing on record their appreciation of this public spirited offer of the Bank of Bengal, and they have decided to co-operate with the Bank of Bengal by arranging, on a request from the officer concerned, to deduct from the latter's pay, and pay to the Bank of Bengal, the amount due each month for the repayment to the Bank of the advance. This scheme will be alternative, and not in addition, to the scheme described in the preceding paragraph, and an officer will not be permitted to subscribe under both schemes. The terms of the scheme of the Bank of Bengal are set out in Appendix B.

(1) Bengal.
(2) Bihar and Orissa.
(3) The Punjab, and the North-West Frontier Province.
(4) The Central Provinces.
(5) Burma.

4. The Bank of Bengal's scheme is for the present open only to officers serving in the Presidency of Bengal and the Provinces mentioned above. The possibility of applying a similar scheme to Government servants serving in the Presidencies of Bombay and Madras is under examination.

J. B. BRUNYATE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

APPENDIX A.

GOVERNMENT SCHEME.

A.—War Loan 1929-1947 and War Bonds.

N. B.—The figures cited below show the *minimum* or unit subscription under this scheme.

5 per cent. War Loan 1929-1947.

MONTHLY PAYMENTS PER RS. 100 OF STOCK.

	Rs.
First month's instalment	5
Nine monthly instalments of Rs. 10	90
Total ...	95

First instalment to be deducted from the pay bill presented at the beginning of May or June 1917.

Last instalment to be deducted from the pay bill presented at the beginning of February or March 1918.

As soon as possible after the 15th February 1918 or the date on which the last instalment is paid, whichever is later, a Stock Certificate for Rs. 100 will be transferred to the subscriber carrying interest from the 15th February 1918, together with a cash payment on account of interest of—

	Rs.	A.	P.
When the 1st instalment is paid in May	1	14	2
" " " June	1	8	2

The Conversion Warrant in respect of the amount of the Loan taken up will be issued to the subscriber as soon as possible after the 1st November 1917.

5½ per cent War Bonds 1920; 5½ per cent War Bonds 1922.

MONTHLY PAYMENTS PER RS. 100 OF STOCK.

10 monthly instalments of Rs. 10 ... ... Total Rs. 100

First instalment to be deducted from the pay bill presented at the beginning of May or June 1917.

Last instalment to be deducted from the pay bill presented at the beginning of February or March 1918.

As soon as possible after the 15th February 1918 or the date on which the last instalment is paid, whichever is later, a Stock Certificate for Rs. 100 will be transferred to the subscriber carrying interest from the 15th February 1918 together with a cash payment on account of interest—

	Rs.	A.	P.
When the 1st instalment is paid in May	2	4	8
" " " June	1	13	8

General Provisions.

(1) *Any number of subscriptions,* whether to War Loan 1929-47 or to War Bonds, for Stock Certificates of Rs. 100 each, may be made by a subscriber on the above terms. Subscriptions cannot be made for fractions of Rs. 100.

(2) An officer wishing to subscribe by this method should fill up the attached Form A and cause it to be attached to the pay bill from which he wishes the first deduction of pay to be made. He must, as provided for in the form, state clearly the full amount for which he is subscribing.

(3) Instalments will continue to be deducted from the leave allowances of a subscriber who proceeds on leave, unless he is specially permitted to withdraw from the scheme under the following rule.

(4) (*a*) On furnishing special reasons which appear to the Head of his Office to be adequate, and on giving one month's notice, a subscriber may withdraw from this scheme before completing his instalments, and in that event he will receive back the amount he has already paid, but without interest.

(*b*) A subscriber ceasing to be employed in Government service before the payments are completed may be repaid without interest the amount which he has paid in ; provided that if he retires on pension he may continue his payments by deductions from his pension.

(*c*) If a subscriber dies before his subscriptions have been completed, his estate will receive the amount thereof with interest thereon, at the rate of 5¼ per cent. if his subscriptions were intended for War Loan 1929-1947, and at the rate of 5½ per cent. if his subscriptions were intended for War Bonds.

(*d*) Subscribers who for any reason withdraw from the scheme before completing their instalments, will be required to refund to Government the value of any Conversion Rights exercised by them in respect of War Loan 1929-1947.

(5) Only Inscribed Stock Certificates will be issued to subscribers under the scheme. But, on receiving their Certificates subscribers can by applying to the Public Debt Office of issue exchange them for Promissory Notes or Bearer Bonds.

(6) Detailed instructions regarding the procedure to be followed by Heads of Offices and Audit Offices in giving effect to this scheme will be issued shortly.

B.—Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates.

Heads of offices are also authorised to arrange for deductions from the pay of their establishments for the purchase of 5-year Cash Certificates.

The applicant should fill up Form B attached. The monthly deductions may be carried on during the year 1917-18 or any portion of it, and may be continued during leave. The Head of the office will cause certificates to be purchased and handed over to the subscriber from time to time whenever R 7-12, or a multiple thereof, has been accumulated. Any broken amount below R 7-12 will be returned to the subscriber at the end of the subscription period or on his withdrawal from the scheme, or on his ceasing to be employed in Government service, or to his estate in the event of his death.

Separate instructions will be issued prescribing a simple form for the record of transactions under this head of the scheme.

FORM A.

I wish to subscribe to the Indian War Loan, to the extent stated below, under the terms of the Government of India Notification No. 745-F., dated the 6th April 1917, and authorise you to make the necessary deductions from my pay bill presented in each of the 10 months ______ 1917 to ______ 1918 inclusive, and to pay the amounts so deducted to the Indian War Loan account.

(*a*) I wish the purchase to be made through the Post Office, (*b*) and the stock to be deposited with the Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs.

(a) Strike out this sentence if purchase through the Post Office is not desired.

(b) Strike out these words if it is not desired to leave the securities with the Post Office.

Amounts of subscriptions and monthly deductions proposed.

(1) Stock Certificates of R100 each in War Loan 1929-1947, at a cost of R ______ in the first month, and R ______ in each of the 9 succeeding months.

(2) Stock Certificates of R100 each in War Bonds 1920 at a cost of R ______ in the first month, and R ______ in each of the 9 succeeding months.

(3) Stock Certificates of R100 each in War Bonds 1922 at a cost of R ______ in the first month, and R ______ in each of the 9 succeeding months.

Total monthly deductions R ______ in the first month, and R ______ in each of the 9 succeeding months.

Dated ______ *1917.*

(*Signature*).

Note.—The maximum amount of War Loan, 1929-1947, and War Bonds which can be purchased for any one holder through the Post Office is R7,500 of each. Interest on War Loan, 1929-1947, purchased through the Post Office is specially exempt from income-tax for so long as the stock is deposited with the Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs.

FORM B.

I desire the amounts stated below to be deducted from my pay drawn in the months mentioned, and to be utilised in the purchase for me from the ____________ Post Office of Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates, in accordance with the terms of the Government of India Notification No. 745-F., dated the 6th April 1917.

Monthly deductions proposed.

1917.									1918.			Total.	Face value of Certificates to be purchased at R7-12 per R10 Certificate.
April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	February.	March.		
R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R

APPENDIX B.

BANK OF BENGAL SCHEME.

(1) On payment by the borrower of a deposit of 5 per cent of the amount applied for [*i.e.*, on the first monthly deduction from pay under clause (7) below being effected], the Bank of Bengal will make an advance of the balance of the intended subscription.

(2) The Bank will purchase, and, pending the complete repayment of the advance, retain the scrip.

(3) The amount advanced will be repaid within two years by monthly instalments as in clause (7) below.

(4) On the amount advanced the Bank of Bengal will charge the borrower interest at the rate of 5 per cent calculated on the amount outstanding on the first of each month and payable half-yearly. On the other hand, the borrower will be credited by the Bank with the full interest realised on the security.

(5) Failure to repay an instalment will involve the charging of interest on the outstanding balance of the advance at the bank rate for the time being.

(6) On complete repayment of the advance the Bank of Bengal will transfer to the borrower the scrip and simultaneously present an account of the interest adjustment.

(7) The instalments due to the Bank will be deducted from pay monthly in the following manner :

In the case of War Loan 1929-1947 :

In each of the first 4 months 5 per cent of the amount applied for.
" " next 15 months 4 per cent " " "
" " next 5 months 3 per cent " " "
i.e., in all Rs. 95 for every Rs. 100 of stock applied for.

In the case of War Bonds 1920 and 1922 :

In each of the first 4 months 5 per cent of the amount applied for.
" " next 20 months 4 per cent " " "
i.e., in all Rs. 100 for every Rs. 100 of stock applied for.

(8) In order to assist Government servants in the Provinces* to which this scheme applies to take advantage of the Bank's offer, Government will undertake the collection of the instalments payable to the Bank of Bengal by making monthly deductions as above from the pay of the officer concerned and transferring these to the Bank of Bengal. In all other respects the arrangement will be one between the officer concerned and the Bank of Bengal, and an officer who has once elected the Bank's scheme will not be permitted to withdraw from it without the permission of the Bank.

*(1) Bengal.
(2) Bihar and Orissa.
(3) The Punjab and the North-West Frontier Province.
(4) The Central Provinces.
(5) Burma.

(9) Applications from officers desiring to subscribe under this scheme should be made in Form A attached, which must be completed and signed in duplicate, and forwarded to the Audit Officer of the Province in which the subscriber is serving not later than May 10th, 1917. The first deductions from pay will be made from the pay for the month of May 1917.

Form A.

To

THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL,

I wish to subscribe to the Indian War Loan to the extent stated below in accordance with the terms of the Bank of Bengal Scheme as set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Government of India Notification No. 745-F., dated 6th April 1917, and authorise you to make the necessary deductions from my Pay Bills presented in each of the 24 months June 1917 to May 1919 inclusive, and to pay the amount so deducted to the Bank of Bengal.

....
(Signatures)

Date..............................

....
(Designation.)

....
(Name of office.)

Amounts of subscriptions and monthly deductions proposed.

(1) Stock Certificates of Rs. 100 each in War Loan 1929-1947, at a cost for each certificate of Rs. 5 in each of the first four months, and Rs. 4 in each of the 15 succeeding months, and Rs. 3 in each of the succeeding 5 months.

(2) Stock Certificates of Rs. 100 each in War Bonds 1920 at a cost for each certificate of Rs. 5 in each of the first four months, and Rs. 4 in each of the 20 succeeding months.

(3) Stock Certificates of Rs. 100 each in War Bonds 1922 at a cost for each certificate of Rs. 5 in each of the first four months, and Rs. 4 in each of the 20 succeeding months.

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Mr. Walter Maude, C.S.I. of the Indian Civil Service, to be a Member of the Council constituted in the Province of Bihar and Orissa for the purpose of assisting the Lieutenant-Governor in the executive government of that province, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of that office on its resignation by the Hon'ble Sir William Henry Hoare Vincent, Kt.

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The 4th April, 1917.

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MEDICAL.

The 3rd April, 1917.

No. 22.—In pursuance of section 3 of the Indian Medical Degrees Act, 1916 (VII of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to authorise the institution known as the Burma Medical Examination Board to confer, grant or issue in British India degrees, diplomas, licences, certificates or other documents stating or implying that the holder, grantee or recipient thereof is qualified to practise Western medical science.

The 5th April, 1917.

No. 27.—The services of Assistant Surgeon Muniruddin, Bhakkar Dispensary, Mianwali District, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Delhi, with effect from the afternoon of the 10th January 1917.

POLICE.

The 4th April, 1917.

No. 110.—The services of Captain G. B. Davies, 48th Pioneers, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam, for employment with the Assam Military Police, with effect from the date on which he assumed charge of his duties.

PORT BLAIR.

The 30th/31st March, 1917.

No. 7.—The services of Captain (temporary Major) H. O. Carroll, Executive Commissariat Officer, Port Blair, are replaced at the disposal of the Army Department, with effect from the date on which he makes over charge of his duties.

No. 8.—Captain B. L. Jones, Supply and Transport Corps, is appointed to be Executive Commissariat Officer, Port Blair, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties.

J. H. DU BOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 2nd April 1917.

No. 382-I.B.—The notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 14-I.B., dated the 4th January 1912, appointing the Reverend F. A. Wenyon of the Wesleyan Mission to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths for the territories of Mysore, including the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, is hereby cancelled.

No. 383-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 18 of the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act, 1886 (VI of 1886), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend H. A. H. Barley, Wesleyan Missionary, Kolar Gold Field, to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths for the territories of Mysore, including the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, in respect of such persons of the classes indicated in section 11, sub-section (1), clause (*b*), of the said Act, as he may baptize or whose funeral ceremonies he may perform.

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The 3rd April 1917.

No. 255-Est.-B.—The following amendment in the Rules for the examination in the Pashtu and Baluchi languages of officers serving in Baluchistan, published in the Notification by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department No. 472-Est.-B., dated the 22nd March 1916, is published for general information :—

Add the following as a new rule after rule 12.—

> "No. 13. No officer who is eligible for an allowance under these rules will be permitted to draw it until he has refunded the lump sum reward, if any, that he has already received for the same, or an equivalent, examination. This refund may be made by foregoing the monthly allowance for the requisite number of months."

No. 253-Est-B.—The following amendment in the rules for the examination in the Pashtu language of officers serving in the North-West Frontier Province and Chilas, published in the Notification by the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 1476-G., dated the 25th June 1909, is published for general information :—

Add the following as a new rule after rule 9.—

> "No 10. No officer who is eligible for an allowance under these rules will be permitted to draw it until he has refunded the lump sum reward, if any, that he has already received for the same, or an equivalent, examination. This refund may be made by foregoing the monthly allowance for the requisite number of months."

A. H. GRANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The 4th April 1917.

404-I.B.—Whereas U Kmuin Manik, Siem of Mylliem, in the Khasi Jaintia Hills, has ceded to the British Government the jurisdiction necessary for the working of the Indian Income Tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886) as subsequently amended, in the villages situate within the limits of the Shillong Municipality as described in the Schedule attached to the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3163-I. B., dated the 17th September 1913, subject to the maintenance of his other rights and powers as Siem of Mylliem therein, and subject also to the condition that the provisions of the said Act (as subsequently amended) shall not be applicable to his own income, present or future, or to that of his subjects :—

In exercise of this jurisdiction and of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct as follows :—

1. All the provisions of the Indian Income Tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886) as from time to time amended and all notifications, orders, rules or forms made thereunder, subject to any amendments to which they are for the time being subject in British India shall, unless otherwise declared by the Chief Commissioner of Assam, be applied to British subjects in the said villages within the limits of the Municipality of Shillong in so far as the same may be applicable thereto.

2. For the purpose of the application of the provisions of the said Act, and of the said notifications, orders, rules or forms,

(1) "income" includes income and profits accruing, arising or received in the said villages within the limits of the Municipality of Shillong.

(2) "Local Government" means the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

(3) "Collector" means the Deputy Commissioner, Khasi and Jaintia Hills ; and

(4) "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of the Surma Valley and Hill Districts.

No. 396-I.B.—Whereas His Highness the Gaekwar of Baroda has from time to time ceded certain lands to the Government of India for the construction of the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway :

And whereas by Bombay Act No. I of 1862 (*An Act for bringing under the Regulations and Acts certain lands ceded by His Highness the Gaekwar for railway purposes*) all such parts of the villages mentioned in the schedule to the said Act as had been delivered over by His Highness the Gaekwar to the Government of India for construction of the said railway before the commencement of the said Act were included in the Zila of Surat from the commencement of the said Act :

And whereas the village of Bilimora in the Gandevi Pargana is one of the villages mentioned in the schedule to the said Act, but certain lands in the said village ceded by His Highness the Gaekwar for the purpose aforesaid have been delivered over to the Government of India after the commencement of the said Act :

And whereas it is expedient that the said lands shall be declared to be part of the province of Bombay :

And whereas it is not now practicable to distinguish between the lands in the said village delivered over to the Government of India before and after the commencement of the said Act respectively :

And whereas the boundaries set out in the schedule are the boundaries of all the said lands :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 60 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. V, C. 61), the Governor General in Council, in amplification of the provisions of Bombay Act No. I of 1862 is pleased to declare that the land specified in the schedule hereto annexed shall be included in and form part of the province of Bombay and to alter the boundaries of the said province accordingly :—

The Schedule.

Description and boundaries of the land :—

The piece or parcel of land measures in superficial area 23·1540 acres, be the same more or less, situated in the village of Bilimora in the Gandevi taluka of the Navsari prant of His Highness the Gaekwar's territory and extends in a northerly direction from mile 135 and 3,128 feet on the main line of the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway to mile 136 and 4,440 feet, the said land and its varying width being more particularly delineated on the ferroplan No. 37704 of the Chief Engineer of the railway, which plan is deposited in the office of the Secretary to the Government of Bombay in the Political Department, and the said land is bounded as follows :—

On the north by that part of the railway bridge over the Ambica river which lies within boundary of the village of Ambica Bhatha :

On the south by the railway land in the village of Dessara in the Gandevi taluka of the Navsari prant of His Highness the Gaekwar's territory :

On the east by the bed of the Ambica river from the point where the railway bridge over the Ambica river meets the boundary of the village of Ambica Bhatha to the southern abutment of the said bridge, thence by waste land on which are a few scattered huts to about chainage 136 mile and 3,500 feet, thence by a cluster of huts and houses known as the Talod Falia of the Bilimora village to chainage 3,000 feet, thence by waste land to chainage 2,200 feet,

thence by cultivated land to chainage 1,400 feet, thence by babul jungle to mile 136, thence by land occupied by the Bilimora-Kalamba Railway :

On the west by the Dessara-Bilimora metalled road from chainage mile 135 and 3,128 feet, to its junction with the approach road to the Bilimora station from the Bilimora village, thence by a triangular plot of private land, on which is an oil mill, to level crossing No. 108 (chainage mile 135 and 4,041 feet), thence by a metalled road to level crossing No. 109, thence by a fair-weather cart track to a 20 feet arched culvert of one span, No. 366 (chainage mile 136 and 2,549 feet), thence by waste land to the southern abutment of the railway bridge over the Ambica river (chainage mile 136 and 4.009 feet), thence by the bed of the Ambica river to the point where the said bridge meets the boundary of the village of Ambica Bhatha.

The 5th April 1917.

No. 279-Est.-B.—The services of 2nd-Lieutenant C. M. D. Cade, attached 2-6th Battalion, Devonshire Regiment, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor-General in the North-West Frontier Province, for employment with the Frontier Militia, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

The 6th April 1917.

No. 421-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Registration Ordinance, 1917, as applied to the Railway Lands and Administered Areas in Rajputana, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following rules :—

Short title.

1. These rules may be called the Rajputana Special Areas Registration Rules, 1917.

Definitions.

2. In these rules, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context, "the Ordinance" means the Registration Ordinance, 1917, as applied to the said lands and areas ;

"the competent military authority" means the General Officer Commanding the Division or Independent Brigade within the territorial limits of which the registered person ordinarily resides.

Period within which a person must register.

3. For the purposes of section 6 of the Ordinance, the prescribed period shall be—

(*a*) in the case of persons resident in the said lands or areas on the date on which the said Ordinance was applied thereto—two months from the commencement of the Ordinance ; and

(*b*) in the case of persons becoming subject to the provisions of the Ordinance after the said date—one month from the date on which they become so subject.

Registration authority to provide forms.

4. (*1*) The registration authority shall, as far as possible, cause to be delivered to every person to whom the provisions of sub-section (*1*) of section 3 of the Ordinance apply a copy of Form A specified in Schedule I of the Ordinance :

Provided that nothing in this sub-rule shall be construed as relieving any person of the obligation to register imposed on him by the Ordinance.

(*2*) The registration authority shall cause public notice to be given in such manner as it may think fit as to the places where copies of the form can be obtained.

Disposal of claims to non-liability.

5. (*1*) For the purposes of section 4 of the Ordinance, the prescribed authority shall be such person as may be appointed by the competent military authority by order in writing in this behalf.

(*2*) Where a claim is lodged with the registration authority, in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (*1*) of section 3 of the Ordinance, the registration authority shall forward the claim to the competent military authority.

(*3*) On receiving a claim under sub-rule (*2*), the competent military authority shall, unless he allows the same, direct the authority prescribed by sub-rule (*1*), to apply for the decision of the claim to the District Magistrate or other officer specially empowered in accordance with the provisions of section 4 of the Ordinance.

(*4*) If the competent military authority or an officer deciding a question under section 4 of the Ordinance allows a claim, he shall forward a copy of his order to the registration authority.

Notification of change of address.

6 (*1*) If any person registered under the Ordinance changes his place of residence, such person shall, unless the change is merely temporary, within seven days thereafter notify the registration authority of such change.

(*2*) If any person refuses or, without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon him), neglects to make the notification required by sub-rule (*1*), he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Maintenance of register.

7. The registration authority shall maintain a register in Form I set out in the Schedule to these rules, and shall, from time to time, forward to the competent military authority copies of the register or of any alterations that may be made therein.

Certificates of registration.

8. The registration authority shall supply to every person registered under the Ordinance a certificate of registration in Form II set out in the Schedule to these rules.

THE SCHEDULE.

FORM I.

(*See Rule* 7.)

REGISTER.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Name.	Place of residence.	Date of birth.	Whether single, married or widower.	Number of dependants (if any) distinguishing wife, children and other dependants.	Profession or occupation (if any), name of business address of employer (if any) and nature of employer's business.	Whether the work on which he is employed (if any) is work for or under any Government Department.	Whether he has undergone military or naval training of any description. If so, what and for what period?	Determination of dispute (if any) under section 4 and date of order.	REMARKS.

Signature of Registration Authority

FORM II.

(*See Rule 8.*)

Certificate of Registration.

This is to certify that—

(*a*)________________________________

(*b*)________________________________

(*c*) of______________________________

has been registered under the Registration Ordinance, 1917, as applied.

(*a*) Name ; (*b*) Occupation ; (*c*) Postal address.

Signature of Registration Authority

Signature of Holder.

Extract from the Special Areas Registration Rules, 1917.

Rule 6 (*1*).—If any person registered under the Ordinance changes his place of residence, such person shall, unless the change is merely temporary, within seven days thereafter notify the registration authority of such change.

(*2*).—If any person refuses or, without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon him), neglects to make the notification required by sub-rule (*1*), he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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SEPARATE REVENUE.

STAMPS.

Simla, the 4th April, 1917.

No. 739-F.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the word "Tavoy" shall be inserted after the word "Akyab" in item 5 of the list contained in Appendix I of the Indian Stamp Rules, 1914, published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Finance Department, No. 1140-F., dated the 14th August 1914, as subsequently amended.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 5th April, 1917.

No. 337-F. E.—Mr. S. R. Ewing, an officer in class III of the Public Works List of the Indian Finance Department, was attached to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal Railway, from the 2nd to the 21st March 1917 and has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Bengal, with effect from the 22nd March 1917.

No. 343-F. E.—Mr. D. N. Dutt, officer on special duty, office of the Controller of Currency, has been granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 24th March 1917.

No. 344-F. E.—Mr. P. G. Shah, an officer in class III of the General List of the Indian Finance Department, attached to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, has been granted privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from the 26th March 1917.

No. 345-F.E.—Mr. R. G. Vernon, an officer in class III of the Public Works List of the Indian Finance Department, has been posted to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, North Western Railway, with effect from the 26th March 1917.

PENSIONS.

The 5th April, 1917.

No. 285-Accts.—Rai Sahib Srish Chander Sinha, temporary Deputy Examiner, Military Accounts Department, is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 1st March 1917.

J. B. BRUNYATE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATION.

FORESTS.

Simla, the 5th April, 1917.

No. 163-F.-11-8.—Babu Praphulla Chandra Kanjilal, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, United Provinces, is appointed to be Assistant Instructor at the Forest Research Institute and College, Dehra Dun, with effect from 1st April 1917. He reported his arrival at Dehra Dun on the forenoon of 19th March 1917.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 7th April, 1917.

No. 3793-Spl.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Foreigners' Ordinance, 1914 (III of 1914), as subsequently amended and read with the Emergency Legislation Continuance Act, 1915 (1 of 1915), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Hostile Foreigners (Trading) Order, issued by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 807-W., dated the 14th November 1914, namely,—

After sub-clause (2) of clause 4 of the said Order, the following proviso shall be added, namely :—

Provided that nothing in this clause shall apply to a hostile firm which has been purged of its hostile element and to which a certificate to that effect has been issued by the Governor General in Council.

No. 3794-Spl.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*a*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel the notification in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 10257-W.-II., dated the 21st of October 1916, so far as it relates to "The Linde Refrigeration Company, Limited".

CUSTOMS.

The 7th April, 1917.

No. 3623-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9954-W-II., dated the 14th October 1916, as subsequently amended :—

After the word "Guatemala," *add* the word "Hayti."

No. 3758-C. W.—The following Royal Proclamation, which was referred to in this Department Notification No. 864-C. W. D., dated the 26th February 1917, is published for general information.

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE R. I.—

WHEREAS by Section forty-three of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by Proclamation :

AND WHEREAS by various Proclamations entitled Prohibition of Import Proclamations the importation of certain goods has been prohibited accordingly :

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that the importation into the United Kingdom of certain other goods should be prohibited, and the existing prohibition imposed on the importation of certain goods removed :

NOW, THEREFORE, We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct and ordain as follows :—

(1) As from and after the date hereof, subject as hereinafter provided, the importation into the United Kingdom of the following goods is hereby prohibited, *viz* :—

Aerated, mineral and table waters.

Agricultural machinery.

Antimony ware.

Apparel, not waterproofed (except boots and shoes).

Art, works of.

Baskets and basketware of bamboo.

Books, printed, and other printed matter including printed posters and daily, weekly and other periodical publications imported otherwise than in single copies through the post.

Boots and shoes of leather, and materials used for the manufacture thereof, not already prohibited.

Brandy.

Clocks and parts thereof.

Cloisonné wares.

Cocoa, preparations of.

Cocoa, raw.

Coffee.

Cotton hosiery, cotton lace and articles thereof.

Curios.

Diatomite and infusorial earth.

Embroidery and needlework.

Fancy goods, known as Paris goods.

Feathers, ornamental, and down.

Fire extinguishers.

Flowers, artificial.

Flowers, fresh.

Fruit, raw, of all descriptions (except lemons and bitter oranges), and almonds and nuts used as fruit.

Glass manufactures not already prohibited.

Gloves.

Hats and bonnets.

Hides, wet and dry.

Incandescent gas mantles.

Jute, raw.

Leather, dressed and undressed.
Linen, yarns and manufactures of.
Lobsters, canned.
Mats and matting.
Mops.
Painters' colours and pigments.
Perfumery.
Photographic apparatus.
Pictures, prints, engravings, photographs and maps.
Plated and gilt wares.
Quails, live.
Quebracho, hemlock, oak and mangrove extracts.
Rum.
Salmon, canned.
Silk, manufactures of, not including silk yarns.
Skins and furs, manufactures of.
Soya beans.
Stereoscopes.
Straw envelopes for bottles.
Straw plaiting.
Sugar, articles and preparations containing, used for food (except condensed milk).
Tea.
Tomatoes.
Typewriters.
Wine.
Wood and timber of all kinds, hewn, sawn or split, planed or dressed.

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

(2) As from and after the date hereof the prohibition imposed by the Prohibition of Import (Paper, Tobacco, Furniture Woods and Stones) Proclamation, 1916, on the importation of the following goods shall be removed, and the said Proclamation amended accordingly, viz :—

All periodical publications exceeding 16 pages in length, imported otherwise than in single copies through the post.

This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (No. 14) Proclamation, 1917.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Twenty-third day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the Seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 3777-C.W.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL,

The 23rd day of February, 1917.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS by virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred on Him by section one of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, as extended by section one of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, and section one of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1915, His Majesty was pleased to issue a Proclamation, dated the 25th day of June, 1915, declaring that the exportation of the articles mentioned in the second column of the Schedule to that Proclamation is prohibited to the country named in the first column of the said Schedule unless those articles are consigned to the persons referred to in the third column of the said Schedule :

AND WHEREAS by section two of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, any Proclamation made under section one of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may be varied or added to whilst a state of war exists by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

AND WHEREAS by an Order of Council, dated the 7th day of October, 1915, the said Proclamation of the 25th day of June, 1915, was amended by the substitution of a new Schedule for the Schedule to that Proclamation :

AND WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 25th day of June, 1915, as amended, should be further amended by the substitution for the Schedule to that Proclamation, as amended, of the following Schedule :—

SCHEDULE.

Country.	Articles.	Authorised Persons.
The Netherlands ...	All articles except :— 1. Printed matter of all descriptions. 2. Empty receptacles returned to the Netherlands. 3. Worn clothing and other personal effects. 4. Live animals other than animals ordinarily used for human food. 5. Sanitary earthenware, without fittings of any kind. 6. Pottery and common earthenware for table and household purposes. 7. Books. 8. Dolls and toys (except electric torches). 9. Wooden clock cases. 10. Slates and slate pencils. 11. Postage stamp albums and picture postcard albums. 12. Tiles.	The Government of the Netherlands or any Department thereof (provided that the permission of the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs is previously obtained); any British Diplomatic or Consular Officer in the Netherlands or any Diplomatic or Consular Officer in the Netherlands of an allied or neutral country (provided that in the case of consignments to Diplomatic or Consular Officers of neutral countries the permission of the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs is previously obtained); the Netherlands Oversea Trust, or (in the case of any prohibited or restricted goods which are authorized by licence to be exported) the person named in the licence as consignee.

NOW, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

No. 3781-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 8 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that "Capper, J. C. (The Ceylon and Australia Produce Stores), Bangkok", shall be added to the Schedule appended to this Department's Notification No. 2931-C.W., dated the 24th March 1917.

No. 3784-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 66-C.W.D., dated the 13th January 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz*.:—

ADDITIONS.

China Soap and Candle Co., Ld.

Hugg and Co., Canton.

Jourdan, Yuannan.

Sin Hong Ho., Amoy.

Tay Choon Keng, Amoy.

Union Trading Co., Canton.

Wo Sang, Canton.

No. 3785-C.W.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL,

The 23rd day of February, 1917.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

AND WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

AND WHEREAS by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

AND WHEREAS by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :

AND WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :—

(A) Copper wire and cables containing copper ;

(C) Cordite presses ;

(C) Dies for cartridge cases ;

(C) Gauges for cartridges or shells ;

(B) Gauze manufactured of copper or its alloys ;

(B) Horse shoes;

(C) Implements and apparatus designed exclusively for the manufacture of munitions of war, for the manufacture or repair of arms or of war material for use on land or sea, the following:—

Cordite presses;

Dies for cartridge cases;

Gauges for cartridges or shells;

Incorporators;

Lapping machines;

Rifling machines;

Wire-winding machines:

(C) Incorporators;

(C) Lapping machines;

Metals and ores, the following:—

(C) Copper ore;

(B) Copper, unwrought and part wrought, all kinds, including alloys of copper (such as brass, gun metal, naval brass and delta metal, phosphor copper, phosphor bronze, and solder containing copper), copper and brass circles, slabs, bars, ingots, scrap, rods and plates and also wrought copper of the following descriptions:—Copper and brass pipes, sheets, condenser plates, brass wire, bronze wire, perforated brass sheets, perforated brass linings, and copper foil;

(C) Copper manufactures, the following:—

All articles wholly or partly manufactured of copper or its alloys not otherwise specifically prohibited;

(B) Yellow metal;

(C) Rifling machines;

(B) Telegraphs, instruments and material for, the following:—

Wheatstone automatic apparatus:—

Automatic transmitters;

Wheatstone transmitters;

Parts of Creed apparatus:—

Creed engines;

Creed relays with pneumatic valves;

Auxiliaries to Creed apparatus:—

High tension keys operated by pneumatic pressure;

High tension keys operated magnetically;

Dictaphones and dictaphone cylinders;

Einthoven galvanometers;

Paper tape photographically sensitised;

(C) Telegraphs (except wireless), instruments and material for, not otherwise prohibited;

(B) Telegraphs, wireless, instruments and material for;

(B) Telephone sets and their component parts;

(C) Telephones, material for (except telephone sets and their component parts);

(B) Tubes, brass, brazed;

(A) Tubes, brass, solid drawn;

(A) Tubes, copper, solid drawn;

(C) Wire-winding machines;

(2) That the following headings should be added:—

(B) Horse, mule, and pony shoes;

(A) Implements and apparatus designed exclusively for the manufacture of munitions of war, for the manufacture or repair of arms or of war material for use on land or sea, the following:—

Cordite presses;

Dies for cartridge cases;

Gauges for cartridges or shells;

Incorporators;

Lapping machines;

Rifling machines;

Wire-winding machines;

Metals and ores, the following:—

(A) Copper ore; regulus, matte, concentrate and precipitate;

(A) Copper, whether refined or unrefined, unwrought, wrought or partly wrought of all kinds and descriptions including brass, bronze, yellow metal, and all other alloys of copper;

(A) Copper manufactures, the following:—

All articles wholly or partly manufactured of copper or its alloys except:—

(1) Articles partly manufactured of copper or its alloys exported before the Ninth day of March 1917, to all destinations not in foreign countries in Europe or on the Mediterranean or Black Seas, other than France and French Possessions, Russia, Italy and Italian Possessions, Spain and Portugal, and to all ports not in any such foreign countries, except Russian Baltic ports; and

(2) Articles partly manufactured of copper or its alloys in which the total weight of copper and copper alloy does not exceed five per cent. of the total weight of the article, and does not exceed 56 lbs.;

(A) Mustard seed;

(A) Telegraphs (including wireless) and telephones, and instruments and material for.

NOW, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

H. F. HOWARD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Simla, the 4th April, 1917.

No. 131.—Whereas the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that there is a danger of an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease at Ajmer in the Ajmer district of Ajmer-Merwara, if pilgrims or other persons from the Bombay Presidency (excluding all places in Sind except the town of Karachi) and the Punjab are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Urs Khwaja Sahib Fair:

In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (1) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that no tickets to travel by railway to the stations of Sendra, Beawar, Kharwa, Mangaliawas, Saradhna Tabiji, Ajmer, Madar, Ladpura, Akhri, Hatundi, Nasirabad and Bandanwara on the Rajputana-Malwa Railway shall be sold from the 10th April to the 28th April 1917 (both days inclusive) within the Bombay Presidency (excluding all places in Sind except the town of Karachi) and the Punjab to any pilgrim or other person intending or believed to be intending to proceed on pilgrimage to the Urs Khwaja Sahib Fair at Ajmer.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 6th April 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 487.—The undermentioned warrant officer to be Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).

Company Serjeant Major Benjamin Houston. 15th February 1917.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 488.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 1245, dated the 20th October 1916, Major F. G. A. Wimberley, Indian Army, Supernumerary List, has been granted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India an extension of leave on medical certificate to the 27th July 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 489.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

Eustace Bailey Tapsell. Dated 2nd April 1917.

Robert Whitehead Cocker.
Edward Hamilton Sayres.
Leonard Beswick.
Richard Charles Lowndes.
Henry Ernest Frank Craddock.
} Dated 5th April 1917.

Infantry Branch.

Thomas Miller.	Dated 28th March 1917.
Anthony Forster Wise. Meredith St. George Corbett Johnston.	Dated 1st April 1917.
Adrian Noel Henderson. George William Dienley Breadon.	Dated 2nd April 1917.
Francis Napier Booth. Arthur Frederick Sharpus. Frank Morris. Charles Henry Wilson. Percival Charles Dudley Beaty. Ernest Barber.	Dated 5th April 1917.

No. 490.—Second Lieutenant Arthur Cecil Norman Slater, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Commandant, Followers Central Depôt, Lucknow, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 27th February 1917.

No. 491—Second Lieutenant Stuart Leslie Matthews, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is transferred from the Infantry Branch to the Cavalry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, with effect from the 21st March 1917.

No. 492—In Army Department Notification No. 677, dated the 16th June 1916, against the name of Neil Donovan Granville O'Toole for "Dated 26th March 1916" *read* "Dated 25th March 1916, but to rank from the 2nd December 1915"

No. 493.—In Army Department Notification No. 784, dated the 20th August 1915, *for* "Reginald Andrew Hayson" *read* "Reginald Andrew Haysom".

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 494.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Second Supplement dated the 8th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 6th February 1917, pages 1351, 1352, 1353, 1357, 1358 and 1359.

War Office,
8th February, 1917,

The following Despatch has been received by the Secretary of State for War from Lieut.-General The Hon. J. C. Smuts, Commander-in-Chief, East African Force —

General Headquarters,
East African Force,
22nd November 1916.

SIR,

In accordance with the last paragraph of my Despatch dated 27th October 1916, I have the honour to bring to notice the names of those whom I recommend for meritorious service in the field.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
J. C. SMUTS,
Lieut.-General,
Commander-in-Chief, East African Force.

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Marine Transport Department.

Headlam, Comdr. E. J., D.S.O., R.N. (R.I.M.) Senior Marine Trans. Officer.
Finnis, Comdr. G. H., R.I.M.

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STAFF HEADQUARTERS, ETC.

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Batten, 2nd Lt. E. F., Ind. Army Res. of Off.

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Orr, Maj. & Bt. Lt.-Col. G. M., Lrs., Ind. Army.

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Vickers, Lt.-Col. H., Inf., Ind. Army.

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ROYAL ENGINEERS.

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Viraraghaveilu, No. 2121 Havildar, S. & M., Ind. Army.
Joseph, No. 2520 Sapper, S.& M., Ind Army.

SIGNAL SERVICE.

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Ram Singh, No. 168 Lce.-Naik, Lrs., Ind. Army.
Ami Chand, No. 4391 Lce.-Naik, Inf., Ind. Army.
Surat Singh, No. 1303 Lce.-Naik, Punjabis, Ind. Army.
Mansha Ram, No. 1340 Lce.-Naik, Punjabis, Ind. Army.
Tek Chand, No. 3500 Lce.-Naik, Inf., Ind. Army.
Pat Ram, No. 2864 Lce.-Naik, Lrs., Ind. Army.
Mir Mohamed Taqi, No. 4638 Lce.-Naik, Inf., Ind. Army.

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ROYAL FUSILIERS.

Driscoll, Temp. Lt.-Col. D. P., D.S.O. (late Capt., Ind. Vols.)

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INDIAN ARMY.

Cavalry.

Barry-Smith, Maj. R. C.
Bahadur Sher, Ressaidar.
Musalli, No. 1534 Dafadar.

Indian Mountain Batteries.

Davies, Maj. L. M., R.A.
Haskard, Capt. D. D., R.A.
Curwen, Lt. W. L., E. Afr. Vol. Arty.
Nur Alam, Subadar Maj., *Sardar Bahadur.*
Sher Baz, Subadar.
Bhan Singh, No. 704 Gnr. Havildar.
Iman Din, No. 970 Lce.-Naik.
Rajwali, No. 1138 Gnr.
Jahan Dad, No. 247 Dvr. Havildar.

Sappers and Miners.

Wilkinson, Lt.-Col. C. W., R.E.
Roberts, Capt. J. R., R.E.
Gordon, Capt. R. E., R.E.
Fateh Khan, Jemadar.
Alif Khan, Jemadar.
Inayat Ali, No. 41 Lce.-Havildar.
Mohamed Sadiq, No. 382 Lce.-Naik.
Deodat Singh, No. 3228 Sapper.
Faju, No. 367 Sapper.
Kaim Din, No. 630 Lce.-Naik.
Ali Bahadur, No. 655 Lce.-Naik.
Sadhu Singh, No. 3446 Sepoy.

Signal Service—Indian Telegraph Company.

McMillan, Capt. W. S.
McDonald, No. 9474 Serjt. G. H., K.O. Sco. Bord.
Inwood, Serjt.-Maj. H. L.

Manser, Depy. Supt. (civilian) (temp. condr.) T.
Rackstraw, No. 8352 Rifleman (acting Serjt.) A. W., K. R. Rif. C.
Davis, No. 8318 Rifleman (acting Serjt.) A. W. F., K. R. Rif. C.
Hari Persad, Sub-Inspr.

Indian Infantry.

Stocks, Maj. C. S.
Thorburn, 2nd Lt. R.
Aziz-ud-din Khan, Subadar.
Rahimdad Khan, No. 2579 Sepoy.
Ali Bahadur Khan, Subadar.
Fateh Muhammad Khan, Subadar.
Hayat Khan, Jemadar.
Mughal Khan, No. 2254 Havildar.
Bremner, Capt. C. E. U.
Stranack, Capt. H. R.
Bignell, Capt. Qrmr. G. N.
de la Mott, 2nd Lt. H.T.
Clifford, 2nd Lt. C. H. W., I.A.R.O.
Ram Singh, No. 3675 Havildar.
Mangtu, No. 273 Sepoy.
Gulaba, No. 4060 Lce.-Naik.
Puran Singh, No. 4675 Sepoy.
Jaggat Singh, No. 3901 Naik.
Thornton, 2nd Lt. (actg. Adjt.) R. T., I.A.R.O.
Whigham-Teasdale, 2nd Lt. D. G., I.A.R.O.
Abdulla Ji, Jemadar.
Chamel Singh, No. 4079 Sepoy.
Mohammed Jafar Khan, No. 2718 Sepoy.
Glegg, Lt. J. A.
Taylor, 2nd Lt. J. N , I.A.R.O.
Khoda Baksh, No. 1267 Havildar.
Saif Ali, No. 831 Lce.-Naik, Burma Mil. Police.
Umras Khan, No. 1597 Naik.
Turai, No. 1995 Naik.
Robertson, Capt. C. A.
Dawes, Lt. (temp. Capt.) A. M.
Sayyid Ahmad, No. 2009 Colour Havildar.
Muhammad Abdul Azeem, No. 2445 Havildar.
Narainsamy, No. 2707 Havildar.
Jaganath, No 3073 Naik.
Chinnasami, No. 1929 Naik.
Murugan, No. 3188 Naik.
Seyd Habbub, No. 2699 Sepoy.
Tucker, Capt. H. B.
Montford, Lt. (temp. Capt.) D. R.
Masters, Capt. O.
Lewis, Lt. (temp. Capt.) H. V., M.C.
Wilson, Temp. Lt. R. B., 7th Bn., Dorset. R.
Mir Kambir Khan, Subadar-Maj.
Khan Ahmed, Jemadar, Burma Mil. Police.
Newa Khan, No. 4254 Havildar.
Aziz Khan, No. 438 Sepoy.
Munsabdhar, No. 596 Sepoy.
Boota Khan, No. 1342 Sepoy.
Moore, Capt. H. D.
Cooper, 2nd Lt. H. G., I.A.R.O.
Mir Zaman, No. 4914 Qrmr. Havildar.
Sultan Bakhsh, No. 4297 Sepoy.
Mirza Khan, No. 779 Sepoy.
Lal Khan, No. 337 Sepoy.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

Hinde, Capt. H. T. L., Inf.
Forker, Staff Serjt. R. D., S. & T. Corps.
Butcher, Staff Serjt. H. G., S. & T. Corps.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Sumner, Maj. (tem. Lt.-Col.) F. W., M.B., F.R.C.S.
Harris, Maj. E. T., M.B.

Cameron, Maj. A.
McGillivray, Maj. W. S., M.B.
Berkeley-Hill, Capt. O. A. R., M.B.
Grisewood, Capt. A. E., M.B.
MacDonald, Capt. J. V., M.B.

ATTACHED TO MEDICAL DEPT.

Gopal Singh Tarpur, No. 3767 Rifleman, 1-5th Gurkhas.
Itwari, No. 3719 Ward Servant, Army Hospl. Corps.
Ethal, No. 8168 2nd Gde. Ward Servant, Army Hospl. Corps.
Mohamed Hussain, No. 2529 Havildar.

INDIAN POSTAL SERVICE.

Daintith, Capt. T. J.
Fox, Capt. C. L.
Bishen Dass, Subadar.
Mervyn, Sub-Condr. M.

IMPERIAL SERVICE TROOPS.

Faridkot Imperial Sappers and Miners.

Sneyd, Lt. R. T. S., I.A.R.O.
Raghbir Singh, Subadar.
Mangal Singh, No. 427 Havildar.
Kunda Singh, No. 712 Sapper.
Bhagwan Singh, Subadar.

Jhind Imperial Service Infantry.

Denton, Capt. (temp. Maj.) G. C., Pioneers, Ind. Army (killed).
Gurdon, Lt. P. N., 14th Sikhs.
Isher Singh, No. 1992 Naik.
Ghulam Haider, No. 1927 Havildar.

Kashmir Rifles.

Kerr, Capt. A. N., Dogras.
Pursed Singh, Subadar.
Amir Khan, Jemadar.
Atta Ullah, No. 841 Havildar.
Hafiz Ali, No. 1157 Sepoy.
Rahim Ali, No. 1467 Sepoy.
Guranditta, No. 914 Lce.-Naik.
Proctor, Capt. G. N., Inf.
Eliot, 2nd Lt. O. H., I.A.R.O.
Bambahadur, Jemadar.
Harku, No. 82 Havildar.
Devi Singh, No. 1131 Lce.-Naik.

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MISCELLANEOUS CORPS, ETC.

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Taylor, Serjt. J., Corps of Mil. Staff Clerks, Ind. U.L.

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Third Supplement dated the 8th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 6th February 1917, pages 1361, 1362 and 1363.

War Office,
8th February 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl.). 3rd Jan. 1917 :—
Col. R. H. Twigg, C.B., Ind. Army.

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CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

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The undermentioned Capts to be Adjts :—

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A. V. Venables, Ind. Army Res of Off., 26th Nov. 1916.

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Supplement dated the 10th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 9th February 1917, pages 1436 and 1438.

War Office,
10th February 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

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Capt. William Arthur Tindall, late R. Ind. Marine, to be temp. Capt. whilst empld. on recruiting duties. 11th Feb. 1917.

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Second Supplement dated the 12th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 9th February 1917, pages 1448, 1449 and 1450.

War Office,
12th February 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

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Service Battalions.

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Colonel R. M Rainey-Robinson, C.B. (ret., Ind Army), vacates comd. of a Bn. 2 Feb. 1917.

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Garrison Battalions.

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S. Staff R.

Maj. B. A. Johnstone (ret., Ind. Army), from a Trg. Res. Bn., is apptd. to a Bn. 1 Feb. 1917, retaining his Army seniority.

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London Gazette dated the 13th February 1917, page 1468.

War Office,
13th February 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

PERSONAL STAFF.

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Temp. 2nd Lt. C. G. Toogood, Glouc. R., attd. Gurkha Rif., Indian Army. 13th Nov. 1916.

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ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

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The undermentioned to be acting Majors :—

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6th Oct. 1916.

Capt. C. G. Risley, Ind. Army.

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Supplement dated the 13th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 13th February 1917, pages 1537, 1538, 1539, 1540, 1541, 1542, 1544 and 1549.

War Office,

13th February 1917.

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His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the appointments of the undermentioned officers to be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

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Maj. Charles Sumner Stooks, I.A.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He showed marked courage and skill in commanding the advanced guard under machine gun and heavy rifle fire. He was severely wounded.

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His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to award a Bar to the Military Cross to the undermentioned officers :—

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Lt. (temp. Capt.) Harold Victor Lewis, M.C., Ind. Army.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He carried out a valuable reconnaissance and drove off an enemy party of twice his strength. He set a fine example throughout.

(The M. C. was awarded in London Gazette dated 23rd June 1915).

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His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Military Cross on the undermentioned officers and warrant officers in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

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Capt. Guy Newcome Bignell, I.A.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. On several occasions he carried important messages under very heavy fire. He has previously done fine work.

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Lt. (actg. Capt.) Claude Edward Urquhart Bremner, I.A.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He led a raiding party with great gallantry, killing or capturing an entire enemy patrol. He set a fine example throughout.

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Capt. Alexander Nairne Kerr, I.A.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He assisted to organise and led an attack against the enemy, displaying great courage and determination. He has rendered most valuable services throughout.

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Capt. John Valentine Macdonald, M.B., I.M.S., attd. I.A.
For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He displayed great courage and determination in attending to the wounded under very heavy fire. He has previously done fine work.

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2nd Lt. James Norman Taylor, I.A.R.O., attd. Rif., Ind. Army.
For conspicuous gallantry in action. He displayed great courage and devotion to duty in attending to the wounded under very heavy fire.

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2nd Lt. Reginald Trelawny Thornton, I.A.R.O., attd. Pathans, Ind. Army.
For conspicuous gallantry in action. He displayed great coolness and initiative when heavy machine-gun fire was opened on his regiment which was acting as advance guard. He rendered valuable service during the coast operations.

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The undermentioned non-commissioned officers and men are promoted to the rank indicated against their names, for distinguished service in the field, with effect from 21st November 1916 :—

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8313 Rfm. (Actg. Sjt.) A. W. F. Davis, K.R. Rif. Corps, attd. Ind. Tel. Co., Serjeant.
8852 Rfm. (Actg. Sjt.) A. W. Rackstraw, K.R. Rif. Corps, attd. Ind. Tel. Co., Serjeant.

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Third Supplement dated the 14th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 13th February 1917, pages 1581, 1582 and 1583.

War Office,
14th February 1917.

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SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

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(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 3rd Cl.)

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2nd Lt. F. A. Menzies, Ind. Army Res. of Off. 10th Feb. 1917.

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MEMORANDA

Maj.-Gen. H. Hudson, C.B., C.I.E., to be temp. Lt.-Gen. whilst empld. as Adjt.-Gen. in India. 5th Feb. 1917.

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Fourth Supplement dated the 14th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 13th February 1917, pages 1591 and 1592.

War Office,
14th February 1917.

The following are among the decorations and medals awarded by the Allied Powers at various dates to the British Forces for distinguished services rendered during the course of the campaign :—

His Majesty the King has given unrestricted permission in all cases to wear the decorations and medals in question.

Decoration conferred by

THE PRESIDENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

(November 9, 1916.)

Legion of Honour, Croix de Commandeur.

Major-General George de Symons Barrow, C.B., Indian Army.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel (temporary Major-General) John Stuart Mackenzie Shea, C.B., D.S.O., Indian Army.

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Legion of Honour, Croix d'Officier.

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Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James Atkinson Longridge, C.M.G., late Indian Army.

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Legion of Honour, Croix de Chevalier.

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Major William Cotter Williamson Hawkes, Pioneers, Indian Army.

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Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) William Louis Oberkirch Twiss, M.C., Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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Decorations conferred by

HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF THE BELGIANS.

November 2, 1916.

Grand Officier de l'Ordre de la Couronne.

Lieutenant-General Sir William Riddell Birdwood, K.C.S.I., K.C.M.G., C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 495.—The undermentioned officer is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding an appointment as Brigade Machine Gun Officer :—

Lieutenant R. D. Smith, 33rd Punjabis. Dated the 28th February 1916.

No. 496.—The undermentioned officer reverts to his permanent rank of 2nd Lieutenant on alteration of posting :—

Royal Field Artillery—Territorial Force.

Temporary Lieutenant T. E. Clements, attached No. 2 Ammunition Column, Royal Field Artillery. Dated 3rd March 1917.

INDIAN ARMY

No. 497.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

29th November 1916.

Arthur Seymour Holland Teed, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers.

No. 498.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Captain to be temporary Major.

19th May 1916.

Frank Walter Morton-Marshall, 130th King George's Own Baluchis, (Jacob's Rifles).

No. 499.—The following promotions or antedate of promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified, but not to carry pay and allowances prior to 1st September 1916.—

Captains to be Majors.

1st September 1915.

John Clementi, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force). (Lumsden's.)
Lindsay Eliott Lumley Burne, Supernumerary List.
Eustace Ball Maunsell, 35th Scinde Horse.
Ernest Howie Saunders, D. S. O., Supply and Transport Corps.
James Pearson Stockley, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers. (Since deceased.)
Herbert Hingston [illegible]r, Supply and Transport Corps.
Robert Francis Fin[illegible] 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Ambrose Upton Gledstanes, [illegible]cers (Gordon's Horse).
Ernest Elborough Woodcock, 4th [illegible]ert Victor's Rajputs.
Herbert Ponsonby Watts, Supply and [illegible] Corps.
Edward Sambrooke John Anderson, Military A[illegible]ounts Department.
Alexander Gordon Lind, 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Alfred Aquila Smith, 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Cron Hope Bailie Wright, 62nd Punjabis.
Hugh Clayton Szczepanski, Military Accounts Department.
George Oliver Turnbull, D.S O., 26th Punjabis.
John Duncan Grant, V. C., 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Frederick Skipwith, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Henry Clifford Kay, 8th Cavalry.
Richard John Charles Burke, Supernumerary List.
Sydney Boyce Combe, M. C., 47th Sikhs.
Meredith Ashton Hamer, D S.O., M.C , 129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.
Hugh Lennox Dyce, M. C., 9th Hodson's Horse.
Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Michael George Dobbie Rowlandson, 38th Dogras.
Leonard Douglas Watling, Supply and Transport Corps.
Robert James Malet, 64th Pioneers.
Athol Bulkley Merriman, 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.
David Campbell Crombie, 23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).
George Whitehill Ross, D.S.O., Military Accounts Department.
James Francis Woodham, 76th Punjabis.
Ivan Maxwell Conway Poole, D.S.O., Supply and Transport Corps.
William Louis Oberkirch Twiss, M. C., 9th Gurkha Rifles.
Richard Clifford, 22nd Punjabis.
William Bruce Dunlop, D. S O., Supply and Transport Corps.
Hugh Probyn Malet Lord, Supernumerary List.
Sydney Frederick Muspratt, D.S.O., 12th Cavalry.
William Myers Macleod, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.
Godfrey Marchant, 29th Lancers (Deccan Horse).
Vere Arthur Coaker, 3rd Skinner's Horse.
James Montgomery Vansittart Stewart, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Charles Frederic Watson Hughes, M C , 15th Ludhiana Sikhs.
Allan James Murray Binny, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).
Duncan Le Geyt Pitcher, 39th King George's Own Central India Horse.
Frederick Kennedy Bally, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers.
Robert Geoffrey Baker, 82nd Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Patrick Houston Keen, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).
Stanley Malcolm Bruce, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).
Gregory Day McCormick, 72nd Punjabis.
Charles Fleetwood Mant Worsley, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force). (Daly's Horse.)
James Robert Brunker, Supply and Transport Corps.
Oswald Muirhead Dyke, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force). (Daly's Horse.)
James Keilly Knowles, Supernumerary List.
Alexander Charles Broughton Mackinnon, 9th Gurkha Rifles.
Edward Milford, 76th Punjabis.
Henry Reginald von Donop Hardinge, Military Accounts Department.
Robert Daniel Jennings, 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).
Daniel George Robinson, D.S.O., 46th Punjabis.
Hubert Hamilton Smith, D.S.O., 9th Bhopal Infantry.
Augustus Charles Lionel Tyrrell, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Arthur Charles Ogg, D.S.O., 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.
Charles Oxley Morris, D.S O., Supply and Transport Corps.
William Shafto Craster, 8th Cavalry.

Robert Scott, Cantonment Magistrates Department.
John Piercy Benn, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).
George Foster Gretton, 7th Hariana Lancers.
Arthur Hugo Watts, Supply and Transport Corps.
Lennard Francis George Stovin Wylde, Military Accounts Department.
Herbert Claude McWatters, D.S.O., 24th Punjabis.
Cecil William Archibald Holmes, 116th Mahrattas.
Henry Rowsell Watson, 81st Pioneers.
Hugh Waldyve Martin, 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).
Henry Dalzell McLaughlin, 6th Gurkha Rifles.
Walter Lloyd Sinclair Meiklejohn, 106th Hazara Pioneers.
George Craster, 6th King Edward's Own Cavalry.
Leonard Sueton Hirsch Smithers, 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).
Harold Middleton Drury Shaw, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
Walter James Evans, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
Thomas Timbrell, Supply and Transport Corps.
John Henry Foster Lakin, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Ernle Francis Drummond Money, D.S.O., 4th Gurkha Rifles.
Guy William Caswell Lucas, 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.
Charles William Neumann, 48th Pioneers.
Arthur Salisbury Browne Roberts, Supernumerary List.
John Francis Stanhope Duke Coleridge, D.S.O., 8th Gurkha Rifles.
John Elton Home, Supply and Transport Corps.
Alfred Patrick Sandeman. Supernumerary List.
George Tristram Vander Gucht, 3rd Skinner's Horse.
Benjamin Hubert Finnis, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).
Harold Dening, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Robert Johnston, D.S.O., 4th Cavalry.
Frank Eustace George Talbot, 14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.
Walter Hugh Jeffery, C.I.E., 73rd Carnatic Infantry.
Walter Fellowes Cowan Gilchrist, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Harold Franklin Burton, 66th Punjabis.
John Henry Vere Barr, 109th Infantry.
Arthur James Herbert Grey, Supernumerary List.
Arthur Deane Molony, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Anson Hugh McCleverty, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.
Maurice Eustace Stanley Johnson, 48th Pioneers.
Allen Edwin Johnson, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
Gerald Leslie Pepys, D.S.O., 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force).
John George Cadell, 45th Rattray's Sikhs.
Henry Charles Swinburne Ward, 2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse).
Walter Edward Wilson-Johnston, D.S.O., 36th Sikhs.
Edgar Claude Kensington, M.C., 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).
John Gerald McConaghy, D.S.O., 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Geoffrey Edward Holt Wilson, 34th Sikh Pioneers.
George Elliot Minchin Hogg, Supply and Transport Corps.
Arthur William Hamilton May Moens, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Bertie Clephane Hawley Drew, 23rd Sikh Pioneers.
Charles Kirkpatrick, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force). (Lumsden's.)
Napier George Barra Goodfellow, 128th Pioneers.
Leared Row Hogge, 47th Sikhs.
Hercules Neville Francis MacDonnell, Military Accounts Department.
Sir George Duff-Sutherland Dunbar, *Baronet*, 31st Punjabis.
Gerald William Burton, 39th Garhwal Rifles. (Since deceased.)
Wingate Wemyss Muir, 15th Ludhiana Sikhs.
David Graeme Ridgeway, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Alexander Charles Fraser, Supply and Transport Corps.
Arthur Stratford Noake, Supply and Transport Corps.
Brevet-Major Robert Douglas Marjoribanks, 107th Pioneers.
Robert Nasmyth Macpherson, 40th Pathans.
Alan George Caldwell Hutchinson, 23rd Sikh Pioneers.
Robert Arbercromby Yule, Supernumerary List.
Gerard Stukeley Torkington, 69th Punjabis.
Alfred Delme-Radcliffe, 105th Mahratta Light Infantry.
Cyril Mindon Trower Hogg, D.S.O., 4th Gurkha Rifles.
Arthur Sidney Hay, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.
Arthur Duncan Day, 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry).
James Charles McKenna, D.S.O., 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).

Guy Hamilton Rogers, 11th Rajputs
Frederick Fraser Hunter, Survey Department.
Alexander de Clanay Rennick, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Edmund Malet Nixon, 36th Jacob's Horse.
William Lachlan Campbell, C.I.E., Supernumerary List.
Harry Walter Tobin, D.S.O., 128th Pioneers.
Henry Terence Skinner, D.S.O., 29th Punjabis.
Henry St. George Murray McRae, D. S. O., 45th Rattray's Sikhs.
Henry Masson Rigg, 92nd Punjabis.
Robert John Halkett Baddeley, M. C., 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis).
Wilfred Plassy Crookshank, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment). (Since deceased.)
George Sidney Renny, 38th Dogras.
Hector James Doveton, 21st Punjabis.
Thomas Leeson Ball, Supply and Transport Corps.
Patrick Sinclair Stoney, 26th Punjabis.
Ernest Robert Caldwell Wyatt, D. S. O., 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Brevet-Major Henry Richard Augustus Hunt, D. S. O., 25th Punjabis.
John Yule Tancred, 19th Punjabis.
John Patrick Villiers-Stuart, D. S. O., 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Charles Eric Mosley Mayne, Army Remount Department.
William Edmund Hume Spry, D. S. O., Supply and Transport Corps.
Bertie Cyril Penton, 25th Punjabis.
Gerard Maxwell Glynton, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Huntly Fleetwood Gordon, Army Remount Department.
Alexander Baird Skinner, 5th Cavalry.
George Harley Newcombe, Civil Employ.
Mark Eliot, Army Clothing Department.
Charles Alfred Gordon Pierrepont Meadows, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.
Harry Kendal Walpole Bruce, M. C., 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles). (Since deceased)
Lytton Cecil Lambert Bayley, 6th King Edward's Own Cavalry.
Norman Macleod, 15th Ludhiana Sikhs.
William Bradley Roberts, D. S. O., the 101st Grenadiers.
Charles Richard Henry Palmer Landon, 35th Scinde Horse.
Donald William McPherson, 62nd Punjabis. (Since deceased).
Evelyn Alfred Hewlett, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Harold Lewis, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse). (Since deceased.)
Alexander Frederick Stewart, Supply and Transport Corps.
Alexander Gallwey Shea, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Roger Fleetwood Sconce Beyts, Cantonment Magistrates Department.
Henry Arthur Morgan, 18th Infantry.
Egbert Dickson, 67th Punjabis.
Horace William Francis Twiss, Supply and Transport Corps.
Sydney Robert Gordon Kendall, Supply and Transport Corps.
Evelyn Stuart Constantine Willis, D. S. O., 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Claud Jameson Torrie, D. S. O., 30th Punjabis
Charles Frederick Knaggs, Army Remount Department.
Henry John Hamilton Trueman, 43rd Erinpura Regiment.
Lionel Hugh Branson, 110th Mahratta Light Infantry.
Kenelm Digby Bold Murray, D. S. O., 59th Scinde Rifles. (Frontier Force).
Eustace Clementi Smith, 22nd Punjabis.
William Ralph Lawrenson, 86th Carnatic Infantry.
George Elliott Dundas Mouat, D. S. O., 63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry.
Brevet-Major Charles Herbert Jardine, 96th Berar Infantry.
Ambrose Boxwell, C.I.E., 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).
Lewis Jeremy Jones, 9th Bhopal Infantry.
Aubrey Vickers, 48th Pioneers.
Roland William Wrigley Grimshaw, 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse
Herbert Thomas Walker, 30th Lancers (Gordon's Horse).
Sherman Gordon Venn Ellis Military Accounts Department.
Henry Jocelyn Kennedy Wallis, 20th Deccan Horse
Cunliffe Hebbert Marsh, D S.O., 18th King George's Own Lancers.
Robert Gerald Alexander, M.C., 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Bernard Evan Morgan, 93rd Burma Infantry.
John Cunliffe Gretton, 126th Baluchistan Infantry.
Bernard Henry Howard, 47th Sikhs. (Since deceased.)
James Cosmo Russell, D.S.O., 9th Hodson's Horse.
Alan Richard Leopold King-Mason, 108th Infantry.
Edward Albert Porch, M.C., Supply and Transport Corps.

Hugh Robert Norman Pritchard, Supernumerary List.
Cecil Julius Hamilton Lyster, M.C., Supply and Transport Corps.
Alan Campbell Ross, D.S.O., 20th Deccan Horse.
Edgar Robert Hagger, Army Remount Department.
Geoffrey Spencer Bull, 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force). (Since deceased.)
Charles Fraser Mackenzie, Supernumerary List.
Brian Lytton Cole, 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).
Andrew Samuel Kirkwood (Military Farms Department).
Neil Charles Bannatyne, 128th Pioneers.
George Willougby Homans, 29th Lancers (Deccan Horse). (Since deceased.)
James Gourlie, 38th King George's Own Central India Horse.
James Peters, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
Rogers Lewis Campbell Sweeny, D.S.O., M.C., Supply and Transport Corps.
Henry Walter Dunlop Hill, 16th Cavalry.
Frank Bernard Lane, 8th Cavalry.
Robert Prince, Military Accounts Department.
Edmund Burd, 93rd Burma Infantry.
Geoffrey Seton Gordon, 35th Scinde Horse.
Fortescue Geoffery Porter, 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).
Frederick Edward Thornton, 105th Mahratta Light Infantry.
Edward Douglas Giles, D.S.O., 35th Scinde Horse.
Arthur Mills Elloughton Henry Travis Walker, Supernumerary List.
William Henniker Anderson, Army Remount Department.
Paul Fitz Gerald Norbury, 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.
William Harry Broome Salmon, Supply and Transport Corps.
Clendon Turberville Daukes, Supernumerary List.
Frank Robinson Teesdale, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force). (Since deceased.)
Graham Douglas Campbell, 40th Pathans. (Since deceased.)
Oswald Alan Geoghegan, Supply and Transport Corps.
Thomas Claude Catty, 69th Punjabis.
Charles Andrew Montague Dunlop, M.C., 37th Dogras.
Denis Grey Wilson, Supernumerary List.
Alexander Charles Tancock, 31st Punjabis.
James Whitehead, D.S.O., 1st Brahmans.
Eric Sydney Percy-Smith, Supernumerary List.
Henry Percy Pott, 5th Light Infantry.
Douglas Alexander Blair, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Louis George Beresford Harrison, 125th Napier's Rifles.
Steele Hutcheson, 3rd Brahmans.
Frederick Alexander Dor, Supply and Transport Corps.
Charles Walter Butler, Military Accounts Department.
Craig Nelson, 3rd Brahmans. (Since deceased.)
William Stuart, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Evelyn St. Clair Gray, M.C., 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.
Denis Daly Wilson, M.C., 17th Cavalry.
Walter Greatwood, 123rd Outram's Rifles. (Since deceased.)
Leonard Arthur Bethell, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Betham Wilkins Shuttleworth, 45th Rattray's Sikhs.
Arthur Gaussen Murray, Military Accounts Department.
Walter Stephen Wilfrid Browne, 44th Merwara Infantry.
James Dunscomb Crowdy, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Clarence Gordon Hume Henderson, 29th Lancers (Deccan Horse).
John Theodore Crofton Broadbent, 80th Carnatic Infantry.
Harold Selwyn Eliot, Supply and Transport Corps.
Edmund Walter, C.I.E., Supply and Transport Corps.
John Thornton Ledwick, Supply and Transport Corps. (Since deceased.)
George Hamilton Wilkinson, Supply and Transport Corps.
Hyde Ridgway Dyer, 35th Scinde Horse.
James Guy Birnie Gordon, M.C., 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Arthur Ion Fraser, D.S.O., 9th Hodson's Horse.
Alexander Charles Purves Cochran, 40th Pathans.
Vernon Edward Gwyer, 10th Jats.
Ernest Edward Sebastian Bennett, 66th Punjabis.
Brevet Major Philip Roper Chambers, D.S.O., 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
Douglas Roderic Giffard Oliver, Political Employ.
Maitland Easton Rae, Political Employ.
Patrick William Burrowes, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Arthur Elliott Somerville Scott, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).
John George Faris, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Geoffrey Davies Pike, M.C., 9th Gurkha Rifles.
Hugh Vincent Biscoe, Supernumerary list.

Paul Berthon Kemble, Supply and Transport Corps.
Cyril William Prescott, Political Employ.
Harvey St. George Hume Harvey-Kelly, 64th Pioneers.
George Edward Parry Davis, 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Robert Hugh Howell, 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis).
Claude Kennedy Crookshank, 34th Sikh Pioneers.
Geoffrey Percival Sanders, 5th Gurkha Rifles. (Frontier Force.)
Hugh Greenaway, 69th Punjabis.
James Boswell Egerton, 23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Arthur Napier De Vere Scott, 2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse).
Joscelyn Theodore Hosburgh Lane, M.C., 39th Garhwal Rifles.
James Percy May, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers. (Since deceased.)
Henry Robert Baynes Reed, M.C., 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Donald Elphinston Robertson, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Harold John Hunter Davson, 82nd Punjabis.
William Pulteney Michael Dalzell McLaughlin, 107th Pioneers.
Frederick Sinclair Lindesay, Contonment Magistrates Department.
Patrick Cornelius Saunders, Supply and Transport Corps.
Claude Alexander Brewer Hamilton, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Francis Metcalfe Ransford, 6th Gurkha Rifles.
Clive Wentworth Lyon, 42nd Deoli Regiment.
Arthur William Marsh Kemmis, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
Conly Edward Dease, 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry.)
Henry Frank Whitby, 19th Lancers. (Fane's Horse.)
Richard Bassitt Cockburn Raban, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse). (Since deceased.)
Kenneth Douglas Murray Henderson, 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).
William George Ruel, D.S.O., Supply and Transport Corps.
Malcolm McLeod Corbyn, Supply and Transport Corps.
Arthur Orr Sutherland, 22nd Punjabis.
Edmund Henry Lancaster, Supply and Transport Corps.
Ewan Patrick Grant, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Alfred Hearst Wynn Elias, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles. (The Malaun Regiment.)
Robert Cuthbert Fergusson-Pollok, 32nd Lancers.
Hugh Francis Edward MacMahon, M.C., Supply and Transport Corps.
George Campbell Wheeler, 9th Gurkha Rifles.
Frederick George Gillies, 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.
Charles Ross Lyall, 36th Sikhs.
Evelyn Hugh Foyer Apthorpe, 90th Punjabis.
Edward Butterfield, D.S.O., Civil Employ.
Hermann Edward Reinhold, M.C., 27th Punjabis.
Brevet-Major Richard Lowis Bignell, 41st Dogras.
Robert George Antony Trail, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force). (Lumsden's.)
Reginald Thomas McEnery, Supply and Transport Corps.
Percy Lovel Coleridge, 88th Carnatic Infantry.
Harry Ernest Connop, 35th Scinde Horse.
George Hewett, D.S.O., 48th Pioneers.
Dudley Stevens Graham, 128th Pioneers.
Chauncy Batho Dashwood Strettell, 23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Robert Dundas Alexander, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Tylden Luck, 67th Punjabis.
Joseph Symonds Hooker, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
John Humphrey Bennett, 3rd Skinner's Horse.
Eustace Lockhart Maxwell, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse.) (Since deceased.)
Charles Kennedy-Crauford-Stuart, D.S.O., 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.
Basil Gerard Peel, D.S.O., 81st Pioneers.
Charles David Webster, 30th Punjabis.
James Simpson, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Hugh Middleton Davidson, 36th Jacob's Horse.
George Herbert Young, 38th Dogras.
Gerard Byrom Corrie Irvine, 9th Bhopal Infantry.
George Lambert Farran, M.C., 4th Cavalry.
Edward Merivale Steward, Supply and Transport Corps.
Robert Thelwall Gwilym Salusbury, 26th Punjabis.
John Harold Goodwyn Marriott, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
Francis Edward William Baldwin, 121st Pioneers.
Reginald Henry Sedgwick Whitchurch, Military Accounts Department.

Thomas Ernest Hulbert, 3rd Skinner's Horse.
Charles Richard Foster Seymour, 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).
Alfred Cecil Norman, 5th Cavalry.
Henry William Price, Supply and Transport Corps.
James Charles Philips, 28th Punjabis.
Bryan Norman Abbey, 27th Light Cavalry.
Brevet-Major Rivers Berney Worgan, D.S.O., 20th Deccan Horse.
Alexander FitzGerald Ramsay, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Lionel Phillips, 63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry.
Arthur Gharles Drought Thorne, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.
Cecil Beckham Harcourt, 28th Punjabis.
Albert John Orchard, 8th Rajputs.
George Clarke Denton, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat i-Ghilzie Regiment). (Since deceased)
Athelstan Chamberlayne, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).
Oswald Crik Todd, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force). (Since deceased.)
Herbert Frederic Collingridge, 9th Gurkha Rifles.
Brevet-Major Charles Edward Edward-Collins, Supply and Transport Corps.
Kenneth Eric Kirkpatrick, 3rd Brahmans.
Harold Thomason Carew Ivens, 26th Punjabis.
Alfred Ernest Mahon, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).
William Raymond Daniell, 123rd Outram's Rifles.
Alexander McCulloch Jameson, 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).
Ivan Hugh Gordon, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).
Francis Stephen Bowring, 22nd Punjabis. (Since deceased).
David George Minden Dundas, 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).
Francis Grey Oke Sanderson, 126th Baluchistan Infantry.
Frederick Ernest Koebel, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Jasper Martin, M.C., 94th Russell's Infantry.
Rochfort Vere Hunt, 123rd Outram's Rifles.
John Cecil Pearse, 4th Cavalry.
Roland Henry Marsh, 18th King George's Own Lancers.
Ernes Arthur Hunter Fell, 12th Cavalry
Clement Arthur Johnstone Smith, 109th Infantry.
Samuel William Egerton, 7th Hariana Lancers.
Henry Rundle Lawrence; Supernumerary List.
George Weston Bond, D.S.O., Supply and Transport Corps.
Hardwicke Holderness, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
Brevet-Major Henry Oswald Bell Wood, 8th Rajputs.
Reginald Williamson Gaskell, 9th Bhopal Infantry.
Arthur Edward Every Sargent; D.S.O., M.C., Supply and Transport Corps.
Ronald Gordon Thompson Gatherer, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Reginald Godfrey Strong, 11th Rajputs.
Evelyn Dalrymple Raymond, M. C., 30th Lancers (Gordon's Horse).
Thomas de Beauvoir Carey, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).
Douglas Henry Randall Giffard, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Charles Shaw Cameron, 23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Herbert Owen Carroll, Supply and Transport Corps.
Philip Francis Gell, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers.
Joseph Ardino, 74th Punjabis.
Guy George Egerton Wylly, V.C., Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force). (Lumsden's.)
James St. Clair Drysdale Stewart, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).
George Trevor Barkley Hext, D.S.O., Supply and Transport Corps.
Brevet-Major Henry Edward Medlicott, 3rd Skinner's Horse.
Edward Christian Barnes, 19th Punjabis.
Robert Sidney Waters, 40th Pathans.
Clifton William McGrath Compton, 69th Punjabis.
John Edward Hext, Supply and Transport Corps.
John Rowan Rowan-Robinson, D.S.O., Supply and Transport Corps.
Henry Vials Lane, 1st Brahmans.
Samuel Henry Parsons Smith, Supply and Transport Corps.
Benjamin Isidore Herbert Adler, 113th Infantry.
Herbert Thomas Knapp Messenger, Supply and Transport Corps.
Edward James Millison, C.I.E., 125th Napier's Rifles.
Evan Leigh Croslegh, 23rd Sikh Pioneers.
Charles Wilfred Hext, Supply and Transport Corps.
John Matson, Military Farms Department.
George Stuart Douglas, 18th Infantry.
Hay Stewart Mitchell, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.
Howard Murray, Military Accounts Department.
Patrick Hope McCleverty, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).

Dudley Ridisford Hewitt, Army Remount Department.
Adrew Noble Bredin, 6th Gurkha Rifles.
Frank Waller Morton Marshall, 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).
Alban John Reynolds, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).
Gilbert Lewis, 38th King George's Own Central India Horse.
William Brown, Supply and Transport Corps.
Brevet-Major Arthur John Rennison, D. S. O., Supply and Transport Corps.
John Moran, Cantonment Magistrates Department.
Francis Henry Humphrys, Supernumerary List.
Cyprian Edward Borton, 129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.
John Sterndale-Bennett, 107th Pioneers.
Arthur Pemberton Harrison, 116th Mahrattas.
Henry Hubert Dawson, 75th Carnatic Infantry.
Harold Souther Stewart, 17th Cavalry.
Eugene Percy Forest Shine, Supply and Transport Corps.
Francis Gerald Swayne, 35th Sikhs.
Robert John Wingfield Heale, Supernumerary List.
George Lumley Whatford, 66th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Leo Francis Bodkin, 113th Infantry.
Clement Lee Cobban, 43rd Erinpura Regiment.
John Aloysius Brett, Supernumerary List.
George Lawrence Lacy Mayo, Supply and Transport Corps
John Duncan McIntyre Flood, 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Arthur Edwin Hale Ley, 20th Deccan Horse.
Herbert George Henry Grant-Smith, 104th Wellesley's Rifles.
Arthur Easdale Stewart, M.C., 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.
Eustace Arthur Maude, 26th Punjabis.
Hubert Norris, 80th Carnatic Infantry.
John Arthur Muirhead, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).
Robert Frederick Ewart, Supply and Transport Corps.
Geoffrey Leigh Blair, 36th Sikhs.
Arthur Kenneth Norris, 123rd Outram's Rifles.
George Frank Wemyss Anson, Political Employ.
Alan Latham, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
John Fillis Carre Carter, Civil, Burma.
Gunning Campbell Charles Clarke, Supply and Transport Corps.
Roderick William MacDonald, D.S.O., Supernumerary List.
Robert Arthur Harvey Robertson, 30th Punjabis.
Arthur Wilfred White, 117th Mahrattas. (Since deceased.)
James Carnegy Hathornthwaite, 121st Pioneers.
Alexander Forrest Harper, 84th Punjabis.
Cecil Herbert Tyrrell, 25th Punjabis.
George Airy, Military Farms Department.
George Darel Senhouse LeMessurier, 83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.
Percy Ashfield, Military Accounts Department.
Dudley Mostyn Patrickson, 86th Carnatic Infantry.
Bruce Turnbull, 23rd Sikh Pioneers.
Paul Dayrell Green-Armytage, 117th Mahrattas.
Godfrey Howard Morgan, Military Accounts Department.
James Herbert Gray Wilson, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry. (Since deceased.)
Harold Yorke Salkeld, 2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse).
George Drummond Ogilvie, Supernumerary List
Colin Walter Johnstone Smith, D. S. O., 29th Punjabis.
William Arthur MacDonnell Garstin, Political Employ.
Deneys Henry Vanreun, Army Remount Department.
John Harvey DeWiederhold Carruthers, M. C., 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Donald Moyle Field, Political Employ.
Leland George Crosthwait, Survey Department.
Frederick Marshan Bailey, C.I.E., Supernumerary List.
Ralph Montacute Brind, 37th Dogras. (Since deceased.)
George Burnet Abercombie Riud, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.
Francis Thomas Powney Ebden, 73rd Carnatic Infantry.
Brevet-Major Cuthbert Colpoys Cunningham, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
Godfrey Pearse, Supply and Transport Corps.
Arthur Lucius Wilford, 5th Light Infantry.
Murray Selwood Hewett, Supply and Transport Corps.
Victor Valentine Vincent Sandiford, 62nd Punjabis.
Mountiford Hickman Llewellyn Morgan, D.S.O., 62nd Punjabis.
Victor Coates, 87th Punjabis.

Edward Hale Lewin, 46th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Harold Ashe Murray, 30th Punjabis.
Charles Palgrave Woodward, Cantonment Magistrates Department.
Brevet-Major Edward Gavin Johnstone Byrne, 104th Wellesley's Rifles.
Kenneth Edward Anderson, Cantonment Magistrates Department.
Thomas Trevenen Oakes, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.
Francis Daniel Ross Seaton, 112th Infantry.
Ronald Jasper Cargill, 26th Punjabis.
Percy Douglas Campbell Johnston, 8th Rajputs.
John Cecil Macrae, D.S.O., 19th Punjabis.
Charles Lionel David Herbert Whitaker, 18th Infantry.
Ronald Campbell Ross, D.S.O., 6th Jat Light Infantry.
Christopher Horace Howell, 18th King George's Own Lancers.
Heber Maitland Alexander, D.S.O , Supply and Transport Corps.
Reginald Charles Dickinson, 28th Light Cavalry.
George Frederick Underwood, 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis).
John William Jerome Alves, Civil, Burma.
William Johnston, M C., 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Harry Cuthbert Pulley, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
Sidney Bernard Orton, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Douglas vere Willoughby, 1st Brahmans.
Frederick George Greenstreet, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry. (Since deceased.)
Harold Ernest Weekes, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Edward Richard Lyndale Browning, 1st Brahmans.
Guilford Edgar Charlton Underhill, 62nd Punjabis.
Vere Rogerson Cotter, Survey Department.
Charles Arthur Gilbert Money, 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles). (Since deceased.)
Sidney Lawrie Wace, Supply and Transport Corps.
George Ramsay Maitland, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers.
Charles Wanford Watney, Supply and Transport Corps.
Otho Hughes Chartres Molony, 94th Russell's Infantry.

8th September 1915.

Arthur Sydney Clark, Supply and Transport Corps.

8th October 1915.

Leopold Aloysius Matthew Jones, Supply and Transport Corps.

17th October 1915.

Leslie Gwatkin Williams, D.S.O., 5th Cavalry.
Henry George Sealy, 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).
Charles Harold Amys Tuck, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

19th October 1915.

William Bryan Bailey, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

20th October 1915.

Harry Eastland Redman, 99th Deccan Infantry.

30th October 1915.

Willoughby Lugard Hogg, 3rd Brahmans.

17th November 1915.

Geoffrey Francis Hastings, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).

19th December 1915.

Donald Neil Stuart, Civil Employ.
Thomas Dalby Hutchison Hackett, Civil, Burma.
Norman Callender Taylor, D.S.O., 92nd Punjabis.

21st December 1915.

James Leslie Rose Weir, Political Department, attached 5th Cavalry.
Gordon Hathaway Teesdale Mackintosh, 5th Cavalry.
Henry George Frederick Christie, Supply and Transport Corps.

22nd December 1915.

Norman Eliott Howell, 82nd Punjabis. (Since deceased.)

24th December 1915.

Harry Thos Hopkinson, 92nd Punjabis. (Since deceased.)

29th December 1915.

Charles Bertram Heyworth Mansfield, 8th Cavalry.

31st December 1915.

Edward Bomford L'Estrange, 79th Carnatic Infantry.

2nd January 1916.

Frederick St. John Atkinson, 9th Hodson's Horse.

5th January 1916.

Brevet-Major Lionel Peter Collins, D.S.O., 4th Gurkha Rifles.
Graham Bell Murray, Supply and Transport Corps.
Herbert Durie Moore, 130th King George's Own Blauchis (Jacob's Rifles).
John Phillip Mitford, D.S.O., 98th Infantry.
William Basil Pope Tugwell, 121st Pioneers.
Alfred Henry Peyton, Supply and Transport Corps.
Hugh Constable Hall, Supply and Transport Corps.
Gerald Chas. Drinan, 48th Pioneers.

8th January 1916.

Frederick Lee Hughes, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis). (Since deceased).
Edward Hepburn Clay Brander, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.
Herbert Wynyard Rowlandson, 82nd Punjabis.
Bernard Henry Alderson, 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.
John de Lisle Conry, 96th Berar Infantry.
Thomas Arnold Davis, 8th Rajputs.
Philip Mortimer, Supply and Transport Corps.
Maurice Hayes Simonds, 7th Hariana Lancers.
Charles Thomas Davis, 107th Pioneers.
Alfred George Lyell, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Duncan Charles Home, Military Farms Department.
Frederick King Hensley, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).
Henry Talbot Shakespear, 12th Cavalry.
Bernard Gordon Channer, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).
John Symons Crosthwaite, Political Employ.
Cecil Hulton Clutterbuck, 125th Napier's Rifles.
Kenneth McLeod, 31st Punjabis.
Frederick Arthur Hamilton, 8th Cavalry.
Thomas Guy Marriott Harris, Political Employ.
Alick Lindsay Mortimer Molesworth, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
John Hugh McCudden, M. C., 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse.)
Alan Fleming Hartley, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Baker Arthur Rawson Blewitt, 9th Gurkha Rifles. (Since deceased.)
John Charles Shuttleworth Rendall, Supply and Transport Corps.
Ronald Charles Llewellyn Morice, M. C., 37th Dogras.
Francis Lionel Seymour Brett, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
John Gordon Skene, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Charles George Vaughan Morgan Wardell, 21st Junjabis.
Brevet-Major Seaton Dunham Massy, D. S. O., 29th Punjabis.
Vivian Pericles Barrow Williams, 4th Cavalry.
Francis Seaton Massy, 4th Gurkha Rifles.
James Henry George Buller, 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Oswald Fairbanks Smith, 9th Hodson's Horse.
Arthur Bertram Harley, 121st Pioneers.
Thomas Robert Harvey Keppel, 30th Punjabis.
James Russell Landale, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry. (Since deceased).
Edward Chad Randall Kempson, 1st Brahmans.
Alban Lothair Arthur Flint, Supply and Transport Corps.
Edward Helme Pott, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).

11th January 1916.

Edmund Perceval Mainwaring White, 120th Rajputana Infantry.

22nd January 1916.

William Angelo Tate Ferris, 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.

6th February 1916.

Henry St. George Stewart Scott, D. S. O., 4th Gurkha Rifles.
Gerald Aylmer, M. C., Supply and Transport Corps.

7th February 1916.

James Lloyd Murphy, 79th Carnatic Infantry.

14th February 1916.

Ralph Henry Hammersley-Smith, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers.

15th February 1916.

John Eustace Cruickshank, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

25th February 1916.

Maurice George Lee, 40th Pathans.

28th February 1916.

Herbert Augustus Hill, Indian Army.

1st March 1916.

James Scott Mowat, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.

2nd March 1916.

David Robert Henry Jackson, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

10th March 1916.

Lionel Schofield Fenton, 113th Infantry.

20th March 1916.

Paul Lupus Leared, 7th Gurkha Rifles.

23rd March 1916.

Fitzroy Augustus Beauclerk Johnstone, the 101st Grenadiers.
James Allen Bean, the 101st Grenadiers.

31st March 1916.

Alfred Ernest Slater Fennell, 81st Pioneers.

16th April 1916.

Aubrey Bewicke-Rombulow-Pearse, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

1st May 1916.

John Francis Parkin, 113th Infantry.

4th May 1916.

George Darling Wright, 98th Infantry.
George Summerson Skinner, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).
Gerald Charles Wale Willis, D.S.O., 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.
George Dudley Ruadh MacMahon, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.
John Alfred Hamilton Britton, 83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.

8th May 1916.

Gerald Rickards Hughes, 43rd Erinpura Regiment.
William Bannatyne Macleod, 121st Pioneers. (Since deceased).
Harry Durie Cloete, M.C., 92nd Punjabis.
Thomas Arthur Atkinson Wilson, 4th Cavalry.
George Philip Morris, 20th Lancers (Gordon's Horse).
Brevet-Major William Francis Richmond Webb, D.S.O., 22nd Punjabis.
Brinsley Guise Sheridan Clarke, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
George Walker Cochran, D.S.O., 81st Pioneers.
Robert Jaffray MacBrayne, M.C., 15th Ludhiana Sikhs.
Brevet-Major Barton Edward Anderson, D.S.O., 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).
Cecil Arthur Brown, 84th Punjabis.
Robert Heath Anderson, 45th Rattray's Sikhs.
Wilfred Bertram Baker, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Rodney Foster, Survey Department.
William Blomfield White, 39th King George's Own Central India Horse.
Thomas Milne, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).
John Pickering Thompson, 35th Scinde Horse.
William Henry Barnett, 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry).
Charles Home Kingston Kirkwood, 23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Frederick Walter Arbuthnot Wells, M.C., 6th Jat Light Infantry.
Kenneth Oswald Goldie, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
Frederick George Kunhardt, 74th Punjabis.
John Edward Carey, 28th Punjabis.
Albemarle Dare Connor, 42nd Deoli Regiment.
Edward Lorimer, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).
Wilfred Stuart Dayrell, 72nd Punjabis.
John Livesay, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.
Grenville John George Hanson, 69th Punjabis.
Robert James Burton Yates, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Reginald David de la Cour Corbett, 48th Pioneers.

Noel Mervyn Radcliffe Radcliffe-Smith, 44th Merwara Infantry.
John Acheson Staines Daniell, D.S.O., 14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.
Nathaniel Ogle, 67th Punjabis.
Macleod Wylie, 4th Gurkha Rifles.
Charles Hugh Stockley, M.C., 66th Punjabis.

15th May 1916.

John Robert Hutchinson, 38th King George's Own Central India Horse.

4th June 1916.

Hugh Seymour Lamplugh Wolley, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).

26th June 1916.

Geoffrey Arthur Mackworth Praed, 5th Light Infantry.
Herbert John Mackenzie, D.S.O., 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Allan Gray Frere, 86th Carnatic Infantry.

29th June 1916.

Oliver St. John, 94th Russell's Infantry.

10th July 1916.

Brevet-Major George Gilbert Creswick Maclean, 104th Wellesley's Rifles.

23rd July 1916.

Robert Francis Day Burnett, M.C., 42nd Deoli Regiment.
Robert de Warrenne Waller, 108th Infantry.
Crescent Gebhard Risley, D.S.O., 18th King George's Own Lancers.

24th July 1916.

Leonard Forbes, 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Brevet-Major Edward Kemble Twiss, D.S.O., 10th Jats.
Charles Alfred Watson Smyth, 1st Brahmans.

9th August 1916.

Ashton Mackrell, 109th Infantry.

28th August 1916.

Charles Arthur Robertson, 61st King George's Own Pioneers.

14th September 1916

Alexander Francis Inglis, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

22nd September 1916.

Shirley East Apthorp, D.S.O., 96th Berar Infantry.

5th October 1916.

Reginald Walter Louis DeBernier Smart, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Daly's Horse).

6th October 1916.

William Henry Deane Wilson, 1st Brahmans.

30th October 1916.

Francis Herbert Maynard, M. C., 125th Napier's Rifles.

8th November 1916.

Vivian Leonard Frank Postlethwaite Jackson, 27th Light Cavalry.

4th December 1916.

Brooke Southwell Algernon Faulke Greville, 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).
Rupert Edric Gifford Berkeley, 86th Carnatic Infantry.
Jasper Beverley Lynch, 12th Cavalry. (Since deceased.)
William Ernest Fleming, M.C., 41st Dogras.
Charles Edward Morris, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).
Richard Henry Hodges Manners, 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Ralph Charles Geoffrey Pollock, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).

21st December 1916.

James Ainsworth Yates, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.

11th January 1917.

Charles George Marshall Plumer, 61st King George's Own Pioneers.

18th January 1917.

Bertram Francis Garratt, 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).
Donald Brackenbury Ross, 19th Punjabis.
John Inglis Eadie, 97th Deccan Infantry.
Edward George Hall, 117th Mahrattas.
Percy William Elliott, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).
Brevet-Major Robert Evelyn Conningham, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Robert Denis Beadle, 46th Punjabis.
Thomas Leslie Ovens, 11th Rajputs.
Oswald Arthur Chaldecott, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.
Alexander Nairne Kerr, M.C., 38th Dogras.
Hugh Darvill Watson, Military Accounts Department.
William Macdonald, 31st Punjabis.
Lewis Cecil Wagstaff, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.
Henry Courbold Forbes Bell, 73rd Carnatic Infantry.
Raymond Carol Bridgewater Williams, 35th Sikhs.
Archibald Riddell, 74th Punjabis.
Cudbert John Massy Thornhill, 6th Jat Light Infantry.
James Carmichael More, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Henry Lawrence Scott, M. C., 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
Yorick Edgar Smith, 66th Punjabis.
Thomas Stanley Whitworth, 72nd Punjabis.
Percy Alexander Maxwell, 3rd Brahmans.
Henry Townsend Molloy, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Malcolm Hugh Lucas, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).
Gerald Anderson Clarke, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
William Sidney James Scruby, 89th Punjabis.
Edward Juxon Henry Haughton, 105th Mahratta Light Infantry.
Anthony Marshall, D.S.O., 28th Light Cavalry.
Charles Douglas Roe, D.S.O., 4th Gurkha Rifles.
George Stuart Menteth Hutchinson, 34th Sikh Pioneers.
William Cecil Edward Trevan Fox-Male, M. C., 92nd Punjabis.
John Hardcastle, 46th Punjabis.
William Ingoldsby Justice Massy, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
Geoffrey Willoughby Atkins, M. C., 25th Punjabis.
Hugh Blakiston Renny, M. C., 23rd Sikh Pioneers.
Duncan McLauchlan Slater, 11th Rajputs.

29th January 1917.

Francis Miller, 108th Infantry.
John Eric Colenso, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Charles Robert Lewis Fitzgerald, D.S.O, 126th Baluchistan Infantry.

1st February 1917.

Irvine William Bagot Harte, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

23rd February 1917.

Edward Avenel Breithaupt, 63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry.
Ernest Leef Robinson, 75th Carnatic Infantry.

26th March 1917.

Richard James Keith Potter, 117th Mahrattas.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

1st September 1915.

John Gordon Craufurd, 37th Dogras. (Since deceased.)
Charles Dale Frost, 110th Mahratta Light Infantry. (Since deceased).
Herbert Stewart Phillips, 27th Light Cavalry.
Douglas Pott, M. C., 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).
Ronald Heathcote Mylne, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Shirley Victor Gore Burroughs, 4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.
Hunter Forbes, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force). (Since deceased.)
Charles Alfred Lowray Howard, 32nd Lancers.
Bernard Austin Solano, 46th Punjabis.
John Meredith Randle Ford, 61st King George's Own Pioneers.
St. Vincent Frederick Hammick, 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).
Maurice Herbert Bickford, 38th Dogras.
Max Emile de Baillon Goldman-Monk, 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry).
Aveline Thompson Waters Taylor, 43rd Erinpura Regiment.
William Edmund Hunt Condon, 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).

William Roy Boswell, 28th Punjabis.
Gerald Edward-Collins, M. C., 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.
Mervyn Edmund Parnell, 36th Jacob's Horse.
Richard Charles Simpson, 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).
Robert Geoffrey Gardner, 25th Punjabis.
Ernest James Strover, 3rd Brahmans.
Richard Hassell Sheepshanks, D.S.O., 12th Cavalry.
Hubert John Daniell, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).
Thomas William Corbett, 9th Hodson's Horse.
Frederick Chas. Gunning Campbell, M. C., 40th Pathans.
Vincent Robert Munton, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.
Henry Darrell Minchinton, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
Geoffrey Beresford Walker, M. C., 31st Punjabis.
Latham Valentine Stewart Blacker, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides.
Edward Annesley Somerville, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).
John Nethersole, M. C., 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Guy Fisher Turner, 82nd Punjabis.
Milo Richard Beaumont Onslow, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).
Edward Clarence Bradyll, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
Theophilus John Ponting, 92nd Punjabis.
Bertram Seymour Raymond, 97th Deccan Infantry.
Cecil Alexander Boyle, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Ernest John Cripps, Supply and Transport Corps.
Allan Maxwell Arnott, 4th Gurkha Rifles.
William Harvey Loftus John Welman, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Christopher William Farquharson, 10th Jats.
Herbert Frederick Belli-Bivar, 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.
George Hamilton Hopkinson, 116th Mahrattas.
Sydney Ernest Lodington Baddeley, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).
John Donald Ogilvy, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
Thomas Smith Jobson, 27th Light Cavalry.
Windham John Coventry, 7th Hariana Lancers. (Since deceased.)
Henry Sim Ibbetson Pearson, 114th Mahrattas.
Arthur Cecil Herbert Adrian Eales, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).
Reginald Graham Hinde, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.
Eric Garnett Atkinson, 17th Cavalry
Herbert John Norman, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.
Frederic Gwyn Mackay Wigley, 73rd Carnatic Infantry.
Conrad Boehm Herapath, 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).
Charles Frederick Gardner, 35th Sikhs.
Benjamin Arthur Rudkin, 80th Carnatic Infantry.
George Adrien Pim, 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).
William Frederick Blacker, 36th Jacob's Horse.
George Chichester Smythe Ferguson, 6th King Edward's Own Cavalry.
Hon. Raymond Anthony Addington, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.
Frank Nowell Lane, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
John Victor Cortlandt Anderson, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).
Christopher Delabère Mav, 5th Light Infantry.
James Henry Milligan, 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force). (Since deceased.)
Edward Percy Marion Durand, 8th Rajputs.
Ernest Gardiner Collings, 35th Sikhs.
James Lionel Cathcart Dempster, 66th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Hugh Mordaunt Hankin, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's.)
John Gordon Gibson, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers.
John Victor Drought, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.
Arthur Hugh Ackland Empson, 8th Cavalry.
Edward Dudley Metcalfe, 3rd Skinner's Horse.
Clive Essington Boulton, 5th Light Infantry.
Percy Johnston-Saint, 128th Pioneers.
Harold Edmund George Paget, 46th Punjabis.
Arthur Elsdale Meredith, 114th Mahrattas.
Guy Greville Napier, 35th Sikhs. (Since deceased.)
Ronald Playfair St. Vincent Bernard, 6th Gurkha Rifles.
Frank Owen Newdigate Burne, 64th Pioneers.
Lionel Meredith Peet, 6th Jat Light Infantry.
Henry Betham Davidson, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Wilfred Hardinge Heining, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force). (Since deceased.)

Arthur Neville Rolfe, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Seymour Des Voeux, 36th Sikhs. (Since deceased.)
Nigel Henry King-Salter, 6th Gurkha Rifles.
John Dighton Grafton-Wignall, 82nd Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Henry Vere Burt, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).
George Jennings Eldon Manisty, 67th Punjabis.
Eugene Lancelot Erskine Lindop, 41st Dogras. (Since deceased.)
Frederick Terence Hastings Mullaly, 6th Gurkha Rifles.
John Reginald Vivian Sherston, M.C., 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Watson's Horse).
Roland Ford Lewis, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).
Frederick Cremie De Butts, M.C., 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Henry Stuart Moberly, 74th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Cecil Hungerford Jackson, 21st Punjabis.
Ernest Wyndham Burdett, M.C., 48th Pioneers
Redmond Alexander Macausland, 45th Rattray's Sikhs.
Leo Ruston Messum, 21st Punjabis.
Charles Gordon Dowding, 87th Punjabis.
Forrester Metcalfe Griffith-Griffin, M.C, 129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.
Douglas Stewart Davison, 2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse).
Stannus Grant Gordon Fraser, 81st Pioneers.
Charles Watson, 28th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
George Wigram Pocklington Money, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Patrick Thomas Hogan, 96th Berar Infantry.
Roland Peto Johnstone Mitchell, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).
Philip John Reynell Wigley, M. C., 90th Punjabis.
Michael Guy Percival Willoughby, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
Owen Gough, 12th Cavalry. (Since deceased.)
Edward Fleetwood Berry, 9th Gurkha Rifles. (Since deceased.)
Brian Ponsonby Fitzgerald Moore, 62nd Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Lawrence Jameson Torrie, 26th Punjabis.
Frank Hailstone Malyon, 21st Punjabis.
Edward Seymour Woodward, 97th Deccan Infantry. (Since deceased.)
Philip Conder, 19th Punjabis.
Henry Fyshe-Palmer Hornsby, 5th Cavalry.
Bertram Lowther Jones, 117th Mahrattas.
Herbert Edward Hosking, 66th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
James Augustus Warwick Foottit, 17th Cavalry.
Edward Jerome Semini, 79th Carnatic Infantry.
Clive Kirkpatrick Daly, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).
Roland Dening, 18th King George's Own Lancers.
Thomas Chalmers Mackenzie, 6th King Edward's Own Cavalry.
Darell St. John Baxter, 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry).
Arthur Edward Barstow, M. C., 15th Ludhiana Sikhs.
Charles Churchill Crick, 109th Infantry.
Frederic George Bonney Wetherall, 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.
Eric Alister Hay Mackenzie, 3rd Brahmans.
William Macandrew Marshall, 37th Dogras.
Henry Winton Seton, 9th Gurkha Rifles.
Gerald Patrick Murphy, Political, Bombay.
Francis Downie Leslie, 48th Pioneers.
Henry George Tranchell, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.
Francis Harold Fardell Horner, M. C, 107th Pioneers.
Jones Rhodri [illegible] Owen, 36th Jacob's Horse. (Since deceased.)
Ivan Lancelot O'[illegible] Hare, 64th Pioneers.
Charles Kelvynge [illegible]way, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.
Robert Darell Elford [illegible]ll, 76th Punjabis.
Laurence Spencer, 8th [illegible]uts.
Walter Joseph Nance, 8[illegible]oneers.
Claude Alwyne Muriel Te[illegible]t, 45th Rattray's Sikhs.
Alik Gerald Joseph Cope[illegible]th Cavalry.
Robert Boisragon Dent, 3r[illegible]ueen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Donald Theodore Macdonald[illegible]25th Napier's Rifles.
Roger Gilmore Bacon, 12[illegible]ess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.
Claud Weldon Molony, 57th [illegible]'s Rifles (Frontier Force).
Albert Henry Darley Barron, [illegible]fantry (The Loyal Regiment).
Herbert Raymond Wilson, 114[illegible]attas. (Since deceased.)
Montagu Francis Davy Cobbold, [illegible]g George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Hastings Roy Harington, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Edward Victor Francis Seymour, 9th Hodson's Horse.
Arthur Annesley Francis Charles Hutton Dawson, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).
Francis John Deighton, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.
Eric Nelson Carter, 112th Infantry.
Frederick Noel Fox, 30th Garhwal Rifles.
Charles Hugh Donovan, 94th Russell's Infantry.
Wilfred Taylor Fletcher, 97th Deccan Infantry.
Ivan Douglas Guthrie, 17th Cavalry.
William George Horace Mainwaring Mules, 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles). (Since deceased.)
Arthur Hugh Dobbs, 76th Punjabis.
Granville Alaric Richard Spain, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.
Nathaniel Morton, 8th Cavalry.
Harold Victor Lewis, M.C., 129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.
James Deas Fulton, 26th Punjabis.
Claude Lancelot Andrewes, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.
Thomas Howard Battye, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Arthur Godfrey Armstrong, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.
Gerald Cecil Gibson Gray, 3rd Skinner's Horse.
Walter Greville Bagot-Chester, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Arthur Henry Norman Gatherer, M.C., 46th Punjabis.
Richard Outram Chamier, 110th Mahratta Light Infantry.
Richard Conyers Ruck, 95th Russell's Infantry.
Ronald Alister Percival Grant, 112th Infantry.
Douglas Hobart, 24th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Roy Parnell Henstock, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Alexander Kilgour Macpherson, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
Thomas Mervyn Osborne Catterson-Smith, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
Norman George Rogers Coats, 25th Punjabis.
Arthur Freer Spreckley, 9th Gurkha Rifles. (Since deceased.)
Vernon William Corbyn Moore-Lane, 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Walter Lamond Farwell, 4th Gurkha Rifles.
Philip Henry Myles, 41st Dogras (Since deceased.)
William Le Couteur Brodrick, 27th Light Cavalry.
Edmund Cyril Staples, M.C., 11th Rajputs.
Alfred Myers Dawes, 61st King George's Own Pioneers.
Edward Ponsonby Watts, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Gerald Vincent Hughes, 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).
Oscar Owen Curtis, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).
Horace Anthony Garstin, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).
Douglas Bainbridge, M. C., 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Hugh Guy Astley Pearson, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Bertram Evelyn Hickson, 27th Light Cavalry.
Humphrey Richard Locke Lawrence, 34th Sikh Pioneers. (Since deceased.)
Geoffrey Swarbreck Rogers, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Gerald Thomas Fisher, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Charles Offley Harvey, 38th King George's Own Central India Horse.
Arthur Septimus Brooke, 18th Infantry.
Kenneth Charles Stuart Erskine, M. C., 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Lawrence Smith, 6th King Edward's Own Cavalry.
Nigel Laurie Mitchell-Carruthers, 30th Punjabis.
Edward Claude Mockler, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
Sir Norman Roderick Alexander David Leslie, Bart., 38th King George's Own Central India Horse.
Reginald Magnus Trail, 38th Dogras.
Wyndham Biddulph Shakespear, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).
Harold Esmond Haddon, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment). (Since deceased.)
Ashton Gerard Oswald Mosley Mayne, 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).
Edwin Percival Yeates, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
Rawdon Douglas Wright 29th Lancers (Deccan Horse).
Raymond Guy MacGregor, 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.
Alfred William Pulvermann, 128th Pioneers.
James Coultbard Walker, 5th Cavalry.
Robert Stanley Bullock, 27th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Hugh William Andrewes, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.

William Moresby Tate, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Harold Gordon Canny Laird, 101st Grenadiers.
Arthur Lennox Skinner, 122nd Rajputana Infantry.
Oswald Mather, 109th Infantry.
Malcolm Ellis Morton Meade, 125th Napier's Rifles.
Robert Charles Crawford Liston, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.
Edwin Masters, 106th Infantry.
John Cartwright Brewer, M.C., 90th Punjabis.
Lionel Lindsay Buckland, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
John Oliver Nicholls, 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force). (Since deceased.)
Eric Bebonnair Theophilus Metcalfe, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Eustace Hammick, 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).
Beresford Herbert Wallis, M.C., 107th Pioneers.
Raymont Patrick Thomas Ffrench, 123rd Outram's Rifles.
Arthur Edward Campbell Harris, 7th Hariana Lancers.
Leslie Palmer Brotherton, 3rd Brahmans.
Cyril Arkwright Gouldsbury, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Eric Alfred Bald, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Owen Philip Hamilton, 74th Punjabis.
Frederick Corbett Hickie, 108th Infantry.
Benjamin Christie, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.
Charles Frederick Scroope, 66th Punjabis
Geoffrey Cartaret Strahan, 6th Gurkha Rifles.
Alastair Donaldson, 34th Sikh Pioneers.
Harold Steward, 6th King Edward's Own Cavalry. (Since deceased.)
James Crompton, 10th Jats.
George Lawden Boys Stones, 7th Hariana Lancers.
William Henry Goldney Baker, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.
Colin Forbes Mackenzie, 21st Punjabis.
Geoffrey Lawrence Betham, 15th Ludhiana Sikhs.
Ilay Ferrier, 48th Pioneers.
George Ferdinand Hay Faithfull, 126th Baluchistan Infantry.
John Perfect Gulland, 69th Punjabis.
Robert Noel Girking Scott, 28th Punjabis.
Colin Andrew Proudfoot, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force) (Since deceased.)
Charles Henry Matthew Churchill, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis). (Since deceased.)
Wilfrid Templeman Windeler, 63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry.
Eric Wingrove Spurgin, 29th Lancers (Deccan Horse).
Owen Tudor Boyd, M. C., 5th Cavalry.
Denholme DeMontalte Stuart Fraser, 39th King George's Own Central India Horse.
John Fagan Henslowe Nugent, D.S.O., 28th Punjabis.
John William Sydney Hobson, 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).
Archibald Wilfrid Tisdal Webb, Political Employ
Francis Robert Elliott Grant, 122nd Rajputana Infantry.
Neville Scott Taylor, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.
Robert George Hamilton Murray, M C., 9th Gurkha Rifles.
Frederick Legh Richmond Munn, M. C., 46th Punjabis.
Harry Chester Wentworth Dillon, 28th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
George Thomas Johnson, 22nd Punjabis.
Barclay North Young, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
James Geoffrey Powys Drummond, 19th Punjabis.
Norman Macdonald Martin, 38th King George's Own Central India Horse.
Vivian Clemons Cassidy, 64th Pioneers.
George Newell Watson, 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).
Andrew Arnold Williamson, 75th Carnatic Infantry.
James Shaw, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry. (Since deceased.)
James Dunbar Mackenzie, 41st Dogras.
Jasper Gilbert Fagan, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment). (Since deceased.)
Charles Thornton Warner, 22nd Punjabis.
Arthur William Bean Gompertz, 94th Russell's Infantry.
George Douglas Anderson, 62nd Punjabis.
Alexander Buchanan Bryson, 112th Infantry.
Claude Napier Buist, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Guy Maurice Hutton, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Thomas Leslie Leslie, 35th Scinde Horse.
William Kerr Fraser-Tytler, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Roger John Tweedy, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).
Austin Henry Williams, 38th King George's Own Central India Horse.
Leslie Eric Barton, 30th Punjabis.
Arthur Henry Wildman, 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles). (Since deceased.)

George Osborne DeRenzy Channer, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Edward Massy Dennys, 4th Gurkha Rifles. (Since deceased.)
Harold Turner Rohde, 89th Punjabis.
Angus Menzies Kennedy, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Charles Robert Senhouse Pitman, M. C., 27th Punjabis.
James McKenzie Anderson, 109th Infantry.
Cyril Arthur Raynor, M. C., 48th Pioneers.
Pietro Rudolph Quayle, 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.
Henry Harold Rookhurst Deane, 64th Pioneers.
Guy Walsh Blackburn Scratton, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).
Abercromby Graham Ogilvy, 38th Dogras.
Leslie Vincent Hoyne-Fox, 120th Rajputana Infantry.
Alexander Edward Drysdale, D.S.O., M.C., 47th Sikhs.
Guy Durand Ozanne, M C., 99th Deccan Infantry.
Garrut St. John Richardson, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs. (Since deceased)
Lawrence Hungerford Jackson, 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).
Desbrisay Blundell Mein, M.C, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Charles Gray Yule Skipwith, 17th Cavalry.
Bertie Arthur Stephen Brunskill, 79th Carnatic Infantry.
George Frederick Cortlandt Shakespear, M.C., 88th Carnatic Infantry.
William Hickley Lovell O'Neill, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Henry Finnis, M.C., 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
William Clement Francis Allan Wilson, 104th Wellesley's Rifles.
John Forbes Meiklejohn, 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.
Edward Harry Brock Ozanne, 121st Pioneers.
Henry Charles Perram, 84th Punjabis.
Guy Edward Balfour, 98th Infantry.
Raymond Wycliffe Russell, 9th Gurkha Rifles.
Brian Hulbert Bonham Carter, 40th Pathans.
Allen Leigh Johnston, 126th Baluchistan Infantry.
William Horatio Happell, 99th Deccan Infantry.
Malcolm Eccles, M.C., 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).
Keith deLorentz Young, M C., 8th Cavalry.
Frederick George Swan McLean, 67th Punjabis.
Leonard Harry Lee, 110th Mahratta Light Infantry.
Douglas Kerr Joseph Chisholm, 114th Mahrattas.
Richard James Killingworth Todd, 93rd Burma Infantry.
Denis George Severn Urmson, 64th Pioneers.
George Jerome Dunlop Kellie, 30th Punjabis.
Basil Ivor Jones. 38th Dogras.
John Leonard Kirkpatrick Kane, 109th Infantry.
Leslie Hastings, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.
James Wilfrid Haynes Park, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force). (Since deceased.)
Stuart Douglas Nugent Cahusac, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
Henry Richard Caine Meade, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Wilmot Gordon Hilton Vickers, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.
Alfred Noel Irvine Lilly, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.
James Douglas Standen, 10th Jats.
Thomas Clement Erskine Barstow, 6th Gurkha Rifles.
Thomas Reed Dawe, 79th Carnatic Infantry.
Edward Horace Whitford-Hawkey, 16th Cavalry.
Dudley Clare Robinson, 36th Sikhs.
Rupert Mortimer Corke, 94th Russell's Infantry.
Ralph Bouverie Deedes, M.C., 31st Punjabis.
Claude William Sanders, 1st Brahmans.
Justin O'Sullivan, 4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.
Lancelot Ernest Dennys, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Dysart Edward Whitworth, 2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse).
Robert Douglas Crew, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Dawyck Moberly Veitch-Veitch, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse). (Since deceased.)
Gerald Michael Fitzgerald, M.C., 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).
Raymond D'Albini Sykes Banks, 9th Bhopal Infantry.
Bertram Heylyn Matheson, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).
George Burton Henderson, 15th Ludhiana Sikhs.
Cuthbert Charles Langhorne, 24th Punjabis.
Christopher Thomas Wright-Warren, 80th Carnatic Infantry.
Sidney Arthur Hodder Hungerford, 116th Mahrattas.
Leopold Eliot Toynder, 6th Gurkha Rifles. (Since deceased.)
Charles D'Arcy Bingham, 109th Infantry.

Gerald Blunt Lucas, 38th King George's Own Central India Horse. (Since deceased.)
Hubert Richard Benjamin Hinde Irwin, 105th Mahratta Light Infantry.
Robert Blake Harward, 73rd Carnatic Infantry.
Edward Thomas Ruscombe Wickham, 39th King George's Own Central India Horse.
Kenneth Herbert Metcalfe Davison, 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Francis Hay Mardall, 41st Dogras.
William Hugh Samuel Schofield, 18th Infantry.
Cyril Murgatroyd Longbotham, 72nd Punjabis.
Charles Randolph Prendergast, 84th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
John Allan Ferguson, 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).
Douglas Raymond Montford, 98th Infantry.
Maurice Macaw Stevenson, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).
Eliot Blair Grasett, 28th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Leonard William Henry Mathias, 128th Pioneers.
Lancelot Cecil Torbock Graham, 9th Hodson's Horse.
Johnston Evelyn Shearer, 26th Punjabis.
John Alexander Dermot Morrogh Bernard, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Francis Travers Drake-Brockman, 7th Hariana Lancers.
James Mance Whittall, 6th Gurkha Rifles.
Charles Reginald Cambridge Lane, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).
Brian Henry O'Donnell, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.
Nigel Gresley Reginald Woodyatt, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Noel Louis St. Pierre Bunbury, 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Theodore Thompson Laville, 11th Rajputs.
Arthur John Lunn, 82nd Punjabis.
Harold Arthur Andrews, M.C., 37th Dogras.
Charles Oliver Hobins Mosse, M.C., 120th Rajputana Infantry.
Percy Kenneth Rivett-Carnac, 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).
Christopher Michael Maltby, M.C., 95th Russell's Infantry.
Roy Lancelot Lemon, 10th Gurkha Rifles
Reginald Hugh Penrose-Welsted, 4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.
William Richard Annesley Scott, 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).
Humphrey Vickers Gell, 69th Punjabis.
Edward Henry Ommanney Elkington, M. C., 36th Sikhs.
Ralph Harry Burlton, 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse. (Since deceased.)
William Trevor Bird, 30th Lancers (Gordon's Horse).
Charles James Cockburn, 6th Jat Light Infantry. (Since deceased.)
Richard Travers Lawrence, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
James Fraser Abbott, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Percy Grey, 18th King George's Own Lancers.
John Clive Doveton Mullaly, 9th Bhopal Infantry.
Percival Benbow Hebbert, 44th Merwara Infantry.
Charles Mathew Fulton, 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.
Lachlan Loudoun MacLean, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
John Paul Surtees Minter, 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).
Leonard Mourant Handley, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.
George Harold Chambers, M.C., 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).
Erick James Dalby McElwaine, 76th Punjabis.
Alexander James Lumsden Wallace, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Edmond Mortimer Malone, 5th Light Infantry.
Roy Victor Brandon, 18th Infantry.
Sidney Lionel Thompson, 113th Infantry.
George Leslie Grove Pollard, 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Roy Bathurst Gore Cuddeford, 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.
William Church Stacpoole Haycraft, M. C., 93rd Burma Infantry.
George Stephen Brunskill, M. C., 47th Sikhs.
Harold Lithgow Watkis, M.C., 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).
Reginald Cheniston Geard, 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis).
Ralph Whitley Brander, 11th Rajputs, attached Supply and Transport Corps.
Douglas Gordon Pigou Mansel Shewen, 27th Punjabis.
Kenneth Amber North, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.
Kenneth Joseph Gabbett, 23rd Sikh Pioneers.
Lionel William Hughes, 125th Napier's Rifles.
Henry Hampden Rich, 120th Rajputana Infantry.
Philip Gaisford, 31st Punjabis.
Geoffrey Browning Reeves, 9th Hodson's Horse. (Since deceased.)
Cecil Walter d'Alterac Steward, 66th Punjabis.
Hugh Poynton Radley, 72nd Punjabis.
Hedworth George Ailwyn Fellowes, M. C., 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Montagu Middleton, 87th Punjabis.

Edward Robert Courtenay Booth, 35th Scinde Horse.
Edwin Leslie Ricketts, 98th Berar Infantry.
Herbert Teesdale Craig, 43rd Erinpura Regiment.
Charles Hugh Landale, 16th Cavalry.
Henry Dennis Hickley, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Philip Cowie Scudamore, 11th Rajputs.
George Charles Bampfield, 90th Punjabis.
Terence Fuller Stokes, 82nd Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
John Brownlow, 28th Light Cavalry.
Denis Charles Branfoot, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Claude Edward Urquhart Bremner, M.C., 29th Punjabis.

5th September 1915.

Arthur Fredrich Rawson Lumby, 69th Punjabis.
William Douglas Grant Batten, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Robert Ross Ewing, 61st King George's Own Pioneers.
Alexander Sutherland Mackay, 7th Gurkha Rifles.

6th September 1915.

Edward Wollaston Geidt, 107th Pioneers.
Alan Patrick Rodgerson, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Francis Richard Cubbon, 72nd Punjabis.
Neville Godfray Hind, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).
Roy Thornhill Sweet, D.S.O., 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Ian Campbell, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Alured Phayre Cuningham, 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.
Charles Frere Marriott, 10th Jats.

1st October 1915.

Philip Norman Gurdon, 14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.

19th January 1916.

Charles Gordon Borrowman, 4th Gurkha Rifles.

20th January 1916.

Christopher John Radcliffe Turner, 15th Ludhiana Sikhs.
John Herbert Livingston Hindmarsh, 8th Rajputs.
Frank Scamander Clarke, 46th Punjabis.
Patrick Grant, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).
Francis Edward Boissian Guise, 42nd Deoli Regiment.
Frederick Sinclair Poynder, 9th Gurkha Rifles.
Raleigh Harton Browne, 34th Sikh Pioneers.
Howel Stephen Bulkley, 33rd Punjabis.
Eric Hubert Gray, 74th Punjabis.
William St. John Carpendale, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
Arthur Emlyn Clarke, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Geoffry Allen Percival Scoones, M.C., 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).
Colin Thomas Burn-Murdoch, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).
Kenneth Llewellyn Fasken, 95th Russell's Infantry.
Derrick Fitzgerald Massy, 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.
James Bruce Scott, 33rd Punjabis.
Wilton DeLacy Pasry, 113th Infantry.
Edric Walter Brett, 18th Infantry.
George Gordon Rogers, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

24th August 1916.

John Laurits Johanson, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Thomas Norman Cameron Kemp, M. C., 9th Gurkha Rifles.
John George Smyth, V. C., 15th Ludhiana Sikhs.
Julian Gerald Barnes DeWilton, 8th Cavalry.
Aubrey Spranger Townsend Reilly, 69th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Charles Hony Trehane, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Frank Vivian Spooner, 30th Lancers (Gordon's Horse).
Herbert Prichard Thomas, 126th Baluchistan Infantry.
William Vernon McCalmont, 10th Jats.
Claude Boileau Mosse, 116th Mahrattas.
John Le Clerc Fowle, 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis).

Charles Colquhoun Morrison, 35th Scinde Horse.
Walter Augustus Gore Hinds, M. C., 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.
Ralph Henry Wellesley Welsh, 16th Cavalry.
Henry Dane, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).
Malcoln Hay Alexander Campbell, 89th Punjabis.
Brian Gerald Keene, 73rd Carnatic Infantry.
Franklin Herbert Woolledge, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.

21st January 1917.

Guy Nicholas Vansittart, 39th King George's Own Central India Horse.
Wallace Derry Ayre Holland, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Thomas Malcolm Layng, M.C., attached 10th Jats.

22nd January 1917.

Rob MacGregor Macdonald Lockhart, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Valentine Cambier, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.
Gibert Lennox, 37th Dogras.
Edwin James Caldwell Ashmore, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Reginald John Nelson Norris, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.
Hugh Charles Stephens Minchin, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Frank Edward Lemarchand, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Robert Dunlop Smith, 33rd Punjabis.
Douglas Beanland, 22nd Punjabis.
Guy St. John Robinson, 88th Carnatic Infantry.
Gerald Uloth, 28th Light Cavalry
Ian Francis Gordon Hall, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Edward Kenelm Bird, 29th Punjabis.
John William Brooke Tindall, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.
George Bourke Harvey, 5th Cavalry.
George Drummond Payne, 98th Infantry.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 500.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Lieutenant is conferred on the following Indian officer in recognition of conspicuously good services rendered by him during the war :—

Pensioned Risaldar-Major Thakur Bhagwant Singh, late 28th Light Cavalry.

No. 501.—The following promotions are made :—

13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).

Ressaidar Sultan Khan (17th Cavalry) to be Risaldar, with effect from the 26th January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

14th Murray's Jat Lancers.

Jemadar Amir Singh to be Woordie-Major, with effect from the 31st December 1916.

25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Sadhu Singh to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 1st March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

39th King George's Own Central India Horse.

Kot-Dafadar Abdul Ghani Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th March 1917, and to remain seconded.

Machine Gun Companies.

Havildar Waris Khan (25th Mountain Battery) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

1st Labour Corps.

Pensioned Havildar Karam Dad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 24th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

2nd Labour Corps.

Pensioned Colour-Havildar Gulab Khan, Kot-Dafadar Jagat Singh and Havildar Narayan Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 24th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 19th Punjabis.

Jemadars Budha Singh, Khuda Bakhsh and Ghafur Khan (1st Battalion, 19th Punjabis) to be Subadars, Quartermaster-Havildar Sundar Singh and Havildars Talok Singh, Nand Singh, Surain Singh, Ghulam Haidar, Ismail, Makhmad Janab and Hukmat to be Jemadars, with effect from the 12th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

27th Punjabis.

Havildar Badri Das to be Jemadar, with effect from the 20th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

30th Punjabis.

Jemadars Wahab Khan (29th Punjabis) and Haidar Ali to be Subadars and Havildar Babar Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 7th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

112th Infantry.

Havildar Husain Bakhsh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th December 1916, Havildar Barkat Ali to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th January 1917, and Havildar Ramdayal Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

120th Rajputana Infantry.

Jemadar Seole to be Subadar, Havildar-Major Hamid Husain and Havildars Abdur Rahman, Rahmat Khan, Siunath Singh and Zauki Ram to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st January 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 121th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.

Colour-Havildar Basawa Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadars Embahadur Sahi and Lalit Bahadur Mal to be Subadars, Havildars Tekbahadur Sahi and Bir Sing Khandaka to be Jemadars, with effect from the 24th October 1916, Havildars Arjun Khattri and Chandrabir Khattri to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st December 1916, Havildars Kharakbahadur Mal and Jagbahadur Thapa to be Jemadars, with effect from the 9th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

67th Punjabis.

Subadar Sukha Singh to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 21st May 1915; to complete the establishment.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 502.—Lieutenant (Temporary Captain) Frederick William Heilgers, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 12th March 1917.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 503.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned Temporary Lieutenant is permitted to resign the service, with effect from the 19th February 1917:—

Tottakkat Krishna Menon, M.B.

REDUCTIONS.

No. 504.—Army Department Notification No. 1430, dated the 24th November 1916, remanding Sub-Conductor F. W. Ellison, Supervisor, Military Works Services, to regimental duty in the rank of Corporal, with effect from the afternoon of the 8th November 1916, is hereby cancelled.

RETENTIONS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Southern Army.

No. 505.—Commissary and Honorary Captain John Shipman Rush, *seconded*, is retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 5th April 1917, until further orders, and will be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

RETIREMENTS.

MILITARY WORKS SERVICES AND PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, INDIA.

No. 506.—Sub-Conductor Frank William Ellison, Supervisor, Military Works Services, is transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the afternoon of the 8th November 1916 under the provisions of Army Regulations, India, Volume I, paragraph 835.

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 507.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the admission of the following Indian officer to the 2nd Class of the Order of British India, in recognition of the conspicuously good services, especially in the matter of recruiting, rendered by him during the present war :—

Ressaidar Shaikh Budruddin, Supply and Transport Reserve.

This appointment will be supernumerary to the authorised establishment and will be absorbed by the death or promotion of the holder.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS

Allahabad Volunteer Rifles.

No. 508.—James Reginald Stanhope Howie to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st November 1916.

Moulmein Volunteer Rifles.

No. 509.—Captain Colin Arthur Lakin, seconded, to be Major with seniority next below Major C. S. Thane, and to remain seconded. Dated the 29th July 1915.

Captain George Percy Andrew, seconded, to be Major with seniority next below Major C. A. Lakin, and to remain seconded. Dated the 29th July 1915.

Second Lieutenant Archie Ripon Anderson, seconded, to be Captain with seniority next below Captain E. G. N. Kinch, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st January 1916.

Second Lieutenant Kenneth Rupert Hope Jones resigns his commission. Dated the 1st March 1917.

Rangoon Volunteer Rifles.

No. 510.—Lieutenant Arthur Salisbury Browne Roberts, seconded, to be Captain with seniority next below Captain A. McKeand, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st March 1916.

Lieutenant Richard Clarke Glover, seconded, to be Captain with seniority next below Captain A. S. B. Roberts, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st March 1916.

Lieutenant Algernon Edward Mann, seconded, to be Captain with seniority next below Captain R. C. Glover, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st March 1916.

Lieutenant Alexander Keith Faulkner, seconded, to be Captain with seniority next below Captain A. E. Mann, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st March 1916.

Second Lieutenant Frank Herbert Jones, seconded, to be Lieutenant with seniority next below Lieutenant A. T. Dawson, and to remain seconded. Dated the 23rd December 1914.

Second Lieutenant Charles Hopewell Taylor, seconded, to be Lieutenant with seniority next below Lieutenant W. J. Ward, and to remain seconded. Dated the 23rd December 1914.

Second Lieutenant Frank Courts Hendry, M. C., seconded, to be Lieutenant with seniority next below Lieutenant C. H. Taylor, and to remain seconded. Dated the 23rd December 1914.

Second Lieutenant Charles Frederick Grant, seconded, to be Lieutenant with seniority next below Lieutenant G. W. Cochran-Wilson, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st March 1916.

Second Lieutenant Bernard Moore Blakestone, seconded, to be Lieutenant with seniority next below Lieutenant H. L. Pearson, and to remain seconded. Dated the 18th April 1916.

Second Lieutenant, Arthur Green Mumford, seconded, to be Lieutenant with seniority next below Lieutenant C. M. Webb, and to remain seconded. Dated the 13th April 1916.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

No. 511.—The Governor General of India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officer :—

Chota Nagpur Light Horse

Lieutenant-Colonel (Honorary Colonel) Frank Joseph Agabeg, A.-D.-C.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 3rd April, 1917.

No. 391-E.-17.—Mr. H. W. Huggins, Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, North-Western Railway, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Locomotive Superintendent in class II of that establishment, with effect from the 8th March 1917 and during the absence of Mr. E. Hunt, District Locomotive Superintendent, on privilege leave.

The 4th April, 1917.

No. 323-P.-16.—The Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 7, Madras, having inspected the mixed gauge section of the Bangalore-Chickballapur Light Railway between Yelahanka and Yeswantpur authorised its opening for passenger traffic, with effect from the 1st February 1917.

The Railway Board, after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

No. 392-E.-17.—Mr. I. S. Cameron, Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, North-Western Railway, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Locomotive Superintendent in class II of that establishment, with effect from the 6th March 1917 and during the absence of Mr. A. Crosbie, District Locomotive Superintendent, on leave.

No. 398-E.-17.—The undermentioned promotions and reversions in the Superintending Engineer classes, State Railways, are ordered :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Hanby, W. A. E. ...	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, *s.p t.*	27th February 1917.
Sutherland, J. ...	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, Supernumerary.	Do.
Dawson, F. G. R ...	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class.	Do.
Walton, H. R. ...	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, *s.p.t.*, Supernumerary.	Do.
White, J. H. ..	Superintending Engineer. 2nd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, *s.p.t*, Supernumerary.	Do.
Alium, F. W.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class. *s.p.t.*	Do.
Harford, J. ...	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Executive Engineer, Supernumerary.	Do.
Hopkins, Major L. E.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, Officiating, Supernumerary.	Executive Engineer, Supernumerary.	Do.

No 1309-E.-16.—Mr. R. B. A[illegible] whose services were lent to the Darjeeling Himalayan [illegible] from the service of Government under the [illegible] Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st Novem[illegible]

The [illegible]

No. 93-T.-17.—The following is [illegible]

RESOLUTION—By the Railway Board.

Adoption on the Arakan Light Railway of the General Rules for working railways under construction and certain amendments therein.

RESOLUTION.—The Managing Agents of the Arakan Light Railway Company, Limited, have applied for permission to adopt on such portion or portions of that railway as may be under construction, the General Rules for working railways under construction and not used for the public carriage of passengers, animals or goods, which were promulgated with Railway Board's Resolution No. 1216-R. T., dated the 6th July 1912, and published in the *Gazette of India* under their Notification No. 114 of the same date, and certain amendments therein which were promulgated with Railway Board's Resolution No. 1023-T., dated the 23rd June 1914, and published in the *Gazette of India* under their Notification No. 169, dated the 26th June 1914.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the General Rules for working railways under construction and of the amendments therein cited in paragraph 1 above, on such portion or portions of the Arakan Light Railway as may be under construction.

ORDER.—Ordered that this Resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), and that the General Rules and the amendments, which have already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be further notified to the railway servants concerned, and to the public, by a copy thereof being kept open to inspection, free of charge, in the office of the Engineer-in-Chief in charge of the construction of the railway: also that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to the Managing Agents, Arakan Light Railway Company, Limited, for information and guidance and to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 2-A. for information.

No. 383-E.—Mr. D. W. Brown, Transportation Inspector, Eastern Bengal Railway, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Traffic Superintendent of that Railway, with effect from the 28th February 1917, during the absence of Mr. S A Hamid on privilege leave.

No. 414-E.—Mr. R. H. Hurley, Traffic Inspector, North-Western Railway, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Traffic Superintendent of that railway, with effect from the 9th March 1917 and until further orders.

No. 415-E.-17.—Mr. D. H. Keelan, District Traffic Superintendent, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, in class II, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Traffic Manager in class I of that establishment, with effect from the 12th March 1917 and until further orders.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Simla, the 6th April, 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 31st March 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures	Plague deaths.
DELHI ...	...		.	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	82	76
		Ahmedabad City	25	23
		Kaira District	4	.
		Surat Town and Port	69	66
		Surat District	62	43
		Broach Port	1	1
		Broach District	...	1
		Bhiwandi Port	4	8
		Kalyan Port	2	1
		Bandra Port	...	1
		Kurla Port	1	7
		Thana District	84	21
	Central	Ahmednagar District	91	64
		West Khandesh District	196	124
		East Khandesh District	259	185
		Poona Town	2	2
		Poona District	170	141
		Nasik District	76	71
		Satara District	615	415
		Sholapur Town	7	5
		Sholapur District	307	230
	Southern	Panvel Port	11	12
		Thal Port	1	1
		Kolaba District	36	23
		Ratnagiri Port	7	2
		Ratnagiri District	7	1
		Belgaum District	169	104
		Hubli Town	1	1
		Dharwar District	87	43
		Kanara District	22	7
		Bijapur District	160	112
	Sind ...	Karachi Town and Port	45	42

The following additions should be made in the returns noted below —

17th March 1917—Nawabshah District 8 cases, 2 deaths.

24th " " { Broach District 4 cases, *nil* death.
Hyderabad Town 98 " 69 deaths.
Larkana District 1 case, 1 death
Sukkur District 1 case, *nil* death.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind	Political Charges	Baroda State	26	21
		Mangrol Port	...	1
		Kathiawar Agency	40	27
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	289	260
		Savanur State	2	6
		Bhor State	1	...
		Tuna Port	10	6
		Mundra Port	8	2
		Bijapur Agency	11	8
		Satara Agency	79	75
		Akalkot State	19	15
		TOTAL	3,183	2,808
Madras Presidency	...	Anantapur District	29 (a)	19
		Bellary District	33 (a)	31 (a)
		Chittoor District	2	1
		Coimbatore District	31	24
		Mangalore Port	17	12
		South Canara District	2 (b)	...
		Madura District	...	2
		Malabar District	4	2
		Nilgiris District	3	2
		Salem Town	1	3
		Salem District	23	22
		North Arcot District	78 (b)	37
		Tanjore District	2	2
		Dhanushkodi Port	1 (a)	...
		Trichinopoly District	1 (a)	1 (a)
		TOTAL	227	156
Bengal Presidency	Burdwan	Burdwan District	1	...
		Hooghly District	4	5
	Presidency.	24-Parganas District	11	6
		Calcutta	3	3
		TOTAL	19	14
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	Patna City	14	10
		Patna District	280	192
		Gaya City	7	2
		Gaya District	33	18
		Shahabad District	404	317
	Tirhut	Saran District	787	641
		Muzaffarpur District	140	127
		Darbhanga City	8	6
		Darbhanga District	204	199

(a) One imported. (b) Two imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 30,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	594	399
		Bhagalpur City	19	17
		Bhagalpur District	75	51
		TOTAL	2,460	1,979
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut	Saharanpur City	2	...
		Saharanpur District	16	17
		Muzaffarnagar District	20	20
	Agra	Aligarh City	2	2
		Mainpuri District	15	15
	Rohilkhand	Bareilly District	18	8
		Bijnor District	3	6
		Budaun District	17	7
		Moradabad District	38	36
		Pilibhit District	31	31
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City	9	8
		Farrukhabad District	40	38
		Etawah District	5	5
		Cawnpore City	93	92
		Cawnpore District	103	103
		Fatehpur District	100	96
		Allahabad City	13	13
		Allahabad District	314	317
	Jhansi	Jalaun District	69	48
	Benares	Benares City	17	15
		Benares District	76	63
		Mirzapur City	18	15
		Mirzapur District	2	3
		Jaunpur District	395	274
		Ghazipur District	800	851
		Ballia District	612	523

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
UNITED PROVINCES	Gorakhpur.	Gorakhpur District	668	517
		Basti District	395	357
		Azamgarh District	926	876
	Lucknow	Lucknow City	19	19
		Unao District	2	339
		Rae Bareli District	253	211
		Sitapur District	76	45
		Hardoi District	79	74
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	122	106
		Gonda District	93	68
		Bahraich District	4	4
		Sultanpur District	82	73
		Partabgarh District	148	123
		Bara Banki District	64	49
		TOTAL	6,186	5,467
PUNJAB	Ambala	Karnal District	3	3
		Ambala District	69	47
	Jullundur	Jullundur District	36	14
		Ludhiana District	5	2
	Lahore	Lahore City	1	...
		Lahore District	36	22
		Gurdaspur District	21	11
		Sialkot District	10	3
		Gujranwala District	5	2

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District	19	14
		Jhelum District	12	12
		Rawalpindi District	8	8
	Native States	Jind State	15	9
		TOTAL	240	147
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	26	25
		Insein District	1	1
		Hanthawaddy District	6	6
		Tharrawaddy District	12	12
		Prome District	5	5
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	12	12
		Bassein District	6	6
		Henzada District	10	10
		Myaungmya District	4	4
		Maubin District	1	2
		Pyapon District	18	18
	Tenasserim	Toungoo District	9	8
		Thaton District	3	3
		Moulmein Town	4	4
		Amherst District	1	1
	Magwe	Magwe District	4	4
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town	3	4
		Katha District	3	2
		Ruby Mines District	...	1
	Sagaing	Sagaing District	2	2

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BURMA	Meiktila	Yamethin District	1	2
		Myingyan District	3	3
	Shan States	Northern Shan States	...	1
		TOTAL	134	136
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur...	Nagpur Town	5	5
		Nagpur District	96	59
		Bhandara District	188	94
		Wardha District	76	59
		Chanda District	5	5
		Balaghat District	38	26
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town and Cantonment	27	25
		Jubbulpore District	193	158
		Saugor District	28	28
		Seoni District	58	39
		Mandla District	19	8
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District	38	28
		Nimar District	34	35
		Narsinghpur District	65	37
		Chhindwara District	49	46
	Chhatisgarh	Raipur District	68	56
		Bilaspur District	103	78
		Drug District	1	1
	Berar ...	Amraoti District	256	174
		Yeotmal District	62	52
		Akola District	272	200
		Buldana District	262	187
		TOTAL	1,888	1,895
ASSAM ...	...	......	...	...
COORG ...	...	......	...	...

In the return for the week ending 17th March 1917, against Amraoti District *read* 169 cases *for* 210 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Mysore State	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	17	15
		Bangalore City	2	2
		Bangalore District	39	24
		Mysore District	21	13
		Hassan District	15	9
		Kadur District	1	1
		Shimoga District	38	23
		Chitaldroog District	3	4
		Tumkur District	11	9
		Kolar Gold Fields	2	...
		Kolar District	50	35
		TOTAL	199	135
Hyderabad State	...	Aurangabad District	100	77
		Bir District	50	36
		Parbhani District	122	107
		Nander District	238	215
		Gulbarga District	69	64
		Raichur District	22	20
		Usmanabad District	142	129
		Bidar District	123	107
		Medak District	101	98
		Nizamabad District	45	40

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Hyderabad City and Suburbs (including Secunderabad)	20	17
		Atrafibalda Sarfikhas District	21	20
		TOTAL	1,058 (a)	920 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore City	3	2
		Indore State	96	65
		Dhar State	3	...
		Bagli State	1	...
		Neemuch Cantonment	8	5
		Nowgong Cantonment	1	1
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	96	84
		Gwalior (Residency)	2	1
		Mhow Cantonment	12	6
		Dewas State (Senior Branch)	6	4
		Dewas State (Junior Branch)	2	2
		Manpur State	3	2
		TOTAL	230 (b)	172 (b)
RAJPUTANA	...	Ajmer City	146	110
		Ajmer District	15	12
		Alwar State	17	11
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State	38	37
		Bharatpur State	13	5
		Sirohi State	1	1
		Kishangarh State	2	3
		Jaipur State	17	12
		Mewar State	35	18
		TOTAL	284	204
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	...	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	15	7
		TOTAL	15	7
BALUCHISTAN	...	...	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	16,018	13,047

(a) From the 19th to the 25th March 1917.
(b) For the week ending 24th March 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 5th April 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. There were some falls of rain associated with thunderstorms; but Assam, east Hyderabad and south Madras were the only areas where rainfall was at all widespread.

2. *Burma*.—Rain fell at Victoria Point, Mergui, Moulmein and Bhamo.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Rainfall was nearly general in Assam on the 4th.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Weather was dry.

Northwest India.—Sonamarg, Multan and Ajmer had light falls of rain.

The Peninsula.—Local falls of rain occurred, chiefly in south Madras and east Hyderabad.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall were as follows :—

March 30th. Tinnevelly 1·50".

" 31st. Mergui 1·09".

April 2nd. Narayanganj 1·48".

" 4th. Cherrapunji 1·88", Multan 0·34" and Hanamkonda 1·24".

4. The rainfall of the week was 20 per cent or more in excess in Lower Burma, Hyderabad South, Malabar and Madras Southeast, and was normal in Upper Burma, the Punjab Southwest, the Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad North. It was 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, the Punjab East and North, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, the Central Provinces East, Mysore and the Madras Coast North. No rain usually falls at this time of the year in the remaining divisions.

The rainfall from the 1st December to date is within 20 per cent of the normal in the Bay Islands, Upper Burma and Malabar, and is 20 per cent or more in defect in Assam, Bengal, Chota Nagpur, Bihar, the United Provinces West, the Punjab, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana, Central India East, Madras Southeast and the Madras Coast North. It is 20 per cent or more in excess in the remainder of the country.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 5th April 1917. Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Rainfall data from 1st December 1916 to 5th April 1917. Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Percentage departure from normal. This week.	Last week.
Bay Islands	0·1	0·2	—0·1	10·2	9·7	+0·5	+5	+6
Lower Burma	0·3	0·2	+0·1	3·8	2·0	+1·8	+90	+94
Upper Burma	0·1	0·1	0	1·6	1·4	+0·2	+14	+15
Assam	0·4	1·4	—1·0	6·0	7·7	—1·7	—2[illegible]	—11
Bengal	0·1	0·[illegible]	—0·3	2·0	3·4	—1·4	—41	—37
Orissa	0	0·2	—0·2	4·7	3·3	+1·4	+42	+52
Chota Nagpur	0	0·1	—0·1	2·4	3·5	—1·1	—31	—29
Bihar	0	0·1	—0·1	1·3	1·8	—0·5	—28	—24
United Provinces, East	0	0	0	2·4	1·9	+0·5	+26	+26
United Provinces, West	0	0	0	2·2	3·2	—1·0	—31	—31
Punjab, East and North	0	0·2	—0·2	1·1	4·6	—3·5	—76	—73
Punjab, South-West	0·1	0·1	0	0·7	2·4	—1·7	—71	—74
Kashmir	0·1	0·7	—0·6	6·0	12·0	—6·0	—50	—48
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0·4	—0·4	2·2	4·4	—2·2	—50	—45
Baluchistan	0	0·2	—0·2	4·2	5·7	—1·5	—27	—24
Sind	0	0	0	0·5	1·0	—0·5	—50	—50
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	0·6	0·8	—0·2	—25	—25
Rajputana, East	0	0	0	0·3	0·9	—0·6	—67	—67
Gujarat	0	0	0	0·4	0·2	+0·2	+100	+100
Central India, West	0	0	0	1·0	0·6	+0·4	+67	+67
Central India, East	0	0	0	1·2	2·2	—1·0	—45	—45
Berar	0	0	0	3·3	1·7	+1·6	+94	+94
Central Provinces, West	0	0	0	3·0	1·8	+1·2	+67	+67
Central Provinces, East	0	0·1	—0·1	4·6	2·7	+1·9	+70	+77
Konkan	0	0	0	1·6	0·1	+1·5	+1500	+1500
Bombay Deccan	0·1	0·1	0	1·1	0·5	+0·6	+120	+150
Hyderabad, North	0·1	0·1	0	2·0	1·4	+0·6	+43	+46
Hyderabad, South	0·3	0·1	+0·2	3·5	1·1	+2·4	+218	+220
Mysore	0	0·1	—0·1	2·1	1·0	+1·1	+110	+133
Malabar	0·4	0·3	+0·1	3·3	3·6	—0·3	—8	—12
Madras, South-East	0·4	0·1	+0·3	4·8	6·8	—2·0	—29	—34
Madras Deccan	0	0	0	2·2	0·7	+1·5	+214	+214
Madras Coast, North	0	0·1	—0·1	1·4	3·0	—1·6	—53	—52

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director-General of Observatories.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

SIMLA;
Dated the 5th April 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 31st March 1917.

Burma.—Thaton and Tavoy report over 1 inch and 50 cents of rain. Light rain fell in seven other districts, in the northern Shan States and in the hill tracts of Pakokku. Cultivation of spring and summer rice, plucking of tobacco and cotton and reaping of miscellaneous dry crops are proceeding. Standing crops are satisfactory. Cattle are generally healthy. The price of unhusked rice at Rangoon has fallen further to Rs. 113 per hundred baskets and is still above normal. The market for white rice is weak.

Assam.—The weather is generally hot and dry. Pressing of sugarcane is nearing completion. Hoeing and pruning of tea, burning of *jhums* and ploughing for autumn rice and jute still continue. Sowing of autumn rice and jute is in progress. Cattle disease is reported from four districts. The price of common rice has risen slightly.

Bengal.—The week was rainless. Preparation of fields is in progress, but rain is urgently required for such operations. Sowings of jute and autumn paddy are proceeding in the northern and eastern districts. Harvesting of spring crops is nearing completion and their outturn is expected to be fair. Newly planted sugarcane and other standing crops are doing well. The drought has to some extent affected the outturn of the summer rice crop. Insufficiency of fodder is still reported from parts of Dacca. The average price of common rice for the Province has fallen by about 0·5 per cent as compared with that of the previous week.

Bihar and Orissa.—During the week there was no rain except light showers in parts of Orissa. Harvesting of spring crops is in progress. Preparation of lands for the next season's crops is going on. Planting of sugarcane has been nearly completed. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has risen in four districts, fallen in five and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from eight districts. The number of persons on test works in Singhbhum was 822. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—During the week showers were received in parts of the north and west of the Provinces. Threshing of spring crops and sowing and irrigation of extra crops and sugarcane continue. Harvesting of spring crops and extraction of opium are nearing completion in places. Standing crops are doing well and prospects are good. Agricultural stock is in good condition and very little cattle disease is reported. Fodder and water are ample. Market supplies are adequate. Prices continued to fall during the week.

Punjab.—Light rain has fallen in different parts of the Province but it has not been evenly distributed. The condition and prospects of wheat and other crops are generally normal on irrigated and below normal on unirrigated areas. Reaping of gram, barley and rapeseed continue and of wheat has commenced in the southeast. The yield is expected to be normal on irrigated and below normal or poor on unirrigated areas. Sowings of extra spring crops, sugarcane and cotton are in progress and are below normal to normal. Cattle are generally healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient but shortage of canal water and of fodder is reported from a few districts. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices are generally stationary but are falling slightly in some districts. They range between normal and scarcity rates except those of autumn grains which range generally between normal and warning rates. Price of wheat:—Rawalpindi 8½, Lahore 9½, Ferozepore 9⅛, Lyallpur 10 and Ambala 10½ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—Rain has again fallen throughout the Province, greatly benefiting standing crops especially those on unirrigated areas. Prospects have much improved. The weather is cloudy and temperate. Pressing of sugarcane still continues with outturn above average. Sowing of extra spring crops and sugarcane is proceeding in some districts. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The public health is good. Prices of food stuffs are high. The price of wheat in Peshawar was 8⅛ and in Dera Ismail Khan 8½ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8 to 12 and maize from 13 to 25 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is below average. Cattle disease prevails in the Akhnur tahsil. Fodder is insufficient in certain places.

Kashmir.—The rainfall was [illegible]. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices are normal. Standing crops are in fair condition. [illegible] Cattle are generally healthy.

Rajputana.—The weather is temperate with occasional clouds. Harvesting of spring crops is in progress. Standing crops are generally in good condition and their prospects are good. Agricultural stock is generally healthy except in parts of Dungarpur and Kotah where cattle disease is reported. Water and fodder are ample. The fall in prices continues.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was partial in Indore, Baghelkhand and Bundelkhand. Spring crops are being harvested everywhere. Additional spring crops are being sown in Gwalior. Standing crops are in good condition and their probable outturn is generally good. Crops have been damaged by hail in two tahsils of the Bhopal State. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are high in Bhopal, normal in Baghelkhand, slightly fluctuating in Indore and steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather has been clear and warm. Light showers of rain were received in Berar and in two districts of the Central Provinces. Harvesting and threshing of spring crops is in full swing. Hail in previous week did some damage in the northern districts. Standing crops are generally in good condition and their prospects are good. The supply of fodder and water is adequate. Agricultural stock is in good condition. The price of wheat continues to show a downward tendency.

Feudatory States:—Reaping and threshing of spring crops are in progress.

Bombay.—Slight rain fell during the week throughout the Presidency except Gujarat. Standing crops are thriving except for slight damage by insects in two talukas of Nawabshah and by hailstorm in three talukas of Sukkur and two talukas of Larkana. Harvesting continues. Cotton picking is progressing in Gujarat, West Khandesh, Satara, the Karnatak, Kathiawar, Rewa Kantha, Baroda and Kolhapur. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Thar and Parkar, Kaira and the Panch Mahals. Prices of food grains are generally steady.

Hyderabad.—During the week there was unusual rainfall throughout the Dominions, the highest fall being 5·20 inches in Hyderabad city. The average fall was 76 cents. The rainfall injured the crops which are being harvested. Harvesting of spring crops has been almost completed. The late rice crop is in fair to good condition and is being weeded. Cattle disease prevails in 11 talukas. Prices of grains are high and steady. Coarse rice is selling at 7½ and white *juar* at 13 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 9 seers per rupee in Warangal and the lowest 26¾ seers per rupee in Usmanabad.

Mysore.—The rainfall was light throughout the State. Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of the harvested sugarcane, paddy and *ragi* is fair to good. Ploughing operations and sowings of paddy and sugarcane are in progress in parts. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 2 cents. Coffee is in blossom in parts. Prices of food grains are slightly lower. The public health is fair. Cattle disease prevails in parts. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall was very heavy in Travancore and Cochin, good in Sandur, Madura, Ramnad, Tinnevelly, Malabar and the Nilgiris, fair in Bellary, Coimbatore and Trichinopoly and light or *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally except in parts of two districts where they have been affected by cyclone or slightly damaged by rain and in parts of three others where they are withering or have withered or require rain urgently. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowing of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water-supply is insufficient in parts of Bellary, Anantapur, South Arcot and the southern and central parts except Coimbatore and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is insufficient in three districts and in parts of nine others. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th April 1917.

No. 2584A.—His Majesty the King-Emperor of India has been pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., to be an ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal.

By order of the Governor in Council.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th April 1917.

No. 2585A.—With reference to Government Notification No. 2584A., dated the 9th April 1917, it is hereby notified that the Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., who has been appointed by His Majesty the King-Emperor of India to be a Member of the Council of the Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, has this day in the forenoon taken upon himself the execution of his office under the usual salute.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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No. 9.—Mr. F. G. Rowland, I.C.S., whose services have been placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India assumed charge of his duties as Attaché in the Legislative Department on the forenoon of the 4th April, 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 11th April, 1917.

No. 208.—Rai Abinas Chandra Koar Bahadur, a Superintendent in the Home Department, at present on special duty, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from the 26th March 1917.

JUDICIAL.

The 7th April, 1917.

No. 105.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Lower Burma Courts Act. 1900 (VI of 1900), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. C. P. R. Young, Barrister-at-Law, at present a temporary Additional Judge of the Chief Court, Lower Burma, to officiate as a Judge of that Court, during the absence on leave of the Hon'ble Sir Charles Fox, Kt., Barrister-at-Law, or until further orders.

MEDICAL.

The 11th April, 1917.

No. 33.—Brevet Colonel H. F. Cleveland, V.H.S., I.M.S., Deputy Director General, Indian Medical Service, substantively *pro tempore*, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 34.—Major R. A. Needham, D.S.O., M.B., I.M.S., Assistant Director General, Indian Medical Service (Stores) substantively *pro tempore* is confirmed in that appointment.

POLICE.

The 5th April, 1917.

No 112.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 17 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in Form no. II of Schedule VII, appended to the Indian Arms Rules, 1909, namely :—

For clause (*b*) of condition 3 of the conditions attached thereto, *substitute* " (*b*) forthwith despatched to their place of destination."

POLITICAL.

The 10th April, 1917.

No. 927.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, namely:—

After sub-rule (3) of rule 12 A. of the said rules the following sub-rule shall be added, namely:—

"(4) The local Government may direct that any person arrested under this rule shall be transferred to any other province, and the local Government of such province shall, on such transfer, deal with the case as if such person had been arrested under its own orders:

Provided that nothing in this sub-rule shall be deemed to extend the period of detention prescribed by the second proviso to sub-rule (3)."

J. H. DU BOULAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 9th April, 1917.

No. 300-Est.-A.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. B. Peacock of the Political Department, on return from leave, is posted as Political Agent, Kotah and Jhalawar, with effect from the 21st March 1917.

The 10th April, 1917.

No 311-Est.-B.—Captain A. A. F. C. Hutton-Dawson, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis), Adjutant, Mewar Bhil Corps, is appointed Assistant Commandant, Mewar Bhil Corps, and Assistant Political Superintendent, Hilly Tracts, Mewar, with effect from the 18th March 1917.

2nd-Lieutenant J. C. L. Morris, I. A. R. O., attached 125th Napier's Rifles, is appointed Adjutant, Mewar Bhil Corps, with effect from the 21st March 1917.

No. 317-Est.-A.—Captain R. E. H. Griffith, C.I.E., of the Political Department, is posted as Assistant Commissioner, and Sub-Divisional Officer, Charsadda, in addition to his own duties as Assistant Commissioner, attached to the Peshawar District, with effect from the 15th March 1917.

No. 319-Est.-A.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. B. Drummond of the Political Department is posted as Political Agent in Malwa, with effect from the 25th March 1917.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 12th April, 1917.

No 327-Est.-B.—Captain A. S. Auret, 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry, 2nd-in-Command (Infantry) Zhob Militia, was appointed to officiate as Reserve Officer of the same Corps in addition to his own duties from the 1st January 1917.

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

No 331-Est.-A.—The services of Major S. B. A. Patterson of the Political Department are placed temporarily at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS & FINANCE.
Public Debt.

Simla, the 6th April 1917.

No. 745-F.—The Government of India are assured that their officers of all grades will wish to support the Indian War Loan and to apply their savings for as long a period as possible to investment in the Loan. The ordinary procedure for subscribing to the various sections of the Loan is described in the Finance Department's Notification No. 380-F., dated the 1st March 1917, from which it will be seen that Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates offer full facilities for the utilisation of savings throughout the coming year up to a maximum amount of Rs. 7,500 by any one person, and that it is also possible to distribute subscriptions to War Loan 1929-1947 and War Bonds over the seven months from March 15th to October 15th, 1917. Government, however, believe that many officers will welcome an arrangement which will enable them to subscribe to the War Loan by monthly deductions from their pay, and that this will be a practical encouragement to the setting aside of money for subscription to the War Loan throughout the coming year.

2. They have accordingly obtained the Secretary of State's approval to the scheme described in Appendix A to this Notification. This scheme is applicable to all Government officers : it enables any Government officer to obtain War Loan 1929-1947, War Bonds 1920 and War Bonds 1922 by payment of the amount applied for in ten instalments to be deducted from his pay. It also enables Cash Certificates to be obtained by deduction from pay.

3. There may, however, be officers who feel that by a prolongation of the period of repayment they will be enabled to take up a larger amount of the Indian War Loan, while, also, there may be Government servants who are unable to afford so large a monthly deduction as Rs. 10. To meet such cases, the Bank of Bengal have offered to make available to Government servants serving in the marginally noted Provinces, the facilities which they have announced that they will place at the disposal of approved borrowers to enable them to contribute to the Indian War Loan. The Government of India have much pleasure in placing on record their appreciation of this public spirited offer of the Bank of Bengal, and they have decided to co-operate with the Bank of Bengal by arranging, on a request from the officer concerned, to deduct from the latter's pay, and pay to the Bank of Bengal, the amount due each month for the repayment to the Bank of the advance. This scheme will be alternative, and not in addition, to the scheme described in the preceding paragraph, and an officer will not be permitted to subscribe under both schemes. The terms of the scheme of the Bank of Bengal are set out in Appendix B.

(1) Bengal.
(2) Bihar and Orissa.
(3) The Punjab, and the North-West Frontier Province.
(4) The Central Provinces.
(5) Burma.

4. The Bank of Bengal's scheme is for the present open only to officers serving in the Presidency of Bengal and the Provinces mentioned above. The possibility of applying a similar scheme to Government servants serving in the Presidencies of Bombay and Madras is under examination.

APPENDIX A.

GOVERNMENT SCHEME.

A.—War Loan 1929-1947 and War Bonds.

N. B.—The figures cited below show the *minimum* or unit subscription under this scheme.

5 per cent. War Loan 1929-1947.

MONTHLY PAYMENTS PER RS. 100 OF STOCK.

	Rs.
First month's instalment	5
Nine monthly instalments of Rs. 10	90
Total ...	95

First instalment to be deducted from the pay bill presented at the beginning of May or June 1917.

Last instalment to be deducted from the pay bill presented at the beginning of February or March 1918.

As soon as possible after the 15th February 1918 or the date on which the last instalment is paid, whichever is later, a Stock Certificate for Rs. 100 will be transferred to the subscriber carrying interest from the 15th February 1918, together with a cash payment on account of interest of—

	Rs.	A.	P.
When the 1st instalment is paid in May	1	14	2
„ „ „ June	1	8	2

The Conversion Warrant in respect of the amount of the Loan taken up will be issued to the subscriber as soon as possible after the 1st November 1917.

5½ per cent War Bonds 1920 ; 5½ per cent War Bonds 1922.

MONTHLY PAYMENTS PER RS. 100 OF STOCK.

10 monthly instalments of Rs. 10 ... ... Total Rs. 100

First instalment to be deducted from the pay bill presented at the beginning of May or June 1917.

Last instalment to be deducted from the pay bill presented at the beginning of February or March 1918.

As soon as possible after the 15th February 1918 or the date on which the last instalment is paid, whichever is later, a Stock Certificate for Rs. 100 will be transferred to the subscriber carrying interest from the 15th February 1918 together with a cash payment on account of interest—

	Rs.	A.	P.
When the 1st instalment is paid in May ...	2	4	8
„ „ „ June ...	1	13	8

General Provisions.

(1) *Any number of subscriptions*, whether to War Loan 1929-47 or to War Bonds, for Stock Certificates of Rs. 100 each, may be made by a subscriber on the above terms. Subscriptions cannot be made for fractions of Rs. 100.

(2) An officer wishing to subscribe by this method should fill up the attached Form A and cause it to be attached to the pay bill from which he wishes the first deduction of pay to be made. He must, as provided for in the form, state clearly the full amount for which he is subscribing.

(3) Instalments will continue to be deducted from the leave allowances of a subscriber who proceeds on leave, unless he is specially permitted to withdraw from the scheme under the following rule.

(4)(*a*) On furnishing special reasons which appear to the Head of his Office to be adequate, and on giving one month's notice, a subscriber may withdraw from this scheme before completing his instalments, and in that event he will receive back the amount he has already paid, but without interest.

(*b*) A subscriber ceasing to be employed in Government service before the payments are completed may be repaid without interest the amount which he has paid in; provided that if he retires on pension he may continue his payments by deductions from his pension.

(*c*) If a subscriber dies before his subscriptions have been completed, his estate will receive the amount thereof with interest thereon, at the rate of 5¼ per cent. if his subscriptions were intended for War Loan 1929-1947, and at the rate of 5½ per cent. if his subscriptions were intended for War Bonds.

(*d*) Subscribers who for any reason withdraw from the scheme before completing their instalments, will be required to refund to Government the value of any Conversion Rights exercised by them in respect of War Loan 1929-1947.

(5) Only Inscribed Stock Certificates will be issued to subscribers under the scheme. But, on receiving their Certificates subscribers can by applying to the Public Debt Office of issue exchange them for Promissory Notes or Bearer Bonds.

(6) Detailed instructions regarding the procedure to be followed by Heads of Offices and Audit Offices in giving effect to this scheme will be issued shortly.

B.—Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates.

Heads of offices are also authorised to arrange for deductions from the pay of their establishments for the purchase of 5-year Cash Certificates.

The applicant should fill up Form B attached. The monthly deductions may be carried on during the year 1917-18 or any portion of it, and may be continued during leave. The Head of the office will cause certificates to be purchased and handed over to the subscriber from time to time whenever R 7-12, or a multiple thereof, has been accumulated. Any broken amount below R 7-12 will be returned to the subscriber at the end of the subscription period or on his withdrawal from the scheme, or on his ceasing to be employed in Government service, or to his estate in the event of his death.

Separate instructions will be issued prescribing a simple form for the record of transactions under this head of the scheme.

FORM A.

I wish to subscribe to the Indian War Loan, to the extent stated below, under the terms of the Government of India Notification No. 745-F., dated the 6th April 1917, and authorise you to make the necessary deductions from my pay bill presented in each of the 10 months________ 1917 to ________ 1918 inclusive, and to pay the amounts so deducted to the Indian War Loan account.

(*a*) I wish the purchase to be made through the Post Office, (*b*) and the stock to be deposited with the Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs.

(a) Strike out this sentence if purchase through the Post Office is not desired.

(b) Strike out these words if it is not desired to leave the securities with the Post Office.

Amounts of subscriptions and monthly deductions proposed.

(1) Stock Certificates of R100 each in War Loan 1929-1947, at a cost of R in the first month, and R in each of the 9 succeeding months.

(2) Stock Certificates of R100 each in War Bonds 1920 at a cost of R in the first month, and R in each of the 9 succeeding months.

(3) Stock Certificates of R100 each in War Bonds 1922 at a cost of R in the first month, and R in each of the 9 succeeding months.

Total monthly deductions R in the first month, and R in each of the 9 succeeding months.

Dated *1917.*

(Signature).

Note.—The maximum amount of War Loan, 1929-1947, and War Bonds which can be purchased for any one holder through the Post Office is R7,500 of each. Interest on War Loan, 1929-1947, purchased through the Post Office is specially exempt from income-tax for so long as the stock is deposited with the Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs.

FORM B.

I desire the amounts stated below to be deducted from my pay drawn in the months mentioned, and to be utilised in the purchase for me from the ________________ Post Office of Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates, in accordance with the terms of the Government of India Notification No. 745-F., dated the 6th April 1917.

Monthly deductions proposed.

1917.									1918.			Total.	Face value of Certificates to be purchased at R7-12 per R10 Certificate.
April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	February.	March.		
R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R

APPENDIX B.

BANK OF BENGAL SCHEME.

(1) On payment by the borrower of a deposit of 5 per cent of the amount applied for [*i.e.*, on the first monthly deduction from pay under clause (7) below being effected], the Bank of Bengal will make an advance of the balance of the intended subscription.

(2) The Bank will purchase, and, pending the complete repayment of the advance, retain the scrip.

(3) The amount advanced will be repaid within two years by monthly instalments as in clause (7) below.

(4) On the amount advanced the Bank of Bengal will charge the borrower interest at the rate of 5 per cent calculated on the amount outstanding on the first of each month and payable half-yearly. On the other hand, the borrower will be credited by the Bank with the full interest realised on the security.

(5) Failure to repay an instalment will involve the charging of interest on the outstanding balance of the advance at the bank rate for the time being.

(6) On complete repayment of the advance the Bank of Bengal will transfer to the borrower the scrip and simultaneously present an account of the interest adjustment.

(7) The instalments due to the Bank will be deducted from pay monthly in the following manner :

In the case of War Loan 1929-1947 :

In each of the first 4 months 5 per cent of the amount applied for.

" " next 15 months 4 per cent " " "

" " next 5 months 3 per cent " " "

i.e., in all Rs. 95 for every Rs. 100 of stock applied for.

In the case of War Bonds 1920 and 1922 :

In each of the first 4 months 5 per cent of the amount applied for.

" " next 20 months 4 per cent " " "

i.e., in all Rs. 100 for every Rs. 100 of stock applied for.

(8) In order to assist Government servants in the Provinces* to which this scheme applies to take advantage of the Bank's offer, Government will undertake the collection of the instalments payable to the Bank of Bengal by making monthly deductions as above from the pay of the officer concerned and transferring these to the Bank of Bengal. In all other respects the arrangement will be one between the officer concerned and the Bank of Bengal, and an officer who has once elected the Bank's scheme will not be permitted to withdraw from it without the permission of the Bank.

*(1) Bengal.
(2) Bihar and Orissa.
(3) The Punjab and the North-West Frontier Province.
(4) The Central Provinces.
(5) Burma.

(9) Applications from officers desiring to subscribe under this scheme should be made in Form A attached, which must be completed and signed in duplicate, and forwarded to the Audit Officer of the Province in which the subscriber is serving not later than May 10th, 1917. The first deductions from pay will be made from the pay for the month of May 1917.

Form A.

To

THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL,

I wish to subscribe to the Indian War Loan to the extent stated below in accordance with the terms of the Bank of Bengal Scheme as set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Government of India Notification No. 745-F., dated 6th April 1917, and authorise you to make the necessary deductions from my Pay Bills presented in each of the 24 months June 1917 to May 1919 inclusive, and to pay the amount so deducted to the Bank of Bengal.

....
(Signature.)

Date............................

....
(Designation.)

....
(Name of office.)

Amounts of subscriptions and monthly deductions proposed.

(1) Stock Certificates of Rs. 100 each in War Loan 1929-1947, at a cost for each certificate of Rs. 5 in each of the first four months, and Rs. 4 in each of the 15 succeeding months, and Rs. 3 in each of the succeeding 5 months.

(2) Stock Certificates of Rs. 100 each in War Bonds 1920 at a cost for each certificate of Rs. 5 in each of the first four months, and Rs. 4 in each of the 20 succeeding months.

(3) Stock Certificates of Rs. 100 each in War Bonds 1922 at a cost for each certificate of Rs. 5 in each of the first four months, and Rs. 4 in each of the 20 succeeding months.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

ASSESSED TAXES.

The 6th April, 1917.

No. 760-F.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Super-tax Act, 1917 (VIII of 1917), the Governor General in Council is pleased to delegate to Local Governments the power to make rules under the said Act.

No. 761-F.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Super-tax Act, 1917 (VIII of 1917), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rule :—

Rule.

All public servants are forbidden to make public or disclose, except for the purpose of the working of the Super-tax Act, 1917, any information contained in documents delivered or produced with respect to assessment under the Act, and any public servant committing a breach of this rule shall be deemed to have committed an offence under section 166 of the Indian Penal Code.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 12th April, 1917.

No. 368-F. E.—Mr. C. V. Bayliss, an officer in class III of the Public Works List of the Indian Finance Department, has been posted to the office of the Examiner of Accounts Military Works Services, with effect from the 23rd March 1917.

J. B. BRUNYATE,
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 11th April, 1917.

No. 8.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the following promotions in the rank of Chief Engineer, with effect from the 17th March 1917, in consequence of the appointment of Mr. T. R J. Ward, C.I.E., M.V.O., as Inspector General of Irrigation :—

Name.	From	To
Mr. G. T. Barlow, C.I.E.	Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, permanent, and 1st class, temporary.	Chief Engineer, 1st class, permanent.
Mr. E. G. Stanley	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, permanent and officiating in 1st class.	Chief Engineer, 1st class, temporary.
Mr. W. F. Holms	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, and Chief Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, permanent.
Mr. F. W. Woods	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, and officiating Chief Engineer, 2nd class.	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.

F. C. ROSE,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 10th April, 1917.

No. 339.—Mr. A. B. E. Thomson, while officiating as Superintendent, 3rd grade, Department of Revenue and Agriculture, was granted privilege leave for the period from the 19th to the 24th March 1917.

Mr. F. W. Schofield, Secretariat Assistant, 2nd grade, officiated as Superintendent, 3rd [illegible] th to the 24th March 1917.

FORESTS.

The 12th April, 1917.

No. 186-F-16-7.—Mr. A. M. F. Caccia, Conservator of Forests, 2nd grade (hitherto employed on foreign service as Director of Indian Forest Studies, England), has been placed on military duty in England, with effect from the 1st December 1916.

From the same date the following changes are made :—Mr. H. H. Forteath, Conservator, 2nd grade, *Provisional substantive*, to be Conservator, 2nd grade, *sub. pro tempore*.

Mr R. M. Williamson, Conservator, 3rd grade, *Provisional substantive*, to be Conservator, 3rd grade, *sub. pro tempore.*

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 14th April, 1917.

No. 4006-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct

that the following addition and alteration shall be made in this Department Notification No. 66-C.W.D., dated the 13th January 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

Addition.

Peking Technical College.

Alteration.

" Jourdan, Yhannan " *should read* " Jourdan, Ami-Tcheon, Yunnan."

H. F. HOWARD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Simla, the 12th April, 1917.

No. 137.—The Reverend H. W. Spurling is appointed to be a temporary chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment. His services are placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab.

EDUCATION.

The 13th April, 1917.

No. 335.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11, sub-section (2), of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University hereby declares the office of Fellow of the University held by Dr. W. H. Young, M.A., D. Sc., F.R.S., who has not attended a meeting of the Senate, other than Convocation, during a period of one year, to be vacated.

No. 337.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6, sub-section (1), clause (*c*) and section 10 of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to nominate Mr. R. N. Gilchrist, M.A., to be an Ordinary Fellow of the Calcutta University.

SANITARY.

The 13th April, 1917.

No. 143.—Whereas the Asansol Mining Settlement as defined in the Bengal Government notification no. 194-T., dated the 16th June 1915 is threatened with an outbreak of the dangerous epidemic disease known as cholera, the Governor General in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 2, sub-section (3), of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), is pleased to direct that all the powers conferred by the said Act may be exercised to prevent the outbreak of cholera or the spread thereof, by the Government of Bengal with regard to the territories administered by that Government.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

The 13th April, 1917.

No. 148.—Whereas the Governor General in Council is satisfied that Ajmer in the Ajmer District of Ajmer-Merwara is visited by an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease and that there is a danger of its spread, if pilgrims or other persons from the Bombay Presidency (excluding all places in Sind except the town of Karachi), the United Provinces, the Punjab, the Central Provinces, the Hyderabad State, Central India and Rajputana are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Urs Khwaja Sahib Fair:

In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (1), of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct in modification of this Department notification no. 131, dated the 4th April 1917 that no tickets to travel by railway to the stations of Sendra, Beawar, Kharwa, Mangaliawas, Saradhna, Tabiji, Ajmer, Madar, Ladpura, Akbri, Hatundi, Nasirabad and Bandanwara on the Rajputana Malwa Railway shall be sold from the 14th April to the 28th April 1917 (both days inclusive) within the Bombay Presidency (excluding all places in Sind except the town of Karachi), the United Provinces, the Punjab, the Central Provinces, the Hyderabad State, Central India and Rajputana to any pilgrim or other person intending or believed to be intending to proceed on pilgrimage to the Urs Khwaja Sahib Fair at Ajmer.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 13th April 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 512.—Lieutenant L Duffy, The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment), is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of temporary Staff Captain. Dated 12th March 1917.

No. 513.—The undermentioned officer is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding an appointment as Assistant Quarter Master General:—

Captain (temporary Major) T. C. Catty, 69th Punjabis, dated the 4th March 1917.

No. 514.—The undermentioned officer is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant Colonel, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding an appointment as temporary General Staff Officer, 1st Grade:—

Major M. C. Nangle, 92nd Punjabis, dated the 23rd March 1917.

No. 515.—Lieutenant C. Rowland, The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment) is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of temporary Railway Transport Officer, dated 10th December 1916.

No. 516—The undermentioned officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of temporary Brigade Machine Gun Officer:—

Second Lieutenant C. Hodding, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, dated 22nd February 1917.

Lieutenant R. W. Brierley, 21st (Empress of India's) Lancers, dated 1st September 1916.

Second Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant) R. L. Moss, 1-4th Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), dated 2nd November 1916.

Second Lieutenant B. Ruffell, 93rd Burma Infantry, dated 12th January 1917.

Second Lieutenant (temporary) Lieutenant H. L. Milsom, 1-5th Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), dated 1st February 1917.

Second Lieutenant H. C. Prior, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, dated 2nd February 1917.

No. 517.—The undermentioned officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of temporary Railway Transport Officer:—

Second Lieutenant H. M. Blaikie, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, dated 7th February 1917.

2nd Lieutenant R. H. Willis, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, dated 20th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant J. B. Barclay, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, dated 5th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant L. H. Butterfield, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, dated 17th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant J. F. Daly, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, dated 2nd February 1917.

Lieutenant G G. Hoare, 2-4th The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), dated 14th July 1916.

No. 518.—Mr. H. L. Stephenson, C.I.E., I.C.S., is placed on special duty in the Army Department, with effect from the 1st April 1917.

No. 519.—The undermentioned warrant officers and non-commissioned officer to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment).

Company Serjeant Major Walter Samuel Wright, dated 14th March 1917.
Company Quartermaster Serjeant Alexander O'Toole, dated 26th March 1917.
Serjeant Drummer Percival Dallas, dated 14th March 1917.

The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).

Company Serjeant Major Benjamin Houston, dated 15th February 1917.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Royal Garrison Artillery.

2nd Class Master-Gunner William Saxby, dated 25th March 1917.

PERSONAL STAFF.

No. 520.—The Viceroy and Governor General has been pleased to make the following appointment on His Excellency's Personal Staff, with effect from the 23rd March 1917 :—

To be Aide-de-Camp.

Lieutenant E. B. Baring, 1-9th Hampshire Regiment, *vice* Captain C. A. V. Sykes, Grenadier Guards, resigned.

COMMANDS.

No. 521.—Lieutenant-General Sir C. A. Anderson, K.C.B., British Service, to be temporary General Officer Commanding, Southern Army. Dated 6th April 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 522.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Cavalry Branch.

To be Lieutenant.

William Arthur Pool, dated 28th February 1917.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Theodore Russell Druitt, dated 4th April 1917.
Vaughan Salusburry Williams, dated 6th April 1917.
Donald Wilfrid Russell Leslie, }
Edmund Benard Pratt, }
Eric George McGlashan, } dated 11th April 1917.
Harold Edward Bois, }
Montagu Henry Ormsby, }

Infantry Branch.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Robert William Alexander Anderson, dated 5th April 1917.
Thomas Howlet Quilter, dated 6th April 1917.
John Frederick Wilkins, }
William Henry Roberts, } dated 7th April 1917.
Charles Mahony, }
Robert Henry Fossey, }
William James Patrick Mulcahy, } dated 8th April 1917.
Charles Carmichael, }
Thomas Hill Casey, }
John Francis Bernard Neill, } dated 9th April 1917.
Lovell Hudson, }
Francis Norman Whiteley, }
Leonard Giles, dated 10th April 1917.

No. 523.—Bernard Eimer Heygate Judkins (Second Lieutenant, 18th Hussars, Special Reserve) to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 4th April 1917, but to rank from the 19th October 1914.

No. 524.—Second Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant) Robert Joseph Wilkinson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is transferred from the Infantry Branch to the Cavalry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, with effect from the 9th September 1916.

No. 525.—Second Lieutenant Robert Neil Reid, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse), subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 13th January 1917.

No. 526.—Second Lieutenant William Barnard, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant and Quartermaster, Depôt 1st and 2nd Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 23rd March 1917.

No. 527.—Second Lieutenant Henry Harry Francies Macdonald Tyler, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant, 1st Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st March 1917.

No. 528.—The undermentioned officers of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed with the Northern Waziristan Militia, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenant Edward Brian Shaw, dated 4th March 1917.
Second Lieutenant Arthur Preston Collet, dated 9th March 1917.
Second Lieutenant George Thomas Lloyd, dated 15th March 1917.

No. 529.—The undermentioned officers of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed with the Southern Waziristan Militia, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenant Francis Charteris Davidson, dated 4th March 1917.
Second Lieutenant Francis Verner-Wylie, dated 4th March 1917.

No. 530.—The undermentioned officer of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed with the Mohmand Militia, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenant Christopher Francis Wood, dated 9th March 1917.

No. 531.—Second Lieutenant Patrick Francis Bourke Hickey, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while commanding No. 1 Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 8th December 1916.

No. 532.—Second Lieutenant Ernest Louis Crawford, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while commanding No. 5 Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 18th February 1917.

No. 533.—Army Department Notification No. 1568, dated the 29th December 1916, is cancelled.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 534.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Supplement dated the 30th June 1916 to the London Gazette of the 30th June 1916, pages 6563 and 6565.

War Office,
30th June 1916.

The following Despatch has been received by the Secretary of State for War from Lieutenant-General The Hon. J. C. Smuts, Commander-in-Chief, East African Forces :—

General Headquarters,
East Africa,
8th May 1916.

MY LORD,

In accordance with the last paragraph of my Despatch, dated 30th April 1916, I have the honour to bring to notice the names of those whom I recommend for gallant and distinguished service in the field.

I have the honour to be,
Your Lordship's obedient servant,
J. C. SMUTS,
Lieutenant-General,
Commander-in-Chief, East African Forces.

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POSTAL SERVICE.

Buckner, Lt. N. M.
Bulhari Lall, Jemadar.
Donovan, Sub-Condr. P. B.
Pussy, Sub-Condr. A. S.

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London Gazette dated the 11th August 1916, pages 7923 and 7924.

India Office,

11th August 1916.

The KING has approved the promotion of the following officers of the Indian Army, Indian Medical Service, Indian Subordinate Medical Department and Indian Army Reserve of Officers :—

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INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

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Temporary Lieutenants to be temporary Captains.

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Shripat Govind Ranaday. Dated 19th May 1916.

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Fifth Supplement dated the 15th February 1917, to the London Gazette of the 13th February 1917, pages 1595, 1596 and 1597.

Chancery of the Order of

Saint Michael and Saint George,

Downing Street, 15th February, 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George for services rendered in connection with military operations in the field :—

To be Additional Members of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Distinguished Order.

Commander Neville Frederick Jarvis Wilson, Royal Ind. Marine.
Colonel Patrick Hehir, C.B., M.D., F.R.C.S., Ind. Med Service.

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Lt.-Col. (tem. Col.) Alexander Egerton Dallas, Ind. Army.

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War Office,

15th February 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards for distinguished service in the field, with effect from 1st January 1917, inclusive, except where otherwise stated :—

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To be Brevet Lieutenant-Colonels.

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Maj. A. W. C. Young, M.B., Ind. Med. Service (with effect from 3rd June 1916, inclusive).

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To be Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel.

Commy. & Hon. Maj. R. Orr, Ind. Army.

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Awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

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Capt. Frederick Cromie De Butts, M.C., Ind. Army.

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Capt. Herbert John Mackenzie, Ind. Army.

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Capt. (temp. Maj.) Arthur Lucius Wilford, Ind. Army.

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War Office,
15th February 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned honours and rewards for valuable services rendered in connection with the war, with effect from 1st January 1917, inclusive :—

To be Brevet Colonels.

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Lt.-Col. W. C. Black, Ind. Army.
Lt.-Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) P. Holland-Pryor, M.V.O., D.S.O., Ind. Army.

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Lt.-Col. (temp. Brig -Gen.) C. W. G. Richardson, Ind. Army.

To be Brevet Lieutenant-Colonels.

Maj. F. A. F. Barnardo, M.D., F R.C.S., Ind. Med. Service.
Maj. H. Barstow, Ind. Army.

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Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) D. Deane, Ind. Army.

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Maj. A. W. H. M. Moens, Ind. Army.
Maj. F. E. G. Talbot, Ind. Army.

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To be Brevet Majors.

Capt. L. V. Bond, R E , attd. Ind. Army.
Capt. B. S. Ward, Ind. Army.

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Sixth Supplement dated the 15th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 13th February 1917, pages 1599, 1600, 1603, 1604, 1605, 1606, 1607, 1608, 1609, 1610, 1611, 1612, 1613, 1614, 1615, 1616, 1617, 1618, 1619, 1620 and 1621.

War Office,
15th February 1917.

The following are among the decorations and medals awarded by the Allied Powers at various dates to the British Forces for distinguished services rendered during the course of the campaign :—

His Majesty the KING has given unrestricted permission in all cases to wear the decorations and medals in question.

Decorations and medals conferred by Field-Marshal

HIS IMPERIAL MAJESTY THE EMPEROR OF RUSSIA.

(September 12, 1916.)

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Order of St. Anne, 3rd Class (with Swords).

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Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Percy Browne, Central India Horse, Indian Army.

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(September and October 1916.)

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Order of St. Stanislas, 3rd Class (with Swords).

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Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Rushworth Blakiston Murray, Indian Army, attached London Regiment.

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Cross of St. George, 3rd Class.

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1861 Naik Ran Sing Thapa, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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Cross of St. George, 4th Class.

1005 Sepoy Chhog Singh, Indian Army.

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2608 Rifleman Dalbir Burathoki, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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Medal of St. George, 4th Class.

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1376 Lance-Naik Fakpur, Mule Corps, Indian Army.

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2499 Rifleman Maite Gurung, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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(*3rd October 1916.*)

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Order of St. Anne, 3rd Class (with Swords).

Lieutenant-Colonel Daniel Richard Adye, Indian Army.

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Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Fairlie Dobbs, Infantry, Indian Army.
Lieutenant-Colonel Cyril Uvedale Price, C.M.G., Indian Army.

Order of St. Stanislas, 2nd Class (with Swords).

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Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Richard Henry Ewart, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O., A.-D.-C., Indian Army.
Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) John Arthur Hannyngton, C.M.G., D.S.O., Indian Army.

Order of St. Stanislas, 3rd Class (with Swords).

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Major Percyvall Hart Dyke, Indian Army.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Haider Ali Khan, *Bahadur*, Imperial Service Troops.

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(*19th November 1916.*)

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Cross of St. George, 4th Class.

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1880 Naik Sucha Singh, Jind Imperial Service Regiment.
3675 Havildar Ram Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army.

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Medal of St. George, 2nd Class.

1564 Havildar Anokh Singh, Jind Imperial Service Regiment.

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1606 Havildar Nashay Singh, Bharatpur Imperial Service Infantry.

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Medal of St. George, 3rd Class.

2899 Bugler Babu Singh, Jind Imperial Service Regiment.
4079 Sepoy Chamel Singh, Pathans, Indian Army.

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Medal of St. George, 4th Class.

1157 Sepoy Hafiz Ali, Kashmir Rifles (Imperial Service Troops).
1467 Sepoy Rahim Ali, Kashmir Rifles (Imperial Service Troops).
4297 Private Sultan Bakhsh, Baluchis, Indian Army.

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293 Sepoy Dadun Khan, Pathans, Indian Army.
2579 Sepoy Rahimdad Khan, Infantry, Indian Army.

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Decorations and medals conferred by

HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF SERBIA.

(*September and October 1916.*)

Order of the White Eagle, 2nd Class (with Swords).

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Major-General Sir Herbert Vaughan Cox, K.C.M.G., C.B., C.S.I.

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Order of the White Eagle, 3rd Class (with Swords).

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Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Lionel Norton Herbert, Indian Army.
Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) John Hill, D.S.O., A.-D.-C., Indian Army.

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Order of the White Eagle, 4th Class (with Swords).

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Lieutenant-Colonel Kanwar Jeoraj Singh, Bikanir Camel Corps.

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Major Robert Welland Knox, D.S.O., M.B., Indian Medical Service.

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Captain (temporary Major) John Gerald McConaghy, D.S.O., Indian Army.

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Colonel Nand Singh, *Sardar Bahadur*, Patiala Imperial Service Lancers.
Major William John Ottley, Pioneers, Indian Army.

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Captain (temporary Major) Henry Charles Swinburne Ward, Lancers, Indian Army.

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Order of the White Eagle, 5th Class (with Swords).

Jemadar Balagaly Puttayjiura Krishna Urs, Mysore Imperial Service Lancers.
Subadar-Major Bhim Sing Thapa, I.O.M., Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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Captain Hollis Martin Burrows, Punjabis, Indian Army.
Captain Richard Bolger Butler, Lancers, Indian Army.

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Captain (temporary Major) Clifton William McGrath Compton, Punjabis, Indian Army.

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Captain Heerajee Jehangir Manockjee Cursetjee, M.B., Indian Medical Service.

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Captain Krishna Rao Kanhoji Rao Dalvi, Gwalior Imperial Service Infantry.

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Subadar Michael, *Bahadur*, Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.

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Subadar Tika Khan, Rifles, Indian Army.

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Temporary Captain John Taylor Tulloch, Highland Light Infantry.
Captain Bruce Turnbull, Pioneers, Indian Army.

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Order of Karageorge, 3rd Class (with Swords).

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Philip Charles Palin, C.B., Indian Army.

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Order of Karageorge, 4th Class (with Swords).

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Major Ishar Singh, Patiala Imperial Service Infantry.

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Cross of Karageorge, 1st Class (with Swords).

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443 Daffadar-Major Keroj Kesaikar, Mysore Imperial Service Lancers.

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2760 Havildar Krishnasami, Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.
1813 Havildar Lal Bahadur Gurung, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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1293 Havildar Raghunath Rao, Imperial Service Infantry.

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4584 Havildar Teja Singh, Pioneers, Indian Army.

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Cross of Karageorge, 2nd Class (with Swords)

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3722 Naik Redi Gul, Rifles, Indian Army.

Gold Medal.

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2288 Rifleman Dalsing Gurung, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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3294 Rifleman Diwan Sing Gurung, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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325 Sepoy Ghafoor Mahomed, Aden Troop (attached Bikanir Camel Corps).

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1050 Sepoy Lall Singh, Bikanir Camel Corps.

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1979 Rifleman Lilbir Rana, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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964 Sepoy Naithu Singh, Imperial Service Infantry.

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3457 Sepoy (now Naik) Safriullah, Rifles, Indian Army.
268 Sepoy (now Lance-Naik) Sampuran Singh, Imperial Service Infantry.

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543 Sepoy Sheo Nandan Singh, Imperial Service Infantry.

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1818 Sapper Virrasami, Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.

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Silver Medal.

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2404 Rifleman Balbhadra Thapa, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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1449 Sepoy Hukam Singh, Bikanir Camel Corps.

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2286 Rifleman Tirthbahadur Gurung, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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(*August 27th 1916.*)

Order of the White Eagle, 2nd Class (with Swords).

Major General Maitland Cowper, C.I E., Indian Army.

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Order of the White Eagle, 3rd Class (with Swords).

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Major, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Herbert Jose Pierson Browne, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.
Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Leslie Warner Yule Campbell, Punjabis, Indian Army.

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Colonel and temp. Brigadier-General James Archibald Douglas, C.M.G., Indian Army.
Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Colonel) Frederick Charles Rampini Fulton, Supply and Transport Corps, Indian Army.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel (temporary Brigadier General) Charles Edward De Manley Norie, D.S.O., Indian Army.

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Colonel and temporary Brigadier-General Offley Bohun Stovin Fairless Shore, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O.

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Order of the White Eagle, 4th Class (with Swords).

Lieutenant-Colonel James Arthur Bliss, M.V.O., Pioneers, Indian Army.
Major Richard James Bradley, M.B., Indian Medical Service.
Captain (temporary Major) Thomas de Beauvoir Carey, Infantry, Indian Army.
Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Anthony Carleton, Punjabis, Indian Army.

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Major, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Robert Archibald Cassels, Lancers, Indian Army.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Chesney Cook, D.S.O., Lancers, Indian Army.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Henry Dopping Creagh, M.V.O., Pioneers, Indian Army.
Major Robert John Cuming, Pioneers, Indian Army.

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Major Alexander Coburn Edwards, Grenadiers, Indian Army.

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Captain (temporary Major) Henry Walter Dunlop Hill, Cavalry, Indian Army.
Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Herbert Reginald Hopwood, Light Cavalry, Indian Army
Major Walter Stewart Leslie, Punjabis, Indian Army.
Major Alexander Charles Broughton Mackinnon, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.
Major Walter Scott Patton, M.B., Indian Medical Service.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Spottiswoode Stack, C.M.G., Light Cavalry, Indian Army.

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Captain (temporary Major) Walter Edward Wilson-Johnston, Sikhs, Indian Army.
Lieutenant-Colonel Clifford Boardman Winter, Infantry, Indian Army.
Captain (Brevet Major) Henry Oswald Bell Wood, Rajputs, Indian Army.
Lieutenant-Colonel Leslie Napier Younghusband, Cavalry, Indian Army.

Order of the White Eagle, 5th Class (with Swords).

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Captain Charles Fitzroy Cahusac, Indian Army.

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Captain John Douglas Crawford, Punjabis, Indian Army.
Captain Robert Cecil Christie, Grenadiers, Indian Army.
Jemadar Daya Singh, Mountain Battery, Indian Army.
Captain the Honourable Michael William Robert De Courcy, Sikh Pioneers, Indian Army.

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Captain Reginald Barker De La Motte, Supply and Transport Corps, Indian Army.
Captain Wilkinson Dent, D.S.O., Light Infantry, Indian Army.
Captain John Inglis Eadie, Infantry, Indian Army.

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Captain Herman Falk, M.B., Indian Medical Service.

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Captain Kendal Ferguson Franks, Light Infantry, Indian Army.

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Captain Reginald Michael Norman Forbes, Royal Artillery, attached Mountain Battery (Frontier Force), Indian Army.
Captain Edward Slade Goss, Indian Medical Service.
Captain Vivian Bartley Green-Armytage, Indian Medical Service.
2nd Lieutenant Alan Guthrie, Madras Artillery Volunteers.
Captain Claude Mackinnon Hawes, Infantry, Indian Army.
2nd Lieutenant George Christopher Henry, Wireless Signal Squadron, Indian Signal Service.
Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Ronald Ford Lewis, Cavalry, Indian Army.
Captain George Dodd Martin, M.C., Infantry, Indian Army.
Captain Lionel Henry Morse, Punjabis, Indian Army, attached Divisional Signal Company, Sappers and Miners.

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Jemadar Naine Lama, Gurkha Rifles Indian Army.
Lieutenant Nilkanth Sheiram Jatar, Indian Medical Service.
Captain Nathaniel Ogle, Punjabis, Indian Army.
2nd Lieutenant Guy Vyvyan Austice Prideaux, attached Punjabis, Indian Army.
2nd Lieutenant George Shallow, attached Rifles, Indian Army.
Captain Charles George Spankie, Indian Army.
Captain Thomas Henry Stainton, Supply and Transport Corps, Indian Army.
2nd Lieutenant Frederick Owen Townsend, attached Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.

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Jemadar Yakhudin, Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.

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Order of Karageorge, 4th Class (with Swords).

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Captain (temporary Major) William Brown, Supply and Transport Corps, Indian Army.

Captain Guy Neville Buckland, Royal Artillery, attached Mountain Battery, Indian Army.
Subadar-Major Gurmukh Singh, Sikhs, Indian Army.
Captain Edward George Hall, Mahrattas, Indian Army.

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Major Percy Macclesfield Heath, Mahrattas, attached Infantry, Indian Army.
Captain John Hervey Knight, Royal Artillery, attached Indian Army.

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Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Richard Stukely St. John, Infantry, Indian Army.
Subadar Sultan, Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.

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Cross of Karageorge, 1st Class (with Swords).

4439 Sepoy Atma Singh, Sikhs, Indian Army.

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3167 Havildar Chandar Singh, Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.

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Serjeant Gilbert Grier, Supply and Transport Corps, Indian Army (formerly No. 9339 North Staffordshire Regiment).

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3668 Daffadar Inder Singh, Lancers, Indian Army.

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2055 Lance-Daffadar Kazan Singh, Cavalry, Indian Army.
1443 Lance-Naik Kesar Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army.

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4474 Corporal A. MacPherson, Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

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1740 Havildar Mangal Singh, Poineers, Indian Army.

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927 Naik Nand Singh, Pioneers, Indian Army.

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9 Colour-Havildar Piaru, Punjabis, Indian Army.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Rawail Singh, Indian Subordinate Medical Department (attached Sikhs).
2461 Havildar Sanwal Ram, Grenadiers, Indian Army.
764 Naik Sawan Singh, Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.
1282 Havildar Sobha Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army.

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2688 Havildar Ujala, Light Infantry, Indian Army.
Assistant Surgeon George Tresham Wrafter, Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

Cross of Karageorge, 2nd Class (with Swords).

906 Havildar Ali Shafa, Pioneers, Indian Army.
3030 Havildar Atibal Gurung, Gurkha, Rifles, Indian Army.
1623 Havildar Awal Khan, Sikhs, Indian Army.
95 Havildar Basant Singh, Sappers, Indian Army.

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2295 Naik Dal Singh Thapa, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.
354 Havildar Dewa Singh, Sikhs, Indian Army.

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1390 Dafadar Gujar Singh, Cavalry, Indian Army.
3810 Havildar Jiwan Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army.
558 Havildar Mahl Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army.
1036 Lance-Naik Narsing Ali, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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3937 Havildar Ralli Ram, Punjabis, Indian Army.

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1911 Naik Shankar, Dogras, Indian Army.
13039 Serjeant Mark Alpheaus Sprinks, Royal Engineers (attached Sappers and Miners), Indian Army.

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1539 Naik Sundur Singh, Pioneers, Indian Army.
Farrier Staff Serjeant William Leslie Westacott, Indian Subordinate Veterinary Department (late No. 25851, Royal Garrison Artillery).

Gold Medal.

2435 Lance-Naik Ali Ahmed Khan, Punjabis, Indian Army.

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209 Driver Lance-Naik Bagh Singh, Mountain Battery, Indian Army.
3943 Sepoy Bahadur Singh, Sikhs, Indian Army.
3479 Rifleman Bahadur Pun, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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2225 Lance-Naik Bhagail Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army.
998 Sepoy Bhola Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army.
3106 Bugler Bhup Singh, Light Infantry, Indian Army.

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2702 Lance-Naik Chandadir Ali, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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2694 Sepoy Dheru Khan, Rifles, Indian Army.

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3684 Lance-Daffadar Ghenda Singh, Lancers, Indian Army.

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2436 Lance-Naik Goru Ram, Rifles, Indian Army.

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1153 Sepoy Hakim Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army.

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3375 Sepoy Harnam, Light Infantry, Indian Army.
4842 Sepoy Harnam Singh, Punjabis (attached Bhopal Infantry), Indian Army.

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4119 Sepoy Jagat Singh, Sikhs, Indian Army.
2661 Lance-Naik Jaman Singh Gurung, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.
1441 Lance-Naik Jangbur Thapa, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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2648 Sepoy Kala Singh, Sikhs, Indian Army.
1620 Sepoy Kan Singh, Infantry, Indian Army.

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4016 Sepoy Gulab Khan, Punjabis, Indian Army.
4487 Rifleman Khumba Singh Gurung, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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779 Gunner Mohamed Khan, Mountain Battery, Indian Army.
1179 Lance-Naik Mahtab Singh, Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.
2462 Lance-Naik Mangal Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army.
1397 Sepoy Mansa Singh, Pioneers, Indian Army.

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1979 Sepoy Misri Khan, Punjabis, Indian Army.
3691 Sepoy Munsi, Infantry, Indian Army.
731 Acting Lance-Daffadar Nijabat Ali Khan, Cavalry, Indian Army.
2625 Sapper Narainasami, Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.
1742 Sepoy Nikka Singh, Sikhs, Indian Army.

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2006 Sepoy Partab Singh, Sikhs, Indian Army.
3116 Sapper Pochatti Laximan, Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.
3578 Sepoy Ramlakhan Singh, Infantry, Indian Army.

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127 Sappers Rungaya, Divisional Signal Company, Indian Army.
3601 Sepoy Saida Khan, Rifles, Indian Army.

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4711 Sepoy Sher Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army

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4572 Lance-Naik Sobat Khan, Pioneers, Indian Army.

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1289 Sepoy Teja Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army.

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3194 Sepoy Umed Khan, Infantry, Indian Army.

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1229 Driver Zerbad Shah, Mule Corps, Indian Army.

Silver Medal.

4070 Sapper Abdul Aziz, Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.
1557 Sepoy Alam Din, Punjabis, Indian Army.
986 Lance-Naik Ali Mahomed, Rifles, Indian Army.
722 Driver Babu Singh, Mountain Battery, Indian Army.
2853 Sepoy Baga Singh, Rifles, Indian Army.

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4167 Lance-Naik Chinna Panikar, Sappers and Miners, Indian Army.

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3871 Sepoy Dalip Singh, Sikhs, Indian Army.
2675 Lance-Naik Dalip Singh, Rajputs, Indian Army.
1522 Lance-Naik Digbabadur Rai, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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2041 Lance-Naik Dost Mohamed, Punjabis, Indian Army.

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1551 Driver Fazal Ahmed, Mountain Battery, Indian Army.

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3710 Lance-Naik Gudar Khan, Infantry, Indian Army.
1683 Bugler Hardit Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army.

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4518 Sepoy Harnam, Infantry, Indian Army.

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2215 Rifleman Hastram Thapa, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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5309 Sepoy Intiaz Khan, Infantry, Indian Army.

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723 Driver Jalal Din, Mule Corps, Indian Army.
3755 Lance-Naik Jan Mohamed, Punjabis, Indian Army.
2248 Lance-Naik Jiwan Singh, Sikhs, Indian Army.

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2488 Sepoy Kanna Ram, Pioneers, Indian Army.
2876 Rifleman Khar Dhoj Gurung, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.
3859 Lance-Naik Kishen Burathoki, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.
4268 Lance-Naik Lahora Singh, Pioneers, Indian Army.

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2446 Sepoy Ludhar, Dogras, Indian Army.
585 Driver Mangal Singh, Mountain Battery, Indian Army.

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1142 Sepoy Mehar Singh, Infantry, Indian Army.

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1383 Acting Lance-Daffadar Mohbub Hassan, Cavalry, Indian Army.
2896 Rifleman Manesor Thapa, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.
1485 Sepoy Nanak Khan, Punjabis, Indian Army.
948 Lance-Naik Nand Singh, Punjabis, Indian Army (attached Divisional Signal Company).
2610 Lance-Naik Narain Thapa, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.
1936 Rifleman Narsing Thapa, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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816 Acting Lance-Daffadar Nur Hassan Khan, Cavalry, Indian Army.
2219 Sepoy Nur Mahomed, Punjabis, Indian Army (attached Divisional Signal Company).

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4791 Rifleman Padam Sing Thapa, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.
1127 Sowar Pall Singh, Cavalry, Indian Army.

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4216 Rifleman Rasker Gurung, Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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40?9 Sepoy Sagoon Matkar, Pioneers, Indian Army.
4153 Private Saiyyid Abdul Hamid, Prisoners, Indian Army.

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3069 Sepoy Shera Khan, Infantry, Indian Army.
194 Lance-Naik Shingar Singh, Sikhs, Indian Army.
2893 Sepoy Sis Ram, Light Infantry, Indian Army.
1787 Sepoy Tikam Singh, Rajputs, Indian Army.

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The Insignia and Medals of the above Russian and Serbian Decorations have been entrusted to the Army Council, and will be distributed to the officers, non-commissioned officers and men to whom they have been awarded, as under :—

A.—Regular Army, Territorial Force and Special Reserve.

Officers desirous of obtaining their decorations should apply for them in person or through a duly accredited representative to Military Secretary, War Office (Foreign Decorations Section), 14, Albemarle Street, W.

Satisfactory proof of the identity of the applicant (whether the application is made personally or by proxy) must in all cases be produced at the time of application.

Medals awarded to *warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men* will be sent for disposal to the Record Offices of the unit to which such warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men belong.

B.—British Officers of the Indian Army and all other Indian ranks of the Indian Army

All decorations will be sent to the India Office for disposal.

British officers of the Indian Army who are in the United Kingdom, or their duly accredited representatives, should apply to the Military Secretary, India Office.

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Seventh Supplement dated the 15th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 13th February 1917, pages 1623, 1624 and 1628.

War Office,
15th February 1917.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mily. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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Flying Officers (Observers).—

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Lt. M. R. D'Arcy, Ind. Army Res. of Off., 4th Jan. 1917, but with seniority from 3rd Nov. 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned officers of the Ind. Army Res. of Off. to be temp. Capts. whilst empld. as Brig. Supply Officers :—

Lt. A. Richards. 8th Aug. 1916.

7th Oct. 1916.

Lt. H. Crawford.
2nd Lt. H. R. Panckridge.

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London Gazette dated the 16th February 1917, pages 1652 and 1655.

War Office,
16th February 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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AITD. TO HD. QRS. UNITS.

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Brig.-Comdrs.—And to be temp. Brig.-Gens. whilst so empld.—

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14th Jan. 1917.

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Maj. H. W. Cobham, D.S.O., Res. of Off., Ind. Army, from temp. Lt.-Col., L'pool R., *vice* Lt.-Col. A. J. F. Eden, D.S.O., Oxf. and Bucks. L.I.

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ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE.

R.A.M.C.—The undermentioned to be temp. Lt.-Cols. 15th Feb. 1917 :—

Lt.-Col. Sir Ronald Ross, K.C.B., F.R.S., F.R.C.S., R.A.M.C., T.F. (Maj., ret., Ind. Med. Serv.).

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MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned to be temp. Maj.-Gens.:—

Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) S. F. Crocker, C.B , Ind. Army. 23rd Dec. 1916.

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The undermentioned to be temp. Majors whilst specially empld.:—

Capt. M. A. L. Gompertz, Ind. Inf. 21st Dec. 1916.
Capt. G. How-on, M.C., Ind. Cav. 17th Jan. 1917.

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Third Supplement dated the 17th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 16th February 1917, pages 1724, 1725, 1730 and 1731.

War Office,
17th February 1917

REGULAR FORCES.

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SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl.)—28th Dec. 1916 :—

Bt. Col. M. A. Kerr, C.B., ret. pay, Ind. Army.
Lt.-Col. J. J. Cronin, ret. pay, Ind. Army.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

Flight Comdrs.—From Flying Officers, and to be temp. Capts. whilst so empld.

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2nd Lt. E. D. Atkinson, Ind. Army Res. of Off. 25th Jan. 1917.

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Balloon Co. Comdrs.—Graded as a Sqdn. Comdr.—Capt. D. Rainsford-Hannay, Ind. Inf., from a Flight Comdr., to be temp. Maj whilst so empld., and to retain his present appt. as Comdt. of a Balloon School of Instrn. 5th Dec. 1916.

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TERRITORIAL FORCE.

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INFANTRY.

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ROYAL DEFENCE CORPS.

Lt.-Col. H. E. Monck-Mason, late Indian Army, to be Maj. 18th Feb. 1917.

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Fifth Supplement dated the 19th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 16th February 1917, pages 1739 and 1740.

War Office,
19th February 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts are made:—

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ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

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Maj. Alexander Waddell Dods, Calcutta Port Defence Vols., to be temp. Capt. 20th Feb. 1917.

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London Gazette of the 20th February 1917, pages 1776, 1778 and 1779.

War Office,
20th February 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

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Service Battalions.

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Lt.-Col F. G. Bradley, C.M.G. (ret., Ind. Army), vacates comd. of a Bn. 12 Feb. 1917.

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Second Supplement dated the 21st February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 20th February 1917, pages 1847, 1848, 1854 and 1855.

War Office,
21st February 1917.

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The undermentioned temp. appts. are made at the War Office :—

Staff Capts.—1st Apr. 1916.

Bt. Lt.-Col. C. R. A. Bond, ret. pay, Ind. S.C.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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Flight Comdrs.—

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1st Feb. 1917.

Capt. (temp. Maj.) R. H. Howell, Ind. Cav., from a Flying Officer.

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TERRITORIAL FORCE.

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Gloucestershire Regt.—The following announcement is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 12th Jan. 1917 :—

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Temp. Maj. A. B. Skinner (Maj., Ind. Army), to be acting Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. Bn. 2nd Jan. 1917.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 535.—The undermentioned officer retains his temporary rank on alteration in posting :—

Royal Garrison Artillery, Territorial Force.

Temporary Captain T. Duncan-Wallace, attached No. 1 Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery, dated 8th March 1917.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.

No. 536.—The correct Christian names of Battery Serjeant-Major Moss are Charles Ernest Rothery, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 204, dated the 16th February 1917.

No. 537.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

1st Combined (Home Counties) Brigade, Royal Field Artillery.

Captain J. Brown to be temporary Major, *vice* Major B. W. H. Moss, transferred to the Home establishment. Dated 20th February 1917.

Lieutenant F. Hughes to be temporary Captain, *vice* Captain J. Brown, promoted. Dated 20th February 1917.

Lieutenant C. H. T. Cole to be temporary Captain, *vice* Captain H. B. B. Davison, transferred to the Home establishment. Dated 20th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant R. M. Cumberlege to be temporary Captain and Adjutant, *vice* Captain T. Sutton, transferred to the Home establishment. Dated 20th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant W. G. Dobson to be temporary Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant F. Hughes, promoted. Dated 20th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant H. A. Garlé to be temporary Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant C. H. T. Cole, promoted. Dated 20th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant C. H. Vidler to be temporary Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 20th February 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 538.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel

4th February 1917.

Alexander Hazelwood Butler, 44th Merwara Infantry.

Captain to be Major.

23rd November 1916.

Henry Terence Skinner, D.S.O., 29th Punjabis.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Madras Establishment.

No. 539.—The undermentioned 2nd Class Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 1st Class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 31st March 1917 :—

James Henry Shillong.
Percy Neil Sandways.
Maurice Roberts Wilson Hart.
James Alexander Hart.
Henry Herbert Lynsdale.

No. 540.—The undermentioned 3rd class Assistant Surgeons having completed five years' service in that class and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 31st March 1917 :—

Charles Lionel Anderson.
Herbert Clay Berlie.
Joseph Francis L'Fleur.
George Hope Lawrance.
Alexander Edmond Westrap.
Charles William Doig Dunlop.
Melville George Coomber.
John Michael Pereira.
Stanley Desmond Risley.
Aubin Joseph Gomez.
Richard Luke Dunn.
Wilfred Ernest Frend Hart.
William Arthur Beer.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 541.—The undermentioned 3rd Class Assistant Surgeons are promoted to the 2nd Class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 27th February 1917 :—

Francis Bruno Anthony Braganza, M.C.
Walter Charles William Fordham.
Thomas Willick Traynor.
Egbert Stanley Feegrade.
Henry Beauchamp Blaker, D.T.M.
Edward Demosthenes Lobo.
Arthur Elijah Browne.
Edward George Crunden.
Richmond Clement Ireland.
Loftus Austen Wattell FitzGerald.

No. 542.—The undermentioned 3rd Class Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 27th February 1917.

Clement Lobo.
Edward John Creais.
Ruxton Clarkson.
Arthur Duncan Campbell.
James Glansey Johnstone.
Gerald William Doyle.
Joseph Owen Dewey.

No. 543.—The undermentioned 3rd class Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd class Assistant Surgeons. with effect from the 31st March 1917 :—

Stephen Clarence Gomez.
Percival James Conquest.
John Paul Pereira.
William Archibald Clement Perreira.
Harold James Clarke Flanagan (supernumerary 2nd class).
Joseph Reginald Herbert Cabral.
Vincent Herbert Ariss.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Madras Establishment.

No. 544.—The undermentioned 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 31st March 1917 :—

No. 1394, Moses Solomon Vincent.
No. 1397, Dumpoor Penchaloo Nayudu.

No. 545.—The undermentioned 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 7th March 1917 :—

No. 1427, M. A. Narayanasami Nayudu.
No. 1431, T. G. Krishnasami Pillai.
No. 1436, P. Janardana Reddi.
No. 1437, P. T. Varadarajulu Nayakar.
No. 1440, Muhammad Usman.

No. 546.—The undermentioned 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, having completed five years' service in that class and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 7th March 1917 .—

No. 1434, M. Sesha Reddi.

No. 547.—In Army Department Notification No. 1322, dated the 3rd November 1916, against No. 1387, Muhammad Abdur Rauf *for* "17th October 1916" *read* "17th October 1915."

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 548.—The following promotions are made :—

17th Cavalry.

Ressaidar Bahadur Sher to be Risaldar, Jemadar Wazir Khan, I. O. M., to be Ressaidar and Kot-Dafadar Muhammad Akbar Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 20th September 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

8th Rajputs.

Havildar Ranjor Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from 20th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

26th Punjabis.

Colour-Havildars Dalip Singh and Gonda Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 27th January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

73rd Carnatic Infantry.

Havildar Ramasami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

88th Carnatic Infantry.

Subadar Abdul Khuddus to be Subadar-Major, Jemadar Perumal to be Subadar, and Havildar Kalingaraju to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th February 1917 ; *vice* Saiyid Abdul Kadir, deceased.

Havildar-Major V. Sabaghtullah to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th February 1917 ; and to be seconded.

2nd Battalion, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.

Havildar Govind Palao to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 123rd Outram's Rifles.

Jemadar Firoz Khan and Jalu Ram to be Subadars and Jemadar Shiunarayan Ram to be Indian Adjutant, with effect from the 18th January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Havildar Bhim Bahadur Thapa to be Jemadar, with effect from 1st March 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

Havildar Parmandhoj Thapa and Havildar-Major Jitbahadur Rana to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st March 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Labour Corps.

Jemadar Khuda Dad to be Subadar and Havildar Jumma Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).

No. 549.—The promotions of Kot-Dafadar Mahfuz Khan and Dafadar Muhammad Nawaz Khan to Jemadars should have effect from the 22nd November 1915 and 11th April 1916, respectively, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 708, dated 23rd June 1916.

No. 550.—The promotion of Kot-Dafadar Abdul Hamid Khan to Jemadar should have effect from the 18th May 1916 and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 1225, dated 13th October 1916.

No. 551.—The promotion of Kot-Dafadar Sher Muhammad Khan to Jemadar should have effect from the 19th September 1916 and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 106, dated 26th January 1917.

No. 552.—The promotion of Dafadar Abdul Razaq Khan to Jemadar should have effect from the 1st October 1916 and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 1422, dated 24th November 1916.

1st Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.

No. 553.—The promotion of Jemadar Muhammad Roshan to Subadar, as published in Army Department Notification No. 1502, dated the 15th December 1916, should be antedated without pay and allowances to the 12th July 1915.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 554.—Second Lieutenant Percy Gordon Campbell, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 18th April 1917.

RETIREMENTS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Northern Army.

No. 555.—Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Edwin John Price is permitted to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 12th February 1917.

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 556.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotions in the Order of British India for distinguished service in the field:—

To the 1st Class of the Order with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

Lieutenant-Colonel Kishen Singh, *Bahadur*, Imperial Service Troops.
Major Lutf Ali Khan, *Bahadur*, Imperial Service Troops.

The above appointments will be supernumerary to the authorised establishment.

INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

No. 557.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the undermentioned for gallantry in the field :—

Jemadar Muhammad Ismail, Supply and Transport Corps.
No. 214, Dafadar Fazal Elahi, Supply and Transport Corps.
No. 506, Havildar-Major Nath, Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery.

JUDICIAL.

No. 558.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 113 of the Indian Army Act, 1911 (VIII of 1911), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Table published under Army Department Notification No. 1103 of the 5th November 1915, as subsequently amended by Army Department Notification No. 378, dated the 7th April 1916, namely :—

In entry (*b*) under heading 'Mesopotamia'—

For the words "The General Officer Commanding, 3rd Indian Army Corps" the words "The General Officers Commanding, 1st and 3rd Indian Army Corps" shall be substituted.

SPECIAL.

No. 559.—With reference to paragraph 305, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the undermentioned officers, having been absent from military duty for 10 years, are transferred to the Supernumerary List, with effect from the dates specified :—

Major Cyril William Prescott, Political Employ,—26th February 1917.
Major Thomas Guy Marriott Harris, Political Employ,—5th March 1917.
Major George Frank Wemyss Anson, Political Employ,—8th March 1917.
Major Maitland Easton Rae, Political Employ,—9th March 1917.
Major Donald Moyle Field, Political Employ,—11th March 1917.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Calcutta Light Horse.

No. 560.—Lieutenant Charles Gordon Arthur, seconded, to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated the 18th December 1916.

Lieutenant Archibald Birkmyre to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 18th December 1916.

United Provinces Horse.

2nd (Northern) Regiment.

No. 561.—Second-Lieutenant Leonard Seymour Lambert Dacres, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 12th September 1916.

Second-Lieutenant James Alexander Gordon Douglas-Hamilton to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 12th September 1916.

Madras Artillery Volunteers. "The Duke's Own."

No. 562.—James Stewart Swan to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 9th October 1916.

Robert Dale Denniston to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 9th October 1916.

Augustus Lionel Clayton Robinson to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 9th October 1916.

John Robert Farquharson to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 29th January 1917.

Cossipore Artillery Volunteers.

No. 563.—Captain Alaric Simpson, seconded, to be Major, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Captain William Wilson Tyndall to be Major, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Lieutenant Charles Stewart Cunningham, seconded, to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st December 1916

Lieutenant Percy Thomas Rose to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Lieutenant Harry Kinnear Banks, seconded, to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Lieutenant John Crawford to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Lieutenant James Charles Hamilton Burns to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Second Lieutenant David Edward Whyte to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Second Lieutenant Bailey Gordon Darby, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st December 1916

Second Lieutenant John Bell Robertson to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Second Lieutenant Robert Maxwell Spence, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded Dated the 1st December 1916.

Second Lieutenant Thomas Douglas to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916

Second Lieutenant Sidney Keith Scott, to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Second Lieutenant Wilfred Tennent Hunter to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Second Lieutenant Andrew Donald, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Second Lieutenant Gomer Silvanus Williams to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Madras Volunteer Guards.

No. 564.—Hugh Paddon Meredydd Rae to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 23rd February 1917.

Simla Volunteer Rifles.

No. 565.—John Willoughby Meares to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st March 1917.

Bombay Volunteer Rifles.

No. 566.—William Rutton Searle Sharpe to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 22nd February 1917.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

No. 567.—Army Department Notification No. 28, dated 5th January 1917, is hereby cancelled.

North-Western Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 568.—Captain Alfred James Chase to be Major, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Lieutenant Frank Roxburgh Hawkes, seconded, to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Lieutenant Ulric Capel Sandys to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st September 1916

Second Lieutenant Reginald Philip Jones to be Lieutenant, *vice* U. C. Sandys, promoted. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Hubert Percy Raynor Goulding to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles.

No. 569.—Army Department Notification No. 412, dated the 16th March 1917, is hereby cancelled.

Medals and Decorations.

No. 570.—His Excellency the Governor-General in India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officer :—

Assam Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles.

Honorary Lieutenant and Quartermaster Joseph Thomas Mawhood.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General*,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 13th April 1917

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given :—

First.—That information has been received by me of the death of the officer named and described in the subjoined table.

Secondly—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name in the same table

Thirdly—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name	Corps or Department	Date of death	Testate or intestate.	Amount of surplus	REMARKS.
Lieutenant C R. Prendergast	Indian Army	1st-22nd January 1916	Intestate ...	Rs A P. 111 1 10	Administrator General Punjab

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 13th April 1917.

REMOVALS.

No. 17.—The services of temporary Assistant Engineer A Cameron, Royal Indian Marine, are dispensed with, with effect from the 10th March 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 12th April, 1917.

No. 413-E.-17.—Mr P. G Carvey, Permanent-Way Inspector and Honorary Assistant Engineer, Eastern Bengal Railway, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Engineer, with effect from the 20th December 1916 and until further orders.

No. 1919-3-E.-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No 1919-1-E-16, dated the 14th February 1917, Mr. J. Woodside, Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No 6, held charge of the duties of the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 5, in addition to his own, from the 1st to the 25th March 1917, inclusive.

No. 1919-4-E-16.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No 1919-3-E-16, dated the 12th April 1917, Mr J. H. Lovell, Deputy Agent, North Western Railway, is appointed to officiate as Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No 5, with the officiating rank of Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, with effect from the 26th March 1917 and until further orders

Notifications Nos. 1019-2-E and 215-3-E., dated the 14th and 17th February 1917, respectively, are hereby cancelled.

The 13th April, 1917.

No. 169-E.—The services of Colonel [illegible] sub.-*pro. tem.* are replaced at the disposal of [illegible] with effect from the 31st July 1917.

No 169-2-E.—With reference to R[illegible] 13th April 1917, Sir Robert Gales, Kt., C[illegible] to officiate as Agent, North Western Railway, during the absence of Colonel S. L. Craster, on privilege leave and until further orders.

Sir Robert Gales will hold the rank of Agent, North Western Railway, sub. *pro. tem.*, from the 31st July 1917.

No. 333-E-17.—Mr. F. G. Griffith, Officiating District Traffic Superintendent, North Western Railway, is placed on special duty in the office of the Railway Board, with effect from the 9th March 1917 and until further orders.

No. 390-E.—The services of Mr. A. V. Hawkins, District Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, are lent temporarily to the Bombay Port Trust Railway Administration.

F. A. HADOW,

Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

EDUCATION.

ril, 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 7th April 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI ...	...	. . . .	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	93	80
		Ahmedabad City	25	20
		Ahmedabad District	1	1
		Kaira District	34	19
		Surat Town and Port	45	41
		Surat District	27	28
		Kalyan Port	1	1
		Kurla Port	3	3
		Thana Port	12	9
		Thana District	59	41
	Central	Ahmednagar District	58	48
		West Khandesh District	59	34
		East Khandesh District	192	130
		Poona Town	1	1
		Poona District	89	74
		Nasik District	155	132
		Satara District	250	199
		Sholapur Town	3	2
		Sholapur District	242	159
	Southern	Panvel Port	11	9
		Thal Port	4	2
		Kolaba District	8	8
		Bankot Port	2	1
		Ratnagiri Port	8	6
		Ratnagiri District	6	4
		Belgaum District	131	94
		Dharwar District	84	22
		Kanara District	89	28
		Bijapur District	66	66
	Sind ...	Hyderabad Town	243*	164*
		Hyderabad District	6*	1*

* For two weeks.

The following additions should be made in the returns noted below :—

24th March 1917—Nawabshah District 3 cases, 3 deaths.

31st „ „ Thar and Parkar District 1 case, *nil* death.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind	Political Charges	Baroda State	33	24
		Kathiawar Agency	22	11
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	324	268
		Surat Agency	4	2
		Bijapur Agency	4	4
		Satara Agency	19	19
		Akalkot State	30	23
		TOTAL	2,343	1,777
Madras Presidency	...	Anantapur District	24 (a)	16
		Bellary District	25	20
		Chittoor District	8 (b)	5 (b)
		Coimbatore District	29 (c)	28 (b)
		Mangalore Port	19	18
		South Canara District	...	1 (a)
		Malabar District	1	1
		Kistna District	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Salem Town	2	...
		Salem District	32 (a)	20 (a)
		North Arcot District	33	26
		Tanjore District	2 (d)	2 (d)
		TOTAL	179	138
Bengal Presidency	Burdwan	Burdwan District	1	...
		Hooghly District	5	4
	Presidency	24-Parganas District	7	2
		Calcutta	3	3
		TOTAL	16	9
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	Patna City	29	32
		Patna District	230	258
		Gaya City	1	1
		Gaya District	27	24
		Shahabad District	394	336
	Tirhut	Saran District	713	607
		Muzaffarpur District	255	251
		Darbhanga City	8	6
		Darbhanga District	358	307

(a) One imported. (b) Three imported. (c) Four imported. (d) Two imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 30,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	521	447
		Bhagalpur City	23	19
		Bhagalpur District	45	40
	Ranchi ...	Manbhum District	1	1
		TOTAL	2,605	2,329
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut...	Saharanpur City	...	2
		Saharanpur District	12	9
		Muzaffarnagar District	10	11
	Agra ..	Hathras City	1	1
		Agra District	1	1
		Mainpuri District	28	23
	Rohilkhand	Bareilly District	...	2
		Bijnor District	1	1
		Budaun District	29	7
		Moradabad District	49	50
		Pilibhit District	45	45
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City	14	13
		Farrukhabad District	17	16
		Etawah District	8	8
		Cawnpore City	87	87
		Cawnpore District	113	113
		Fatehpur District	129	126
		Allahabad City	19	19
		Allahabad District	338	313
	Jhansi ...	Jalaun District	59	45
	Benares	Benares City	2	5
		Benares District	10	4
		Mirzapur City	18	17
		Mirzapur District	4	4
		Jaunpur District	476	389
		Ghazipur District	561	584
		Ballia District	292	272

In the return for the week ending 31st March 1917, against Ghazipur District *read* 876 cases *for* 800 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Political Charges	Baroda State	83	84
		Kathiawar Agency	22	11
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	334	268
		Surat Agency	4	2
		Bijapur Agency	6	4
		Satara Agency	19	19
		Akalkot State	30	23
		TOTAL	2,343	1,777
MADRAS PRESIDENCY	...	Anantapur District	24 (a)	16
		Bellary District	28	20
		Chittoor District	8 (b)	5 (b)
		Coimbatore District	20 (c)	28 (b)
		Mangalore Port	19	18
		South Canara District	...	1 (a)
		Malabar District	1	1
		Kistna District	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Salem Town	2	...
		Salem District	32 (a)	20 (a)
		North Arcot District	38	26
		Tanjore District	2 (d)	2 (d)
		TOTAL	179	138
BENGAL PRESIDENCY	Burdwan	Burdwan District	1	...
		Hooghly District	5	4
	Presidency	24-Parganas District	7	2
		Calcutta	3	3
		TOTAL	16	9
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Patna	Patna City	29	32
		Patna District	230	258
		Gaya City	1	1
		Gaya District	27	24
		Shahabad District	394	336
	Tirhut	Saran District	718	607
		Muzaffarpur District	255	251
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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	521	447
		Bhagalpur City	23	19
		Bhagalpur District	45	40
	Ranchi ...	Manbhum District	1	1
		TOTAL	2,605	2,329
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut...	Saharanpur City	...	2
		Saharanpur District	12	9
		Muzaffarnagar District	10	11
	Agra ...	Hathras City	1	1
		Agra District	1	1
		Mainpuri District	28	23
	Rohilkhand	Bareilly District	...	2
		Bijnor District	1	1
		Budaun District	29	7
		Moradabad District	49	50
		Pilibhit District	45	45
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City	14	13
		Farrukhabad District	17	16
		Etawah District	8	8
		Cawnpore City	87	87
		Cawnpore District	113	113
		Fatehpur District	129	126
		Allahabad City	19	19
		Allahabad District	338	313
	Jhansi ...	Jalaun District	59	45
	Benares	Benares City	2	5
		Benares District	10	4
		Mirzapur City	18	17
		Mirzapur District	4	4
		Jaunpur District	476	389
		Ghazipur District	561	584
		Ballia District	292	272

In the return for the week ending 31st March 1917, against Ghazipur District *read* 876 cases *for* 800 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
UNITED PROVINCES	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur City	...	1
		Gorakhpur District	851	848
		Basti District	891	327
		Azamgarh District	763	693
	Lucknow	Lucknow City	14	14
		Unao District	486	417
		Rae Bareli District	220	212
		Sitapur District	62	58
		Hardoi District	41	41
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad City	1	1
		Fyzabad District	55	45
		Gonda District	73	53
		Bahraich District	13	10
		Sultanpur District	91	98
		Partabgarh District	117	92
		Bara Banki District	59	57
		TOTAL	5,060	4,579
PUNJAB	Ambala	Karnal District	8	1
		Ambala District	95	69
	Jullundur	Jullundur District	37	12
		Ludhiana District	31	15
	Lahore	Lahore District	41	30
		Gurdaspur District	8	6
		Gujranwala District	8	3

In the return for the week ending 31st March 1917, the following corrections should be made :—
Azamgarh District 929 cases *for* 926 cases.
Hardoi „ 64 deaths „ 74 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District	4	3
		Jhelum District	16	17
		Rawalpindi District	15	9
	Native States	Jind State	12	6
		TOTAL	270	171
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	33	32
		Hanthawaddy District	2	2
		Tharrawaddy District	5	5
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	9	9
		Bassein District	4	4
		Henzada District	4	4
		Myaungmya District	3	3
		Maubin District	2	1
		Pyapon District	15	15
	Tenasserim	Toungoo District	5	4
		Thaton District	1	1
		Moulmein Town	12	12
		Amherst District	2	2
	Magwe	Minbu District	1	1
		Magwe District	2	2
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town	2	1

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BURMA	Meiktila	Yamethin District	1	1
		Myingyan District	1	1
	Shan States	Northern Shan States	...	...
		TOTAL	104	100
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur	Nagpur District	104	70
		Kamptee Cantonment	1	1
		Bhandara District	41	32
		Wardha District	49	43
		Balaghat District	87	38
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town and Cantonment	28	22
		Jubbulpore District	95	47
		Saugor District	13	13
		Seoni District	46	34
		Mandla District	36	27
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District	49	27
		Nimar District	45	35
		Narsinghpur District	89	26
		Chhindwara District	63	49
	Chhattisgarh	Raipur District	30	32
		Bilaspur District	28	26
	Berar	Amraoti District	251	165
		Yeotmal District	28	25
		Akola District	219	155
		Buldana District	250	167
		TOTAL	1,452	1,024
ASSAM	...	...	...	...
COORG	...	...	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	9	7
		Bangalore City	4	3
		Bangalore District	30	27
		Mysore District	18	20
		Hassan District	1	...
		Kadur District	1	1
		Shimoga District	21	13
		Chitaldroog District	3	3
		Tumkur District	5	5
		Kolar Gold Fields	1	1
		Kolar District	27	20
		TOTAL	120	100
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	153	129
		Bir District	307	265
		Parbhani District	81	71
		Nander District	416	397
		Gulbarga District	11	10
		Raichur District	63	77
		Usmanabad District	402	412
		Bidar District	148	147
		Medak District	182	156
		Nizamabad District	16	14
		Mahbubnagar District	56	68

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Hyderabad City and Suburbs (including Secunderabad)	18	8
		Atrafibalda Sarfikhas District	275	244
		TOTAL	2,193 (a)	1,988 (a)
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Barwani State	2	...
		Indore City	2	1
		Indore State	48	42
		Dhar State	8	5
		Bagli State	3	2
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	71	67
		Gwalior (Residency)	6	5
		Mhow Cantonment	5	2
		Dewas State (Senior Branch)	10	8
		Bhopal State	1	1
		Rewa State	12	11
		TOTAL	169 (b)	144 (b)
RAJPUTANA	...	Ajmer City	179	133
		Ajmer District	6	5
		Merwara District	5	1
		Alwar State	16	8
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State	57	55
		Bharatpur State	55	30
		Tonk State	15	8
		Jaipur State	22	21
		TOTAL	355	270
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	17	14
		TOTAL	17	14
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	14,889	12,013

(a) From the 26th March to the 1st April 1917.
(b) For the week ending 31st March 1917.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 12th April 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. Weather was generally unsettled and numerous duststorms and thunderstorms occurred, chiefly in northwest and northeast India. A disturbance of the winter type entered northwest India on the 8th and gave nearly general rain in the Punjab on the 10th.

2. *Burma.*—Light falls of rain occurred at Victoria Point and at a few places in Upper Burma.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Rainfall was nearly general in Assam on the 5th, 7th and 8th. Local falls of rain occurred in other parts of the division.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—There was nearly general rain in the east of the Central Provinces on the 6th. Rain fell locally in the United Provinces and Central India, and a few falls occurred in the west of the Central Provinces.

Northwest India.—Nearly general rain fell in the east and north Punjab on the 10th, and in the southwest Punjab on the 7th. Local rain fell in Kashmir and Sind, and there were a few falls in Baluchistan and Rajputana.

The Peninsula.—Only a few falls of rain were reported, chiefly from the south.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

April 5th.	Silchar 1·15".
,, 6th.	Sibsagar 0·90", Cherrapunji 2·99", Cox's Bazar 1·33" and Jagdalpur 1·32".
,, 7th.	Dibrugarh 1·25", Sibsagar 1·16", Silchar 1·52", Cherrapunji 1·25" and Simla 0·90".
,, 8th.	Dibrugarh 2·94", Cherrapunji 1·07", Chittagong 3·07", Bikaner 0·22", Hissar 0·33", Karachi 0·40" and Hyderabad (Deccan) 1·45".
,, 9th.	Dibrugarh 3·13", Silchar 2·11". Calcutta 0·88" and Mercara 1·50".
,, 10th.	Dibrugarh 0·91", Cox's Bazar 1·07", Chittagong 1·21", Chakrata 0·95", Simla 1·39", Ludhiana 1·48", Lahore 0·78", Lyallpur 0·82" and Cochin 1·40".
,, 11th.	Sibsagar 3·49" and Bangalore 1·21".

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Lower Burma, Chota Nagpur, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad North and Madras Southeast, and was normal in Upper Burma, Bihar, the United Provinces East, Rajputana East, the Central Provinces and Malabar. No rain usually falls at this time of the year in Gujarat, Berar and the Konkan, but in all the remaining divisions rainfall was 20 per cent or more in excess.

The rainfall from the 1st December to date is within 20 per cent of the normal in the Bay Islands, Upper Burma, Assam and Malabar, and is 20 per cent or more in defect in Bengal, Bihar, Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces West, the Punjab, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana East, Central India East, Madras Southeast and the Madras Coast North. It is 20 per cent or more in excess over the rest of the country.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 12th April 1917.			Rainfall data from 1st December 1916 to 12th April 1917.				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Percentage departure from normal. This week.	Percentage departure from normal. Last week.
Bay Islands . . .	0	0·3	—0·3	10·2	10·0	+0·2	+2	+5
Lower Burma . .	0	0·3	—0·3	3·8	2·3	+1·5	+65	+90
Upper Burma . .	0·2	0·2	0	1·8	1·6	+0·2	+13	+14
Assam	4·4	2·0	+2·4	10·4	9·7	+0·7	+7	—22
Bengal	0·8	0·4	+0·4	2·8	3·8	—1·0	—26	—41
Orissa . . .	0·3	0·2	+0·1	5·0	3·5	+1·5	+43	+42
Chota Nagpur . .	0·1	0·2	—0·1	2·5	3·7	—1·2	—32	—31
Bihar	0·1	0·1	0	1·4	1·9	—0·5	—26	—28
United Provinces, East .	0·1	0·1	0	2·5	2·0	+0·5	+25	+26
United Provinces, West .	0·2	0·1	+0·1	2·4	3·3	—0·9	—27	—31
Punjab, East and North .	1·0	0·2	+0·8	2·1	4·8	—2·7	—56	—76
Punjab, South-West .	0·3	0·1	+0·2	1·0	2·5	—1·5	—60	—71
Kashmir . . .	0·6	0·8	—0·2	6·6	12·8	—6·2	—48	—50
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0·3	—0·3	2·2	4·7	—2·5	—53	—59
Baluchistan . . .	0·1	0·2	—0·1	4·3	5·9	—1·6	—27	—27
Sind	0·2	0·1	+0·1	0·7	1·1	—0·4	—36	—50
Rajputana, West .	0·1	0	+0·1	1·0	0·8	+0·2	+25	—25
Rajputana, East . .	0·1	0·1	0	0·4	1·0	—0·6	—60	—67
Gujarat	0	0	0	0·4	0·2	+0·2	+100	+100
Central India, West .	0·1	0	+0·1	1·1	0·6	+0·5	+83	+67
Central India, East .	0·3	0	+0·3	1·5	2·2	—0·7	—32	—45
Berar	0	0	0	3·3	1·7	+1·6	+94	+94
Central Provinces, West	0·1	0·1	0	3·1	1·9	+1·2	+63	+67
Central Provinces, East .	0·2	0·2	0	4·8	2·9	+1·9	+66	+76
Konkan	0	0	0	1·6	0·1	+1·5	+1500	+1500
Bombay Deccan . .	0	0·1	—0·1	1·1	0·6	+0·5	+83	+120
Hyderabad, North .	0	0·1	—0·1	2·0	1·5	+0·5	+33	+43
Hyderabad, South . .	0·5	0·2	+0·3	4·0	1·3	+2·7	+208	+218
Mysore	0·4	0·2	+0·2	2·5	1·2	+1·3	+108	+110
Malabar . . .	0·6	0·7	—0·1	3·9	4·3	—0·4	—9	—8
Madras, South-East .	0	0·3	—0·3	4·8	7·1	—2·3	—32	—29
Madras Deccan . .	0·3	0·1	+0·2	2·5	0·8	+1·7	+213	+214
Madras Coast, North .	0·2	0·1	+0·1	1·6	3·1	—1·5	—48	—53

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SIMLA;
Dated the 12th April 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 7th April 1917.

Burma.—Practically no rain fell during the week except in the Chin Hills. Ploughing for and sowing of summer rice and harvesting of miscellaneous and island crops are progressing. Standing crops are in good condition. Cattle are generally healthy. The price of unhusked rice at Rangoon has fallen further to Rs. 108 per hundred baskets.

Assam.—The weather is seasonable. Light rain fell in all districts and hail in Goalpara and the Garo Hills. Pressing of sugarcane and burning of *jhums* have been nearly finished. Plucking of tea has commenced in places. Ploughing and sowing of autumn and broadcast winter rice and jute are in progress. Cattle disease is reported from two districts. The price of common rice is practically stationary.

Bengal.—Light and scattered showers fell in parts of the Province. More rain is needed. Preparation of lands for jute and other autumn crops continues but is retarded owing to want of rain. Sowing of jute and autumn paddy is proceeding in the eastern Bengal districts. Harvesting of spring crops is still going on in western Bengal. Prospects of tobacco, summer rice, sugarcane and other standing crops are reported to be fairly satisfactory. Cattle disease is reported from eight districts. The average price of common rice has fallen slightly as compared with that of the previous week.

Bihar and Orissa.—Light rain was fairly general in Orissa and Chota Nagpur. In Bihar there was practically no rain. Harvesting of spring crops continues. Preparation of lands for the next season's crops is going on. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has risen in two districts, fallen in five and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from eleven districts. The number of persons on test works in Singhbhum was 1,238. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—With the exception of light showers in a few districts the week was rainless. Harvesting and threshing of spring crops, sowing and irrigation of sugarcane and extra crops and extraction of opium are still in progress in most parts of the Provinces. Reaping of spring crops, hoeing of cane and weeding of extra crops have commenced in places. Standing crops are doing well and prospects are favourable. The condition of agricultural stock is good and little cattle disease is reported. Fodder and water are sufficient. Markets are well supplied. There was a further fall in prices during the week.

Punjab.—Light rain fell during the week in parts of nearly all the reporting districts and was useful for extra spring crops and sugarcane. The condition and prospects of irrigated wheat and other crops are generally normal and of unirrigated crops below normal. Reaping of spring crops continues. The yield is expected to be normal or slightly below normal on irrigated and below normal or poor on unirrigated areas. Damage to harvested crops by rain and hail is reported from a few districts. Sowings of extra spring crops, sugarcane and cotton continue and are below normal to normal. Cattle are generally healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are generally sufficient though shortage of canal water and of fodder is reported from a few districts. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices are falling slightly and range between normal and scarcity rates except those of autumn grains which range between normal and warning rates. Price of wheat :—Rawalpindi 8¼, Lahore 9¼, Ferozepore and Lyallpur 10 and Ambala 10¼ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—Rain has again fallen throughout the Province. Prospects of standing crops have now much improved. The weather is cloudy and temperate. Pressing of sugarcane still continues in one tahsil with outturn above average. Sowing of extra spring crops and sugarcane is proceeding in some districts. The condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The public health is good. Prices of food stuffs are high. The price of wheat in Peshawar was 8¹³⁄₁₆ and in Dera Ismail Khan 8⅛ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8 to 12 and maize from 18 to 25 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is below average. There is no cattle disease. Fodder is insufficient in certain places.

Kashmir.—The rainfall during the week was good. Standing crops are in fair condition. Fodder is sufficient. Irrigation is average. Prices are normal. Cattle are generally healthy.

Rajputana.—The weather is cloudy and becoming hot. The rainfall during the week was 43 cents in Jaisalmer, 36 cents in Tonk and 22 cents in Kotah. Slight showers were received in Marwar, Bharatpur and Ajmer. Harvesting of spring crops is in progress. Standing crops are generally in good condition. Agricultural stock is generally healthy except in parts of Dungarpur, Kotah, Kishengarh and Bharatpur where cattle disease is reported. Water and fodder are ample. Prices continue to fall in Tonk, Bharatpur, Alwar and Ajmer-Merwara. Elsewhere they are stationary or rising slightly.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was partial in Gwalior and Bundelkhand. Spring crops are being harvested and threshed everywhere. Land is being prepared for autumn crops in Indore. Standing crops are in good condition and their probable outturn is good. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are high in Bhopal and steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather has been warm and cloudy with local storms. Hail fell in places but no serious damage has been reported. Reaping and threshing of spring crops are in rapid progress and winnowing has commenced in places. The condition of standing crops is generally good and prospects are favourable. Fodder and water are ample. Cattle are faring well The price of wheat continues to fall.

Feudatory States.—Four States received light showers. Spring crops are being gathered.

Bombay.—Slight rain fell during the week in Karachi, Larkana, Hyderabad, Nawabshah, Sholapur, Satara and the Karnatak. Standing crops are thriving. Harvesting continues. Cotton picking is progressing in Gujarat, West Khandesh, Satara, the Karnatak, Kathiawar, Rewa Kantha, Baroda and Kolhapur. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Thar and Parkar, Kaira and the Panch Mahals. Prices of food grains are generally steady though fluctuating in some districts.

Hyderabad.—During the week isolated but somewhat heavy showers were received in parts of the Warangal district. The highest fall was 3 inches 20 cents in the Khammam taluka The average fall was 19 cents. The rainfall injured the crops which are being harvested. Harvesting of spring crops is almost over. Late rice is being weeded in a few places and the crop is generally fair to good. Cattle disease prevails in eleven talukas. Prices of grains are almost constant. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 8 seers per rupee in Warangal and the lowest 26¾ seers per rupee in Usmanabad.

Mysore.—Rainfall practically *nil* Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of the harvested sugarcane, paddy and *ragi* is fair. Ploughing operations and sowings of paddy and sugarcane are in progress in parts. Prospects of the season are good Cattle are healthy in the greater part of the State. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 1 inch 63 cents. Coffee is in blossom throughout the Province. Prices of food grains are slightly lower. The public health is fair. Cattle disease is subsiding. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was light to fair in Ganjam, Vizagapatam, Bellary, Sandur, Ramnad, Tinnevelly, the Nilgiris and the west coast except South Kanara and *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally except in parts of one district where they have been damaged slightly by rain and in parts of two others where they are withering or require rain. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowing of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water-supply is insufficient in parts of Godavari, Bellary, Anantapur, Nellore, South Arcot and the southern and central parts except Coimbatore and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is insufficient in three districts and in parts of twelve others. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

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Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

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No. B. R.-546.—Preliminary Account of Receipts and Disbursements of the Government of India for the first ten months of 1916-1917 as compared with the corresponding period of 1915-1916.

ENGLAND.						RECEIPTS.	INDIA.					
WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO JANUARY.					WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO JANUARY.			
Accounts, 1915-1916.	Revised, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.		Accounts, 1915-1916.	Revised, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.
£	£	£	£	£	£	**Revenue.**	R	R	R	R	R	R
						PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Land Revenue (including that due to Irrigation)	35,70,73,000	35,64,86,000	21,99,69,000	22,87,85,000	85,16,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Opium	2,27,03,000	4,72,97,000	2,22,47,000	3,72,38,000	1,49,91,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Salt	5,47,14,000	7,17,89,000	4,28,84,000	5,95,73,000	1,66,89,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Stamps	8,15,04,000	8,70,14,000	6,48,29,000	7,03,92,000	55,63,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Excise	12,94,83,000	13,72,36,000	10,35,00,000	11,06,03,000	71,03,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Customs	8,81,08,000	12,93,86,000	6,89,20,000	10,63,60,000	3,74,40,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Other Heads	8,00,16,000	10,63,92,000	6,09,50,000	8,25,82,000	2,16,32,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	TOTAL PRINCIPAL HEADS	81,96,01,000	93,56,02,000	58,32,99,000	69,55,33,000	11,22,34,000	...
204,100	261,400	171,400	542,500	371,100	...	Interest	1,33,85,000	1,27,31,000	90,38,000	87,04,000		3,34,000
19,200	44,400	18,800	29,700	1,900	...	Posts and Telegraphs and Mint	5,80,53,000	7,13,53,000	4,66,15,000	5,30,35,000	64,20,000	...
1,100	1,300	600	800	200	...	Receipts by Civil Departments	2,36,82,000	2,53,94,000	1,81,99,000	1,92,89,000	10,90,000	...
66,400	66,300	67,500	45,500	...	22,000	Miscellaneous	91,96,000	1,11,08,000	51,81,000	92,86,000	41,05,000	...
74,500	184,300	74,000	184,300	110,300	...	Railways	57,28,97,000	62,24,42,000	46,05,81,000	51,14,63,000	5,08,82,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Irrigation (excluding Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	4,30,50,000	4,83,59,000	3,42,99,000	3,59,63,000	16,64,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Other Public Works	45,61,000	47,01,000	38,92,000	38,37,000	4,45,000	...
339,900	331,900	240,900	215,700	...	25,200	Military Receipts	1,35,28,000	1,70,68,000	91,79,000	1,24,54,000	32,75,000	...
705,200	889,600	572,200	1,009,500	436,300	...	TOTAL REVENUE	1,55,99,83,000	1,74,87,55,000	1,16,97,83,000	1,34,95,64,000	17,97,81,000	...
						Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Capital subscribed by Native States towards outlay on State Railways.	10,00,000	10,00,000	10,00,000	...	...	10,00,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Capital of Railway Companies (net Receipts)	1,45,69,000	20,40,000	86,07,000	25,26,000	...	60,81,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	TOTAL	1,55,69,000	30,40,000	96,07,000	25,26,000	...	70,81,000
						Debt, Deposits and Advances.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Permanent Debt (net incurred)	4,93,32,000	10,78,86,000	4,93,44,000	6,44,62,000	1,51,18,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Temporary do. (do.)	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Unfunded do. (do.)	1,34,98,000	2,51,24,000	45,03,000	1,47,24,000	1,02,21,000	...
5,789,400	862,700	6,062,800	716,400	...	5,346,400	Deposits and Advances (net)	...	59,09,000	...	1,96,33,000	1,96,33,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans and advances by Imperial Government	78,64,000	42,20,000	24,56,000	41,46,000	16,90,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. by Provincial Governments	2,33,40,000	2,18,37,000	1,79,60,000	1,55,47,000	...	24,13,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans to Local Boards	1,16,000	1,20,000	74,000	77,000	3,000	...
21,408,500	16,720,300	14,526,700	14,741,100	214,400	...	Remittances (net)	...	...	...	...	...	...
4,596,100	9,669,000	5,177,800	7,333,000	2,155,200	...	Secretary of State's bills drawn	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Drafts on London (net)	7,00,20,000	...	7,00,20,000	...	...	7,00,20,000
31,788,000	27,252,000	25,767,300	22,790,500	...	2,976,800	TOTAL	16,36,70,000	16,45,96,000	14,43,57,000	11,85,89,000	...	2,57,68,000
32,493,200	28,141,600	26,340,500	23,800,000	...	2,540,500	TOTAL RECEIPTS	1,73,92,22,000	1,91,63,91,000	1,32,37,47,000	1,47,06,79,000	14,69,32,000	
7,913,200	12,803,300	7,913,200	12,803,300	4,890,100	...	Opening Balance	22,16,90,000	18,02,41,000	22,16,90,000	18,02,41,000	...	4,14,49,000
40,406,400	40,944,900	34,253,700	36,603,300	2,349,600	...	GRAND TOTAL	1,96,09,12,000	2,09,66,32,000	1,54,54,37,000	1,65,09,20,000	10,54,83,000	...

ENGLAND							INDIA					
WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO JANUARY.				DISBURSEMENTS.	WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO JANUARY.			
Accounts, 1915-1916.	Revised, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.		Accounts, 1915-1916.	Revised, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.
£	£	£	£	£	£	**Expenditure.**	R	R	R	R	R	R
97,900	113,700	84,700	102,600	17,900	...	Direct Demands on the Revenues	14,05,41,000	14,06,70,000	10,82,81,000	11,78,06,000	95,27,000	...
2,316,600	1,987,800	2,322,800	1,987,800	...	335,000	Interest (including in India that on Capital Expenditure on Railways and Irrigation Works)	6,72,29,000	6,72,03,000	4,84,84,000	4,86,81,000	1,97,000	...
150,100	354,000	118,500	271,400	152,900	...	Posts and Telegraphs and Mint	4,63,34,000	5,00,11,000	3,54,41,000	3,31,15,000	...	23,26,000
379,800	495,400	326,500	422,800	96,300	...	Salaries and Expenses of Civil Departments	27,73,27,000	28,70,20,000	22,09,51,000	22,37,16,000	27,65,000	...
2,469,700	2,559,900	2,125,100	2,161,100	36,000	...	Miscellaneous Civil Charges	3,93,85,000	4,19,51,000	3,39,82,000	3,82,00,000	42,18,000	...
5,600	2,200	5,600	1,000	...	4,600	Famine Relief and Insurance	1,49,17,000	1,49,67,000	60,34,000	68,13,000	7,79,000	...
9,378,200	9,583,400	9,055,300	9,248,300	193,000	...	Railway Revenue Account (excluding in India interest on Capital Expenditure)	30,79,47,000	31,45,19,000	25,23,41,000	25,75,49,000	52,08,000	...
127,600	128,600	127,300	128,500	1,200	...	Irrigation Revenue Account (excluding in India interest on Capital Expenditure)	3,40,42,000	3,27,91,000	2,48,73,000	2,34,54,000	...	14,19,000
50,100	52,000	42,600	46,200	3,600	...	Other Public Works	8,10,24,000	6,94,67,000	6,01,94,000	4,91,46,000	...	1,10,48,000
5,133,500	5,867,400	3,669,500	3,980,100	310,600	...	Military Services	27,55,44,000	31,13,61,000	15,44,35,000	18,03,71,000	2,59,36,000	...
20,109,100	21,213,400	17,877,900	18,319,300	471,900	...	TOTAL EXPENDITURE, IMPERIAL AND PROVINCIAL	1,28,47,90,000	1,32,99,63,000	94,50,16,000	97,88,53,000	3,38,37,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	*Add*—Provincial Surpluses, that is portion of allotments to Provincial Governments not spent by them in the year	+50,36,000	+2,46,18,000	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	*Deduct*—Provincial Deficits, that is portion of Provincial Expenditure defrayed from Provincial balances	−30,72,000	−5,12,000	...	...	...	...
20,109,100	21,213,400	17,877,900	18,349,800	471,900	...	TOTAL EXPENDITURE CHARGED AGAINST REVENUE	1,28,67,54,000	1,35,40,69,000	94,50,16,000	97,88,53,000	3,38,37,000	...
						Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue.						
889,200	329,900	802,900	230,900	...	572,000	Capital outlay on Railways and Irrigation Works	1,84,15,000	2,33,03,000	23,02,000	1,39,32,000	1,16,30,000	...
1,017,800	459,700	866,100	289,000	...	577,100	Capital of Railway Companies (net payments)	...	...	...	...	...	...
9,900	22,300	6,300	15,700	9,100	...	Initial expenditure on new Capital at Delhi	48,21,000	36,66,000	42,13,000	30,10,000	...	12,03,000
1,916,900	811,900	1,675,200	535,500	.	1,139,700	TOTAL	2,32,36,000	2,69,69,000	65,15,000	1,69,42,000	1,04,27,000	...
						Debt Deposits and Advances.						
909,000	500,000	907,500	499,900	...	407,600	Permanent Debt (net discharged)	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	7,000,000	...	7,000,000	7,000,000	...	Temporary do. (do.)	4,50,00,000	6,00,00,000	...	75,00,000	75,00,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Unfunded do. (do.)	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Deposits and Advances (net)	3,37,000	...	6,39,25,000	...	...	6,39,25,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans and advances by Imperial Government	71,37,000	47,85,000	17,96,000	18,09,000	13,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. by Provincial Governments	1,87,17,000	1,31,25,000	1,56,66,000	98,98,000	...	57,68,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Remittances (net)	32,17,84,000	28,03,06,000	26,84,68,000	36,57,40,000	9,72,72,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Secretary of State's Bills paid	7,56,93,000	12,86,36,000	7,96,03,000	9,01,50,000	1,05,47,000	...
4,668,000	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. do. exchange	−9,97,000	−43,95,000	−4,81,000	−33,12,000	...	28,31,000
..	...	4,668,000	...	...	4,668,000	Drafts on London (net)	...	...	...	...	...	...
5,577,000	7,500,000	5,575,500	7,499,900	1,924,400	...	TOTAL	47,06,81,000	45,84,54,000	42,89,77,000	47,17,85,000	4,28,08,000	...
27,603,000	29,525,300	25,128,600	26,385,200	1,256,600	...	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	1,78,06,71,000	1,83,94,92,000	1,38,05,08,000	1,46,75,80,000	8,70,72,000	...
12,803,400	11,419,600	9,125,100	10,218,100	1,093,000	...	Closing Balance	18,02,41,000	23,71,40,000	16,49,29,000	18,33,40,000	1,84,11,000	...
40,406,400	40,944,900	34,253,700	36,603,300	2,349,600	...	GRAND TOTAL	1,96,09,12,000	2,09,66,32,000	1,54,54,37,000	1,65,09,20,000	10,54,83,000	...

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Calcutta, the 12th April 1917.

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THE PATENT OFFICE.

PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 14th April 1917.

APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

April 2.

2997. Hari Shanker. *Lid elevator for surgical use.*

2998. E. E. Lucy. *Improvements relating to steam superheaters for locomotives and other boilers.*

April 3.

2999. T. N. Coressy. *Improvements in auxiliary air admission devices for internal combustion engines.*

3000. J. B. Erwin and O. R. Erwin. *Improvements in and relating to chemical fire extinguishers.*

April 4.

3001. R. Ker. *Cooling solution for corrugated galvanized roofing and walls.*

3002. R. Ker. *Putty for stopping leaks on corrugated roofs caused by leaky rivets, bolts, rents and faulty joints in sheets, gutters, downtake pipes, etc.*

3003. J. J. Lassen and V. F. Hjort. *Improvements in or relating to the outlet or extraction pipes of filters.*

3004. J. J. Lassen and V. F. Hjort. *Improvements in or relating to the softening and purification of water.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

Notice is hereby given that all persons interested in opposing the grant of a Patent on any one of the applications, referred to below, may, at any time within three months of the date of this *Gazette of India*, give notice at the Patent Office in the prescribed form No. 5 of such opposition.

Printed copies of the specifications in the following list will be on sale at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, within about three weeks.

Any one desiring a copy posted to an address in British India should send to the Patent Office the sum of annas eight by money-order on which the number of the application should be stated on the coupon at the foot of the order.

2498. A. J. Roberts and J. N. Parker. *Selective telephone receiver for amplifying wireless and buzzer signals.*

2922. C. Bell. *Improved automatic sprinkler.*

2971. H. L. T. Wolfe. *Improvements in or relating to a process or method of uniting similar or dissimilar metals or alloys by electric welding.*

2972. H. L. T. Wolfe. *Improvements in or relating to the construction of drills and other cutters for machine tools.*

2975. W. S. Sinclair. *Improved automatic combined alarm and door guard communication on the vacuum brake of railway trains for the protection of passengers and goods.*

2977. W. Palliser. *An improved portable building.*

2979. H. L. T. Wolfe. *An improved imperforate oil cup and means for securing same to the spindle lubricated thereby.*

2980. J. Flint. *New and improved compound for use principally in lieu of rubber.*

2981. W. A. Fraymouth. *Dry concentration of tannin and the like.*

2982. C. A. Williams and W. H. Deakin. *Improvements in railway facing point lock bars.*

2983. M. P. Kharegat. *Latrine.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

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2807. G. N. Barooah. *Improvements in and relating to tea and manufacture thereof.*

2842. E. V. Wilkinson. *An improved disinfector and deodoriser.*

2897. H. Shanker. *Lens-lifting forceps for surgical use.*

2919. Metal Corroders Ld. *Process for periodically drenching a material with a liquid and thereafter draining it therefrom.*

2945. A. Lines. *Improvements in metal sleepers for railroads.*

SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

Notice is hereby given that a patent may now be sealed on the applications referred to below. If it is desired that a patent should be sealed, a request on the prescribed form No. 7, accompanied by the fee, R30, should be sent to the Controller of Patents, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta.

2810. Arno.
2821. Barker.
2823. Karmokar.
2826. Griffin.
2828. Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co., Ld.
2829. Lemaire.
2830. Sutcliffe.
2831. Sutcliffe.
2833. Fletcher and Birch
2834. Gunn.
2835. Knight.
2837. Roscoe.

PATENTS SEALED.

2764. Samuel Fox & Co. Ld.
2814. Stocks.
2816. Hodges and Jackson.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

189 of 1908. Lamson Paragon Supply Co. Ld. (To 22 June 1918.)
484 of 1908. Preston and anr. (To 30 April 1918.)
682 of 1909. Crawford. (To 21 April 1918.)
38 of 1910. Robertson. (To 7 February 1918.)
321 of 1910. Sharafdin. (To 6 April 1918.)
84 of 1912. Mead. (To 15 February 1918.)
169 of 1912. Robinson. (To 2 April 1918.)
171 of 1912. DaCosta. (To 3 April 1918.)
177 of 1912. Raitt. (To 9 April 1918.)
180 or 1912. Corthesy and ors. (To 11 April 1918.)
235 of 1912. Lobnitz & Co. Ld. (To 13 May 1918.)
236 of 1912. Lobnitz & Co. Ld. (To 13 May 1918.)
386 of 1912. Broden and anr. (To 22 July 1918.)
387 of 1912. Broden and anr. (To 22 July 1918.)
388 of 1912. Broden and anr. (To 22 July 1918.)
784 of 1913. Dunn Manufacturing Co. (To 24 February 1918.)
828 of 1913. Davidson and ors. (To 10 March 1918.)
829 of 1913. Davidson and ors. (To 10 March 1918.)
830 of 1913. Davidson and ors. (To 10 March 1918.)
867 of 1913. Kowastch and anr. (To 31 March 1918.)

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1908.

180. (Dubern.)

1913.

681. (Lowe.) 683. (Wolff.)

EXTENSION OF COPYRIGHT IN DESIGN.

Class 13. Nos. 79 to 82 of 1912. E. B. Redmayne & Sons and assigned to Anderson Wright & Co., 22 Strand Road, Calcutta. May 8, 1912. (Copyright in designs extended for five years.)

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DESIGNS ENTERED ON THE REGISTER.

April 2nd to 7th 1917.

Class 13. Nos. 5496 to 5516. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James' Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. April 2.

Class 15. Nos. 5517 to 5519. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James' Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. April 2.

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Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

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4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
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M. Thakur Das Pahwa	Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

JULLUNDUR.

M. Karam Chand	C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Suddar Bazaar, Jullundur Cantonment.

KARACHI.

M. Mukhtar Ahmad	Bori Bazar Camp, Karachi.
M. Anandram Thadamal	Regimental Munshi, Norfolk Regiment, Garrikhata, Karachi.

KASAULI.

M. Anand Sarup	Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

KOLHAPUR.

Pt. Vasudeo Damodar Kulkarni	112, Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

KULTI.

M. S. M. Shahabuddin	Kulti, E. I. Railway.

LAHORE.

M. Sham Lal Bhargava	Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.
M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani	Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
M. Mohd. Khalil-ur-Rahman, Sabri	Mohalla Sammian, Chhawni Manawala, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
M. Mool Chand Saihgal	Regimental Munshi, 1/5th Devonshire Regiment, Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.

LEBONG.

M. Farhat Ali Suhail	Hill Sanitarium, Lebong.

LUCKNOW.

M. Abdul Alim	Near the Police Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil)	Near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.
M. Abdul Karim	C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Lucknow.

MURREE HILLS.

M. S. C. Bagchi	Munshi, Lawrence Government European School, Ghoragali, P. O. Murree Hills.

MUSSOORIE.

M. H. Ahmad Fakhriey	Islamia School, Mussoorie.

NAINI TAL.

M. Faqir Ulla	St: Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

M. Muhammad Din	Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).

PATNA.

M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi	Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

M. Ahmed Din	Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
M. Abdur Rahim	Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

M. Mohd. Rahim Shah	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Ahmed Bux	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. S. Karim Bukhsh	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Mohd. Ishaq	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Mohamed Sarwar	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
Pt. Sita Ram Mehta	Hindustani Instructor, Cadet College.
Pt. Hirday Narayan	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Syed Inam Ali	Mission Road, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

M. Ghulam Muhiuddin	R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
M. Ghulam Rasul	Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan	C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.
M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh, Gyani, Munshi Fazil	Officers' Munshi, Ahata Sultan, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

M. Fazl-i-Haq	Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

M. Ajab Shah Anand	Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

In addition to the above, the following, who were examined in Urdu previous to the institution of the examination mentioned in the above India Army Order, are also, in the opinion of the Board of Examiners, qualified to teach:—

M. Mohd. Arif	Camp Bareilly.
M. Reza Ali Wahshat, M.R.A.S.	2/1/2, Tiljala, 1st Lane, Ballygunge, Calcutta.
M. Badru-z-Zaman	212/1, Linton Street, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Badi	5, Ramsanker Roy Lane, Calcutta.
M. A. M. F. Wahhab	Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, 34, Collin Street, Calcutta.
M. Habibun Nabi Khan Saulat	5, Mehar Ali Road, Ballygunge, Calcutta.
M. Akmal Ali Akmal	25, Nur Ali's Lane, P. O. Entally, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Karim Nashtar	1, Jhowtollah Lane, Ballygunge, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Shuaib	Arabic Teacher, Zilla School, Mozufferpore.

N.B.—It is requested that Munshis who have passed this examination, and whose names do not appear above, should communicate their present addresses to the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta, so that their names may be published also

Whenever any munshi changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

CALCUTTA,
The 26th February 1917.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID AND QUINOIDINE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 8½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid or Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. P. system,* AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1917 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	R
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	29 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	30 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tin.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb. Weg. 3 lbs. Postage Re. 0 10 0
,, ,, 2 ,, ,, 6 ,, ,, Re. 1 0 0
,, ,, 3 ,, ,, 9 ,, ,, Re. 1 8 0

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 11th April 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 7th April 1917.

	Total amount of notes in circulation.			Reserve. Coin and Bullion. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		Securities (Purchase price).		Total.	Remarks.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	Total.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta	69,96,000	29,59,96,575	30,69,92,575	5,87,27,271	1,09,76,790	78,80,273	6,67,50,000	13,36,772	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 38,49,19,195	63,05,90,247	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R39,99,21,571. (c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R29,99,19,195.
Cawnpore	...	2,04,80,520	2,04,80,520	1,30,95,839	94,25,002	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,25,20,841	
Lahore	...	7,11,87,085	7,11,87,085	1,70,14,140	1,88,64,285	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,58,78,425	
Bombay	5,47,385	24,78,82,355	24,84,29,740	2,67,82,958	5,12,45,815	94,55,590	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,74,84,363	
Karachi	...	3,28,29,795	3,28,29,795	53,38,438	36,81,030	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90,19,468	
Madras	17,06,420	9,90,92,675	10,07,99,095	1,76,68,880	1,17,69,630	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,94,38,510	
Rangoon	...	6,93,83,240	6,93,53,240	1,66,31,021	98,76,330	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,65,07,351	
	92,49,805	84,08,62,245	85,01,12,050	15,53,58,547	11,58,38,882	1,73,35,863	6,67,50,000	13,36,772	...	...	9,99,99,946	38,49,19,195	84,14,34,205	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			91,54,845	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									4,77,000	
Total Circulation R			84,09,57,205	Total Reserve R									84,09,57,205	

Gold worth £43,000 (Rs. 6,45,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 7th April 1917.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 7th April 1917 to 22 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Controller of Currency.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1ST TO 7TH APRIL 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.			Coinage for Ceylon Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.														
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance	Receipt of Bullion for coinage	Coined and paid over.	Closing balance
Calcutta	4	...	...	4	10	...	10	...	(a) 20	19	...	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
Bombay	...	...	...	...	23	...	23	...	(b) 91	...	4	98	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 85 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(b) Exclusive of 79 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint;
Calcutta, the 11th April 1917.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 10th April 1917.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up				2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	2,13,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* .	63,00,000	0	0			
				1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				63,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	3,62,13,091	15	11			
Public Deposits at Branches	2,03,89,406	4	10	5,66,02,498	4	9
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches . . .				22,13,32,289	0	5
Bank Post Bills, etc. . .				14,10,984	7	0
Sundries				20,02,648	11	4
RUPEES .				32,26,48,420	7	6

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities . .				6,61,76,032	12	0
Other authorized Investments .				1,21,18,315	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .				6,41,26,613	12	7
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities				4,04,42,660	10	5
Bills discounted and purchased				2,33,16,176	0	11
Balances with other Banks .				27,77,253	10	5
Bullion				......		
Dead Stock				29,71,664	8	2
Stamps				11,757	10	1
Sundries				7,16,705	12	7
				21,26,57,179	13	2
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	6,36,12,984	12	4			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches †	4,63,78,255	14	0	10,99,91,240	10	4
RUPEES .				32,26,48,420	7	6

			Rs.	A.	P.
* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs.,	value	Rs.	3,51,307	8	0
† Do. do.	do.	,,	5,18,782	8	0
		Rs.	8,70,090	0	0

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 12th April 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 39·09

NOTICE.

The Book Depôt attached to the Office of the Superintendent, Government Printing, India, will be closed from the 1st to 15th May inclusive, for the purpose of Stock-taking.

J. J. MEIKLE,
Superintendent, Government Printing, India.

8, HASTINGS STREET,
CALCUTTA,
The 29th March 1917.

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CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

Examination qualifying for admission to the fourth grade of the Accounts Branch of the Public Works Department.

The examination will be conducted by the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, on June 4th and 5th, 1917, at the following centres :—

Centres.	Registering officer.
(1) The Civil Engineering College, Sibpur. (There is no other centre at Calcutta).	For candidates registered by— The Accountant-General, Bengal. The Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs. The Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal State Railway. The Government Examiner of Accounts, East Indian Railway. The Government Examiner of Accounts, Bengal Nagpur Railway. For candidates outside Government service over 25 years of age registered by the Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
(2) Office of the Accountant-General, Bihar and Orissa, Ranchi.	For candidates registered by the Accountant-General, Bihar and Orissa.
(3) The Office of the Comptroller, Assam, Shillong.	For candidates registered by him.
(4) The Office of the Accountant-General, Burma, Rangoon.	Ditto ditto.
(5) The Office of the Government Examiner of Railway Accounts, Chittagong.	Ditto ditto.
(6) The Office of the Accountant-General, Railways, Simla.	Ditto ditto.

Candidates must apply for registration to one of the Government officials on the above list. Those over 25 years of age not in Government service must apply for registration to the Principal only.

Applications *on the prescribed form* must reach the office of the registering officer not later than May 4th, 1917. Each must be accompanied by a fee of Rs. 10, and the following certificates in original, or true copies of them certified by an officer of the Engineer or Accounts Branch. These certificates will not be returned :—

(*i*) Certificate of good character signed by applicant's immediate official superior, or by the instructor under whom he has been educated, or by some other superior under whom he may have been brought up or employed, or to whom he may be well known. (This certificate must have special reference to the two years immediately preceding the application.)

(*ii*) Certificate of age, baptismal or of birth (not required, if the candidate is already in permanent Government employ).

(*iii*) Certificate that the application is in the candidate's own handwriting.

Copies of rules may be had on application from the undersigned.

B. HEATON,

Principal.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR,

The March 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS—REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

G. O. No. Press 957 Revenue, dated 2nd April 1917.

READ the following papers :—

G. O. No. 607 Revenue, dated 27th February 1917.

From the Government Solicitor, Madras, No. 444, dated 26th March 1917.

ORDER :—The agreement has been executed by the Secretary to Government (Revenue Department) on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council and will be published in the Fort St. George Gazette, and a copy transmitted for publication in the Gazette of India under section 42 of the Land Acquisition Act I of 1894.

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(True Extract.)
A. R. KNAPP,
Acting Secretary to Government.

AGREEMENT made the thirtieth day of March One thousand nine hundred and seventeen Between THE BANK OF MADRAS constituted under the Presidency Banks Act 1876 and carrying on business at North Beach Road Madras and elsewhere (hereinafter called "the Bank") of the one part and THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INDIA IN COUNCIL (hereinafter called "the Secretary of State") of the other part WHEREAS upon the application of the Bank the Government of Madras by order No. 607 Revenue, dated the twenty-seventh day of February One thousand nine hundred and seventeen has agreed to acquire on behalf of the Bank under the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act 1894 the piece of land described and delineated respectively in the schedule and plan hereto annexed and situated at Cochin it having been shown to the satisfaction of the said Government that the proposed acquisition is needed for the construction of a work likely to prove useful to the public namely the construction of a building on the said piece of land suitable for the purposes of a Branch office of the Bank to have the custody and management on behalf of the Secretary of State of cashing and issuing universal currency notes for the public and of other public treasury business which may be entrusted to the Bank by the said Government and for the erection whenever required of new buildings as additions for the aforesaid purpose from time to time AND WHEREAS the said Government has called upon the Bank under the provisions of Section 41 of the said Act to enter into the agreement with the Secretary of State hereinafter contained.

NOW THESE PRESENTS WITNESS that it is hereby agreed and declared as follows :—

1. The Bank shall pay to the Government of Madras before the said land is transferred to the Bank the cost of the said land and all costs of the acquisition inclusive of all payments and allowances in respect thereof payable under the said Act.
2. Upon such payment by the Bank the Secretary of State shall execute and do all such acts deeds matters and things as may be necessary for proper for effectually vesting the said land acquired in the Bank and giving the Bank an absolute title thereto.
3. The terms upon which the said land shall be held by the Bank are that the Bank shall construct buildings on the said piece of land suitable for the purpose of a Branch office of the Bank to have the custody and management on behalf of the Secretary of State of cashing and issuing universal currency notes for the public and of other public treasury business which may be entrusted to the Bank by the said Government and if necessary erect new additions from time to time for the aforesaid purpose and so long as the Bank shall carry on the business of banking at Cochin shall maintain the said buildings and use the same or the business portion thereof as a branch of the Bank and for the purpose aforesaid or for such purposes as the Bank may from time to time be under agreement with the said Government to perform.
4. That new buildings shall be erected as aforesaid within three years from the date when the said land shall have been transferred to the Bank and that the Bank so long as it shall continue to carry on the business of banking at Cochin shall maintain and keep the said buildings in proper repair and condition.
5. That the customers of the Bank and other persons resorting thereto on business with the Bank shall be entitled to such right of ingress egress and regress during business hours as may be necessary and proper for their businses but otherwise the public shall not be entitled to the use of the said land or the buildings to be erected thereon.

IN WITNESS whereof the corporate seal of the Bank of Madras hath hereunto been affixed in the presence of Sir Hugh Stein Fraser and Alec Fleming Buchanan being two of the Directors and of Sir William Bernard Hunter Secretary and Treasurer of the said Bank and Arthur Rowland Knapp Secretary to the Government of Madras in the Revenue Department for and on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year first above written.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO

Registration district.	Registration sub-district.	Boundaries, etc.	Area.
Cochin . . .	Cochin . . .	Survey number— Revenue survey 607—2-A. Boundaries— North S. No. 607—2-B. South S. No. 608. East S. No. 563. West S. No. 609.	Acs. 0·38.

The Corporate Seal of the Bank of Madras was hereunto affixed and Sir Hugh Stein Fraser and Alec Fleming Buchanan being two of the Directors of the said Bank and Sir William Bernard Hunter the Secretary and Treasurer thereof have hereunto set their hands in token of their presence at the affixing of the said seal in the presence of—

H. S. FRASER,
A. F. BUCHANAN,
Directors.

W. B. HUNTER,
Secretary and Treasurer.

JAS. S. ROSE,
Bank of Madras.

A. McCULLOCH,
Bank of Madras.

SIGNED sealed and delivered by Arthur Rowland Knapp on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council in the presence of—

A. R. KNAPP,
Secy. to Govt. Rev. Deptt.

A. S. RAMANATHAN,
Clerk, Revenue Secretariat.

S. J. AUGUSTUS,
Clerk, Revenue Secretariat.

INDIA METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 5th April 1917.

No. 1497-S.—Dr. T. Royds, Assistant Director, Kodaikanal and Madras Observatories, was granted an extension of privilege leave from the 4th to the 8th January 1917, and Mr. S. Sitarama Aiyar, First Assistant, Kodaikanal Solar Physics Observatory, continued to act for him during this period.

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director-General of Observatories.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Errata.

Make the following corrections in this office Notification No. 1865-C. & I., dated the 12th March 1917, printed at page 473 of Part II of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 17th idem :—

(1) In clause (*c*) of rule 1 *for* "hundred" *read* "Maund."

(2) In the third line of clause (*a*) of rule 2, *for* "State" *read* "States."

(3) In the first line of clause (2) of rule 3, *for* "sale" *read* "sell."

Make the following corrections in this office Notification No. 1868-C. & I., dated the 12th March 1917, printed at pages 474—478 of Part II of the *Gazette of India*, dated 17th idem :—

(1) In the preamble *for* "section" *read* "sections."

(2) In the second line of rule 3, *for* "forms" *read* "form."

(3) In the first line of rule 5 *for* "uuder" *read* "under."

(4) In entry 5 of form H-24 (*c*) *for* "Nmae" *read* "Name."

Make the following corrections in the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 1949-C. & I., dated the 14th March 1917, printed at pages 482—490 of Part II of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 17th March 1917 :—

Rule 5.—In the first line *for* "vent" *read* "vend"; and in the 3rd line *for* "fiancial" *substitute* "financial."

Rule 6.—In the third line *for* "druge" *read* "drugs"; and in the last line, *for* "Chief Commissioners" *substitute* "Chief Commissioner."

Rule 8.—In the last line *for* "Cemmissioner" *substitute* "Commissioner."

Rule 9.—In the second line, *for* "beeu" and "liceuse" *read* "been" and "license."

Rule 10.—In the last line, *for* "preceeding" *read* "preceding."

Form H.-25.—*For* fullstop, at the end of the first line of condition 1, *insert* a comma and in the first line of condition 6 *for* "rule" *read* "rules."

Form H.-26.—In the heading *for* "Rule (*b*)" "*read* Rule 1 (*b*)"; and from condition 3(*b*) *omit* the words "or to a person holding a permit authorising him, to purchase charas for removal into a Native State."

Form H.-27.—In the first line of condition 16 *for* "this" *read* "these."

Form H.-28.—In the fourth line of condition 4 *for* "elewhere" *read* "elsewhere."

In the first line of condition 12, *insert* "of" between the words "and" and "his."

In the second footnote, 2nd line, *for* "to" *read* "ten."

Form H.-29.—*After* the word "any" in the first line of condition 10 *insert* the mark "‡."

Make the following corrections in the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 1943-C. & I., dated the 14th March 1917, printed at page 481 of Part II of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 17th idem :—

In the fifth line of the preamble, *for* "1916" *read* "1915."

In the 14th line of the amendments, *for* "propse" *read* "propose."

Delhi, the 4th April 1917.

No. 2645-*C. & I.*—Under the authority vested in him by rule 49 (3) of the rules issued under section 5 of the Opium Act, I of 1878, with his Notification No. 1041-C. & I., dated the 7th February 1917, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to add the following proviso to condition 6 of the form of retail license for the vend of opium and poppy heads (form O-14), prescribed in the Notification from this office No. 1723-C. & I., dated the 5th March 1917 :—

"Provided that he may sell pure opium and poppy heads in greater quantities at a time than two tolas and two sers, respectively, to a medical practitioner or a licensed druggist, but only in such quantities as such medical practitioner or licensed druggist may be entitled to possess."

Delhi, the 5th April 1917.

No. 2703-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for week ending 31st March 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi . .	225,471	95	74	169	76	83	159	...	...	...	71	10	56	...	22	...	30	32	62	38·98	36·67
	Notified Area	3,673	2	2	4	2	3	5	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	56·62	70·78
	Total .	229,144	97	76	173	78	86	164	...	...	...	76	10	56	...	22	...	31	33	64	39·25	37·21

No. 2710-*C. & I.*—The following return of wholesale and retail prices current in Delhi Province are published for information :—

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the head-quarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending the 31st March 1917. (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82⅔ LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees. Rs. A. P.	ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees. Rs. A. P.
Rice, unhusked	...	Cotton seed	2 15 0
,, husked	5 10 0	Ghi	56 8 0
Wheat	4 7 0	Flour (Wheat)	4 12 0
Barley	3 3 0	Tobacco Leaf (dry)	8 0 0
Oats	...	Turmeric (unground)	17 0 0
Jowar	2 12 0	Salt	2 2 0
Bajra	2 12 0	Raw Hides (Cow)	70 0 0
Maize	2 9 0	Bran	2 4 0
Gram	2 15 6	Grass (dry)	1 0 0
Arhar Dâl	3 12 0	Bhusa (white)	1 2 0
Linseed	6 0 0	Jowar Stalks	0 10 6
Rapeseed (Sarshaf)	4 7 0	Bengal Coal	1 0 0
Poppy-seed	...	Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand)	2 9 3
Til (jinjili seed)	5 12 0	Plough Bullocks, per pair	250 0 0
Sugar (raw), Gur { Desi Lawar	5 8 0 6 10 0	Sheep, per score	100 0 0
Cotton (cleaned)	28 0 0	Bejhar	3 1 0

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 31st March 1917.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.		ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.	
	Srs.	Chts.		Srs.	Chts.
Wheat	9	0	Maize	15	0
Barley	12	0	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál)	10	0
Rice — Best sort	3	0	Firewood	70	0
Rice — Common sort	6	0	Salt — Wholesale	...	
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum)	14	0	Salt — Retail	18	0
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum)	14	0	Gur — Lawar	5	8
			Gur — Desi	6	12
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana)	...		Cotton (unginned)	4	0
Kangni (Setaria Italica)	...		Bejhar	12	8
Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked)	13	0			

Delhi, the 10th April 1917.

No. 2747-*C. & I.*—In exercise of the powers vested in him by clause (1) of rule 52 of the rules issued with his Notification No. 1041-C. & I., dated the 7th February 1917, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to direct that a fee at the rate of Rs. 5 shall be leviable in respect of every license granted to approved druggists to sell opium other than preparations or admixtures of opium used for smoking, for medicinal purposes only.

The 11th April 1917.

No. 2810-*Home*.—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi during the half month ending 31st March 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
			Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.		
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.
P. S. Alipur	30	50	...	...	...	35	...	14	...	...	1	...	7	9	16
Nangloi	29	36	...	1	...	23	1	9	...	...	2	...	3	6	9
Najafgarh	24	30	...	1	...	19	...	10	...	...	..	...	3	6	9
Subzimundi	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paharganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mehrauli	29	19	...	...	...	8	1	9	...	...	1	...	1	4	5
Raisina	17	10	...	...	...	6	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	3	3
Shahdara	11	8	...	2	...	5	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	2
New Cantonment	7	16	...	...	...	13	...	3	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
Total of the District	148	169	...	4	...	109	2	48	...	...	6	...	17	29	46

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 7th April 1917.

No. 200-J—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898), as in force in the Baluchistan Agency Territories by virtue of Foreign Department Notification No. 1603-I.-B., dated the 28th July 1911, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased to appoint Khan Bahadur Ain-ud-Din Khan to be a Magistrate of the 3rd class within the local limits of the Quetta Municipality.

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

First Assistant.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 5th April 1917.

No. 716.—For the purposes of Rule 7 of the Indian Defence Rules, 1917, published in the Notification of the Government of India in the Army Department, No. 461, dated the 27th March 1917, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to constitute an Exemption Tribunal for the District of Ajmer-Merwara and to appoint Mr. L. W. Reynolds, C.I.E., I.C.S., Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara, as the President of the Tribunal. The other two members will be nominated by the General Officer Commanding, 5th (Mhow) Division, and the President respectively. The Tribunal will hold its sittings at the Commissioner's Court, Ajmer.

No. 728—E-12.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 145 (1) (*e*) of the Ajmer Municipalities Regulation V of 1886, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules for the assessment and collection of octroi in the Municipality of Ajmer published in his Notification No. 8-E.-12 of the 8th January 1909:—

1. The following shall be substituted for rules 41, 42 and 43:—

41. The exporter shall attend at the Head Octroi Office between the hours of 6 to 8 A.M. and 12 to 3 P.M., or at such hours as shall from time to time be fixed by the Municipal Committee; and shall file an application for refund in a printed form (K) to be had from the office. The application shall also be accompanied by an invoice of the goods signed by the exporter or by his recognised agent. Such goods as are not to be exported by rail, as also those on which refund of *ad valorem* duty is claimed shall be brought to the Head Octroi Office for inspection.

42. The Moharrir at the Head Octroi Office shall register the application and write a pass on it in duplicate, after which the goods shall be inspected by the member or official in charge of refunds, and an endorsement as to their quantity or value ascertained as per rule 49 made in columns 11 to 15 of the pass. The Muharrir will then deliver the pass to the exporter to be produced with the goods at the Export Octroi outpost.

43. On arrival of the goods at the Octroi outpost, the exporter shall deliver the pass to the Muharrir in charge, who shall satisfy himself that the goods passing out agree with the declaration in column 10 of form K made by the exporter at the Octroi Office, and shall attest the same on the reverse of form K, and the coupon thereof, retaining the K form himself for returning it to the Octroi Office, and delivering the coupon to the exporter's agent for production at the Octroi Office.

2. The following shall be added to rule 49:—

On all goods shown in the Octroi Schedule refunds shall be granted either on original invoice or on the market rate less Rs. 20 per cent. discount.

3. Forms M, N and O attached to the Rules shall be omitted and the following shall be substituted for forms K and L:—

Form K.

Serial No.

MUNICIPALITY OF

Form of application for refund of octroi on goods exported from the Municipality.

(To be filled up by the exporter.)										To be filled up by verifying officer.					Coupon.
Description of goods.	Quantity, number or value.	Name of exporter, with address in full.	Name of person presenting the application with address in full.	Place to which the goods are to be exported.	Name of consignee with address in full.	Name of Carrier at which the goods are to be exported.	Date and hour at which the goods are to be exported.	Means of conveyance.	Particulars of packages e.g., number of bags, baskets, etc.	Deductions to be made from the quantity number or value of goods.	Why deducted.	Net quantity, value or number.	Rate of octroi.	Amount of refund.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	13	13	14	15	
															Application No. (reverse.) See

Intend exporting the goods mentioned above from this Municipality. Please refund the duty thereon to____________

Signature of exporter or authorised representative.

Endorsement by verifying officer.
I have as far as possible examined the goods mentioned in this application and made entries in columns 11 to 15.

I have this day____________
at $\frac{\text{A. M.}}{\text{P. M.}}$ satisfied myself that they agree with the details of the application.

Signature of verifying officer.

ENDORSEMENT BY THE MOHARRIR AT THE BARRIER OF EXPORT.

Form K.

(Reverse.)

I certify that the goods $\frac{\text{numbering}}{\text{weighing}}$ mentioned in this application passed out of the Municipal limits in my presence on__________ at__________

Moharrir's signature at export barrier.

Report of Refund Clerk.

I checked and agreed with the refund ledger. (The exporter has produced Railway Receipt No. in proof of export.)

Signature of Refund Clerk.

Order of the Disbursing Officer.

Pay Rs. annas pies .

Signature. Date.

Payee's acknowledgment.

I acknowledge receipt of the amount entered in the payment order namely Rs.______ As.______ P.______.

Signature of Payee. Date.

Certified that the goods mentioned in this application have actually passed out of Municipal limits in my presence on__________
at__________

Signature of Moharrir at export barrier.

Form L.

REFUND LEDGER.

Date.	Serial No of application.	Name and address of person claiming the refund.	Amount.			Signature of the refund Moharrir.	Date of payment or if the item lapses the letter L.	Date.	Serial No. of application.	Name and address of payee.	Amount.			Signature of disbursing officer.	Refund of Imprest.				
															Date of despatch of bill.	Amount.			Number and date of cheque.
1	2	3	4			5	6	7	8	9	10			11	12	13			14
			Rs.	A.	P.						Rs.	A.	P.			Rs.	A.	P.	

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 4th April 1917.

No. 677.—Captain E. H. Whitford Hawkey, 16th Cavalry, is appointed Cantonment Magistrate, Loralai, in addition to his regimental duties, with effect from the forenoon of the 19th March 1917, *vice* Captain C. H. Digges La Touche, 16th Cavalry.

The 5th April 1917.

No. 888-*R*.—Seth K. P. Kaikobad, a Sub. *pro-tempore* Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 6th grade and Extra Assistant Commissioner, Kalat, was posted as Second Assistant to the Political Officer, Mekran Border Mission, with effect from the 25th January 1917 (afternoon).

While so employed Seth Kaikobad will draw pay of his grade and a deputation (duty) allowance of Rs. 150 per mensem.

By order,

R. H. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

First Assistant.

RAJPUTANA ADMINISTRATION, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Orders by the Local Administration, Rajputana.

Mount Abu, the 10th April 1917.

No. 150-*S*.—Mr. F. W. Conroy, Sub-Engineer, 1st grade, is granted privilege leave for 2 months and 15 days, with effect from the 3rd May 1917 or such subsequent date as he may be permitted to avail himself of it, under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

C. E. HALL,

Secretary to A.G.G. in the P.W.D., Rajputana.

REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 2nd Battalion, Norfolk Regiment, No. 6 Combined British Infantry Depôt, dated at Belgaum, this 3rd day of April 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—26398, Private, William Patrick O'Neill.
Age—36 years 8 months.
Height—5 feet 10¼ inches.
Colour of— Complexion, dark ; hair, dark slightly grey.
Trade—Clerk.
Date of Enlistment—re-enlisted 4th July 1916.
Place of Enlistment—Colaba, Bombay.
Parish and County in which born—Not known.
Date of Desertion or absence—10 P.M. 31st March 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Belgaum.
Marks—Tattoo mark right wrist, scar right shin.
Was discharged in India on completion of 12 years in Scottish Rifles and was employed at Byculla just prior to re-enlistment. Can speak Hindustani fluently. Address of (fiancee) General Hospital, Madras. Has no next-of-kin.

H. L. WILLETT, Major,

Commanding, No. 6 Combined British Infantry Depôt.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 89th Battery, Royal Field Artillery, dated at Nowshera, this 1st day of April 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—123002, Driver, S. Phipps.
Age—About 18 years.
Height—5 feet 2 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh ; hair, light brown ; eyes, blue.
Trade—Fitter.
Date of Enlistment—4th February 1916.
Place of Enlistment—London.
Parish and County in which born—Not known. (No Documents.)
Date of Desertion or absence—7th March 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Rawalpindi.
Marks—Not known. (No Documents.)
Walks with a pronounced swing.
On detached duty (Trades Test).
Under 1 year and 38 days' service.

D. SCOTT, Major, R. F. A.,

Commanding 89th Battery, Royal Field Artillery.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

It is hereby notified under Section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act VI of 1878 that on 27th August 1916, 1st September 1916 and subsequent dates treasure of the description and approximate value noted in the margin was discovered under the ground in a vacant house belonging to one Sornammal in the village of Lalpuram, Chidambaram taluk, South Arcot District, Madras Presidency.

	No.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
Full rupees	16	16	0	0
Half rupee	1	0	8	0
One-fourth rupee	7	1	12	0
One-eighth rupee	26	3	4	0
One-fourth anna pieces	9	0	2	3
Pies	13	0	1	1
Small gold screw	1	0	1	0
,, ornament	1	0	4	0
,, coral with wire	1	0	0	1
,, wires	3	......		
,, pearl on a wire	1	......		
White metal screw	1	0	4	0
Metal lamp (bottom)	1	0	8	0
1 bell metal cup	1	0	2	0
Brass vessel	1	0	0	6
Iron padlock	1	......		
Iron bill hook (broken)	1	......		
Small brass chombu	1	0	1	0
	86	22	15	11

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of South Arcot at his Office in Cuddalore on the 4th August 1917 in order to have the matter enquired into and determined according to law.

B. RAMA RAO,
Sub-Collector in charge.

SOUTH ARCOT COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
The 3rd April 1917.

Notice is hereby given under Section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act (VI of 1878) that at about 4 P.M., on the evening of the 30th October 1916, the undermentioned treasure is stated to have been found in S. F. No. 369-1 of Bitragunta Village, Kavali Taluk, which stands registered in the names of Akkaraju Venkatramanaiah and Gandrakota Ramayya, and secured from Mandu Venkadu one of the Coolies who were repairing the field on behalf of Boddu Subbadu and kept in the Taluk Sub-Treasury at Kavali :—

Details of the find.	Weight.		Estimated approximate value. Rs.	A.	P.
(1) Pathakam	39	Guruginjas.	4	14	0
(2) Corrugated gold ring	23	,,	3	6	0
(3) Small gold piece	18	,,	2	10	0
		Total	10	14	0

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any portion thereof are required to appear in person or by a duly authorized agent before the Collector of Nellore at his office in Nellore on the 1st October 1917 in view of their claims being enquired into and disposed of according to law.

R. RAMACHANDRA ROW,
Collector.

OFFICE OF COLLECTOR OF NELLORE,
The 31st March 1917.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 10th April 1917.

No. 3.—Mr. G. S. E. Rice, District Traffic Superintendent, is granted under Articles 233, 260 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations combined leave for six months, *viz.*, privilege leave for three months and furlough for the remaining period, with effect from the 19th April 1917.

E. A. S. BELL,
Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 203 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 27th March 1917.

In the matter of Nagalingam Naidu of No. 21, 88th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Nagalingam Naidu an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 27th day of March 1917.

CASE No. 218 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 28th March 1917.

In the matter of Kyee Swan of No. 154, Kamakasit Village, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Kyee Swan an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 28th day of March 1917.

CASE No. 66 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 26th March 1917.

In the matter of Shaik Hossain, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Shaik Hossain, Light-house-keeper, residing at No. 2, Clerk Street, Rangoon, on the 23rd day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Shaik Hossain.

CASE No. 68 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 28th March 1917.

In the matter of Chinnasawmy Veerasawmy Murugesan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Chinnasawmy Veerasawmy Murugesan, No. 6, 58th Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Chinnasawmy Veerasawmy Murugesan.

CASE No. 69 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th March 1917.

In the matter of Mahomed Gazee and Abdul Satar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mahomed Gazee, unemployed, of 28th Street, and Abdul Satar, of Strand Road, Rangoon, on the 28th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mahomed Gazee and Abdul Satar.

CASE No. 70 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th March 1917.

In the matter of Dewaraka Singh, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Dewaraka Singh, Contractor, residing at No. 94, 39th Street, Rangoon, on the 29th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Dewaraka Singh

J. HORMASJI,
Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 36 OF 1912.

Dated the 31st March 1917.

Re Archibold Miller Robinson.

Ex parte the debtor.

Take notice that by an Order of Court dated the 6th day of May 1913 the abovenamed Insolvent's discharge was suspended for three months and it was directed that he be discharged as from the 6th day of August 1913.

The order for discharge was completed on the 7th day of March 1917.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 44 OF 1917.

Dated the 2nd April 1917.

Re Ram Nath, residing at No. 162, Harrison Road, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business merchant in piece goods under the name and style of Shew Kumar Mahadeo at No. 42, Cotton Street, in the said town of Calcutta at present out of employment.

Ex parte the debtor. Mitter and Bural—Attorneys for the Insolvent.

On the 27th day of March 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 45 OF 1917.

Dated the 30th March 1917.

Re Frederick Stuart Harcourt, residing at No. 52, Free School Street, in the town of Calcutta, and employed as an Assistant Claim and Enquiry Officer, Calcutta Tramways.

Debtor—In Person.

On the 27th day of March 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 46 OF 1917.

Dated the 2nd April 1917.

Re Kiron Kumar Dutt residing at No. 73-4, Beneatalla Street in the town of Calcutta, formerly employed as a Clerk in firm of Bhajan Lall Mohadeo and at present without any employment.

Ex parte the debtor. Brajo Lall Mukherjee—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 27th day of March 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,

Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA.

Testamentary and Intestate Jurisdiction.

TESTAMENTARY APPLICATION No. 2 OF 1916.

In the matter of the goods of Jessie Shuttleworth, deceased.

Whereas application has been made to this Court by Florence Inglis McLeod Powell, resident of Ghazipur, United Provinces, for probate of the will in respect of the estate of Jessie Shuttleworth who died at Dehra Doon on the 29th April, 1915, this citation is issued calling upon all persons claiming to have any interest in the estate of the deceased to come and see the proceedings before the grant of probate of the will in this Court on Monday the 9th day of July, 1917, at 10-30 o'clock, A.M.

S. N. MUKHARJI..
for Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.
In Insolvency.

No. 138 OF 1916.

Dated the 3rd day of April 1917.

Re Vithaldas Chansukhdas Marwari of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Kalbadevi Road, formerly grain Muccadum and merchant in partnership with Tokersey Rensy under the name of Bhugwandas Harmandas and now a Gumasta in the service of Sadasukh Gumbhirchand : An Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 6th day of March 1916 against the said insolvent has been this day annulled.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 14 OF 1917.

Dated the 3rd April 1917.

In the matter of Diwan Singh, son of Ghasi Ram, Vaish, Agarwal of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 21st February 1917, on behalf of the said insolvent and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

FORM NO. 5.

Order Appointing a Receiver.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

SECTION 18.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 14 OF 1917.

Dated the 3rd April 1917.

In the matter of Diwan Singh, son of Ghasi Ram, of Delhi, Debtor.

Whereas Diwan Singh was adjudicated an insolvent by order of this Court, dated 3rd April 1917 and it appears to the Court that appointment of a Receiver for the property of the insolvent is necessary.

It is ordered that a receiving order be made against the insolvent and a receiving order is hereby made against insolvent and Clerk of Court is hereby constituted Receiver of the property of the said insolvent.

SUIT No. 18 OF 1917.

Dated the 29th March 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of E. F. Rai, Telegraph Office, Railway Station, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by E. F. Rai to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on the 24th day of April 1917.

SUIT No. 19 OF 1917.

Dated the 2nd April 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Muhammad Siddiq, son of Muhammad Ismail, Caste Shekh, Gali Chabuk Sawar, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Muhammad Siddiq, to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on the 27th day of April 1917.

RAHIM BAKHSH,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated. the 4th April 1917.

No. 3.—1st Class Assistant Surgeon A. James, I.S.M.D., is appointed to hold temporary charge of the Medical Store Depôt, Rangoon, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the forenoon of the 12th March 1917, *vice* Major R. D. Saigol, I.M.S., transferred or until further orders.

C. P. LUKIS, M.D., Surgeon-General,
Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 10th April 1917.

No. 100-*G*.—Mr. Provakhar Chatterjee, Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 2nd (Rawalpindi) Division, reverts to his own grade, with effect from the 26th March 1917.

No. 101-*G*.—Mr. Ramjee Das, Superintendent (temporary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade in that office, with effect from the 27th March 1917.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant-General.

PLEADERS' SURVEY EXAMINATION BOARD.

Result of the Examination held in February 1917.

The following candidate is declared to have passed the examination prescribed in Bengal, Government Notification No. 3157J., dated 25th November 1909 :—

Name of Pleader.	Court at which enrolled.
Debendra Nath Sinha	Serajgunge (Pabna).

One candidate at the Sibpur Centre who attempted to pass by using unfair means is debarred from appearing again at this Examination.

B. HEATON.
Secretary, Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR,
The 10th April 1917.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the $\frac{3rd}{4th}$ April 1917.

No. 676-s-Ap.—Mr. A. B. Thompson, Deputy Postmaster-General, 2nd grade, and late Director of Postal Services with the Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, is granted privilege leave for 3 months combined with furlough out of India for 9 months with effect from the 24th February 1917.

The following officiating appointments are made with effect from the 24th February 1917 and until further orders, *vice* Mr. A. B. Thompson :—

Mr. J. Hogan, Deputy Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, to act in the 2nd grade.

Babu Kali Prasanna Sen, Superintendent of post offices, 1st grade, to act as Deputy Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, Bengal and Assam, Calcutta.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 11th April 1917.

No. 2118-T.—The following officiating promotions are sanctioned for the periods specified :—

Name.	Rank.		Period.	
	From	To	From	To
Mr. I. M. D'Cruze	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, 1st class.	17th June 1916	27th August 1916.
" H. Pounde	Telegraph Master	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	17th June 1916	21st September 1916.
			7th October 1916	Until further orders.

No. 2124-T.—Mr. S. N. Chatterjee who was appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, under Notification No. 1138-T., dated the 20th February 1917, reverted to the grade of Telegraph Master with effect from the 4th April 1917.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 11th April 1917.

No. 2144-T.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 5th April 1917 to 11th April 1917.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	Remarks.
Government Telegraph Office.			
Mt. Everest Hotel	Bengal	16th March 1917	Opened.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	Remarks.
	Railway Telegraph offices.		
Alipur	Bankura Damodar River Railway.	1st April 1917	Opened.
Bankura	Ditto	Ditto	"
Belboni	Ditto	Ditto	"
Beliator	Ditto	Ditto	"
Bhangoona Ghat	Eastern Bengal Railway	15th March 1917	Closed.
Bikna	Bankura Damodar River Railway.	1st April 1917.	Opened.
Prindabanpur	Ditto	Ditto	"
Devarkadra	His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed Railway.	Ditto	"
Dhagaria	Bankura Damodar River Railway.	Ditto	"
Dhansimla	Ditto	Ditto	"
Ghoriwala	North Western Railway	24th March 1917	"
Hamirhati	Bankura Damodar River Railway.	1st April 1917	"
Indas	Ditto	Ditto	"
Kaukuntla	His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed Railway.	Ditto	"
Korur	Ditto	Ditto	"
Kurumurti	Ditto	Ditto	"
Patrasaer	Bankura Damodar River Railway.	Ditto	"
Sonamukhi	Ditto	Ditto	"
Wanaparti Road	His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed Railway.	Ditto	"

W. SUTHERLAND,
Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

The 12th April 1917.

No. 2151-*T*.—Conductor G. H. Sercombe who was appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, under Notification No. 1971-T., dated the 3rd April 1917, reverted to the grade of Telegraph Master with effect from the 5th April 1917.

No. 2172-*T*.—The following promotions are sanctioned with effect from the 20th March 1917 :—

Name.	Rank.		Nature of appointment.
	From	To	
Mr. P. E. W. Rosemeyer	Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	Permanent on probation.
" A. Cabral	Telegraph Master	Ditto	Officiating

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF MILITARY SUPPLY ACCOUNTS—ACCOUNTS SECTION.

List of Government Promissory Notes remaining in deposit with the Controller of Marine Accounts, on the 31st December 1916.

Name of person or firm in whose behalf held.	Amount of investment.							
	3½ per cent. 1842-43.	3½ per cent. 1854-55.	3½ per cent. 1865.	3½ per cent. 1879.	3½ per cent. 1900-01.	3 per cent. 1896-97.	4 per cent. Bombay Port Trust Debenture	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Safe Custody.								
Shridhar Shiwaji Ram contractor, Bombay.	...	300	...	...	...	...	...	300
Messrs. D. R. Umrigar Sons and Company, Bombay.	...	...	300	1,600	...	...	...	1,900
Mr. E. A. Currim, Bombay	...	...	...	...	200	...	...	200
Standard Oil Company of New York, Bombay.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	1,000
Messrs. Jivajee Sorabjee & Co., Bombay.	...	...	...	...	3,000	...	...	3,000
Messrs. Andrew Yule & Co.	2,000	5,000	...	...	8,000	...	...	15,000
Vacuum Oil Company, Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	500	...	500
Messrs. Shapurjee Sorabjee & Co., Bombay	...	...	200	...	500	...	...	700
Messrs. F. W. Heilgers & Co., Contractors, Calcutta.	2,000	500	5,000	...	...	...	...	7,500
TOTAL	4,000	5,800	5,500	1,600	11,700	500	1,000	30,100

F. W. BAGSHAWE, Lt.-Colonel,
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CALCUTTA;
12th April 1917.

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COTTON PRESS RETURN.

No. 11 of 1916-17.

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 15th February, 1917.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each) (a)	Percentage to total for India	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton pressed in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity pressed from 1st September, 1916, to 15th February, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs each) — Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	35·6	194	19	18,501	163,558	294,994
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	14·0	164	97	43,990	434,853	663,144
Madras	377,000	8·8	55	14	(b)429	45,725	80,391
Punjab (including Native States)	333,000	7·8	92	12	5,017	134,349	131,800
United Provinces	309,000	7·2	80	7	1,983	239,465	211,990
Sind	74,000	1·7	16	2	3,514	34,892	28,162
Burma	45,000	1·1	16	2	3,059	35,097	19,018
Bihar and Orissa	16,000	0·4	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	20,000	0·5	3	2	502	1,113	2,865
Assam	11,000	0·3	...	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province	6,000	0·1	1	1	...	2,591	930
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	0·4	9	2	1,462	18,765	(c)
Delhi	...	...	1	1	231	874	701
Total British Provinces (d)	3,329,000	77·9	631	159	78,688	1,111,282	1,438,995
Hyderabad	500,000	11·7	41	(f)	(f)	2,471	12,991
Central India	309,000	7·2	32	(f)	(f)	(f)	(f)
Rajputana	119,000	2·8	10	(f)	(f)	21,601	8,717
Mysore	16,000	0·4	3	2	450	5,013	7,361
Total Native States (e)	944,000	22·1	86	2	450	29,085	29,069
GRAND TOTAL	4,273,000	100	717	161	79,138	1,140,367	1,468,064

(a) The figures in column 2 are the estimates for 1916-17 as published in the Supplementary [illegible] on the Cotton crop of [illegible], dated the 20th March, 1917.
(b) Figures for the weeks ending 3rd and 10th February, 1917.
(c) No returns received.
(d) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(e) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.
(f) Returns not received from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 15th February, 1917.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received in the half-month	Quantity of cotton received in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity received from 1st September, 1916, to 15th February, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs each) Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	177	34	7,625	114,015	78,781
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	10	8	834	32,821	57,794
Madras	14	8	(a) 1,778	44,546	44,919
Punjab	3	1	274	4,091	8,879
United Provinces	15	...	...	18,965	37,466
Sind	3	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Bengal	10	9	1,888	35,690	30,442
Ajmer-Merwara	2	2	923	32,721	(b)
Delhi	2	2	822	8,550	10,050
TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (c)	236	64	14,144	291,699	268,281
Hyderabad	3	1	141	2,280	2,693
Central India	3	1	719	13,356	7,652
Rajputana	1	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)
Mysore	2	2	86	1,157	1,156
TOTAL NATIVE STATES (d)	9	4	946	16,793	11,501
GRAND TOTAL	245	68	15,090	308,492	279,782

Note.—This statement shows the quantity of *unpressed* cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.

(a) Figures for the weeks ending 3rd and 10th February, 1917.
(b) No returns received
(c) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(d) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries
(e) Returns not received from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

III.—Total quantity of cotton pressed in the Pressing Factories and of unpressed cotton received in the Spinning Mills, from 1st September, 1916, to 15th February, 1917, in *British Provinces (including Native States within Provincial boundaries)*.

Province	Total estimated outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of cotton pressed up to 15th February, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of unpressed cotton received in spinning mills up to 15th February, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total of columns 3 and 4 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Percentage ratio of col 5 to col 2
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	1(3,558	114,015	277,573	18 3
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	431,853	32,821	467,674	77 9
Madras	377,000	45,725	44,546	90,271	23 9
Punjab (including Native States)					
North-West Frontier Province	339,000	137,814	12,941	150,755	44 5
Delhi					
United Provinces	309,000	239,465	18,965	258,430	83·6
Sind	74,000	34,892	...	34,892	47·2
Burma	45,000	35,097	...	35,097	78·0
Bengal					
Bihar and Orissa	47,000	1,113	35,690	36,803	78·3
Assam					
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	18,765	32,721	51,486*	271·0
TOTAL	3,329,000	1,111,382	291,699	1,402,981	42 1

Note.—This table contains the totals of tables I and II excluding Hyderabad, Central India, Rajputana, and Mysore.

* Includes cotton received from adjoining States in Rajputana.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Total Gross Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue)

[In thousands of Rupees]

	In the Twelve months, April to March, of									
	1907-08	1908-09	1909-10	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17
Sea Customs—Imports										
Special Duties										
Arms, ammunition, and military stores	5,55	5,22	4,82	5,00	5,18	6,30	6,64	5,34	5,69	7,31(k)
Coal coke, and patent fuel (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2*	22
Cotton manufactures (b)—										
Piecegoods, grey	66,92	52,20	60 02	59,90	67,00	87,18	86,16	71,74	62,46	61,35
„ white	40,73	27,12	26 74	33,55	38,20	45,00	49,97	37,92	37,36	46,32
„ coloured	38 04	33,14	30,93	40,71	42,95	51 56	65,12	38,12	30,59	60,14
Other goods	6,09	5,66	6,16	7,61	8,02	8,60	11,69	5,80	4,82	9,36
Liquors—										
Ale, beer, porter, cider and other fermented liquors	3,85	5,27	5,45	8,00	8,00	8,87	8,73	6,74	5,65	6,73
Spirits and liqueurs	92,66	95,37	95,57	1,06,87	1,10,88	1,11,30	1,19,13	1,10,41	1,07,74	1,12,85
Wines	3,99	3,97	4,12	5,71	5,75	5,80	5,83	4,54	4,51	5,57
Opium	4	[illegible] 3	3	8	6	7	7	4	4	6
Petroleum	44,64	53,26	46,83	60,68	75,09	70,26	70,53	85,72	71,54	45,19(l)
Silver—										
Silver bullion and coin (c)	51,70	63,64	53,47	1,62,40	97,86	1,08,46	99,25	1,54,51	95,57	15,01
Silver manufactures (d)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9*	3,73
Sugar, all sorts (b)	44,76	51,57	56,77	62,90	52,34	73,32	92,33	48,97	60,68	1,30,05(m)
Tobacco (c)	3,77	3,54	5,22	29,95	25,88	27,42	29,29	26,78	28,36	46,09
Duty at 2½ per cent										
Machinery (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	70*	10,66
Metals—Iron and Steel	10,47	10,83	10,17	10,28	11,00	12,08	16,98	10,44	9,77	18 49
Railway plant and rolling stock (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25*	3,65
Other articles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	23*	3,89
Duty at 7½ per cent										
Articles of food and drink (excluding sugar and vinegar) (e)	24,79	26,07	24,17	25,81	27,59	29,14	30,44	29,18	31,77	52,00
Raw materials and articles mainly unmanufactured (f)	17,66	17,45	16,19	16,00	15,94	18,20	15,73	15,30	15,65	38,55
Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—										
Cutlery, hardware, implements and instruments	25,28	23,37	22 03	25,49	27 70	31,42	36 71	25,28	24,61	40,69
Metals, other than Iron and Steel	17,24	20,83	20,07	24,48	20,58	18,76	30,14	21,08	9,21	11 62
Yarn and textile fabrics (other than cotton manufactures) (g)	31,96	33,70	28,77	35,23	37,87	42,22	44,48	28 35	29,72	61,04
All other articles wholly or mainly manufactured (h)	68,93	61,97	66 10	79 78	86,05	94,70	1,06,27	77,52	90,86	1,69 75
Miscellaneous (i)	4,19	4,99	5 92	8,38	8,37	11,56	10,52	7,99	10,05	25 46
Total Imports	6,03,39	5,98,08	5,89,60	8,08,61	7,72,86	8,62,22	9,36,01	8,06,77	7,38,54	9,88,29
Sea Customs—Exports										
Jute (a)—										
Raw	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	57*	39,05
Manufactured	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,17*	58 82
Rice	1,02,33	81,81	1,04,63	1,30,88	1,36,23	1,47,53	1,28,76	82,98	76,35	86,68
Tea (a)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	98*	42,54
Total Exports	1,02,33	81,81	1,04,63	1,30,88	1,36,23	1,47,53	1,28,76	82,98	78,92	2,47,09
Sea Customs—Miscellaneous (j)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7,61
Land Customs	10,95	9,47	10,47	10,56	12,27	13,46	14,10	14,38	14,06	5,48
Excise duty on cotton manufactures	34,0J	35,44	40,06	42 80	48,69	56,15	54 39	49.41	49,25	44,14
Warehouse and wharf rents (j)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	28
Miscellaneous (j)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,22
GRAND TOTAL	7,50,67	7,24,80	7,44 76	9,92,85	9,70,03	10,79 36	11,38,26	9,58,54	8,80,77	12 96,06
Provincial distribution of Imports and Exports										
Bengal — Imports	2,18,44	1,92,08	2,12 21	2,52,61	2,68,96	2,89,59	3,26,76	2,76,11	2,64,57	3,40,87
Bengal — Exports	7,63	9,99	15 16	20,60	25,64	26,31	17,97	9,41	6,30	1,59,08
Bihar and Orissa — Imports	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa — Exports	—	—	—	—	—	1,80	1,12	21	...	...
Bombay — Imports	2,26,52	2 24 75	2,16 52	3,56 54	2,91,76	3,42 01	3,51,20	3,27,68	2,78 59	3,76 31
Bombay — Exports	1,80	2,64	3 12	2,19	1 63	2,09	2,61	2 90	3,28	6,92
Sind — Imports	53 43	6),33	54 22	71,07	75,95	81,65	90,68	67 94	68,72	95,12
Sind — Exports	3,31	2 31	2 64	2,88	2,25	2,65	3,57	2,84	3,77	5,04
Madras — Imports	47 05	54,93	49 25	61,98	66,27	67,25	76,04	72,18	59,91	86,97
Madras — Exports	12,89	9,82	6,61	7,28	8,05	7,96	9,3)	10,01	18,98	14,19
Burma — Imports	57,95	65,96	57,40	60,46	69,92	81,72	91,29	82 91	66,75	88,96
Burma — Exports	76 70	57,55	77,10	93,48	98,66	1,08,22	94,19	57,01	51,59	61,86

(a) Not subject to duty prior to March, 1916
(b) Figures prior to March, 1916, were shown under "General Import Duties" of the old tariff
(c) Figures for the years previous to 1910-11 were shown under "General Import Duties" of the old tariff
(d) Figures prior to March, 1916, are included with "All other articles wholly or mainly manufactured"
(e) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 include vinegar
(f) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 are exclusive of raw silk, raw hemp, and raw flax, which are included with "Yarn and textile fabrics"
(g) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 include raw silk, raw hemp, and raw flax but exclude haberdashery and millinery
(h) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 include haberdashery and millinery and coral
(i) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 represent articles imported by post only
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(k) Figures for 1916-17 exclude the duty collected on explosives, namely, blasting gun powder, etc., at 7½ per cent ad valorem
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* Duty collected in March, 1916

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SUPPLEMENTARY MEMORANDUM ON THE WHEAT CROP FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 5TH APRIL, 1917.

This is the second of the fortnightly reports on the condition of the Indian wheat crop, and relates generally to the condition of the crop for the fortnight ending 5th April.

Since the publication of the last fortnightly report on the 23rd March revised estimates of area have been received from the Punjab, the Central Provinces and Berar, the North-West Frontier Province, and Bengal. Accordingly the total revised area for All-India now stands at 32,766,000 acres as against 32,885,000 acres reported in the Supplementary Memorandum for the fortnight ending 20th March.

The general condition of the standing crop is good, except in the unirrigated areas in the Punjab and Delhi, where the crop is suffering through shortage of rain. There has been some damage by hail in the United Provinces, the Central Provinces and Berar, and in parts of Bihar and Orissa, and by insects in parts of Nadia and Burdwan in Bengal, and in the Kekri sub-division of Ajmer-Merwara.

Harvesting has commenced in the Punjab, Delhi, and Sind, and is in full swing in the United Provinces, the Central Provinces and Berar, Bombay, Bihar and Orissa, Bengal, and Ajmer-Merwara. It is nearing completion in parts of the Central Provinces and Berar, Bombay, Bihar and Orissa, Bengal, and Ajmer-Merwara. Harvesting has not yet commenced in the North-West Frontier Province. Threshing has commenced in Bihar and Orissa and Bengal, and is in full swing in the Central Provinces and Berar and in Bombay.

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

Punjab.—The total area is now estimated at 11,050,000 acres as against 11,232,000 acres reported in the Second Wheat Forecast. Light rain fell at the end of March and proved useful. Harvesting commenced in the south-east on the first April and is expected to be completed by the twentieth of the month. In other tracts it will commence about the fifteenth of this month. The condition and expected yield of irrigated wheat are normal, except in some Colony districts where the crop condition is below normal owing to insufficient water in canals. The unirrigated wheat is suffering everywhere, and prospects are below normal or poor. Immediate rainfall would be beneficial. Except in the south-east the crop is free from rust and disease. The stalk is, however, very short.

United Provinces.—No change has been reported in the estimate of area sown. During the past fortnight the weather has been unsettled with local storms, and some damage has been caused by hail. The temperature has been low for the time of the year, and harvesting has been somewhat delayed; but a slower ripening off is an advantage. Harvesting is now general in the eastern and central districts, and reports continue to be generally favourable.

Central Provinces and Berar.—The total area sown is now estimated at 3,939,000 acres (130,000 acres being in the Native States of Khairagarh and Nandgaon) as against 3,875,000 acres reported in the Supplementary Memorandum for the fortnight ending 20th March, 1917. During the fortnight most districts received light to moderate showers of rain, accompanied by hail in parts of several districts causing slight damage. Harvesting is in full swing all over the provinces, and is approaching completion in six districts. Threshing has also commenced in most places, and prospects are generally good.

Bombay and Sind.—There has been no change in the estimate of area sown. In the Presidency the harvesting of the unirrigated crop is almost over and that of the irrigated crop is progressing. Threshing is in full swing. In Sind harvesting has commenced in the south.

Bihar and Orissa.—There has been no change in the estimate of area sown. Slight damage has been caused by rain and hailstorm in two districts. Harvesting is in progress, and is expected to be completed in the second fortnight of April. Threshing has commenced in places, and prospects are reported to be good.

North-West Frontier Province.—The total area is now estimated at 1,049,000 acres as against 1,051,000 acres reported in the Second Wheat Forecast. Good rain has fallen throughout the province and greatly benefited the standing crops, especially on unirrigated areas. Prospects have much improved since the last report.

Bengal.—The total area is now estimated at 129,000 acres as against 128,000 acres reported in the Second Wheat Forecast. Slight damage has been caused by insect pests in the districts of Nadia and Burdwan. Harvesting is progressing rapidly in the districts of Malda, Pabna, Nadia, and Murshidabad, and is nearing completion in the districts of Faridpur and Hooghly. Threshing has commenced in places, and the outturn is generally reported to be fair.

Delhi.—No change has been reported in the area sown. Lack of rain has adversely affected the crop to the extent of reducing it to half the normal. Harvesting of unirrigated wheat has begun, and that of irrigated wheat will begin within a week.

Ajmer-Merwara.—No change has been reported in the estimate of area sown. No rain fell during the fortnight. Harvesting will generally be completed by the middle of this month. Slight damage has been caused by insects in the Kekri sub-division. Reports of yield are satisfactory, except in the case of late sown crops.

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G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

AN

ORDINANCE

TO

Amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1917.

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1917; (XI of 1917.)

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915, (5 & 6 Geo. V. C. 61.) the Governor General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:—

ORDINANCE No. II OF 1917.

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be called the Indian Paper Currency (Amendment) Ordinance, 1917.

Amendment of section 3, Act XI of 1917.

2. Section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1917, (XI of 1917.) shall be construed as if for the words "three hundred millions," the words "four hundred and twenty millions" were substituted.

CHELMSFORD,

Viceroy and Governor General.

DEHRA DUN;

The 18th April 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS.

No. 4176-C.W.

Simla, the 18th April, 1917.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the export of rice from any port in Burma to Calcutta.

H. F. HOWARD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 21st April 1917.

No. 256.—The HONOURABLE SIR REGINALD HENRY CRADDOCK, K.C.S.I., has resigned his office as an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India, with effect from the 16th April 1917.

No. 257.—A vacancy having occurred in the office of an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India by the resignation of the HONOURABLE SIR REGINALD HENRY CRADDOCK, K.C.S.I., His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been graciously pleased to appoint the HONOURABLE SIR WILLIAM HENRY HOARE VINCENT, KT., to be an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India.

The HONOURABLE SIR WILLIAM VINCENT has, on this day, taken upon himself the execution of his office under the usual salute.

J. H. DuBOULAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART II.

Notifications by High Court, Comptroller-General, etc.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 17th March 1917.

On and after 31st March and until further notice, Parts I, IV, V and VI of the *Gazette of India* and the Weather and Crop Report will be published in Simla. Parts II and III will continue to be published in Calcutta. All notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts should be addressed to the Publisher at Simla and Calcutta, respectively.

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THE PATENT OFFICE.

PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 21st April 1917.

CORRIGENDUM.

The following entry which appeared in the Notification published by this office in Part II of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 29th April 1916, under the heading "Cessation of Exclusive Privilege" is hereby cancelled.

1909—667, (Bandfield).

APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

April 10.

3005. T. Balmforth & Co., Ld. *Improvements in tilting furnaces or the like.*

3006. G. R. Nicholson and A. B. Horsley. *Improvements relating to syphons.*

3007. La Crosse Tractor Company. *Improvements in plough tractors.*

3008. T. H. Watson & Co. (of Sheffield), Ld., H. A. Greaves, and H. Etchells. *Improvements in electric furnaces.*

3009. B. Conklin. *Improvements in rotary engines, pumps, compressors and the like.*

3010. K. S. Sanghani. *Universal feeder.*

April 11.

3011. S. C. Gawthropp. *Improvements in tea feeding and spreading machinery.*

3012. W. J. H. Strong. *Motor driven fans.*

April 14.

3013. V. K. Davda. *Improvements in lamp chimneys.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

Notice is hereby given that all persons interested in opposing the grant of a Patent on any one of the applications, referred to below, may, at any time within three months of the date of this *Gazette of India*, give notice at the Patent Office in the prescribed form No. 5 of such opposition.

Printed copies of the specifications in the following list will be on sale at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, within about three weeks.

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2986. W. J. Johnston, and J. R. C. Hodgson. *Improvements in motor attachments for boats.*

2987. A. H. Lymn, L. A. Riley and N. E. Rambush. *Improvements in and relating to gas producers.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

Printed copies of the undernoted specifications may be purchased at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, annas eight each.

2576. P. English. *Improvements in or relating to monorail systems.*

2619. Ed. Kummer A. G. *Improvements in watches.*

2924. W. C. Eohlin. *Duplex combined ball and release valve for railway vacuum brake cylinders.*

2938. L. Galardi and L. Tatuzzo. *An improved motor plough.*

2944. A. A. Bachmann. *Improved method of and means for stoppering receptacles for petrol and other volatile liquids.*

2949. H. A. Rugeroni. *Improvements in and relating to the permanent way of railways.*

2955. E. J. Lane. *Improvements in the construction of joints for wooden buildings and the like.*

2957. G. F. Humphrey. *Improvements in dehydrating or drying apparatus.*

2958. Metropolitan Carriage Wagon & Finance Co., Ld., and L. Chandler. *Improvements in and relating to wheels and in the manufacture of the same.*

2961. Minerals Separation, Ld. *Improvements in or relating to the concentration of ores.*

SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

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2783. Duff.

2806. Universal Winding Co.

PATENTS SEALED.

2328. The General Electric Co.
2682. Grenon.
2719. Fraser & Wells.
2774. Greenway.
2790. Haddick.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

105 of 1906. United Kingdom Self-adjusting Anti-friction Metallic Packing Syndicate Ld. and anr. (To 28 May 1918.)

346 of 1906. Lock. (To 10 April 1918.)

429 of 1906. Linotype and Machinery, Ld. (To 10 April 1918.)

131 of 1907. Chloride Electrical Storage Co., Ld. (To 19th April 1918.)

557 of 1907. Davidson. (To 20 May 1918.)

213 of 1908. Stuart. (To 2 July 1918.)

31 of 1909. Foden and ors. (To 4 March 1918.)

667 of 1909. Bandfield. (To 20 January 1918.)

88 of 1910. Notcutt. (To 31 March 1918.)

183 of 1910. Davidson. (To 23 May 1918.)

184 of 1910. Davidson. (To 23 May 1918.)

195 of 1910. Fessenden. (To 30 May 1918.)

489 of 1910. "Captain" Motor Wheel Co., Ld. (To 7 April 1918.)

568 of 1910. Leeds Forge Co., Ld., and anr. (To 11 April 1918.)

106 of 1911. International Precipitation Co. (To 6 April 1918.)

127 of 1911. Viscose Development Co., Ld. (To 25 April 1918.)

158 of 1912. Skew. (To 26 March 1918.)

175 of 1912. Leeds Forge Co., Ld., and anr. (To 9 April 1918.)

823 of 1913. Vaughan. (To 10 March 1918.)

951 of 1913. Davidson. (To 13 May 1918.)

998 of 1913. Thomas Transmission, Ld. (To 16 June 1918.)

1012 of 1913. Thomas Transmission, Ld. (To 23 June 1918.)

CANCELLATION OF LICENSES GRANTED UNDER THE INDIAN PATENTS AND DESIGNS (TEMPORARY) RULES, 1915.

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APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT UNDER SECTION 17.

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2786 of 1916. W. Raitt of 25, Victoria Street, Westminster, London, England, seeks leave to amend the specification of his application for a patent numbered as above. The proposed amendments as shown in the printed specification are as follows :—

On page 4, line 11, by inserting "other than wood" after "material."

On page 4, line 13, by substituting "with a weak caustic soda solution or like reagent followed by treatment with a stronger caustic soda solution or like reagent" for "with caustic soda or like reagents."

On page 4, lines 27 and 28, by substituting "carrying out the process set forth in Claim 1" for "the extraction of cellulose or paper-pulp from fibrou vegetable matter."

On page 4, line 32, by substituting "Claim 2" for "Claim 3."

CESSATION OF EXCLUSIVE PRIVILEGES.

The public are warned that entries under this heading must not be accepted as final, as under the provisions of Rules 9 and 11 of "The Indian Patents and Designs (Temporary) Rules, 1915," the Controller may extend the time prescribed by the Indian Patents and Designs Act, 1911, and by the Inventions and Designs Act, 1888, for paying the necessary renewal fees.

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1903.

250, (Bremer).

1906.

*166, (Dutton).

1911.

593, (Dubern). 634, (Siemens Bros. Dynamo Works, Ld.)

1912.

23, (Shepherd).

1913.

686, (Simpson). 688, (Cox). 690, (Universal Cheap Cables Ld.). 691, (Dyer). 692, (Davidson). 693, (Smith). 697, (Dawson).

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"	The Bombay Textile and Engineering Association, No. 1A, Sussex Road, Parel.
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H. G. GRAVES,
Controller of Patents and Designs.

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Result of the Examination held in February 1917.

The following candidate is declared to have passed the examination prescribed in Bengal Government Notification No. 3157J., dated 25th November 1909 :—

Name of Pleader.	Court at which enrolled.
Debendra Nath Sinha	Serajgunge (Pabna).

One candidate at the Sibpur Centre who attempted to pass by using unfair means is debarred from appearing again at this Examination.

B. HEATON,
Secretary, Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR,
The 10th April 1917.

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M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani . . . . . Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
M. Mohd. Khalil-ur-Rahman, Sabri . . . Mohalla Sammian, Chhawni Manawala, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
M. Mool Chand Saihgal . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1/5th Devonshire Regiment, Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.

LEBONG.

M. Farhat Ali Suhail . . . . Hill Sanitarium, Lebong.

LUCKNOW.

M. Abdul Alim . . . . Near the Police Post, Husaingunge, Lucknow.
M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil) . . . Near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.
M. Abdul Karim . . . . C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Lucknow.

MEERUT.

M. Chhote Lal . . . . B. T. Bazar, Meerut Cantonment.
M. Jawala Parshad, II . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 12th R. H. A. Brigade, Meerut Cantonment.
M. Jamaluddin . . . . British Cavalry Bazaar, Cross Street, Meerut.

MOZUFFERPORE.

M. Mohd. Shuaib . . . . Arabic Teacher, Zilla School, Mozufferpore.

MURREE HILLS.

M. S. C. Bagchi . . . . Munshi, Lawrence Government European School, Ghoragali, P. O. Murree Hills.

MUSSOORIE.

M. H. Ahmad Fakhrify . . . . . . Islamia School, Mussoorie.

NAINI TAL.

M. Faqir Ulla	St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

M. Muhammad Din	Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).

PATNA.

M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi	Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

M. Ahmed Din	Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
M. Abdur Rahim	Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

M. Mohd. Rahim Shah	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Ahmed Bux	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. S. Karim Bukhsh	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Mohd. Ishaq	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Mohamed Sarwar	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
Pt. Sita Ram Mehta	Hindustani Instructor, Cadet College.
Pt. Hirday Narayan	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Syed Inam Ali	Mission Road, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

M. Ghulam Muhiuddin	R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
M. Ghulam Rasul	Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan	C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

M. Fazl-i-Haq	Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

M. Ajab Shah Anand	Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

Qualified Bengali Teachers.

MURSHIDABAD.

Babu Suresh Chandra Chatterjee	Krishnapur, Lalgola, P. O., District Murshidabad.

N.B.—Whenever any teacher changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

CALCUTTA,
The 16th April 1917.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
5. Tracers.
6. Men trained in—
   (*a*) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
   (*b*) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

W. G. WOOD, C.S.I.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID AND QUINOIDINE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. P. system*, AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1917 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	R
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	29 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	30 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery . . .	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery . . .	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tin.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0 10 0
,, ,, 2 ,,	,, 6 ,,	,,	Re.	1 0 0
,, ,, 3 ,,	,, 9 ,,	,,	Re.	1 8 0

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

Examination qualifying for admission to the fourth grade of the Accounts Branch of the Public Works Department.

The examination will be conducted by the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, on June 4th and 5th, 1917, at the following centres :—

Centres.	Registering officer.
(1) The Civil Engineering College, Sibpur. (There is no other centre at Calcutta).	For candidates registered by— The Accountant-General, Bengal. The Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs. The Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal State Railway. The Government Examiner of Accounts, East Indian Railway. The Government Examiner of Accounts, Bengal Nagpur Railway. For candidates outside Government service over 25 years of age registered by the Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
(2) Office of the Accountant-General, Bihar and Orissa, Ranchi.	For candidates registered by the Accountant-General, Bihar and Orissa.
(3) The Office of the Comptroller, Assam, Shillong.	For candidates registered by him.
(4) The Office of the Accountant-General, Burma, Rangoon.	Ditto ditto.
(5) The Office of the Government Examiner of Railway Accounts, Chittagong.	Ditto ditto.
(6) The Office of the Accountant-General, Railways, Simla.	Ditto ditto.

Candidates must apply for registration to one of the Government officials on the above list. Those over 25 years of age not in Government service must apply for registration to the Principal only.

Applications *on the prescribed form* must reach the office of the registering officer not later than May 4th, 1917. Each must be accompanied by a fee of Rs. 10, and the following certificates in original, or true copies of them certified by an officer of the Engineer or Accounts Branch. These certificates will not be returned :—

(*i*) Certificate of good character signed by applicant's immediate official superior, or by the instructor under whom he has been educated, or by some other superior under whom he may have been brought up or employed, or to whom he may be well known. (This certificate must have special reference to the two years immediately preceding the application.)

(*ii*) Certificate of age, baptismal or of birth (not required, if the candidate is already in permanent Government employ).

(*iii*) Certificate that the application is in the candidate's own handwriting.

Copies of rules may be had on application from the undersigned.

B. HEATON,

Principal.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR,

The March 1917.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 17th April 1917.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up				2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	2,13,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* .	63,00,000	0	0			
				1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				63,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	4,76,75,089	8	8			
Public Deposits at Branches	2,08,91,414	5	11	6,85,66,503	14	7
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				21,95,56,820	3	6
Bank Post Bills, etc. . .				14,50,151	5	9
Sundries				21,91,613	2	4
RUPEES .				33,30,65,088	10	2

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities . .				6,61,71,277	12	0
Other authorized Investments .				1,21,20,815	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .				6,47,97,814	5	4
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorised Securities				4,12,54,839	6	5
Bills discounted and purchased				2,51,84,810	13	9
Balances with other Banks .				46,24,617	10	10
Bullion				......		
Dead Stock				29,79,400	3	6
Stamps				12,228	2	1
Sundries				7,69,095	10	6
				21,79,14,899	0	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	7,09,61,910	10	7			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches†	4,41,88,278	15	2	11,51,50,189	9	9
RUPEES .				33,30,65,088	10	2

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,50,857 8 0
† Do. do. do. „ 5,17,447 8 0

Rs. 8,68,305 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 19th April 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 39·46

NOTICE.

The Book Depôt attached to the Office of the Superintendent, Government Printing, India, will be closed from the 1st to 15th May inclusive, for the purpose of Stock-taking.

J. J. MEIKLE,
Superintendent, Government Printing, India.

8, HASTINGS STREET,
CALCUTTA,
The 29th March 1917.

IMPERIAL LIBRARY.

(Corner of Hare Street and Strand Road, Calcutta.)

Open on { Week-days and Saturdays, from 10 A.M. to 7 P.M.
Sundays and Holidays, from 2 P.M. to 5 P.M.

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DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 17th April 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 15th April 1917.

	Total amount of notes in circulation.			Reserve. Coin and Bullion. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		Securities (purchase price).		Total.	Remarks.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	Total.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R (a)	R (b) (c)	R	
Calcutta	8,99,000	31,10,24,705	31,14,23,705	4,77,07.549	1,27,16,790	1 19,43.986	5,92,50,000	60,11,772	...	...	9,99,99,946	39,62,23,630	63,38,53,673	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500.
Cawnpore	...	1,65 17,740	1 65,17,740	1,19,51,299	94 25,002	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,13 76,301	(b) Nominal value—R41,17 26,571
Lahore	...	7,10.81,335	7,10,81,335	1,71,25,905	1,88,64,255	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,59,90,190	(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Section 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R31,12,23,630.
Bombay	26,14,930	24,37,17,835	24,63,32,765	2,28,10,597	5,55,47,143	1,07,66,743	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,89,24,483	
Karachi	...	3,24,36,115	3,24 36,115	52,14,572	36,81,030	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	88,95,602	
Madras	24,96,650	9,99,51,055	10,24 47,705	1 86,23,775	1,17,69,630	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 03 93,405	
Rangoon	...	6,85,89,525	6,85,89,525	1,59 24,476	98,76,830	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,58,00,806	
	55,10,580	84,33,18,310	84 88,28,890	13,91,58,173	12,18,80,210	2,27,10,729	5,92,50,000	60,11,772	...	...	9,99,99,946	39,62,23,630	84,53,34,460	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			41,17,430	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									5,23,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			84,47,11,460								TOTAL RESERVE R		84,47,11,460	

Gold worth £121,000 (R18,15,000) was transferred to the Paper Currency Reserve from the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 15th April 1917.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 15th April 1917 to 4 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF MILITARY ACCOUNTS.

CLAIMANTS WHO HAVE ATTAINED THEIR MAJORITY.

It is hereby notified that claims from the undermentioned individuals on account of the patrimony due to them should be submitted to the Controller of Military Accounts, Bolarum, through the Staff Officer of the station at which each claimant may be residing :—

Names of Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Brooks, John, Sergeant, Infantry Veteran Company	Caroline Brooks (daughter). Dennis Brooks (son).
Brandon, John, Gunner, European Artillery Veteran Company.	John Brandon (son).* Charles Brandon (son).
Clarkson, Samuel, Artificer, Carnatic Ordnance Department.	Ann Clarkson (daughter).
Carroll, J., Sergeant, 2nd European Light Infantry	Elizabeth Carroll (daughter). Joseph Carroll (son). Agnes Carroll (daughter).
Cosser, J., Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department	John Cosser (son).
Crawley, Sergeant	George Wellington Crawley (son).
Doyle, I., Gunner, 4th Battalion, Madras Artillery	James Doyle (son).
Danford, S., Gunner, 3rd Battalion Madras Artillery	Amelia, *alias* Emma Danford (daughter).
Furlong. I., Corporal, 3rd Madras European Regiment	John Furlong (son).
Flynn, J., Corporal, 1st Madras Fusiliers	James Flynn (son). William Flynn (son). Joseph Flynn (son).
Grimstone, R., Sergeant, 3rd Madras European Regiment.	Perquira Grimstone (daughter). Richard Grimstone (son).
Hawkins, Richard, Private, European Infantry Veteran Company.	Jeremiah Mitchell Hawkins (Fosterson). George Hawkins (son).
Hunsley. W., Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department	Charles Hunsley (son).
Hutchins, James, Gunner, 2nd Battalion, Artillery	George Henry Hutchins (son).
Healey, P., Hospital Sergeant	Edward Healey (son). Frank Healey (son).
Keleker, I. T., Bombardier, 3rd Battalion, Artillery	Mary Keleker (daughter).
Knowles, W. S., Bugler, D. Company, 1st Battalion, Madras Artillery.	Andrew James Knowles (son).
McDonald, B., 2nd Corporal, Sappers and Miners	James McDonald (son).
McGuire, Michael, Staff Barrack-Sergeant, B. Company, 4th Battalion, Artillery.	Andrew McGuire (son).
McManus, J., Foreman, Carnatic Ordnance Artificer Corps	Agnes Maude McManus (daughter). Mary Elizabeth McManus (daughter). Reith McManus (daughter). Patrick John McManus (son).
Murphy, I., Private, 3rd Madras European Regiment	James Murphy (son).
Nicholson, T., Shoeing Smith	Arabella Hannah Nicholson (daughter).
Rothe, R., Corporal, 2nd European Light Infantry	Catherine Rothe (daughter).
Scully, E., Sub-Overseer	Eleanor Scully (daughter). John Scully (son).
Smith, Michael, Colour-Sergeant, 1st Madras Fusiliers	Mary Ann Smith (daughter).
Smithes, R., Sergeant, 2nd Battalion, Artillery	Henry Smithes (son).
Sheepard, J., Sergeant, 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery	John Sheepard (son). Ellen Sheepard (daughter).
Wallace, J., Gunner, 4th Battalion, Artillery	John Wallace (son). Thomas Wallace (son).
Wiggins, R., Gunner, Madras Artillery	John M. Wiggins (son).

* Claim received, but claimant has not yet appeared to receive payment.

Office of the Controller of Military Accounts,
9th (Secunderabad) Division, Bolarum,
7th April 1917.

G. R. O'DOWD,
for *Controller of Military Accounts.*

REPORT OF DESERTION.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry, dated at Nowshera, this 10th day of April 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—24203, Private William James Macdonald Thompson.
Age—23 years 5 months.
Height—5 feet 8 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, dark brown; eyes, blue.
Trade—Blacksmith's mate.
Date of Enlistment—1st November 1915.
Place of Enlistment—Aberdeen
Parish and County in which born—Bristol.

Date of Desertion or absence—8th April 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Nowshera, India.
Marks—Not known.
Was sentenced to one year's imprisonment with hard labour on the 26th March 1917.
Was wearing a khaki suit of a lance corporal of the 1-5th East Surrey Regiment when he absented himself.
Under two years' service.

E. MOORE, Major,
Commanding 1st Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

It is hereby notified under Section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act VI of 1878 that on 27th August 1916, 1st September 1916 and subsequent dates treasure of the description and approximate value noted in the margin was discovered under the ground in a vacant house belonging to one Sornammal in the village of Lalpuram, Chidambaram taluk, South Arcot District, Madras Presidency.

	No.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
Full rupees	16	16	0	0
Half rupee	1	0	8	0
One-fourth rupee	7	1	12	0
One-eighth rupee	26	3	4	0
One-fourth anna pieces	9	0	2	3
Pies	13	0	1	1
Small gold screw	1	0	1	0
„ ornament	1	0	4	0
„ coral with wire	1	0	0	1
„ wires	3	......		
„ pearl on a wire	1	......		
White metal screw	1	0	4	0
Metal lamp (bottom)	1	0	8	0
1 bell metal cup	1	0	2	0
Brass vessel	1	0	0	6
Iron padlock	1	......		
Iron bill hook (broken)	1	......		
Small brass chembu	1	0	1	0
	86	22	15	11

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of South Arcot at his Office in Cuddalore on the 4th August 1917 in order to have the matter enquired into and determined according to law.

B. RAMA RAO,
Sub-Collector in charge.

SOUTH ARCOT COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
The 3rd April 1917.

Notice is hereby given under Section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act (VI of 1878) that at about 4 P.M., on the evening of the 30th October 1916, the undermentioned treasure is stated to have been found in S. F. No. 369-1 of Bitragunta Village, Kavali Taluk, which stands registered in the names of Akkaraju Venkatramanaiah and Gandrakota Hamayya, and secured from Mandu Venkadu one of the Coolies who were repairing the field on behalf of Boddu Subbadu and kept in the Taluk Sub-Treasury at Kavali:—

Details of the find.	Weight.		Estimated approximate value. Rs.	A.	P.
(1) Pathakam	39	Guruginjas.	4	14	0
(2) Corrugated gold ring	23	„	3	6	0
(3) Small gold piece	18	„	2	10	0
Total			10	14	0

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any portion thereof are required to appear in person or by a duly authorized agent before the Collector of Nellore at his office in Nellore on the 1st October 1917 in view of their claims being enquired into and disposed of according to law.

R. RAMACHANDRA ROW,
Collector.

OFFICE OF COLLECTOR OF NELLORE,
The 31st March 1917.

NOTIFICATION.

Notice is hereby given under Section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on or about 8th February 1917 the undermentioned treasure of the value of Rs. 146 was found by (1) Gariparti Subbaya, (2) Gorla Mahalkshmudu, (3) Mundru Veeraswamy, (4) Kona Pentadu, (5) Kona Subbadu in the village of Kondur Agraharam, Kaikalur Taluk.

Description of treasure.

Rs. 146 found in a mud pot.

2. Persons claiming the said treasure or any portion thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by a duly authorized agent before the Collector of Kristna at his office in Masulipatam on 15th September 1917 and prefer their claims.

E. W. CLARKE,
for Collector.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 18th April 1917.

No. 23.—Mr. Abinash Chunder Bose, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 27th March 1917, under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

C. H. D. RYDER, LT.-COL., R.E.,
Offg. Superintendent, Map Publication.

SURVEY OF INDIA—SOUTHERN CIRCLE.

NOTIFICATION.

Bangalore, the 12th April 1917.

No. 11.—Mr. B. T. Wyatt, Extra Assistant Superintendent, is granted privilege leave for 3 months under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 1st May 1917 or a subsequent date on which he can avail himself of the same.

T. F. B. RENNY-TAILYOUR, Colonel, R.E.,
Superintendent, Southern Circle.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 14th April 1917.

No. 2889-*Education*.—Whereas the District Board of Delhi has applied to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi Province, under the provisions of Section 61 of Act XX of 1883 (The Punjab District Boards Act) and whereas it appears to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi Province, that land is required by the said District Board for a public purpose, namely, for the establishment of a Market at Narela Railway Station in Tehsil Delhi in the Delhi Province, it is hereby declared that the undermentioned land is required for the said purpose.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act I of 1894, and under Section 7 of the said Act the Collector of the Delhi Province is hereby directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

SPECIFICATION OF LAND.

1	2	3	4	5	6
Province.	Tehsil.	Mauza.	Area in Acres.	Boundaries.	Place where the plan may be inspected.
Delhi .	Delhi .	Narela .	10·502	East, West, North } Cultivated land Shamlatdeh.	District Board Office.
				South. Railway fencing .	Delhi.

No. 2892-*Home*.—The powers under Section 30 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, conferred upon Rai Sahib Lala Nathu Mal, Extra Assistant Commissioner and Magistrate, 1st Class, Delhi, by virtue of the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 195-Home, dated the 10th January 1917, are hereby extended up to the 30th June 1917.

No. 2902-*C. & I.*—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 24 (4) of the Punjab Excise Act I of 1914, as applied to the Delhi Province, and in supersession of Notification No. 818 C. & I., dated the 9th February 1916, the Chief Commissioner is hereby pleased to prohibit the possession of spirit of a strength above 85° of London Proof except in the case of—

(1) imported foreign spirit.
(2) rectified spirit.
(3) denatured spirit.
(4) perfumed spirit.
(5) country spirit possessed by holders of reducing licenses in form L-16, authorised by Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 1314-C. & I., dated the 25th February 1915, in accordance with the conditions of their licenses.
(6) Indian made foreign spirit possessed by holders of licenses for wholesale and retail vend of foreign liquor to the trade only and for wholesale and retail vend of foreign liquor to the public in forms L-1 and L-2, authorised by Chief Commissioner's Notification Nos. 2169-C. & I. and 2172-C. & I., dated the 20th March 1917, in accordance with the conditions of their licenses.

The 16th April 1917.

No. 2935-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending 7th April 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi . .	225,471	105	95	200	81	79	160	...	1	...	59	10	69	2	19	1	28	18	46	46·13	36·10
	Notified Area	3,673	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	14·15	14·15
	Total .	229,144	106	95	201	82	79	161	...	1	..	59	10	70	2	19	1	28	18	46	46·11	36·53

The 17th April 1917.

No. 2979-*Home*.—Captain P. M. Rennie, I.M.S., made over charge of the duties of Superintendent of the District Jail at Delhi to Mr. T. S. Farmer on the afternoon of the 31st March 1917.

By order,

D. JOHNSTONE,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

The 18th April 1917.

No. 2995-*Home*.—The services of Assistant Surgeon S. N. Mozumdar are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India with effect from the forenoon of the 30th March 1917 for re-employment under the Punjab Government.

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mount Abu, the 17th April 1917.

No. 825—1044.—The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to approve of Mr. Nusserwanji Dadabhoy of Ajmer as a candidate for a license to prospect and mine for minerals in the British district of Ajmer-Merwara.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 12th April 1917.

No. 1080-*D*.—The services of the Reverend F. L. Bridges, Chaplain of Neemuch, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces with effect from the 10th April 1917 or the subsequent date on which he assumed charge of his duties in the Central Provinces.

The 13th April 1917.

No. 1096-*D*.—Captain G. W. Beale assumed charge of the office of Cantonment Magistrate, Neemuch, from Major H. P. Pott on the afternoon of the 25th March 1917.

No. 1102-*D*.—Mr. H. A. Gibbon assumed charge of the office of Cantonment Magistrate, Neemuch, from Captain G. W. Beale on the forenoon of the 26th March 1917.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

II G

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 14th April 1917.

No. 213-*J*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 (*b*) of the British Baluchistan Civil Justice Regulation, 1896, as in force in the Agency Territories by virtue of Foreign Department Notification No. 1603-I.-B, dated the 28th July 1911, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased to direct that M. Ram Singh, Tahsildar, Bori, shall exercise jurisdiction in original suits of value not exceeding one thousand rupees.

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

First Assistant.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 12th April 1917.

No. 777.—The undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed the prescribed tests in the Pashtu language by the Higher Standard at an examination held at Quetta on 2nd April 1917.

Captain E. Hogan, Supply and Transport Corps.

No. 934-*R*.—Mr. A. Howard, M.A., C.I.E., Imperial Economic Botanist, Agricultural Research Institute, Pusa, and Mrs. Howard, M.A., Second Imperial Economic Botanist of the same Institute, took over charge of their duties under the Baluchistan Administration with effect from the afternoon of the 16th March 1917.

By order,

R. H. CHENEVIX TRENCH, Major,

First Assistant.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, RAJPUTANA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mount Abu, the 14th April 1917.

No. 1901.—For the purposes of rule 7 of the Indian Defence Force Rules, 1917, published in the Notification of the Government of India in the Army Department, No. 461, dated the 27th March 1917, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General is pleased to constitute an Exemption Tribunal for the Native States of Rajputana and to appoint Lieut.-Colonel C. J. Windham, C.I.E., Resident, Western Rajputana States, as the President of the Tribunal. The other two Members will be nominated by the General Officer Commanding, 5th (Mhow) Division, and the President, respectively. The Tribunal will hold its sittings at Mount Abu.

Applications for exemption made in accordance with Section 6 of the said Rules shall be lodged with the Political Agent of the area in which the persons on whose behalf they are made ordinarily reside.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, RAJPUTANA, AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 12th April 1917.

No. 1453.—In continuation of Notification No. 3161, dated the 3rd October 1916, Mr. J. G. Hogan is reverted to the appointment of Assistant Superintendent of Police, Ajmer-Merwara, with effect from the forenoon of 28th March 1917, the date on which Mr. Peel returned from leave and resumed charge of his duties as Personal Assistant to the Inspector-General of Railway Police and Police Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana.

No. 1459.—In continuation of Notification No. 1453, dated the 4th April 1917, Mr. J. G. Hogan is re-transferred to Abu to act as Personal Assistant to the Inspector-General of Railway Police, Rajputana, with effect from the forenoon of 4th April 1917, in consequence of the transfer of Mr. Peel's services to the Political Department in the Persian Gulf.

No. 1465.—The services of Mr. E. G. B. Peel, an Assistant Superintendent of the United Provinces Police, at present employed under this Administration as Personal Assistant to the Inspector-General of Railway Police, Rajputana, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, with effect from the 4th April 1917, the date on which he relinquished charge of his duties in Rajputana.

By order,

H. G. RICHARDSON,

Police Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR.

Dated the 17th April 1917.

In the Court of Major R. W. E. Knollys, I.A., District Judge at Delhi.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and of the Union Bank of India, Ltd., Delhi, in Liquidation.

The District Judge's Court of Delhi has by an order, dated the 10th day of April 1917, appointed Lala Basheshar Nath Goela, B.A., LL.B., Pleader of Delhi, to be Official Liquidator of the abovenamed Company.

E. KNOLLYS,

District Judge, Delhi.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA.

Testamentary and Intestate Jurisdiction.

TESTAMENTARY APPLICATION No. 2 OF 1916.

In the matter of the goods of Jessie Shuttleworth, deceased.

Whereas application has been made to this Court by Florence Inglis McLeod Powell, resident of Ghazipur, United Provinces, for probate of the will in respect of the estate of Jessie Shuttleworth who died at Dehra Doon on the 29th April, 1915, this citation is issued calling upon all persons claiming to have any interest in the estate of the deceased to come and see the proceedings before the grant of probate of the will in this Court on Monday the 9th day of July, 1917, at 10-30 o'clock, A.M.

S. N. MUKHARJI,

for Registrar.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons here under named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
161—1917	Peter Paul Morris	Native Christian	Grant Road	Lately servant in the employ of Mrs. Marcelina D'Souza and now unemployed.	3rd	April	1917	3rd	April	1917.
162—1917	Nagsy Napu Sha	Hindu	Ghodupdeo	Lately trading in partnership with Sivraj Napu Sha and Vijpal Napu Sha in the name and style of Siwraj Napu & Co. at Mazagon as grain merchants and now servant in the employ of Moolji Chota & Co.	"	"	"	"	"	"
163—1917	Dagadu Bhicaji Zodge	"	Delisle Road	Lately jobber in the Indian Mills, Ltd., Ripon Road, and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
164—1917	Rothar Nallan	Native Christian	Kamatipura, 12th Lane	Chargeman in the G. I. P. Railway at Matunga (workshop).	"	"	"	"	"	"
165—1917	Gopal Vithoo Shetey and Gambaji Raghuji Shetey.	Hindu	Durgadevi	Lately officiators of country liquor toddy shops and now the 1st Debtor, servant in the employ of Jamasji Sorabji, and the 2nd Debtor unemployed.	4th	"	"	4th	"	"
166—1917	Sadashiv *alias* Baburao Jaisingrao Jagtap.	"	Dadar	Lately doing business as pearl broker and now unemployed.	10th	"	"	10th	"	"
167—1917	Laxman Babaji Shinde	"	Delisle Road	Fitter in the Ramdas Mills, Limited Elphinstone Road.	"	"	"	"	"	"
168—1917	Thomas Salvador Alvares	East Indian	City Road Thana	Book-binder in the G. I. P. Railway Company, Wari Bunder, Bombay.	"	"	"	"	"	"
169—1917	Esmail Hassum Memen	Mahomedan	Kambekar Street	Formerly Bullock cart-keeper and latterly trading as grocer in the name of Esmail & Co., and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"

171—1917	Peroshaw Bomanji Soonawala	Parsi	Khetwadi Bark Road	Clerk in the Secretariat (General Department), Bombay.	„	„	.	„	„	„	„
172—1917	Mahomed Hoosein Fateh Mahomed Manian.	Mahomedan	Nakhoda Molla	Lately petty dealer in bangles and now unemployed.	„	„	.	„	„	„	„
173—1917	Narotum Dhunji Thucker.	Hindu	Old Hanuman gali	Mehta in the firm of Messrs. Thakurdas & Co., Merchants.	„	„	.	„	„	„	„
170—1917	Hassum Noormahomed Memon	Mahomedan	Ghogari Molla	Lately dealer in hosiery and now unemployed	„	„	.	„	11th	„	„
174—1917	Laxumon Baloo Shetey	Hindu	Tardeo	Sizer in the Menekji Petit Mills, Ltd	11th	„	.	„	„	„	„
175—1917	Ebrahim *alias* Ebram Ahmed Thakoor *alias* Mookri and Abdul Rehman Adam Thakoor *alias* Mookri.	Mahomedan	Imam Wala	Motor drivers in the Bombay Port Trust	„	„	.	„	„	„	„
176—1917	Ramchandra Hiraji Nilgooday	Hindu	Abdul Rehman Street	Lately clerk in the Bombay Port Trust and now unemployed.	„	„	.	„	„	„	„
177—1917	Krishna Savlaram Kordele	„	Lady Jamsedji Road, Dadar	Jobber in the Ruby Mills, Ltd.	„	„	.	„	„	„	„
178—1917	Babu Atmaram Panchal Sutar	„	Taldeo	Carpenter in the Bombay Flour Mills Co., Ltd.	12th	„	.	„	12th	„	„
179—1917	Ebrahim Jusab Memon	Mahomedan	Nall Bazar	Lately dealer in fruits and now servants in the employ of former Jusab.	„	„	.	„	„	„	„
180—1917	George Alfred Breag	Anglo-Indian	Parel	Lately engine driver in the B. B. & C. I. Railway and now unemployed.	„	„		„	„	„	„
181—1917	Anthony Francis Carvalho Muniz	European Portuguese.	Byculla	Lately employed as Manager of Warden & Co., Bombay, and now Insurance Broker.	„	„	.	„	„	„	„
182—1917	Pandurang Waman Potnis	Hindu	Dadar	Clerk in the G. I. P. Railway (Loco. Department), Parel.	13th	„	.	„	13th	„	„
184—1917	Gajanan Vithoba Rane	„	Trimbak Vaidya's Part Thakurdwar.	Clerk in the service of Messrs. Fleming Shaw & Co.	„	„	.	„	„	„	„
183—1917	Nagindas Mulchand Sha	„	Bhuleshwar	Cloth Merchant	„	„	.	„	„	„	„

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909)—*contd.*

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
185—1917	Kashinath Balkrishna Pethe and Anandrao Kashinath Pethe.	Hindu	Mahim	1st debtor Clerk in the G. I. P. Railway Victoria Terminus and the 2nd Debtor unemployed.	13th	April	1917	13th	April	1917
186—1917	Babu Ananta Adeuwala	"	Dadar	Fitter in the employ of Alcock Ashdown & Co., Ltd.	"	"	"	"	"	"
187—1917	Ganpat Abaji Desai	"	Chikalwadi	Reading Postman in the Kalvadevi Post Office, Bombay.	14th	"	"	14th	"	"
188—1917	Gajanan Shankar Tambat	"	Kemdewadi	Copper Smith	"	"	"	"	"	"
189—1917	Rustomji Hormusji Daruwala	Parsi	China Bazar, Kolbhat Lane	Lately Turner in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
190—1917	Atmaram Nenabhai Vaslekar	Hindu	Grant Road Bridge	Lately Manager in the Belgaokar Dramatic Co. and now unemployed.	16th	"	"	16th	"	"
191—1917	Sunder Vishram Chikhle	"	Supari Baug, Parel	Dealer in Tobacco	"	"	"	"	"	"
192—1917	Samuel Yacoob Charekar	Jewish	Jacob Circle	Carpenter in the Bombay Municipal Workshop.	"	"	"	"	"	"
194—1917	Bhagwandin Rambharosh Tevari	Hindu	Bhandarwada, Marati Gali, Nal Bazar.	Lately dealer in milk and now unemployed	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors' have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,
Bombay, this 16th day of April 1917.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 70 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th March 1917.

In the matter of Dewaraka Singh, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Dewaraka Singh, Contractor, residing at No. 94, 39th Street, Rangoon, on the 29th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Dewaraka Singh.

J. HORMASJI,
Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

Summary Case.

No. 98 OF 1916.

Dated the 14th April 1917.

Re A. G. Nicholas Hind.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 5th day of June 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 47 OF 1917.

Dated the 14th April 1917.

Re Cecil Louise Neal residing at No. 29, Bentinck Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as Contractor to Telegraph Coffee-shop at No. 8, Wellesley Place, in Calcutta aforesaid but at present without occupation.

Ex parte the debtor. M. N. Sen—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 4th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 48 OF 1917.

Dated the 16th April 1917.

Re Ram Kumar Pujori *alias* Ram Kumar Thakur, residing at No. 1, Hanspukuria Lane in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business at No. 49, Cotton Street, in Calcutta aforesaid as Hotel-Keeper but at present without any occupation.

Ex parte the debtor. Probodh Chandra Mitter—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 4th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 50 OF 1917.

Dated the 18th April 1917.

Re Binjraj Karnani, residing at No. 3, Synagague Street, in the town of Calcutta, a service holder.

Ex parte the Debtor.—Braja Lal Mookerjee—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 17th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 53 OF 1917.

Dated the 19th April 1917.

Re Ramdhone Leakotia, lately residing at No. 209, Harrison Road, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on a piece-goods business at No. 51, Cross Street in Calcutta aforesaid, but now a prisoner in Civil side of the Presidency Jail.

Ex parte the Debtor.—Nalin Chandra Gupta—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 17th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

FORM NO. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 16 OF 1917.

Dated the 11th April 1917.

In the matter of Abdur Rahim, son of Mussamat Bandi Jan of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition dated 19th March 1917 on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

FORM No. 5.

Order appointing a Receiver.

SECTION 18.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 16, 1917.

Dated 11th April 1917.

In the matter of Abdur Rahim, son of Mussamat Bandi Jan of Delhi, Debtor.

Whereas Abdur Rahim was adjudicated an insolvent by order of this Court, dated 11th April 1917, and it appears to the Court that appointment of a Receiver for the property of the insolvent is necessary.

It is ordered that a receiving order be made against the insolvent and a receiving order is hereby made against insolvent and clerk of Court is hereby constituted receiver of the property of the said insolvent.

FORM No. 8.

Notice to Creditors of the date of consideration of a composition or scheme of arrangement.

SECTION 27.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI.

In the matter of Insolvency of Bishamber Nath, son of Makhan Lal, of Delhi, Insolvent.

SUIT No. OF

Dated 16th April 1917.

Take notice that the Court has fixed the 12th day of May 1917, for the consideration of a composition(or scheme of arrangement) submitted by Bishamber Nath, the debtor in the above Insolvency petition. No creditor who has not proved his debt before the aforesaid date will be permitted to vote on the consideration of the above matter.

If you desire to be represented at the abovementioned hearing you should be present in person or by duly instructed pleader with your proofs.

SUIT No. 20 OF 1917.

Dated the 5th April 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Muhammad Ibrahim, son of Muhammad Muzaffar, caste Shekh of Delhi, Kucha Raiman.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Muhammad Ibrahim to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on the 4th day of May 1917.

SUIT No. 21 OF 1917.

Dated the 10th April 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Mool Chand, son of Bogan, caste Bania of Kucha Chelan, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Mool Chand to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on the 2nd May 1917.

SUIT No. 22 OF 1917.

Dated the 12th April 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Badri Das, son of Gordhan Das of Delhi, Dharampura.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Badri Das to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on the 7th May 1917.

SUIT No. 23 OF 1917.

Dated 14th April 1917.

In the natter of Insolvency of Mohammad Nazir, son of Abdur Rahman, Caste Shekh Baradari Sher of Afgan Khan, Bellimaran, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Mohammad Nazir to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this court and will be heard on 5th May 1917.

RAHIM BAKHSH,

Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

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IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, AJMER.

Jagan Nath, son of Gobind Ram, Caste Mahajan of Ajmer, Insolvent, Applicant, against.

		Debt.		
1.	Nagrup Mal, Mahajan, Oswal of Ajmer	200	0	0
2.	Ramchander, son of Bhagwan Dass, Mahajan of Ajmer	175	0	0
3.	Phool Chand, son of Maganmal, Mahajan of Ajmer	100	0	0
4.	Gokal Ram Ram Ballabh, Mahajan, Ajmer	110	0	0
5.	Jagannath Ram Belas, Mahajan, Ajmer	50	0	0
6.	Jagannath Radha Kishen, Mahajan, Ajmer	50	0	0
7.	Heera Lal Johri Lal, Ajmer	25	0	0
8.	Lachman Dass Hazari Mal, Mahajan, Ajmer	20	0	0
9.	Labh Chand, Mahajan of Ajmer	20	0	0
10.	Heera Lal Ramjewan, Mahajan, Ajmer	55	0	0
		802	0	0

Whereas the insolvent has filed an application under Section 11 of Act III of 1907 and the application will be heard on 16th May 1917 at 10 A.M. The creditors are hereby informed that they either personally or through an authorised agent must appear before the Court on the date fixed. In default the proceedings will be taken *ex parte*.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court this 7th day of April 1917.

Mool Chand, son of Ganga Ram Mahesri of Ajmer, Applicant, Insolvent,

against

		Debt.		
1.	Meeru Lal Sanwat Mal, Dargah Bazar, Ajmer	395	0	0
2.	Cheetor Mal Roar Mal, Diggi Bazar, Ajmer	350	0	0
3	Chunni Lal Rattan Lal of Ajmer	189	0	0
	Creditors.	925	0	0

Whereas the insolvent has filed an application under Section 11 of Act III of 1907 and the application will be heard on 23rd May 1917 at 10 A.M. The creditors are hereby informed that they either personally or through an authorised agent must appear before the Court on the date fixed. In default the proceedings will be taken *ex parte*.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court this 7th day of April 1917.

S. ABDUL WAHID KHAN,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Ajmer.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 18th April 1917.

No. 389-E.—Captain P. M. Rennie, I.M.S., was relieved of his duties as Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, New Capital, Delhi, on the afternoon of the 4th April 1917, by Lala Dhanpat Rai Varma, Assistant Surgeon, who will hold charge of the office of Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, until further orders.

H. T. KEELING,
Secretary P. W. D., Delhi.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 8TH TO 15TH APRIL 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for Ceylon Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Cents coined and paid over.	Closing balance
Calcutta	32	...	...	32	...	...	...	...	(a) 53	18	...	71	...	...	...	...	...	15
Bombay	34	...	...	34	19	...	19	...	(b) 109	1	3	113	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 36 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(b) Exclusive of 132 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, LT.-COLONEL, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

HIS MAJESTY'S MINT;
Calcutta, the 19th April 1917.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated 14th April 1917.

No. Mr. J. P. Williams, Deputy Locomotive Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, is granted combined leave for 1 year 5 months and 13 days (*viz.*, privilege leave for 3 months and furlough for the remaining period), with effect from the forenoon of 4th May 1917, or from such subsequent date as he may be permitted to avail himself of it.

E. A. S. BELL,
Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway.

OUDH AND ROHILKHAND RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lucknow, the 14th April 1917.

No. 2.—Mr. C. E. Brown, Assistant Engineer, is granted combined leave for two years, *viz.*, privilege leave for 3 months and furlough for the remaining period under Articles 233-260 and 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from forenoon of 1st April 1917.

H. B. HOLMES,
Agent, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 17th April 1917.

No. 204-*G*.—Mr. J. W. Glancey, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 4th (Quetta) Division, is granted privilege leave for one day in extension of the privilege leave granted in Military Accounts Department Notifications Nos. 316-G-Camp and 581-G-Camp, dated the 20th December 1916 and the 17th January 1917 respectively.

No. 205-*G*.—The following officiating appointments of Deputy Examiners, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 4th (Quetta) Division, are made for the periods specified, *vice* Mr. J. W. Glancey, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), granted privilege leave, in cancellation of this Department Notifications Nos. 709-G-Camp and 925-G-Camp, dated the 31st January and the 28th February 1917 respectively:—

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Simla, the 11th April 1917.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL (FORTNIGHTLY) PRICES

RETURN SHOWING the WHOLESALE and RETAIL PRICES of CEREALS, PULSES, OILSEEDS, SUGAR (RAW), SALT, ETC., in INDIA by DISTRICTS for the FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH MARCH 1917

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SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending the 15th March 1917 as compared with the corresponding period of 1916.

Province.	Rice (Common)		Wheat		Barley		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar Dal (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending 15th March of																			
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma	100	103	100	100	...	...	.	...	100	86	100	107	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	103
Assam	100	94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	111	100	91	100	107
Bengal	100	95	100	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	92	100	86	100	109	100	100	100	97
Bihar and Orissa	100	75	100	68	100	70	100	78	100	84	100	85	100	79	100	122	100	103	100	91
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	100	93	100	111	100	105	100	102	100	104	100	104	100	80	100	114	100	116	100	97
Delhi	100	85	100	109	100	[illegible]	100	94	100	100	100	109	100	85	100	112	100	101	100	111
Punjab	100	95	100	110	100	107	100	85	100	96	100	114	100	86	100	111	100	84	100	117
North-West Frontier Province	100	96	100	118	100	95	100	96	100	96	100	118	100	88	100	106	100	80	100	129
Sind and Baluchistan	100	104	100	118	100	109	100	92	100	100	100	111	100	75	100	112	100	87	...	...
Bombay	100	96	100	105	.	103	100	96	...	...	100	103	100	90	100	126	100	89	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	102	100	97	...	...	100	121	...	...	100	105	100	93	100	121	...	...	100	107
Madras	100	115	...	...	...	...	100	109	..	...	100	103	100	91	100	100	100	95	100	95
India	100	96	100	105	100	100	100	96	100	95	100	104	100	86	100	112	100	95	100	105

NOTE.—The rise in the price of Salt in the North-West Frontier Province, and that of Ghee in the Bombay Presidency, Bihar and Orissa and Central Provinces and Berar are noteworthy. The rise in the price of jawar was greatest in Central Provinces and Berar. The fall in the prices of barley, jawar and rice in Bihar and Orissa is noticeable. Price of Arhar Dal fell most in Sind.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 15th March 1917 as compared with the previous fortnight.

Province	Rice (common)		Wheat		Barley		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar Dal (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending																			
	28th Feb. 1917	15th Mar 1917	28th Feb. 1917	15th Mar. 1917	28th Feb. 1917	15th Mar. 1917	28th Feb 1917	15th Mar. 1917	28th Feb. 1917	15th Mar. 1917	28th Feb. 1917	15th Mar. 1917	28th Feb. 1917	15th Mar 1917	28th Feb. 1917	15th Mar. 1917	28th Feb 1917	15th Mar 1917	28th Feb. 1917	15th Mar. 1917
Burma	100	99	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	109	100	100	100	91	...	...	100	100
Assam	100	103	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	97	100	97	100	93
Bengal	100	97	100	98	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	102	100	94	100	100
Bihar and Orissa	100	100	100	105	100	100	100	100	100	99	100	99	100	96	100	100	100	97	100	100
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	102	100	100	100	100	100	96	100	106	100	100	100	100	100	98	100	100	100	98
Delhi	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	96	100	100	100	100	100	96	100	93
Punjab	100	100	100	99	100	104	100	99	100	98	100	98	100	100	100	100	100	90	100	92
North-West Frontier Province.	100	100	100	102	100	103	100	119	100	96	100	95	100	100	100	100	100	105	100	96
Sind and Baluchistan.	100	96	100	94	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	102	100	98	...	...
Bombay	100	95	100	121	100	108	100	92	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	101	100	95	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	101	100	98	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	108	100	100	100	102	...	...	100	96
Madras	100	114	...	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	102	100	95	100	99
India	100	101	100	102	100	102	100	101	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	97	100	96

NOTE.—The rise in the price of wheat in the Bombay Presidency, of jawar in the North-West Frontier Province and of rice in the Madras Presidency is noticeable. The fall in the price of ghee in Burma is also noteworthy.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 3.

WHOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82⅓ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at certain selected markets during the fortnight ending 15th March of the years 1915, 1916 and 1917.

Marts	Wheat			Rice (common)			Jawar (*Andropogon sorghum*)			Bajra (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)			Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		
	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta . . .	4 10 0	4 0 0	6 8 0	5 10 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	...	...	.	...	...	..	3 10 0	3 2 0	4 12 0
Bombay . .	5 8 1	5 14 10	...	4 9 4	4 12 2	4 12 2	3 8 0	3 2 0	...	3 9 7	4 0 4	..	3 7 10	3 7 10	...
Karachi . . .	4 13 0	4 1 6	4 11 6	5 5 0	5 1 0	5 2 0	2 13 6	3 2 9	2 15 0	2 15 0	3 10 6	3 12 6	...	...	...
Madras . . .	...	...	...	6 1 5	5 4 10	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 4	4 5 5	5 0 8
Rangoon . . .	4 14 2		5 8 3	2 15 5	3 1 11	2 12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 10	4 2 6	4 0 10
Dacca . . .	...	...	...	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Patna . . .	3 15 0	4 0 0	5 12 0	3 9 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	2 3 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 5 3	4 0 0	3 5 3	3 6 0	3 8 0	4 5 0
Ranchi . . .	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	..	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 10 0
Cuttack . . .	4 11 3	5 1 3	6 1 6	3 9 6	3 15 4	4 1 8	..	...	...	...	..	...	4 1 2	4 1 3	3 12 11
Benares . . .	4 9 10	4 8 10	5 12 1	4 13 5	5 2 11	5 8 3	2 14 0	2 12 7	3 7 4	3 1 11	3 0 11	3 10 8	2 15 7	2 11 0	4 7 2
Cawnpore . .	4 7 0	4 0 0	5 12 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 1 0	2 8 0	2 6 0	3 5 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	2 10 6	4 0 0
Meerut . . .	4 11 3	4 0 0	5 5 3	5 14 9	5 11 0	5 11 6	2 11 9	2 13 9	4 0 0		3 3 3	3 14 6	3 3 3	2 13 9	4 11 3
Agra . . .	4 13 6	4 5 2	5 8 3	6 10 8	6 6 4	6 2 5	2 9 3	2 8 0	3 12 10	2 2 6	3 1 2	4 1 7	3 5 4	2 13 8	4 9 1
Lucknow . . .		4 0 0	5 0 0	...	4 11 3	4 5 3		2 6 9	3 10 2	...	...	..	...	2 13 9	4 0 0
Ferozepur . .	4 5 3	3 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 9	5 12 0	2 15 6	3 3 3	3 3 3	2 13 9	3 14 0	3 3 3	3 4 3	2 13 9	3 9 0
Lahore . . .	4 3 3	4 0 0	5 2 6	4 11 3	5 2 6	5 5 3	3 0 3	3 10 3	3 7 6	2 14 6	3 14 3	3 10 3	3 6 3	2 15 6	3 9 0
Amritsar . .	4 1 0	3 12 0	4 14 9	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 11 6	3 0 0	...	...	..	..	..	3 5 3	2 14 6	3 9 9
Rawalpindi . .	4 11 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	5 6 0	5 11 0	5 12 0	2 12 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 5 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 11 0	3 5 0	3 9 0
Lyallpur . . .	4 3 6	3 8 0	4 12 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	...	3 0 0	3 12 0	2 10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 4 6	2 10 0	3 3 0
Ambala . . .	4 6 0	4 1 0	5 8 0	4 12 0	6 0 0	5 8 0	2 5 0	2 12 0	4 0 0	2 14 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	3 4 0	2 13 0	4 0 0
Delhi . . .	4 9 0	4 3 0	5 8 0	5 10 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	2 12 0	2 15 0	3 10 0	2 12 0	3 3 0	4 0 0	3 3 0	2 15 0	4 0 0
Peshawar . .	4 9 8	4 5 2	4 11 10	5 11 5	5 13 11	6 2 5	3 11 6	3 5 11	2 5 9	3 2 5	4 3 10	3 3 8	3 9 10	3 2 8	3 11 6
Quetta . . .	5 5 0	4 11 0	5 10 7	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 9 4	3 6 11	...	...		...	...	...
Poona . . .	4 13 9	4 13 9	5 1 11	5 2 6	5 10 2	4 8 10	2 6 11	2 11 4	2 12 11	3 5 4	3 6 8	3 3 1	3 0 5	3 14 11	4 9 9
Ahmednagar . .	3 13 0	3 14 4	4 8 4	...	...		2 1 0	2 3 11	2 5 10	...	2 8 1	2 9 11	3 2 11	3 4 10	4 10 11
Ahmedabad . . .	5 0 0	4 10 0	5 6 0	7 0 0	6 6 0	5 10 0	2 5 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 5 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 12 0
Nagpur . . .	4 1 11	4 4 0	...	4 5 2	3 13 6	4 0 7	2 15 1	2 9 7	2 15 10	.	...	...	3 10 10	3 10 10	4 6 8
Jubbulpur . .	4 8 5	4 7 1	5 14 10	4 0 0	4 3 4	4 11 4	2 10 8	2 3 6	3 1 2	...	...	...	3 5 4	2 15 5	4 0 0
Godavari . . .	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 0 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malabar . . .	...	...	...	4 15 0	5 2 11	4 15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma *—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	34 78	40·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	38 55	32 99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	32 99	30·19	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	29·68	31·22	48·85		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	32 47	35 16	52 05	88 88	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	35·75	30 19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	35 75	34 41	68·08	68·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	31·84	25 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	34·41	44·14	38·78	45 07	...	...	...	...	19·69	...	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	35·75	35 75	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	36 36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam *—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet) †		.		52 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	25	25	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	22 5	25	42 5	47 5	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal *—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	25 62	26·87	48·75	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	30	32 5	50	49 37	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	26·25	31·25	56·25	62 5	46 25	40	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	21 25	32 5	36 25	43·75	53 75	50	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Midnapore	20	28 75	42 5	46 25	55	57 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	23 75	29 06	45	57 5	40		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	25	25	46 25	47 5	52 5	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa *—															
Bihár, north—															
Bhágalpur	...	...	37 5	52 5	43 75	50 02	...	...	21 25	35	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	44 37	60·56	40	58 12	...	...	22 19	31·87	...	...	.	...	...
Bihar, south—															
Patna	...	...	35 62	45 62	39 37	40	...	...	23·12	50	31 87	30	38 28	40	...
Orissa—															
Cuttack	..	...	35 94	39 58	47·08	50 78	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—															
(a) Agra—															
Eastern—															
Benares	25 31	26 67	48·38	51 82	46 15	42·4	51·2	58·8	29 32	31·93	28·75	27·86	31·2	30·57	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	23·75	28 75	51 25	55	44·37	40	51·25	48 75	30	27·5	25	28 75	25	30	...
Jhánsi	...	...	47 08	50	44 37	45 94	...	...	27·19	29·22	20 94	24 22	20	32·66	...
Western—															
Meerut	25	...	59 22	56 87	47·08	40	51 56	43 12	30·47	30·78	27·34	28 59	...	33·08	...
Agra	...	59 22	66 67	63 96	48·44	48·28	57 18	50	32·6	27·08	25·78	25	21·56	30·78	...
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	22 5	26·25	38·75	50	40 94	37·5	45 75	45	28·75	26 25	26·56	26 25	26 87	26·75	...
(b) Oudh—															
Southern—															
Lucknow †	...	.		47·08	..	40	.	35·16	...	.	..	34·22	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	25	26 72	46 87	51·87	40 to 42·19	40	...	...	...	28·59	...	29·37	..	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

† Figures have not so far been reported

NOTE —These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district head-quarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

RAGI	MAIZE		GRAM		ARHAR DÁL		OATS		COTTON SEED		LINSEED		MUSTARD AND RAPESEED		DISTRICTS
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	61·54	61·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	63·98	59·26	68·82	68 82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	40 51	41 56	56·14	60·05	49 61	62 75	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	60 95	54 7	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	47·06	43 84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	42·95	42 95	75·29	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	18·71	21·64	34 97	32·47	64·63	68·62	57·66	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	34·41	34·41	71 91	71 91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakôkku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	59 26	57·14	...	72·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42 5	...	...	Balaganj (Sylhet)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42 5	40	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42 5	38 75	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	50	50	60	70	...	...	...	...	100	80	50	60	Chittagong
...	...	...	..	...	70	73 75	...	...	...	...	65	100	70	60	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	36 25	31 25	47 5	60	...	...	...	..	60	51 25	55	55	Calcutta
															Western—
...	...	...	40	32 5	45	55 63	...	...	...	...	65	60	56 25	50	Burdwan
...	...	...	41·25	45	60	70	...	...	...	...	47·5	47 5	56 25 to 62 5	62 5	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	59 37	73 44	...	...	...	...	65	53 11	60	58 44	Pabna
...	...	...	72·5	70	75	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	62 5	60	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa—
															Bihar, north—
...	28 75	26 75	32·5	38 12	46 25	60	21 25	35	...	...	52 5	65	40 and 48 75	45 and 50	Bhágalpur
...	25	30	32·66	40	50	61·56	24 22	35 12	...	...	...	..	...	...	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
...	24 06	29·75	38 75	35	36 25	50	21 25		..	...	59 37	50	50	44 37	Patna
															Orissa—
...	...	...	40 73	40 78	50 78	68·07	40 73	48 54	...	..	...	...	61·04	66 07	Cuttack
															United Provinces
															(a) AGRA—
															Eastern—
...	26·25	25·31	29·74	26·87	41 77	55 78	...	...	..	...	54 74	50 05	52·19	51 2	Benares
															Central—
...	...	...	28 75	26·56	36 25	45 62	40		25 62	25	53·75	47 5	46 25	41 25	Cawnpore
...	...	26 41	28 12	28·59	...	...	...	...	. .	29·69	. .	...	...	...	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	27·34	26 56	32 03	28·59	44 53	55 16	...	...	...	...		61 56	48·28	40	Meerut
...	25	25 36	33·33	28 54	39 22	47·08	...	..	28 49	28·54	80	50	42 08	44 43	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	26·25	25	30	30	37·5	52·5	...	...	23·44	...	44·37	40	45	37·5	Shahjahánpur
															(b) OUDH—
															Southern—
...	...	...	...	28 59	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	40	...	40	Lucknow
															Northern—
...	23·44	26 72	28·75	32·08		50	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	36 25	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH—*continued*

Districts	Sesamum (*Til or jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw, (*Gúr*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass		Straw
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	581 82	640	.	...	27 47	22 86	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	640	640	...	...	25 7	25 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457 14	457·14	...	...	24·62	24 62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	581 82	583 33	...		33 16	31 84	...	...	...	...	...	. .	...
Maubin	.	...	492 31	492 31	...		40	39 26	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	.	...	640	581·82	...		45 71	32	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	.	533 33	492 31	..		35·75	42 95		...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	..	..	...	.		36 16	34 97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	..	711 11	640	...	...	40	36 57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakókku	...	...	640	581 82	...	...	45 89	45 89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	581 82	581 82	...	...	36 36	36 36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)*	..	...	.	495	..	65		34 37	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	...	...	510	450	70	70	37 5	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	...	...	540	495	75	90		37 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	...	...	540	540	80	85	30 62	32 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	..	600	560	100	92 5	40	17 5	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	..	...	550	480	63 75	60	36 25	35	...	...	...	...	..	..	...
Western—															
Burdwan	...	..	580	470	57 5	55	33 75	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	..	...	550 to 580	540 to 560	75	57 5	35	37 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	...	...	590	530	75	75	40	40	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	..	580	500	90	80	50	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—															
Bihar, north—															
Bhágalpur	60	70	640	410	56 75	71 87	40	45 62	120	100	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	..	.	533·12	426 25	44 37	50	28 59	33 28	266 56	266 56	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—															
Patna	49 37	45	530	400	52 5	55	33·75	35	20	21 25	...	...	5		3 75
Orissa—															
Cuttack	76 15	68 07	533 33	483 33	63 96	58 33	20	20	91·41	90	...	...	5	5 62	5 62
United Provinces—															
(a) Agra—															
Eastern—															
Benares	54·17	48 91	583 88	499 45	55 07	50 05	31 93	29 33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	67·5	56 37	500	420	53·75	55	28 12	21 87	120	102 5	160	77·5	.	...	...
Jhánsi		44 81	474 37	412·81	58 12	66 56	23 75	25·75	...	...	...	..		18 38	...
Western—															
Meerut			501 87	457 19	50	47 03	24 22	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	57 13	57 13	533 33	426 07	66 67	72 71	22 19	20	120	160	150	115	6 67	10	12 5
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	57 5	50	475	440	60	50	25	28 12	180	170	155 and 150	100 and 122·5	...	...	...
(b) Oudh—															
Southern—															
Lucknow*	...		..	470		...		20 78	...	...	.	90	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	...	...	500	480	44 37	50	26 56	25	...	...	...	...	5	.	...

* Figures have not so far been reported.

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw	Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Coal (Bengal)		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	22·86	17 16		...	...	...	...	...	2·62	3	*Tenasserim—* Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	·		..	...	...	...	...	2	2	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	11·9	11·9		7 35	..	...	...	...	2 81	2 44	Moulmein and Amherst
...	...	...	...	...	32·99	30·99	12 86	8 03	...	...	...	...	2	1·87	*Pegu (deltaic)—* Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...				...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	..	8 58		·	...	...	...	...	1·87	1 87	Bassein
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	...		*Pegu (inland)—* Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	...		Toungoo
...	...	...	...	...	28 83	28 83			...	...	...	...	...	...	*Upper Burma—* Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	..			...	...	...	...	2 06	2 06	Pakokku
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 18	7 35	...	...	...	...	2 81	2·44	*Arakan—* Akyab
															Assam—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...		1·94	*Surma—* Balaganj (Sylhet)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	3·75	3	*Brahmaputra—* Goalpara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 62	5 62	...	...	...	...	2 5	2	Gauhati
															Bengal—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..		..	...	...	...	2·12	1 81	*Eastern—* Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	3 12	2 41	Dacca
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 37	6 25	...	...	...	...	2 97	2 3	*Deltaic—* Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...		·	7 81	4 37	...	...	...	...	3 19	2 14	*Central—* Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...		..	...	...	...	...	3	2 31	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	3 19	2·16	*Northern—* Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·		...	...	...	...	3 25	2·75	Rangpur
							·	147* to 1 84							**Bihar and Orissa—**
...	...	...	...	...	20	27 5	·		...	...	...	...	2·34	2 12	*Bihar, north—* Bhágalpur
...	...	...	10	10	24 22	30 78			...	...	...	...	3	2·05	Muzaffarpur
5	...	·	11 25	8·75	20	20	..		...	...	...	...	3 19	2·14	*Bihar south—* Patna
5 62	...	...	...	...	7·5	7 5	...			...	...	...	2·75	2·87	*Orissa—* Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) Agra—
...	...	...	...	...	25	27 6	3 96 to 7 92	3 96 to 7 92	...	...	...	...	3·69	2 5	*Eastern—* Benares
...	...	...	8 12	6 56	24 37	25	7 5	4 37	65	65	...	...	3·5	2 53	*Central—* Cawnpore
6 67	...	3 88	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	3·5	2·97	Jhánsi
...	...	...	10	10	26 72	26 56	10	10	...	...	...	...	3·56	3	*Western—* Meerut
12·5	...	...	7 97	7 97	30·78	30 73			...	...	100	80	3·56	2·75	Agra
...	...	...	11·25	10	35	35	6·25	6 25	85 and 90	70 and 90	60 and 100	50 and 80	3·59	2·75	*Submontane, west—* Shahjahánpur
															(b) Oudh—
...	...	...	...	10		26·25		5 62	...	...	...	...	...	2·75	*Southern—* Lucknow
...	...	·	10	12·5	...	...	12 5	8·12	...	...	50	50	3·28	2·44	*Northern—* Fyzabad

* Price of 1st class coal at Jharia

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH—*continued*

Districts	Rice, unhusked 1917	Rice, unhusked 1916	Rice, husked 1917	Rice, husked 1916	Wheat 1917	Wheat 1916	Flour (wheat) 1917	Flour (wheat) 1916	Barley 1917	Barley 1916	Jawar 1917	Jawar 1916	Bajra 1917	Bajra 1916	Ragi 1917
Rajputana—															
Eastern— Ajmer(a)	.	25 36	...	...	..	54·48	...	...	...	40	...	38·49	...	30·06	...
Delhi— Delhi	...	...	56 25	66·25	45·62	41 87	48·12	47·5	33·12	29·37	27·5	29·87	27·5	31 87	...
Punjab—															
Southern— Ferozepur	25 78	28·91	50	51·72	43·28	38·75	45·62	40	30·78	26·72	29·69	32·03	28·59	28·75	...
Central— Lahore	25	30·78	47·03	51·56	42 03	40	50	45·78	30·16	30·78	30·16	36·41	29·06	36·91	...
Submontane— Amritsar	28 75	31·41	51·25	55	40·62	37·5	44·37	40	30·31	...	30	...	...	...	...
Northern— Rawalpindi	...	...	53·75	56·87	46 87	47·5	50	46·87	33 12	30·52	27·5	37·5	29·12	40	...
Western— Lyallpur	...	...	55	55	42 19	35	46·87	40	28 75	28·75	...	30	26·25	35	...
Multan	28 75	28·75	45·62	46·75	40 94	38·12	43·91	42·5	31·87	26·78	28·44	31·41	27·06	32·5	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	...	57·18	58·7	46·04	43·23	50·78	45·36	27·34	25·62	37·19	23 7	31·51	42·4	...
Dera Ismail Khan	...	...	63 44	66·07	50·62	42 03	56·51	45·73	29·03	36·56	26·04	31·93	27·19	38·7	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karachi	...	...	53·12	50·62	48 12	40 94	...	...	...	...	28·44	31·73	29·37	26·56	...
Shikarpur	21·87	25	60	58·12	46 16	36 87	...	..	36·87	30	25	...	24·33	...	...
Quetta	...	...	...	...	51·87 to 54·87	45·94 to 47·21	67·5 to 75	74·37 to 76·87	38·75	39 22	33·75	35 63	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan— Bombay	25·16	29 74	45 83	47 6	55 05	59 27	...	...	41·25	40·21	35	31·25	35·99	40·21	...
Deccan and Karnátak— Dharwar	...	...	...	.	33 7	31·41	...	...	...	...	25·88	17·18	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	48 38	47·76	36 04	41·77	...	...	...	..	24 66	22·18	25 42	29·06	...
Poona	..	...	51 56	56 35	48 19	48 59	...	...	...	47 24	24 32	27·08	33·83	35·42	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmednagar	...	...	..		38 12	38 96	...	...	...	...	20 62	22·45		25 05	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	56 82	...	45 52	...	...	...	...	.	26·46	36·04	31·87	...
Gujarat— Surat	...	...	...	...	19 74	51·87	...	...	...	...	..	32·45	..	43·28	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	70	63 75	50	46 25	...	...	...	.	23·12	30	23·12	40·62	...
Central Provinces*—															
Western— Nagpur	32·69	34 62	43·25	38·44	41·19	42 5	58 31	61 5	...	...	29·44	26	...	...	...
Central— Jubbulpore	...	...	40	42·06	42·12	44·44	57 12	53 31	...	...	26·69	22·19	...	...	...
Eastern— Raipur	35	34	40	38	40	36	50	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	...	...	42 56	41 62	32 94	39 69	...	...	...	...	24·81	21 62	...	...	...
Amraoti	...	...	44·44	41 44	43 94	43 91	...	...	...	...	27·19	22 19	...	...	...
Madras—															
South, central— Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·6	34	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32·1
Central— Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	39·7	38·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26·8	20·7	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·1	27·8	...	26	...
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·5
East Coast, south— Madras	29·7	29 7	60·9	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	27·1	31·4	45·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·6
Southern— Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37·2	32·5	43	35·9	...
Mysore (a)— Mysore		22		54	...	56	...	60	...	...	...	24	...	...	...
Bangalore		22	...	56	..	54	...	67·75	...	...	...	28	...	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked," represent the prices of cleaned rice

(a) Figures have not so far been reported

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dal		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Rajputana—
...	.	33·28	...	36·82	...	...	...	69 53	...	...	...	94 06	...	...	*Eastern—* Ajmer
...	27·5	27·5	31 87	29·37	42 5	50	...	...	30·62	29 37	60	55	47 5	41 87	**Delhi—** Delhi
															Punjab—
...	23·59	28 59	32 66	28·59	60 72	61·6	...	...	38·28	30 78	80	60 72		..	*Southern—* Ferozepur
...	29·06	33·66	33 91	29·0[illegible]	55 16	69 53	36 41	44·37	30 76	30 16	55·16	55 16	50	47·03	*Central—* Lahore
...	26·09	26 72	33 28	29·06	...	..	...	...	33 44	31 25	62 5	..	...	50	*Submontane—* Amritsar
...	33·5	30 62	36 87	33 12	...	...	...	...	..	...	57 5	47 5	48 75	43 75	*Northern—* Rāwalpindi
...	25	22 5	32 81	26 25	...	...		...	30 62	29 37	..	..	41 25	42 5	*Western—* Lyallpur
...	27 66	29 09	31·69	30 16	60	70	33 75	28·28	30	25 41	60	60	42 5	45	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	36·56	30 78	36·15	31 67	45 33	55 62	...	...	...	...	...	...	45 36	50	Peshāwar
...	31·85	40	37 03	32 97	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...		..	...	..	...	...	26 72	31 56	...	...	...		Karāchi
...	..	...	37 5	33 75		63·28	...	...	28 12	33 12	...	..	37 81	37 66	Shikarpur
..	37 5 to 45	41 15	...	...	56 25 to 63 12	75 to 85	62 5	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
															Bombay—
...	...	...	34·9	31 9	60 1	67 29	37 5	48·28	25 52	25 52	61 61	56 25	...	...	*Konkan—* Bombay
...	...	...	36 81	36 15	46 77	...	...	...	25		55·05	..	...	...	*Deccan and Karnatak—* Dharwar
...	...	...	29 9	32 66	..	49 01	...	...	20	20	55 47	49 84	...	...	Sholapur
..	...	...	36·51	39·32	51·32	55 05	...	...	...		.	..	...	...	Poona
...	...	...	31 82	33 02	...	...	...	...		20 42	59 11	53 02	...	...	*Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—* Ahmednagar
...	...	...		40 78	.	57 6	...	...	...	22 44	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
...	...	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Gujarat—* Surat
...	...	...	35	32·5	58·75	65·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
...	...	...	36 75	26 75	46 94	46 94	...	...	24 5	21 56	64 94	55 62	...	...	*Western—* Nagpur
...	...	...	33 31	29 62	43 75	51·62	44·44	44·44	28·56	22 19	51 62	44·44	37 19	40	*Central—* Jubbulpore
...	...	...	32	28	42	44 5	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	*Eastern—* Raipur
															Berar—
...	...	...	35·94	34·12	39·09	47·87	...	...	21 44	20 87	61·87	55 56	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	36 19	37 25	45 06	40·44	...	...	19·37	19·25	66·69	57 94	...	...	Amráoti
															Madras—
...	...	...	55·8	55 8	...	...	...	...	40	32	...	...	...	...	*South, central—* Coimbatore
26·8	...	...	...	...	33·6	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salem
...	...	...	46·8	46·8	35·3	35 3	...	...	20·8	28·8	...	...	...	...	*Central—* Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
23·8	...	...	...	...	34	40 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, central—* Nellore
...	...	...	47·7	43·4	...	...	54·9	63·4	57·6	57·6	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, south—* Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
23·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Southern—* Madura
															Mysore—
[illegible]	...	...	...	26	...	56	...	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
[illegible]	...	...	...	28	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	Bangalore

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH—concluded

Districts	Sesamum (Til or Jinjili)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (Gur)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass		Straw
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Rajputana—															
Eastern— Ajmer (a)	...	66 56	..	474 06	.	69 53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 01	...
Delhi— Delhi	63 75	57 5	365	505	52 5 to 63 75	57·5	22 19	20	80	80	170	112 5	10	13 44	...
Punjab—															
Southern— Ferozepur	72 66	73·66	522 53	492 34	69 53	73·66	25	22 19	183·28	183·28*	145·17	94·06	...	...	...
Central— Lahore	57 19	63 91	581 87	583 28	58 28	63 91	22 19	20	183 28	114 22	200	114·22	10	10	...
Submontane— Amritsar	61 25	63 75	580	470	41 37	59 06	18 75	18 12	90	...	155	85	...	.	...
Northern— Rawalpindi	...	...	550	492 81	52 5	80	22 .9	15 61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western— Lyallpur	...	.	510	450	45	60	22 5	22 5	..	..			..		...
Multan	52 5	55	520	441 25	55·16	61·56	20 06	18 12	122·5	110	193	180	10	10	...
N. W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	..	511 96	482 97	61·56	77·08	20 16	16 82	106 67	136·15	...	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	624 37		55	68 07	24 37	17 76	...	...	..	...	10 10	..	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karachi	...	...	.	..		...	..	...	...		...	...	...	..	...
Shikarpur	...	..	560	..	52 5	60 62	...	...	...	60	..	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	60 to 610	520 to 525	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Bombay—															
Konkan— Bombay	65 78	62 86	628 59	514·27	78 91	84·37	...	...	...	...	130 62	100 08	9·58	10 78	...
Deccan and Karnatak— Dharwar		...		...	67 97	65 99	...	...			...	33 33	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	450 52	417 19	70 83	83 50	...	...	116·93	88·59	...	.	...	...	...
Poona	...	...	512 20	406 15	73·7	77 76	...	...	192 97	192 97	...		...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmednagar	...	57 03	508 33	485	70	80	...	...	.	84·43	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia	..	...	...	475	...	70	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat— Surat	.	...	605 42	475·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	540	440	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...
Central Provinces—															
Western— Nagpur	64·87	65 56	538 31	466 02	...	...	32 5	25	100	91·62	..	100	14 12	5·87	6
Central— Jubbulpore	57 12	45·12	510	480	...	...	26·69	25	72·75	80	177 5	100	5·69	5·69	...
Eastern— Raipur	..	...	520	420	...	...	29	28·12	160	140	120	60 62	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	66 25	58 56	495 25	404 75	..	...	24·44	20	100		...	...	...	...	...
Amraoti	78 81	53 44	540	440	...	...	25	22·5	142·85	128	...	...	...	5	...
Madras—															
South, central— Coimbatore	.	77·6	487 8	487·8	54·4	64	22·6	24·6	..	...	128	96	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	462·4	466 5	...	...	...	...	171·3	171·3	126 9	67	...	...	7·7
Central— Bellary	58	51 5	471·7	476 2	71·4	79 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	458 4	460 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	115 3	74·1	...	...	...
Kurnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66 7	164·5	131 7	75·2	...	...	...
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	433 3	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·7
East Coast, south— Madras	.	71 6	559 6	559·6	64·2	67 5	17·5	15 8	129 9	131·7	121·8	74·1	...	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466·7	466·7	...	...	23·4	23·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	473	473	...	...	23·1	27 5	123·4	123·4	...	...	...	...	...
Southern— Madura	66·7	66·7	675·7	675·7	...	...	...	...	141·1	141·1	...	...	...	...	15
Mysore—															
Mysore (a)	...	72		480	..	111·3	...	...	...	205·68	...	109 86	...	4·49	...
Bangalore	...	56		514·27	...	68·54	...	...	...	274·27	...	85·68	...	8·8	...

* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 108 per 10 maunds
(a) Figures have not so far been reported

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw	Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Coal (Bengal)		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil per tin		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Rajputana—
															Eastern—
8·59	...	12·84	...	...	...	37·34	...	...	...	110	...	80		2·56	Ajmer
															Delhi—
...	8·56	16·09	11·25	10	22·5	30	10	6·25	100	80	250	150	2·58	2·2	Delhi
															Punjab—
															Southern—
...	...	...	10	8·28	25	20	...	...	142	95	225	175	3·5	2·72	Ferozepur
															Central—
...	...	...	10·78	10	26·72	27·5	11·25	6·56	150	160	170	170	3·02	2·75	Lahore
															Submontane—
...	...	...	12·5	9·22	23·75	24·37	..	8·75	120	180	...	...	3·56	2·94	Amritsar
															Northern—
...	...	...	12·5	11·41	...	...	11·25	7·5	100	90	120	120	3·75	2·5	Rawalpindi
															Western—
...	...	...	10	7·97	24·37	25	11·25	8·75	112	100	180	140	3·5	2·81	Lyallpur
...	...	10	8·01	8·91	26·56	25·78	...	...	105	100	...	...	3·5	2·81	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	...	...	7·84	6·77	25·57	21·98	14·63	8·7	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	3·67	2·98	Peshawar
...	...	...	12·03	14·53	31·25	30·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·87	3·12	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·03	2·24	Karachi
...	...	...	8·12	8·75	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·27	2·64	Shikarpur
...	...	...	13·12	13·13	27·5	37·5	14·14	11·62	120 to 220	120 to 220	...	...	3·34	3·94	Quetta
															Bombay—
															Konkan—
...	...	...	...	...	20·1	30·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·16	2·47	Bombay
															Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		80	...	...	3·31	2·56	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·41	2·09	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·11	2·42	Poona
															Khandesh and N.-? Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·39	2·08	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·31	2·62	Dhulia
															Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	22·5	22·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·37	2·69	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
															Western—
4·5	16	8	...	...	...	...	...	6·25	...	65 to 75	...	120 to 190	2·62	2·19	Nagpur
															Central—
...	...	...	...	...	30	28·56	.	.	60	60	70	70	2·25	2	Jubbulpore
															Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·25	Raipur
															Berar—
...	5·5	9·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	99	95	64	56	2·81	2·56	Akola
...	...	4·81	...	...	...	...		...	70	65	70	65	2·5	2·19	Amraoti
															Madras—
															South, Central—
...	4	4	...	...	20·4*	20·4*	..	...	...	...	60	60	3·36	2·41	Coimbatore
7·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	...	...	3·56	2·35	Salem
															Central—
...	10·3	10·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	150	140	3·32	2·47	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	3·7	2·38	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·75	2·94	Karnul
															East Coast, Central—
5·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·08	1·85	Nellore
															East Coast, South—
...	...	...	...	...	30·9	35·3	9·2	5·9	202·5†	225†	...	...	...	1·68	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	10·1	4		...	170†	170†	...	...	3·58	2·3	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	38·2	44·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·63	2·6	Trichinopoly
															Southern—
15	...	...	...	...	20·4	20·4	..	...	...	...	60	60	3·75	2·25	Madura
															Mysore—
5·1	...	4·43	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	50 to 100	...	50 to 100	..	2·78	Mysore
8·8	...	...	...	...	...	33·8	...	..	...	160	...	120 to 150	...	2·62	Bangalore

* Superior quality † Sheep or goats

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH 1917

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half month of report	Previous half month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	5 1	5 1	...	...	10 7	11 3	11 3	12 2	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Maubin	4 10	4 10	...	...	10 7	9 2	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Bassein		...	...	...	10 13	9 11	10 13	9 11	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	13 2	13 2	...	...	...	...
Henzada	5 9	5 9	...	...	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Prome	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	11 3	13 14	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	10 13	10 7	12 2	11 8	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 14	11 8	12 11	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	10 5	10 5	...	...	8 5	8 5	10 13	10 13	17 14	17 14	...	...
Bhamo	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Meiktila	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	16 3	16 3	...	..	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway	2 10	2 10	...	...	10 10	10 10	12 12	12 12	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyu	3 8	3 8	...	...	8 —	9 —	9 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	9 —	8 —	10 —	9 8	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
Surma—												
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Cachar	4 —	4 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 7	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts—												
Khási and Jáintia Hills	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills	...	..	...	...	3 8	3 8	8 —	7 12	...	...	...	...
Manipur	16 —	18 —	...	...	22 —	22 —	25 —	24 —	...	...	...	...
Nágá Hills	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	10 —	7 —	...	...	4 4	4 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Kámrúp (Gauhati)	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 8	6 4	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang	...	...	...	...	5 8	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Sibságar	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Backergunj	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Maimensingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 5	...	...	...	...
Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 3	8 4	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	..	...	...	...	8 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 14	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	...	...
Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Faridpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 8	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Bagi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	Mergui
...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 3	11 8	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	4 9	4 9	10 2	10 2	Pegu
...	...	...	...	9 11	9 14	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 3	11 3	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 6	9 6	Maubin
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 10	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	9 9	9 9	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 9	9 9	Tharrawadi
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Henzada
...	...	...	...	7 14	8 9	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 8	9 8	Prome
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...			9 7	9 7	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	8 13	9 2	...	...	4 10	4 10	8 9	8 5	Thayetmyo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	11 2	9 14	19 10	19 10	5 14	5 14	8 9	8 9	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	..	..	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Pakôkku
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	32 1	32 1	.	...	9 6	9 6	Meiktila
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4	3 4	14 9	14 9	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	15 —	15 —	Kyaukpyu
...	...	...	...	5 3	5 —	...	...			10 —	10 —	Akyab
												Assam—
												Surma—
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 4	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 12	5 12	9 —	9 —	Cachar
												Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	8 14	8 14	6 12	6 12	8 1	8 1	Khási and Jáintia Hills
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Gáro Hills
...	...	...	...	4 5	4 8	22 —	20 —	4 8	4 8	7 8	8 —	Manipur
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	..	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Nágá Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Lushai Hills
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	8 —	...	11 —	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	9 8	11 —	...	...	7 8	7 —	10 —	10 —	Kámrúp (Gauhati)
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	8 8	8 —	Darrang
...	...	...	...	5 8	6 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	9 8	Sibságar
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 8	Lakhimpur
												Bengal—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 9	10 9	Noakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	6 4	10 4	10 4	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Maimensingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 13	5 13	10 11	10 11	Tippera
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	6 4	9 8	10 —	Dacca
												Deltaic—
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 —	Khulna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 8	11 8	24-Parganas
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 —	Howrah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	10 —	10 —	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	Hooghly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	8 —	13 5	12 12	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	10 4	10 4	Jessore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	6 —	8 8	8 8	Faridpur

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH 1917—continued.

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice: Best sort		Rice: Common		Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Penicillaria typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Bengal—*continued*												
Western—												
Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 4	...	...	...	...
Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	...	...	...	..	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	...	...	...	...	..	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna	...	..	...	...	...	...	7 10	7 8	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	...	...	..	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	...	...	...	...
Malda	..	...	...	...	..	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...		...	...	8 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	..	...	9 9	9 9	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	..	..	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	9 —	9 —		..	...	...	9 8	9 10	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur	9 4	9 8	16 —	14 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	9 14	9 14	15 6	16 8	..	...	10 8	10 7	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	9 8	9 8	17 —	17 —	..	..	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
Sáran	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	..	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Champáran	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	10 6	10 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Santhal Parganas	6 4	7 —	11 8	10 —	...	...	12 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	10 —	9 8	20 —	.	...	..	10 —	9 12		..	...	...
Gaya	9 8	9 —	15 —	14 —	..	...	10 8	10 8	14 —	14 —	..	
Patna	10 —	10 —		17 —	...	...	11 —	.	18 —	18 —	12 —	...
Shahabad	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singhbhum	8 —	8 —	...		...	..	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Mánbhum	8 8	8 —	10 —	11 —	.	..	10 8	10 8	...	...	14 —	
Ranchi	7 4	7 4	9 8	9 8	..	...	8 —	8 4	...	...	9 —	9 —
Palámau	9 —	9 —	11 12	13 8	..	...	10 8	10 2	...	...	...	.
Hazáribágh	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	..	..	...
Orissa—												
Puri	7 8	7 9	..	.	..	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	.	...
Cuttack	8 8	8 8	..	..	..	..	11 2	11 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore	7 —	7 2	...	.		...	11 8	11 —	..	...		...
Sambalpur	9 — to 9 8	9 to 9 8		.		..	12 8	12 4	...	..	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	8 —	8 —	13 —	12 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	12 —	11 —
Benares	8 13	8 6	12 11	12 11	6 —	5 9	8 14	7 13	13 —	13 —	12 7	11 15
Ghazipur	8 14	8 3	13 3	13 8	5 —	5 —	8 11	8 11	14 0	13 10	14 2	13 2
Jaunpur	8 6	8 —	12 12	11 13	8 12	8 12	8 6	8 12		..	...	...
Allahabad	9 —	8 8	15 —	10 8	4 8	4 8	9 —	8 12	14 —	14 8	12 4	12 4
Central—												
Bánda	10 4	9 12	13 4	12 8	5 —	5 —	9 8	9 —	17 8	17 8	13 4	13 4
Fatehpur*		9 8		13 4		8 8		9 8		15 —	..	13 4
Hamirpur	11 8	10 12	10 10	10 10	4 12	4 12	7 12	7 12	14 12	14 4	12 8	12 8
Jalaun	12 2	11 13	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	7 —	7 —	16 —	15 —	14 —	14 —
Cawnpore	8 8	8 8	12 12	12 8	...	..	7 4	7 4	15 12	15 4	15 —	14 4
Jhansi	8 8	8 7	14 1	14 —	4 12	4 12	8 4	8 1	13 4	16 4		14 11
Etáwah	9 2	9 2	12 14	12 12	8 —	8 —	9 6	9 —	16 —	14 8	15 —	14 8
Farrukhabad	9 3	9 3	13 10	13 —	4 1	4 1	10 4	9 9	14 5	13 —	13 10	14 10
Mainpuri	9 8	9 8	14 —	12 8	5 —	5 —	10 —	10 —	14 —	13 8	14 —	13 8
Etah	10 —	9 8	15 —	13 —	4 —	4 —	9 8	9 8	15 —	13 8	16 —	14 —
Western—												
Meerut	8 4	(a) 8 4	13 —	12 8	8 —	8 —	6 12	6 12	14 8	14 —	...	12 —
Agra	8 —	7 12	11 12	11 12	5 12	5 12	..	..	15 —	14 8	13 —	17 —
Muttra	9 —	9 —	12 8	12 8	4 8	4 8	7 12	7 12	13 8	13 8	13 8	13 —
Aligarh	9 4	8 4	12 12	13 —	8 —	8 —	5 8	5 —	14 12	13 8	15 —	15 —
Bulandshahr	9 10	8 11	12 8	12 12	8 —	8 —	5 — to 8 —	5 — to 8 —	14 8	14 8	14 —	13 —
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	9 2	8 13	13 —	13 8	5 8	5 8	9 2	9 2	14 4	13 10		..
Azamgarh	8 12	8 12	11 8	14 —	6 —	6 —	10 8	11 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	10 —	10 —	13 12	13 —	7 8	7 8	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Basti	9 12	9 12	14 8	14 8	6 —	6 4	11 4	11 8	...	...	...	...

(a) Under enquiry.

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni, or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Bengal—*continued*
												Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 8	11 —	11 —	Bankura
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 4	11 —	8 —	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	9 —	9 —	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	13 —	11 —	Murshidabad
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8				Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 14	6 12	9 12	9 12	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	10 8	11 —	Malda
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 12	7 13	10 —	10 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	8 —	8 —	Rangpur
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	4 8	8 —	8 —	Darjeeling
												Bihar and Orissa—
												Bihar north—
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13 8	12 10	...	...	11 —	13 12	14 —	14 4	8 4	8 4	12 6	13 12	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	15 8	16 8	7 8	7 8	13 8	13 8	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 —	14 —	14 —	13 —	13 —	10 —	10 —	Sáran
	..	...	...	15 —	15 —	18 —	18 —	7 8	7 8	9 8	8 12	Champáran
												Bihar south—
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	18 —	16 —	7 8	8 —	12 —	11 —	Santhal Parganas
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17 —	20 —	8 —	8 —	12 8	13 —	15 8	16 —	10 8	9 8	10 8	11 —	Gaya
..	...	12 —	13 —			16 8		10 8	10 8	11 —	.	Patna
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												Chota Nagpur—
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	..	..	7 —	7 8	10 —	10 —	Singhbhum
.	..	...	...	9 8	9 4	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	Mánbhum
12 —	12 —	...	...	9 4	9 —	10 —	13 —	5 14	6 —	10 —	9 —	Ranchi
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16 —	16 —	...	...	9 8	10 —	14 —	14 —	7 8	7 8	10 —	9 —	Hazáribágh
												Orissa—
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	7 14	7 8	16 —	16 —	Puri
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	7 14	7 14	20 —	20 —	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	8 4	8 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 —	11 —	Balasoré
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												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	16 —	16 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Mirzapur
...	...	11 6	11 6	12 11	12 11	14 10	14 10	9 3	8 6	12 6	12 6	Benares
...	...	...	...	13 12	13 2	18 2	18 2	9 10	9 10	13 7	13 7	Ghazipur
..	...	..	...	11 4	11 8		16 4	10 8	9 13	14 —	14	Jaunpur
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												Central—
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...	...	...	...		13 12	...			11 —		14 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	13 14	13 12	..	...	10 4	[illegible] —	15 —	14 —	Hamirpur
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...	...	12 8	12 8	13 4	13 —	16 12	17 4	10 8	10 —	16 8	16 8	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	13 7	13 10	20 15	21 6	7 9½	8 —	16 —	14 14	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 4			10 4	9 8	14 8	14 —	Etáwah
...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5		16 6	10 4	10 4	17 1	17 1	Farrukhabad
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 —	16 —	15 —	10 —	9 —	16 —	15 —	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	16 —	14 —	10 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	Etah
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	8 8	8 8	16 8	16 12	Meerut
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	15 8	16 —	6 8	6 8	16 8	17 8	Agra
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...	...	10 4	10 —	13 4	12 8	15 4	16 —	11 4	10 8	13 4	16 4	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	12 4	13 4	14 8	14 8	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Bulandshahr
												Submontane east—
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...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	15 8	15 8	[illegible] 8	9 4	13 —	13 —	Azamgarh
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	..	..	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	Gorakhpur
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TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH 1917—continued

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces— *continued*												
(a) Agra—*continued*												
Submontane west—												
Shahjahanpur	9 8	9 4	13 14	13 8	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	15 —	14 8	14 12	14 8
Budaun	8 4	8 5	12 —	11 12	4 —	3 8	7 —	7 4	13 —	12 10	12 8	11 12
Pilibit	9 —	9 —	13 12	13 12	4 8	4 8	10 8	10 4		...	13 —	12 8
Bareli	8 11	8 10	14 7	14 4	4 8	4 8	8 12	8 12	15 8	14 12	14 —	13 11
Moradabad	8 12	8 8	12 13	12 12	4 12	4 12	9 —	9 —	14 4	14 4	13 12	12 4
Bijnor	8 10	8 6	14 4	13 12	3 4	3 4	6 12	6 12	...		12 8	12 —
Muzaffarnagar	8 12	9 —	13 2	13 2	6 9	7 10	7 10	6 12	13 2	13 2	13 2	13 2
Saháranpur	8 4	8 4	12 12	12 12	3 8	3 8	7 7	7 8	...		12 12	13 13
Dehra Dun	8 —	8 8	13 —	13 —	3 —	3 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal	7 —	6 8	9 8	9 8	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	9 —	9 —	9 —
Almora	5 12	5 12	7 8	7 12	3 —	3 —	6 8	6 8	..	...	...	...
Garhwál	5 —	5 —	10 —	10 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	4 8	...	...	...	...
(b) Oudh—												
Southern—												
Partabgarh	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	16 —	14 —	13 —	13 —
Sultanpur	9 8	9 4	13 8	13 4			9 —	9 12	15 —	15 —	...	...
Rae Bareli	10 8	10	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 -	15 —	14 —	14 —	14 —
Unao	8 10	8 12	13 12	12 11	4 8	4 8	8 8	8 6	13 —	14 —	13 —	14 8
Lucknow*	..	9 —	...	14 —		4 —	.	8 4	..	14 —		14 8
Hardoi	9 4	10 —	13 —	13 —	4 —	4 —	7 8	8 —	...	14 —	14 8	14 8
Northern—												
Fyzabad	8 14	8 14	13 8	13 8	..	...	8 2	8 —	13 8	13 8	11 3	11 —
Barabanki	10 —	9 10	14 13	14 8	4 6	4 6	9 13	9 13	14 6	15 —	14 —	14 2
Gonda	9 4	9 4	16 —	16 —	5 —	5 —	9 4	9 4	17 —	17 —	15 —	14 8
Bahraich	10 8	10 —	17 —	16 —	5 —	5 —	10 4	10 4	21 8	19 —	19 —	18 —
Sitapur	9 —	9 8	13 8	13 8	4 —	4 —	9 8	9 8	17 —	16 —	16 —	15 —
Kheri	9 4	9 4	13 8	14 —	3 —	3 —	9 —	9 —	17 8	16 —	15 —	15 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	8 6	7 12	12 14	11 9	4 8	4 8	5 2	5 2	21 15	21 4	16 2	16 13
Ajmer*	...	7 —	..	10 8	..	4 8	...	6 —	...	14 —	.	12 —
Kishangarh	8 4	7 12	11 —	11 —	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	15 8	14 8	17 8	17 —
Tonk	7 12	7 7	12 12	11 4	4 4	4 4	8 8	7 7	21 4	21 4	19 10	19 2
Jaipur	7 14	8 2	13 6	12 13	5 —	5 —	5 4	5 4	17 13	17 13	14 2	14 2
Karauli	9 6	7 13	15 -	15 —	7 8	8 2	8 12	8 12	20 —	20 —	21 14	20 5
Dholpur	8 5¼	8 5¼	14 —	14 —	5 —	5 —	5 4	5 4	16 1½	16 4	18 13	18 6¼
Bharatpur	8 4	8 1	12 7	12 1	4 14	4 14	5 8	5 8	16 4	16 8	18 8	18 4
Alwar	8 5	...	12 8	...	5 2	...	6 10	.	18 15		13 11	.
Nasirabad	8 —	7 12		...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	16 —	16 —	15 —	15 —
Western—												
Bikaner	7 12	7 12	13 —	13 —	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	14 12	14 8	11 —	11 —
Jaisalmer	6 8	6 8		...	4 2	4 —	5 11	6 —	12 6	13 —	10 5	10 —
Jodhpur	7 8 and 7 10	6 9 and 7 1	12 2	11 2	5 4	5 4	6 8	6 8	15 8	15 10	15 — and 16 —	13 5 and 14 8
Central India—												
Indore	11 —	10 —	11 —	11 —	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	20 —	18 —	14 —	14 —
Neemuch	9 —	9 —		...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	11 —	10 —
Gwalior*	...	8 8		...	...	4 12	...	6 8	...	...	...	...
Delhi—												
Delhi	8 6	8 8	11 8	11 8	8 —	8 —	5 12	5 12	14 —	14 —	14 —	13 —
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	9 —	8 8	12 12	12 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	16 —	16 8	16 —
Ferozepur	9 —	9 —	12 8	13 8	...	...	7 8	7 —	13 —	13 4	13 8	13 8
Central—												
Lahore	9 4	9 -	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 4	8 14	13 —	12 —	13 8	13 —
Gujranwala	9 14	10 4	15 8	13 8	...	...	9 4	9 4	...	13 12	...	13 12
Gujrat	10 —	10 —	13 8	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	14 —	14 —
Jhelum	9 —	9 —	13 8	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	13 —	13 8	13 —

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Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												United Provinces— *continued*
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...	...	...	...	11 6	11 15	16 —	14 4	8 —	7 4	16 —	...	Budaun
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 12	16 4	16 4	9 6	9 —	16 —	16 —	Bareli.
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 —	15 4	14 12	8 12	8 12	15 12	16 4	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 12	...	...	8 12	8 12	15 —	15 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	13 2	13 2	5 8	5 8	16 8	16 8	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	14 6	14 6	9 1	8 8	16 —	16 —	Saháranpur
11 —	11 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	9 8	11 —	11 —	Dehra-Dun
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	9 —	8 8	10 —	10 —	6 —	6 —	9 —	10 —	Naini Tal
8 8	8 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	5 4	5 4	8 —	8 4	Almora
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 12	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	Garhwál
												(b) Oudh—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	Partábgarh
...	...	...	...	15 8	15 8	...	...	10 12	10 8	12 8	12 8	Sultanpur
20 —	20 —	12 —	12 —	15 —	14 —	12 —	12 —	12 8	13 —	13 —	13 —	Rae-Bareli
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...	...	...	...	...	14 —	...	16 —	...	10 —	...	14 8	Lucknow
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	9 8	9 8	12 —	12 —	Hardoi
												Northern—
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16 —	16 —	10 —	10 —	15 6	15 4	14 12	16 1	9 15	10 —	14 4	11 14	Barabanki
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 8	17 —	17 8	9 —	8 8	11 —	12 —	Gonda
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...	...	12 —	12 —	14 —	15 —	17 —	16 —	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	Sitapur
20 —	20 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	13 —	17 —	17 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Kheri
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
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...	...	16 8	16 8	10 15 to 11 7	11 12 and 12 14	17 4	17 13	9 15	10 —	17 4	17 4	Jaipur
...	...	...	...	13 12	11 4	...	...	...	...	14 6	14 6	Karauli
...	...	11 —	11 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 8	8 4	15 —	15 —	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	11 10	11 10	17 8	16 8	7 4	7 4	16 —	16 —	Bharatpur
...	...	9 12	...	12 8	...	18 4	...	17 —	...	17 8	...	Alwar
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	18 —	17 —	Nasirabad
												Western—
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...	...	...	...	13 4	10 12	...	17 8	6 4 to 6 14	5 10 to 6 4	18 —	18 —	Jodhpur
												Central India—
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	26 —	26 —	8 8	8 —	16 8	17 —	Indore
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 8	16 8	Neemuch
...	...	...	15 —	...	15 —	...	...	...	9 10	...	14 —	Gwalior
												Delhi—
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 8	14 —	14 —	9 —	9 —	17 —	16 8	Delhi
												Punjab—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 4	...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	13 —	11 12	13 12	13 12	5 8	5 8	15 —	13 —	Ferozepur
												Central—
...	...	12 8	12 8	11 8	11 8	13 8	12 12	7 —	7 12	17 —	16 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 —	...	13 4	...	...	17 12	17 12	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	14 —	12 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	11 8	12 —	6 8	7 —	19 —	16 —	Jhelum

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH 1917—continued

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Punjab—continued												
South-eastern—												
Gurgaon	8 4	8 4	13 4	13 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	18 —	15 8
Rohtak	9 2	8 12	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	17 4	17 4	17 —	17 —
Karnál	9 8	9 —	14 —	14 8	...	...	7 —	7 8	16 —	15 —	15 —	14 —
Submontane—												
Ambala	8 14	8 8	12 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 8	16 8	15 8	13 4	14 —
Ludhiana	9 8	9 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	14 —	14 8	13 8	12 8
Jullundur	9 8	9 4	12 —	11 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 8	13 8	12 6	12 —
Hoshiárpur	9 8	9 4	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 6	6 6	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Gurdáspur	9 8	9 8	12 8	12 8	.	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	...	...
Amritsar	9 9	9 7		10 12	...	...	7 11	7 11	13 1	13 12	15 12	14 12
Siálkot	9 8	9 8	12 8	12 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	.	...	13 —	13 —
Hills—												
Simla	7 8	7 8	9 4	9 4	...	...	6 4	6 8	10 —	10 —	10 —	10 —
Kángra	9 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Ráwalpindi	8 4	8 4	11 12	13 —	...	...	7 4	7 4	14 —	14 —	11 12	11 12
Attock	8 8	8 6	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	11 —	11 —
Western—												
Sháhpur	9 9	10 4		...	...	...	7 —	7 12	12 —		14 8	15 —
Jhang	9 8	9 4	13 4	13 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	12 12	11 12
Lyallpur	9 4	9 8	13 8	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —			15 —	13 —
Multan	9 8	9 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	13 8	13 4	15 —	12 12
Montgomery	9 —	9 4	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Muzaffargarh	9 12	9 12	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	..	.	
Dera Ghazi Khan	9 8	9 —	14 8	14 —	...	...	9 12	8 12	14 —	14 —	14 —	14 —
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazára	8 8	8 6	12 10	12 10	8 9	8 9	7 8	7 8	..	...	10 —	10 —
Peshávar	8 10	8 10	14 8	14 12	4 9	4 9	6 13	6 13	10 7	...	12 6	11 1
Kohát	8 7	8 1	12 15	12 10	3 13	3 13	8 —	8 —	14 8	14 8	11 14	12 7
Bannu	9 4	9 8	13 2	14 11	4 6	4 6	9 1	8 12	16 14	16 14	12 13	12 13
Dera Ismael Khan	7 13	8 2	12 4	12 10	3 8	3 12	6 4	6 4	15 —	14 12	14 6	13 9
Tochi	10 8	11 8	20 —	21 —		..	7 —	7 —	...	.	...	...
Kurram	10 8	10 8	16 —	16 —	7 10	7 10	...	...	...	...	...	..
Malakand	9 —	9 —	15 —	16 —	4 —	4 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	7 —	7 3	8 8	8 8	3 1	3 1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karáchi	7 8	7 8	.	...	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	11 8	11 —
Hyderabad	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 8	8 —	8 —	8 8	11 8	11 8	13 —	13 —
Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)	7 12	8 8	...	...	4 12	4 12	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	18 —	18 —
Shikárpur	8 8	8 8	...	...	5 4	5 —	6 —	6 —	14 —	14 —	15 —	14 —
Upper Sind Frontier	8 4	8 6	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	13 —	13 —	16 —	15 —
Quetta	7 5 to 7 11	7 5 to 7 11	9 14	9 14	3 2	3 2	6 8	6 8	11 4	11 4	10 11	11 6
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	6 13	6 13	...	...	6 1	6 1	7 4	7 4	10 2	11 9	9 —	9 —
Ratnagiri	6 14	6 14	...	...	5 13	5 13	7 8	7 8	11 15	11 15	10 2	10 2
Alibág	6 5	6 5	...	...	6 1	6 1	7 10	7 10	..	...	8 5	8 5
Bombay	*7 —	*7 —	...	...	4 13	4 13	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	8 15	8 10
Thanna	7 15	7 15	...	...	5 8	5 8	5 15	5 15	12 7	12 7	10 15	10 15
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	10 4	9 5	...	...	6 13	6 13	7 3	7 10	14 8	14 8	12 8	12 2
Belgaum	10 1	10 1	...	...	6 13	7 6	7 8	8 1	12 7	12 7	13 13	13 13
Satara	8 5	7 10	...	...	5 6	5 14	6 3	6 3	12 10	12 10	12 2	12 2
Sholapur	9 11	10 3	...	...	6 15	6 8	8 —	7 9	16 12	16 5	14 6	15 5
Bijapur	11 2	10 14	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 5	7 5	15 4	15 5	15 5	16 5
Poona	8 6	8 6	...	...	6 4	6 4	7 4	7 4	15 10	15 10	10 13	12 —
Khandesh and N. E Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	10 2	9 7	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	17 4	17 4	11 14	11 14
Násik	10 5	9 9	...	...	5 15	5 5	6 10	6 10	...	...	11 10	11 10
Dhulia	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 6	7 6	12 15	12 15		11 2
Jalgaon	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 10	7 10	13 2	12 11	10 11	10 15
Gujarat—												
Surat	7 14	7 6	...	...	4 10	4 10	6 15	6 15	10 10	10 10	10 10	11 2
Broach	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	9 8	9 8
Kaira	6 —	6 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	17 —	17 —	16 —	16 —
Baruda	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	8 8	8 8
Ahmedabad	7 8	7 8	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 4	5 —	15 8	15 —	15 8	15 —
Godhra	7 —	7 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	11 8	11 8
Disa	9 —	8 —	...	...	4 12	4 12	5 4	5 4	16 —	16 —	14 —	14 —
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	10 8	10 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	5 —	5 —	14 —	13 —	10 8	10 8
Central Provinces—												
Nimar	8 7	8 7	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 5	6 12	13 6	13 6	...	...
Hoshangabad	9 11	9 2	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 9	8 9	15 8	15 8	...	...
Betul	10 6	9 6	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 7	5 15	15 1	13 9	...	...
Chhindwara	10 —	8 12	...	...	5 10	5 10	8 12	8 12	12 7	12 7	...	...
Nagpur	9 9	(a)9 9	...	...	5 5	5 —	9 2	9 —	13 1	..	...	...
Wardha	10 10	10 —	...	...	5 2	5 2	8 15	8 15	13 13	13 8	...	...

* Relates to ————

(a) Under enquiry

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Channa, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Punjab—*continued*
												South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 8	17 —	17 —	Gurgáon
...	...	...	...	13 12	13 12	.	..	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Rohtak
...	...	...	...	14 —	13 4	14 12	14 8	7 —	5 —	16 —	14 8	Karnál
												Submontane—
17 —	17 —	9 12	9 12	12 —	12 —	15 8	15 8	8 —	8 4	17 —	16 —	Ambala
...	...	7 8	7 8	12 4	12 4	15 8	16 8	6 8	6 8	16 8	16 8	Ludhiána
...	...	9 —	9 —	11 12	11 4	15 —	15 —	...	..	18 —	14 —	Jullundur
...	...	...	...	11 4	10 12	15 —	14 12	..	.	16 —	13 —	Hoshiárpur
...	...	8 —	8 —	10 8	10 —	16 —	16 —		...	16 —	13 —	Gurdáspur
...	...	10 12	11 8	11 12	10 8	14 8	14 —	7 12	7 8	19 —	18 —	Amritsar
..	...	.	...	10 —	9 8	13 —	13 —		..	16 —	15 —	Siálkot
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	11 8	11 8	[illegible] 4	5 12	13 —	11 —	Simla
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	13 —	14 —	5 —	5 —	9 —	8 —	Kángra
												Northern—
...	..	...	...	10 8	10 —	12 8	12 —	6 12	6 —	17 8	15 —	Ráwalpindi
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	11 —	11 8	5 4	5 4	12 —	12 —	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	15 —	14 8	7 —	6 —	16 —	14 —	Sháhpur
14 —	14 —	11 8	11 8	11 12	11 8	13 8	13 8	.	.	13 8	13 —	Jhang
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 8	16 —	15 —	7 —	7 —	17 —	17 —	Lyallpur
...	...	13 —	13 —	11 —	11 4	14 —	14 8	6 8	6 8	13 4	13 4	Multan
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 10	15 —	15 —	.	6 —	10 —	10 —	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	..	...	13 8	13 8	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 8	...	..	..	.	13 —	11 4	Dera Ghazi Khan
												N.-W. F. Province—
...	...	...	9 8	8 12	8 —	13 8	13 8			13 12		Hazára
...	...	13 —	11 1	11 —	10 2	10 12	11 8	8 10	8 10	19 8	13 3	Peshäwar
...	...	11 —	11 —	9 14	9 9	11 13	11 12	...	.	21 11	21 11	Kohát
...	...	...	...	9 11	10 5	15 —	15 —	...	...	23 2	21 4	Bannu
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 5	13 8	13 8	...	...	16 —	15 12	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	...	..	16 —	16 —	..	...	16 —	16 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	9 12	10 12	...	...	.	...	Wano
												Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Karáchi
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	18 —	18 —	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)
...	...	..	...	10 8		...	...	8 —	7 4	18 8	15 —	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	8 7 to 10 —	8 7 to 10 —	5 15 to 6 8	5 15 to 6 8	9 8	9 8	Quetta
												Bombay—
												Konkan—
13 8	13 8	...	...	8 11	8 11	...	...	6 12	6 12	14 10	14 10	Karwar
11 6	11 8	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	6 12	6 12	13 12	13 11	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	...	...	6 5	6 5	14 6	14 6	Alibág
8 6	8 6	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 2	6 2	13 8	13 13	Bombay
9 4	9 4	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	5 15	5 15	13 12	15 2	Thanna
												Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	10 5	9 6	...	...	7 1	7 1	11 13	11 13	Dharwar
14 11	14 11	...	...	9 15	9 15	...	...	6 13	7 5	12 9	12 15	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	12 7	12 2	...	...	5 13	5 13	13 1	13 1	Satara
...	...	...	...	12 12	10 8	...	...	7 9	7 9	14 4	14 4	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 2	...	...	7 10	7 12	12 8	12 5	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	10 1	10 1	...	...	5 14	6 14	13 10	14 13	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 5	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 7	14 7	Ahmednagar
14 15	13 13	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	7 4	7 4	15 7	15 7	Násik
...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	...	...	7 9	7 9	10 3	10 3	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	10 1	10 1	...	...	7 7	7 7	13 8	12 9	Jalgáon
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	9 11	9 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	23 2	23 2	Surat
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	20 —	21 5	Broach
15 —	16 —	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	19 —	19 —	Baroda
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 —	5 8	21 8	22 8	Ahmedabad
17 —	16 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Godhra
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	21 —	21 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
...	...	...		8 —	8 —	...	...	7 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 11	10 10	...	...	6 15	6 15	12 4	12 4	Nimar
...	...	...	...	13 13	13 3	...	...	9 3	9 2	14 —	14 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 8	...	...	7 7	5 15	13 —	13 —	Betul
...	...	...	...	10 11	9 8	...	...	6 2	6 11	14 —	14 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	...	10 1	...	...	7 12	8 9	12 —	12 —	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	9 6	8 8	14 14	13 13	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH 1917—*concluded*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Central Provinces—*continued*												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	9 6	8 13	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 1	7 —	15 1	13 7	...	...
Saugor	9 4	8 12	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 12	16 —	15 —	...	...
Damoh	9 12	9 12	...	...	7 11	7 11	8 5	9 11	19 8	16 5	...	...
Jubbulpore	9 4	9 4	...	...	7 8	7 —	9 8	9 —	14 —	14 —	...	...
Mandla	9 —	9 —	...	...	7 9	8 5	10 4	11 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	...	...
Bálághát	7 15	9 4	...	...	5 7	5 7	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Bhandára	9 13	9 13	...	...	...	...	10 3	10 3	15 7	14 4	...	...
Chánda	9 6	8 2	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	13 1	13 1	...	...
Eastern—												
Biláspur	9 14	9 14	...	...	9 14	9 14	11 11	11 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 —	6 4	...	10 —	...	...	...	...
Drug	11 —	10 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	11 6	11 6	...	...	4 13	4 13	6 14	6 14	15 11	15 11	...	...
Akola	10 12	9 11	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 5	7 14	15 12	15 12	...	...
Amráoti	8 8	8 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 —	14 8	14 8	...	...
Yeotmal	8 13	8 13	...	...	4 7	4 7	8 1	8 1	13 —	13 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad	7 —	7 —	...	...	4 1	3 10	8 3	8 3	12 4	13 —	14 —	11 10
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 5	8 5	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	6 10	...	...	...	...
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 9	12 15	10 4	10 4
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	14 9	14 9	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	14 9	14 9	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 12	12 12	8 —	...
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	16 —	...
Godávari	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	18 —	18 —
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 14	11 14	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 7	10 7	10 8	11 —
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	9 14	9 14	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	8 11	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	9 1	...	...	11 10	11 10
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 7	...	...	12 5	13 —
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	8 4	11 12	11 12	10 15	10 15
Southern—												
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	10 —	10 4
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	10 10	10 10	...	...
Mysore*—												
Mysore	...	7 8	...	5 8	...	6 8	...	8 —	...	18 —	...	...
Bangalore	...	7 —	...	6 8	...	5 8	...	6 4	...	14 —	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	8 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Aden	5 1	5 1	...	...	4 —	4 —	5 1	5 1	[illegible]	9 5	7 7	7 7

* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Central Provinces —*continued*
												Central—
...	...	...	...	12 4	11 15	...	...	7 12	7 12	14 —	14 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	6 4	14 —	14 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	14 5	12 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	14 8	14 12	Damoh
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 1	...	...	7 —	6 8	13 —	13 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	Seoní
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 13	7 13	9 4	9 4	Bálághát
...	...	...	...	9 10	9 5	...	...	6 11	6 11	10 11	10 4	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	8 5	7 11	...	...	8 2	8 2	10 10	11 10	Chánda
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	10 11	10 11	9 2	9 2	Biláspur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	Raipur
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 8	10 8	Drug
												Berar—
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 12	10 12	Buldána
...	...	...	...	9 15	11 —	...	...	8 6	8 6	11 6	11 6	Akola
...	...	...	...	11 1	...	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Amráoti
...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 15	12 15	Yeotmal
												Hyderabad—
18 4	18 4	...	...	10 6	9 —	...	...	9 11	11 10	11 1	10 8	Secunderabad
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 13	16 2	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 6	14 6	S. Canara
												South, central—
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 14	14 14	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 3	12 13	Nilgiris
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	Salem
												Central—
15 14	15 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 5	14 5	Bellary
13 14	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 10	14 9	Anantapur
14 1	13 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 6	14 6	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 11	11 13	Karnul
												East Coast, north—
15 10	15 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 12	16 13	Ganjam
15 5	16 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Vizagapatam
15 13	15 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 3	Godavari
												East Coast, central—
13 14	13 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 10	Kistna
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 10	15 10	Guntur
12 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	19 —	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
12 5	12 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 —	21 14	Madras
10 15	10 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	16 8	Chingleput
13 11	14 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 13	13 13	N. Arcot
13 9	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 1	17 4	S. Arcot
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 —	15 3	Tanjore
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 12	13 8	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 14	20 14	Tinnevelly
10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 5	16 5	Madura
												Mysore—
...	16 —	...	...	...	8 —	...	...	...	7 —	...	12 —	Mysore
...	15 —	...	...	...	7 —	...	...	...	6 —	...	12 —	Bangalore
												Coorg—
15 8	15 —	...	...	18 8	18 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 8	13 8	Coorg
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 3	6 3	32 —	32 —	**Aden**

WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA

RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY 1914 TO THE FIRST HALF OF MARCH 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA
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A.—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.	31st October 1914.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3	4 12 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11	4 3 6
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0	5 2 6
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 8	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9	4 3 3
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 3 0
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 2 0
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 14 6
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	4 2 0
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6	3 12 0
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 11 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5	4 7 6
	Aligarh	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8	4 13 8
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 9 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0	4 2 0
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 13 6
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 2 3
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 8 1
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1	4 9 1
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	4 1 7
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7	5 5 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 1 0
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...	...
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7	4 12 4
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Dharwar	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4	4 12 4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 8 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	5 0 0
	Cuttack	4 5 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4	5 1 4
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5	4 9 0
	Index Numbers (a).	100	100	102	103	104	105	110

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 90% red.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from *fortnightly* returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅓ lbs.

FORTNIGHT ENDING.

15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3	5 4 3	4 12 3
4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7	4 15 2	4 11 1
5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	5 3 6	4 13 0
4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 3 3
4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 0	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0
4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 1 0
4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	3 13 0
4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0	4 8 0	4 6 6
5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 3 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0	5 4 0	3 12 0
5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0	4 7 1
4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10	4 15 3	4 13 11
5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2	4 8 8	4 3 6
5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	4 9 0	4 5 0
4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 3	6 2 6	4 8 6	4 0 0
4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 2 0
5 5 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4	4 11 3	4 7 1
4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3	4 9 2	4 5 6
5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7	4 5 0	4 5 0
4 13 7	4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4	4 8 2	4 8 2
4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5	4 0 0	4 0 0
5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5	4 6 0	4 9 0
3 15 7	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10	4 8 7	4 8 7
4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2	5 2 0	4 15 6
...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2	5 7 10	5 6 2
...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6	4 1 1	...
5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0
4 10 3	4 3 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6	3 3 5	3 7 0
4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0	4 6 0	4 9 0
4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0	4 8 0	4 8 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0
5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 14 0
5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6	4 11 3	5 1 3
5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 12 5	4 12 5
4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0	4 11 3	4 8 0
115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121	114	109

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A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market	Fortnight ending																										
		15th May 1915			31st May 1915.			15th June 1915			30th June 1915			15th July 1915			31st July 1915.			15th August 1915.			31st August 1915.			15th September 1915.		
		Rs	A.	P	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	4	7	9	4	9	3	4	5	3	4	4	3	4	6	3	4	5	9	4	5	9	4	8	3	4	12	3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pissi)	4	12	7	4	15	2	4	9	10	...			...			...			...			5	3	0	5	4	4
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4	6	0	4	9	0	4	6	6	4	8	0	4	12	0	4	12	6	4	14	0	4	15	0	5	2	6
Punjab	Lahore	3	7	6	3	13	0	3	11	6	3	11	6	4	0	0	4	3	3	4	11	3	4	9	3	4	9	3
	Ferozepur	3	10	0	3	14	3	3	13	0	3	13	0	4	0	0	4	1	6	4	5	3	4	5	3	4	7	0
	Lyallpur	3	11	0	3	14	6	3	9	0	3	12	0	4	0	0	4	1	6	4	5	0	4	7	6	4	6	0
	Amritsar	3	7	9	3	12	3	3	12	0	3	12	0	3	14	0	4	0	0	4	4	3	4	6	0	4	9	8
	Multan	3	7	6	3	14	0	3	11	6	3	10	0	3	13	0	3	13	0	3	14	6	4	0	0	4	3	3
	Rawalpindi	3	10	0	3	13	6	3	13	6	3	14	0	4	6	0	4	7	0	4	7	0	4	6	0	4	10	0
	Ambala	3	14	0	3	15	6	3	15	6	3	15	6	4	5	0	4	7	0	4	10	0	4	9	0	4	12	0
Delhi	Delhi	4	1	6	4	3	0	4	3	0	4	3	0	4	9	0	4	9	0	4	13	6	4	11	0	4	11	0
United Provinces	Benares	4	8	8	4	7	6	4	5	0	4	6	5	4	6	5	4	6	5	4	9	4	4	9	4	4	9	4
	Aligarh	4	0	2	3	14	1	3	14	5	4	3	5	4	9	4	4	7	5	4	14	9	4	7	10	4	11	3
	Cawnpore	4	4	0	4	5	0	4	5	0	[illegible]	7	0	4	9	0	4	9	0	4	13	6	4	11	3	4	13	6
	Meerut	3	14	6	3	14	6	3	13	0	3	13	0	4	3	6	4	7	3	4	13	6	4	7	0	4	5	0
	Shahjahanpur	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	2	0	4	4	0	4	8	0	4	9	0	4	10	0
	Agra	3	12	11	4	5	2	4	4	8	4	9	1	4	7	1	4	13	6	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0
	Fyzabad	4	5	0	4	7	0	4	9	0	4	9	0	4	9	6	4	10	0	4	11	6	4	11	3	4	11	6
	Lucknow	4	2	6	4	4	3	4	7	1	4	7	1	4	7	1	4	7	1	4	7	1	4	9	2	4	9	2
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4	1	11	4	3	5	4	3	6	4	5	0	4	5	10	4	7	2	4	12	0	4	12	10	4	12	10
	Jubbulpore	4	3	7	4	5	2	4	5	2	4	8	2	4	8	2	4	8	2	4	3	5	4	8	2	4	8	2
	Raipur	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	4	10	4	4	10	4	7	2	4	7	2	4	12	10	4	11	2	4	11	2
	Akola	4	8	10	4	2	10	4	2	10	3	15	7	3	15	7	3	14	5	3	15	7	3	15	7	3	15	7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3	11	6	3	4	6	3	8	10	3	8	10	3	13	4	4	1	7	4	6	2	4	6	2	4	6	2
Baluchistan	Quetta	4	13	6	4	11	2	4	10	0	4	7	3	4	0	5	3	15	6	4	1	1	4	2	0	4	2	6
Bombay	Poona	5	10	6	5	6	2	5	1	11	5	1	4	5	4	1	5	4	1	5	5	1	...			5	8	11
	Ahmednagar	4	11	11	4	10	1	4	8	4	4	10	1	4	13	9	4	14	8	4	6	9	4	15	7	4	11	11
	Ahmedabad	4	14	0	4	14	0	4	10	0	4	12	0	4	12	0	4	12	0	5	4	0	5	2	6	5	5	4
	Dharwar	3	10	6	3	8	1	3	7	0	3	11	9	3	8	1	3	8	1	3	9	3	3	10	8	3	12	9
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4	7	0	4	6	0	4	6	0	4	6	0	4	8	0	4	11	0	4	14	0	4	8	0	4	11	0
	Bhagalpur	4	7	0	4	8	0	4	10	0	4	8	0	4	8	0	4	8	0	4	13	0	4	14	3	5	5	0
	Muzaffarpur	5	0	0	4	7	0	4	7	0	4	7	0	4	10	9	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0
	Ranchi	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	4	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	10	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	12	0
	Cuttack	5	1	3	5	1	3	5	1	3	4	11	3	4	11	3	5	1	3	5	1	3	5	1	3	5	1	3
Bengal	Rangpur	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	4	0	5	4	0	5	4	0	5	4	0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5
	Mandalay	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	7	6	5	7	6
	(Median Average)	4	4	0	4	5	2	4	5	0	4	6	2	4	7	1	4	7	4	4	11	9	4	9	3	4	11	3
	Index Numbers (a)	103			104			104			106			107			108			114			111			114		

* 5% barley, 8% dirt and 80% red.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of $82\frac{2}{7}$ lbs—contd.

Fortnight ending														
30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915	15th January 1916	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A P
4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9
5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 3 9
5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 8	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0
4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 8	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 8	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9
4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6
4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0
4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0
4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0
4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 8	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 8	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2
4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0
4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 6 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 8	4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0
4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6
5 2 6	5 2 6	5 3 3	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4
4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6
4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6
4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2
4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2
4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	...	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2
3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6
4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4
4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6	4 12 6	4 10 - 6	4 11 1	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0
5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11
4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10
5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0
3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 3	3 0 10	2 15 11
5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 1 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0
5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	3 0 0
5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 3 7	5 3 7	5 3 7	5 2 7	5 3 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 12 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1
4 12 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0
116	115	117	118	117	117	118	117	117	114	113	101	95	92

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 30th April 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th May 1916. Rs. A. P.	31st May 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th June 1916. Rs. A. P.	30th June 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th July 1916. Rs. A. P.	31st July 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th August 1916. Rs. A. P.	31st August 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th September 1916. Rs. A. P.
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	3 11 8	3 12 3	3 12 9	3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6
Punjab	Lahore	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Ferozepur	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6
	Lyallpur	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6
	Amritsar	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0
	Multan	3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Ambala	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
Delhi	Delhi	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 1 2	4 1 2	3 14 11	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8
	Aligarh	3 13 1	3 13 1	3 13 1	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4
	Cawnpore	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Meerut	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 9 0	3 10 3	3 8 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0
	Shahjahanpur	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 5 6	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6	3 11 6
	Agra	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2
	Fyzabad	3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Lucknow	3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2
	Jubbulpore	3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10
	Raipur	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5
	Akola	3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 0	4 13 [illegible]
Bombay	Poona	4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 3 1	4 2 8	4 2 8
	Ahmednagar	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2	3 9 10	3 11 2	.	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11
	Ahmedabad	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0
	Dharwar	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 7 6
	Bhagalpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0
	Muzaffarpur	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Ranchi	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0
	Cuttack	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4
Bengal	Rangpur	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
	Mandalay	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 [illegible] 0
	Index Numbers (b)	92	92	92	92	90	93	92	94	97	97

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red

(a) Prices at ports after 15th March 1917.

Ports	Rate per	On 23rd March 1917. Rs. A. P.	On 30th March 1917. Rs. A. P.	On 6th April 1917. Rs. A. P.
Karachi (white)	Maund	4 12 9	4 12 3	4 12 3
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	"	4 8 9	4 9 10	4 12 5
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	4 9 6	4 9 0	4 11 9

(b) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅓ lbs—*concld.*

Fortnight ending												Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th March 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	R. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
4 4 3	4 4 9	4 7 3	4 9 3	4 13 3	4 13 9	4 14 9	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 12 9	4 13 6	4 13 3	*Nil*
4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 6	4 9 6	4 14 10	4 13 0	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 8 9	4 10 7	4 9 10	4 10 9	+1
4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 10 0	5 2 6	5 0 0	...	4 13 0	4 10 0	4 11 0	4 13 0	4 14 6	+2
3 11 6	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	—3
3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 1 9	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	*Nil*
3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	4 6 0	4 1 0	4 3 0	4 7 0	4 4 6	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 3 6	+1
3 7 0	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 9 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	4 3 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 1 0	—2
3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	*Nil*
3 12 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	4 10 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	*Nil*
3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 12 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	—4
3 11 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	5 0 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	*Nil*
4 0 8	4 0 8	3 15 9	3 14 11	3 14 11	4 14 3	4 12 11	4 10 6	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 10	+1
4 1 8	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 9	4 11 7	4 6 11	4 8 11	4 8 11	4 5 2	4 5 4	4 5 5	4 5 4	*Nil*
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	*Nil*
3 10 3	3 11 3	3 11 6	4 0 0	5 2 9	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 11 3	5 11 3	4 11 3	—18
3 11 9	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 14 6	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	—4
4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 13 6	—3
3 14 9	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 5 6	4 9 3	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 5 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 1 9	—6
4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 2	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	...	...
3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 3 5	4 1 11	—2
3 14 5	3 12 2	3 11 6	4 0 10	4 6 0	4 7 1	4 6 0	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 4 4	4 3 5	4 3 5	*Nil*
3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	4 8 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
3 7 10	3 7 10	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 4 8	—6
3 8 3	3 8 3	3 10 4	3 12 7	4 4 3	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 5 8	4 4 9	4 8 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	*Nil*
4 12 0	4 11 0	4 15 0	4 13 0	5 0 3	5 3 3	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	*Nil*
4 2 9	4 11 7	4 11 7	...	4 11 9	4 12 8	...	4 11 7	4 10 5	...	4 11 7	4 13 9	+3
3 9 10	3 9 5	3 8 11	3 8 1	3 10 9	3 11 3	3 8 1	3 8 11	3 4 5	4 1 1	3 13 6	3 13 0	—1
4 4 0	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	*Nil*
3 3 10	3 2 10	3 8 2	3 10 6	3 8 2	...	3 11 11	3 4 10	3 2 4	3 8 2	4 0 2	3 5 11	+16
3 7 6	3 4 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	*Nil*
3 15 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	+9
4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	*Nil*
4 1 4	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 1 5	5 1 5	5 1 5	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	*Nil*
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	—5
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	*Nil*
4 14 9	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 0 8	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 4 3	3 14 1	3 8 7	3 5 7	3 8 7	3 10 10	+4
3 14 9	3 14 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 0	4 7 6	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 6 2	4 6 0	4 6 0	*Nil*
95	94	94	97	110	108	107	110	107	106	106	106	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th March as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	28th February	15th March	Increase or Decrease.	28th February	15th March	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	100	*Nil*	100	89	—11
Punjab . . .	100	97	—3	100	92	—8
United Provinces .	100	100	*Nil*	100	85	—15
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	99	—1	100	94	—6

B—Retail prices of Wheat in India.

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.	31st October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 4	8 0	7 8
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0	9 4
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 4
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 4
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4	9 8
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4	9 8
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 4
United Provinces	Benares	9 8	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13	8 8
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 0
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 8
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4	9 8
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 4
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5½	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	6 13
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0
	Cuttack	9 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Index Numbers (a)	100	103	103	106	106	109	112

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head-quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending											
15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 8	5 8	5 14	5 14
6 14	6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12	8 0	9 0
8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12	8 0	9 8
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12	7 14	8 8
9 4	9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 14
8 4	8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 8	9 8
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12	9 0	10 4
7 12	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8	7 8	10 4
7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0	7 12	9 0
8 6	8 1½	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5	7 13	7 13
7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 12	7 12	8 8	9 0
8 0	7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4	8 4	9 12
7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 8
7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0	9 0	9 0
7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14	8 2	8 14
8 8	8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4	8 12	9 10
8 12	7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2	8 8	8 12
8 5	8 5	8 3	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15	8 15	8 15
8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4	8 8	8 8
8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0	9 12	9 8
7 6	7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6	8 6	7 6
9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2	8 7	8 7
9 4	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10½	8 2½	7 4½	7 1	7 8½	7 13	8 1
6 13	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2	6 13	7 2
8 2	8 2	8 2	5 14	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2
7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8	8 0	8 0
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0	10 8	10 8
9 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	7 2	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8	8 12	8 8
8 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4	8 12	8 14
8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	7 8	7 8
7 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 4	8 0	8 4	8 0
7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9	8 8	7 14
7 4	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	5 10	5 10	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 8	6 8	6 14	7 5	7 12	8 0	8 0
8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12	8 4	8 8
120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	123	116	112

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.
		FORTNIGHT ENDING								
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Bombay *	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8
	Ferozepur	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12	9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12
	Amritsar	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8
	Rawalpindi	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4
	Lyallpur	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
	Multan	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12
	Ambala	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2
Delhi	Delhi	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4
United Provinces	Benares	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4
	Cawnpore	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0
	Meerut	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8	8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0
	Agra	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Lucknow	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4
	Aligarh	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14	9 10	9 0	8 12	8 12
	Fyzabad	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Akola	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14
Baluchistan	Quetta	8 4	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0	10 2	9 13½	9 11½	9 10½
Bombay	Poona	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 3
	Ahmednagar	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8-2	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0
	Dharwar	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Bhagalpur	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9
	Muzaffarpur	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8
	Ranchi	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12
	Cuttack	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14
	(Median Average)	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4
	Index Numbers (a)	106	106	108	109	112	112	116	116	116

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas.]

FORTNIGHT ENDING

30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 8	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 8	5 3	5 8	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0
8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0
8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0
8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8
8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8
7 15	7 13	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	...	9 8
8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0
7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12
8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0
9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12
8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0
8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6
8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0
8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4
8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4
9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8
8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0
9 8½	9 8	9 0½	8 4½	8 4½	8 6	8 9½	8 8½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11
7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6
7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14	8 2	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9
7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0
9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5
7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0
6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8
6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 8	7 3	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 8
5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4
8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 0½	10 0
120	118	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	118	116	106	96

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	9 0
	Bombay*	7 5	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	11 0	11 8	10 12	10 12	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4
	Ferozepore	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4
	Amritsar	11 8	11 12	12 12	11 12	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10
	Rawalpindi	10 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4
	Lyallpur	12 8	13 0	12 12	12 8	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0
	Multan	11 12	12 4	12 4	11 8	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8
	Ambala	10 12	11 8	11 12	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6
Delhi	Delhi	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
United Provinces	Benares	9 8	8 15	...	9 12	9 12	...	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10
	Cawnpore	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Meerut	10 8	11 0	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0
	Agra	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0
	Lucknow	10 8	11 0	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12
	Aligarh	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8
	Shahjahanpur	10 10	11 12	12 8	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8
	Fyzabad	10 3	10 4	11 0	10 10	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	10 0	9 11	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3
	Jubbulpore	10 12	11 4	11 14	11 14	12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0
	Raipur	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Akola	9 7	10 8	10 8	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	9 4	9 1	9 1	9 0¾	9 0	9 0	9 2¼	8 15	8 10	8 5½
Bombay	Poona	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10
	Ahmednagar	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Dharwar	11 5	11 5	10 14	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3	11 3
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 0	10 0	10 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0
	Bhagalpur	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Muzaffarpur	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Ranchi	8 0	8 0	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0
	Cuttack	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12
	(Median Average)	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12
	Index Numbers (a)	96	96	92	96	96	92	94	96	96	98

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat

Wheat in India—contd. [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending: 15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917	28th February 1917	15th March 1917.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th March 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr ch	Per cent
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	*Nil*
7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	*Nil*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 4	10 8	10 0	9 12	9 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 4	—3
10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 0	*Nil*
10 12	11 8	10 12	10 9	10 12	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 1	9 4	9 7	9 7	9 9	—1
10 4	10 6	10 6	10 10	9 14	8 6	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 10	8 4	8 4	8 4	*Nil*
10 9	10 8	10 11	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 8	9 4	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 4	+3
10 4	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
10 6	10 6	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 2	8 10	8 10	8 6	8 6	8 8	8 8	8 14	—4
10 0	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 8	7 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	*Nil*
9 8	9 8	9 10	9 10	9 12	9 3	7 15	7 15	8 4	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 13	—5
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	*Nil*
10 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 12	7 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	*Nil*
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 12	7 8	7 12	8 0	—3
9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 14	8 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	...	..
9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 0	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	10 0	8 4	9 4	—11
10 8	10 8	10 10	10 12	10 6	9 0	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	—3
9 14	9 14	9 12	10 0	10 0	8 14	8 4	8 10	8 6	8 10	8 10	8 14	8 14	*Nil*
10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	8 15	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9*	9 9	*Nil*
10 0	10 0	10 6	10 8	9 10	9 0	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 14*	9 4	9 4	*Nil*
10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	8 2	9 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	—10
11 0	11 4	11 4	10 14	10 7	9 5	9 5	9 3	9 2	9 3	8 11	8 10	8 10	*Nil*
8 4	8 6	8 8	8 1½	8 1½	7 15½	7 11	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	*Nil*
9 10	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	*Nil*
9 9	9 9	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 2	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	10 2	—7
8 8	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	*Nil*
11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	10 11	10 4	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	10 4	—9
11 0	11 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	10 8	9 0	9 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
10 0	10 2	10 5	9 6	8 0	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 6	9 4	9 8	9 4	+3
9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
9 8	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	7 8	7 7	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	*Nil*
9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	*Nil*
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	*Nil*
7 5	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 14	9 9	10 5	10 12	10 5	10 5	*Nil*
9 14	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	8 8	8 9	8 10	8 8	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 15	—1
97	96	96	96	98	112	112	111	112	111	109	108	107	

*Under enquiry

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th March as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	28th February	15th March	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	28th February	15th March	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . .	100	99	—1	100	91	—9
Punjab . .	100	97	— 3	100	95	—5
United Provinces .	100	95	—5	100	85	—15
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	98	—2	100	91	—9

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending 30th July 1914=100]

Date.	KARACHI. White (5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red) Price.		Red (5% barley, 3% dirt and 92% red) Price.		Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pissy). Price.		Calcutta (Club No. 2). Price.	
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 30th July 1914	31 6	100	31 3	100	32 9	100	34 9½	100
" 6th August "	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9½	100
" 3rd September "	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
" 1st October "	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...	...
" 5th November "	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8½	120
" 3rd December "	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
" 30th " "	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	...
" 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
" 4th February "	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
" 25th " "	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 3	126	50 10	146
" 4th March "	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
" 1st April "	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
" 6th May "	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
" 3rd June "	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
" 2nd July "	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	...	35 10½	103
" 23rd " "	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
" 6th August "	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
" 27th " "	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
" 3rd September "	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
" 29th " "	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
" 8th October "	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
" 5th November "	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	122
" 3rd December "	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
" 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	122
" 4th February "	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
" 3rd March "	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
" 7th April "	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
" 5th May "	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11	95
" 12th " "	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5	93
" 2nd June "	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
" 9th " "	30 0	95	29 9	95	32 3	98	32 11	95
" 16th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	32 7	99	32 8	94
" 23rd " "	28 6	90	28 3	90	32 7	99	32 3	93
" 30th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
" 7th July "	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
" 14th " "	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2	95
" 21st " "	32 9	104	32 6	104	34 5	105	32 8	94
" 28th " "	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96
" 4th August "	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
" 11th " "	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
" 18th " "	35 3	112	34 3	110	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 25th " "	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 31st " "	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2½	111	33 4½	96
" 8th September "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1½	98
" 15th " "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	35 10½	110	34 1½	98
" 22nd " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
" 29th " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 5th October "	34 0	108	33 0	106	33 8	103	...	...
" 13th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 20th " "	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½	98
" 27th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½	98
" 3rd November "	36 3	115	35 3	113	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 10th " "	36 9	117	35 9	114	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 17th " "	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 7	112	36 10	106
" 24th " "	37 9	120	36 9	118	39 2	120	37 10	109
" 1st December "	38 6	122	37 6	120	39 3	120	41 1	118
" 8th " "	38 9	123	37 9	121	39 4	120	40 7	117
" 15th " "	38 9	123	37 9	121	38 4	117	39 10	114
" 22nd " "	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 0	116	38 10	112
" 29th " "	39 3	125	38 3	122	37 5	114	...	...
" 5th January 1917	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 1	116	39 4	113
" 12th " "	40 6	129	39 6	126	38 2	117	38 4	110
" 19th " "	40 3	128	39 3	126	37 6	114	37 4	107
" 26th " "	40 6	129	39 6	126	36 3	111	36 10	106
" 2nd February "	40 0	127	39 0	125	36 8	112	36 10	106
" 9th " "	39 6	125	38 6	123	37 2	113	36 10	106
" 16th " "	38 3	121	37 3	119	37 2	113	37 4	107
" 23rd " "	39 0	124	38 0	122	37 2	113	37 10	109
" 2nd March "	38 7½	123	37 7½	120	36 9	112	38 4	110
" 9th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	37 10	109
" 16th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 3	114	39 1	112
" 23rd " "	38 3	121	37 3	119	36 3	111	36 7	105
" 30th " "	38 0	121	37 0	118	36 9	112	36 4	104
" 6th April "	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	37 4	107

NOTE.—The Indian price quotations are market and not F. O. B. prices. The source of these quotations is the Price Current

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN LONDON.

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades, taken as 100.]

Date.	Choice White Karachi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Red Karachi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Delhi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Choice White Bombay. Price.	Index Numbers.	Club No 1. Price.	Index Numbers.	Club No. 2. Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-Aug.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st August „	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd September 1914	46 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October „	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November „	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December „	50 6	128	50 0	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th „ „	Nominal	...	...	...	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	...	...	50 6 April-May sellers.	100
30th „ „	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May	103
8th January 1915	52 3 Do.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	106
4th February „	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th „ „	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April.	128
4th March „	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	118
8th April „	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	127
6th May „	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	129
12th „ „	63 9 Do.	161	63 3 Do.	126	64 3 Do	127	65 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June „	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	121
2nd July „	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	104
23rd „ „	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	110
6th August „	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
27th „ „	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
3rd September „	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	...	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
From 24th Sept. 15 to 18th April 16.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd and 9th June 1916	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th June 1916	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23rd „ „	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th „ „	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 29th June to 7th July '16.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916	58 6 July-Aug.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	59 0 Do.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th „ „	61 3 July-Aug. sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th August „	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th „ „	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th „ „	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers	137	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25th „ „	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31st „ „	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th September „	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15th „ „	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	71 0 Do.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th „ „	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October „	72 3 Oct. paid.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th „ „	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21st „ „	75 6 Do.	191	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th „ „	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd November „	79 0 paid.	200	Do.	...	79 6 sellers.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
10th „ „	80 0 passage.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Noml.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th „ „	80 3 Nov.-Dec. sellers.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
24th „ „	81 0 paid.	205	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st December „	82 0 buyers.	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th and 15th Dec. 1916	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th December 1916	82 0 paid.	208	81 6 paid.	163	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	No sellers.	...	Nominal.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
29th „ „	Do.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th January 1917	Do.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
12th „ „	Do.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th „ „	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
26th „ „	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd February to 30th March „	82 0 Feb.-Mar. & Mar.-April.	208	No sellers	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th April „	83 0 April-May	210	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...

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TARIFF VALUATION OF SUGAR.

The following statement shows in respect of each of the descriptions of sugar distinguished in the Tariff Schedule II (excepting molasses and all other kinds of sugar), *first*, the total imports into India in the month of March 1917, and the average value per cwt. as calculated on the returns received from the Customs Houses; and, *secondly*, a running total showing the total imports into India since the beginning of the year (1st October to 30th September) and the average net value per cwt. so far established. It is published in conformity with the procedure laid down in Customs Circular No. V of 1911, in order to enable merchants to compute the probable rate of duty for the year 1918 :—

Description of sugar.	Imported during the month of March 1917.		Imported since 1st October 1916.	
	Quantity	Average net value per cwt.	Quantity.	Average net value per cwt.
	Cwt.	R a.	Cwt.	R a.
Sugar, crystallised, beet	1	25 0	2	20 0
" " and soft, refined in China	12,032	18 12	60,119	19 0
" " " " from Japan	56,161	18 8	205,899	18 8
" " " " from Egypt	...	...	...	...
" " " " from Java, 23 Dutch Standard and above.	857,124	17 12	2,979,974	17 8
" " " " from Java, 16 to 22 Dutch Standard.	118,898	16 0	1,661,880	16 0
" " " " from Java, 15 Dutch Standard and under.	...	...	...	...
" " " " from Mauritius equal to 16 Dutch Standard and over.	5,619	18 0	268,520	17 4

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CALCUTTA:
The 18th April 1917.

IMPORTS INTO CHIEF PORTS DURING FEBRUARY, 1917

RETURN SHOWING the QUANTITIES of the PRINCIPAL STAPLES of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE IMPORTED into CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, KARACHI and MADRAS PORTS by RAIL, RIVER and SEA during FEBRUARY, 1917

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA
April 20, 1917

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DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SELECTED ARTICLES IN FEBRUARY 1917.

The object of the tables below is to show the quantities of the principal staples of agricultural produce imported from the various provinces, etc., and from foreign countries into the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, Karachi, and into the Madras ports during the month of February 1917, and for the eleven months April 1916 to February 1917, as compared with the corresponding periods of the year 1915-16. The statistics include foreign sea-borne and coasting trade as well as inland (rail and river-borne) trade. They have been furnished by Collectors of Customs, Steamer Companies, Railway Audit Officers, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, etc.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN FEBRUARY 1916 AND 1917.

It will be seen from Table I, that the imports by rail, river and sea in February 1917, as against the corresponding month of 1916 show (in round numbers) a decrease of—

55 per cent in jute.
(265,400 bales as against 585,300 bales last year.)

41 per cent in raw cotton.
(296,200 bales as against 505,400 bales last year.)

30 per cent in rape and mustard seed.
(10,200 tons as against 14,600 tons last year.)

16 per cent in linseed.
(9,000 tons as against 10,700 tons last year.)

13 per cent in rice (including paddy).
(102,600 tons as against 117,900 tons last year.)

8 per cent in tea.
(7,657,500 lbs. as against 8,296,200 lbs. last year.)

The imports of wheat (excluding wheat flour) by rail, river and sea into ports show an increase of 133 per cent (59,000 tons as against 25,300 tons last year) due mainly to larger exports from the Punjab, the Central Provinces and the United Provinces. The increase of 50 per cent (51,300 tons as against 34,000 tons last year) in the imports of gram and pulse is accounted for by larger exports mainly from the Punjab and the United Provinces.

It will be seen from Table IV (wheat, excluding wheat flour) that the principal sources of the imports in February 1916 were the United Provinces and the Punjab. During the corresponding month of 1917, the Provinces from which the ports received their supplies were mainly the Punjab (29 per cent of the total); the Central Provinces (24 per cent) and the United Provinces (20 per cent). Table XI shows the *exports* out of India of wheat (including wheat flour) month by month during the last six years.

NOTE.—One bale of cotton or jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.
One maund is equivalent to 82$\frac{2}{7}$ lbs.
One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice

GENERAL RESULTS—ELEVEN MONTHS' IMPORTS INTO THE PORTS FROM UP COUNTRY, ETC, THIS YEAR AND LAST YEAR.

The eleven months' figures in table I show (in round numbers) an increase of—

66 per cent in linseed.
(335,000 tons as against 202,200 tons last year.)

15 per cent in rape and mustard seed.
(162,300 tons as against 140,600 tons last year.)

13 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour).
(1,152,500 tons as against 1,018,900 tons last year.)

11 per cent in gram and pulse.
(436,100 tons as against 391,900 tons last year)

Imports of raw cotton by rail, river and sea into ports show a decrease of 26 per cent (2,707,400 bales as against 3,669,300 bales last year) mainly on account of smaller exports from Bombay, the Central Provinces and the Nizam's Territory. The decrease of 20 per cent (1,006,900 tons as against 1,266,400 tons last year) in rice (including paddy) is mainly accounted for by smaller exports from Burma and Madras. The imports of tea into Calcutta show a decrease of 15 per cent (235,227,500 lbs as against 276,091,900 lbs last year) owing mainly to smaller exports from Assam. The fall of 11 per cent (4,945,300 bales as against 5,568,400 bales last year) in the imports of jute is mainly due to smaller exports from Bengal and Bihar and Orissa.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN FEBRUARY 1917 AS COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS MONTH.

As compared with January 1917, the imports in February 1917 into the ports referred to above show (in round numbers) a decrease of—

23 per cent in jute.
(265,400 bales as against 346,600 bales previous month.)

18 per cent in raw cotton.
(296,200 bales as against 361,800 bales previous month.)

16 per cent in rice (including paddy)
(102,600 tons as against 121,700 tons previous month)

7 per cent in tea.
(7,657,500 lbs as against 8,255,900 lbs previous month)

5 per cent in linseed.
(9,000 tons as against 9,500 tons previous month.)

and an increase of—

75 per cent in rape and mustard seed.
(10,200 tons as against 5,900 tons previous month.)

14 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour).
(59,000 tons as against 51,800 tons previous month.)

9 per cent in gram and pulse.
(51,300 tons as against 46,900 tons previous month.)

The Statistics for February 1916 and 1917, as also for the eleven months ending February 1916 and 1917, together with those for January 1917 and February 1917 are summarised below :—

SUMMARY TABLE I.

(1) Articles	(2) Imports, February 1916	(3) Imports, February 1917	(4) Imports, April to February 1916	(5) Imports, April to February 1917	(6) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in February 1917, as compared with February 1916	(7) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in eleven months, April 1916 to February 1917 as compared with eleven months April 1915 to February 1916
	bales	bales	bales	bales	Per cent	Per cent
Cotton, raw . . .	505,381	296,178	3,669,275	2,707,442	—41·4	—26·2
	tons	tons	tons	tons		
Wheat (excluding wheat flour)	25,338	58,987	1,018,862	1,152,488	+132·8	+13·2
Rice (including paddy)	117,923	102,622	1,266,365	1,006,920	—13	—20·5
Gram and Pulse . .	34,025	51,336	391,916	436,099	+50·9	+11·3
Linseed . .	10,730	9,046	202,172	335,032	—15·7	+65·7
Rape and Mustard seed .	14,592	10,242	140,616	162,251	—29·8	+15·4
	bales	bales	bales	bales		
Jute	585,268	265,377	5,568,427	4,945,310	—54·7	—11·2
	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs		
Tea	8,296,247	7,657,546	276,091,911	235,227,501	—7·7	—14·8

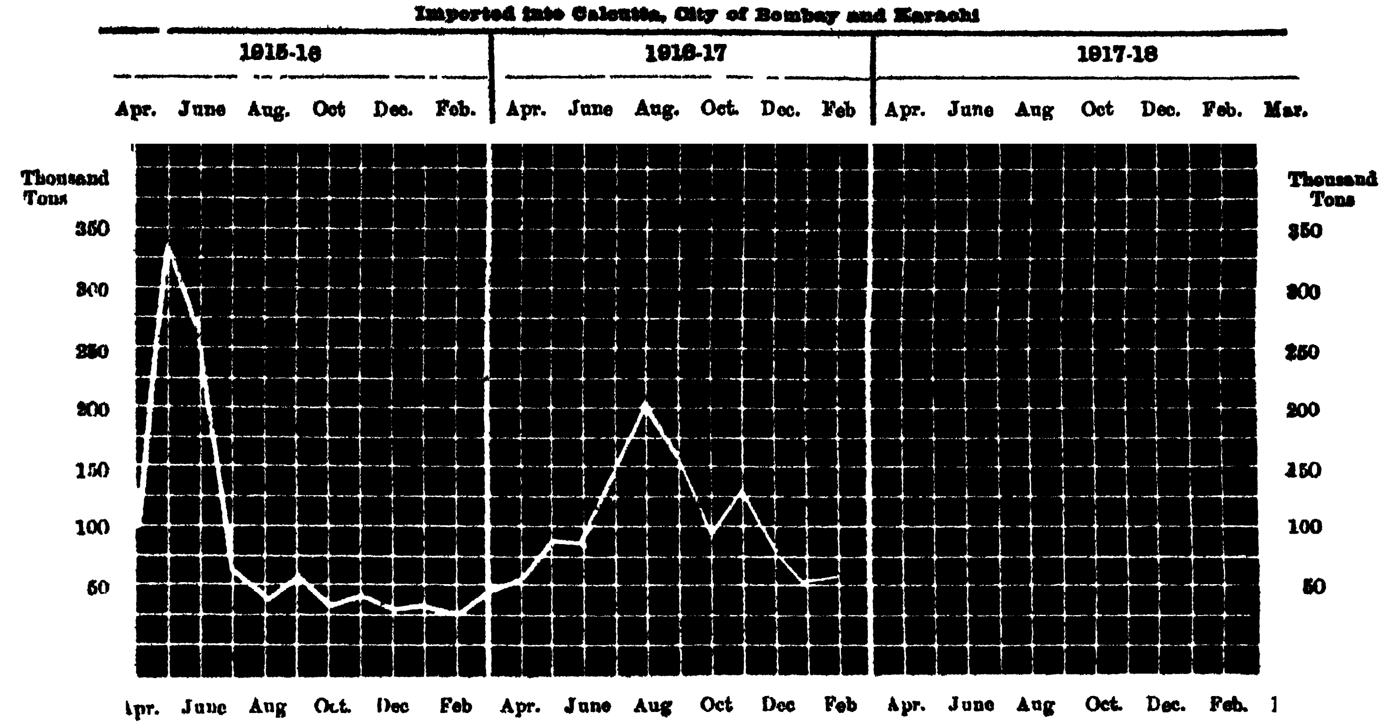
SUMMARY TABLE II.

Articles	Imports, January 1917	Imports, February 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—) of Imports in February 1917 as compared with January 1917
	bales	bales	Per cent
Cotton, raw	361,751	296,178	—18·1
	tons	tons	
Wheat (excluding wheat flour)	51,792	58,987	+13·9
Rice (including paddy)	121,739	102,622	—15·7
Gram and Pulse	46,868	51,336	+9·5
Linseed	9,527	9,046	—5
Rape and Mustard seed	5,859	10,242	+74·8
	bales	bales	
Jute	346,571	265,377	—23·4
	lbs	lbs	
Tea	8,255,941	7,657,546	—7·2

The annexed chart shows the course of the monthly imports of wheat, cotton and jute from April 1915 to February 1917 :—

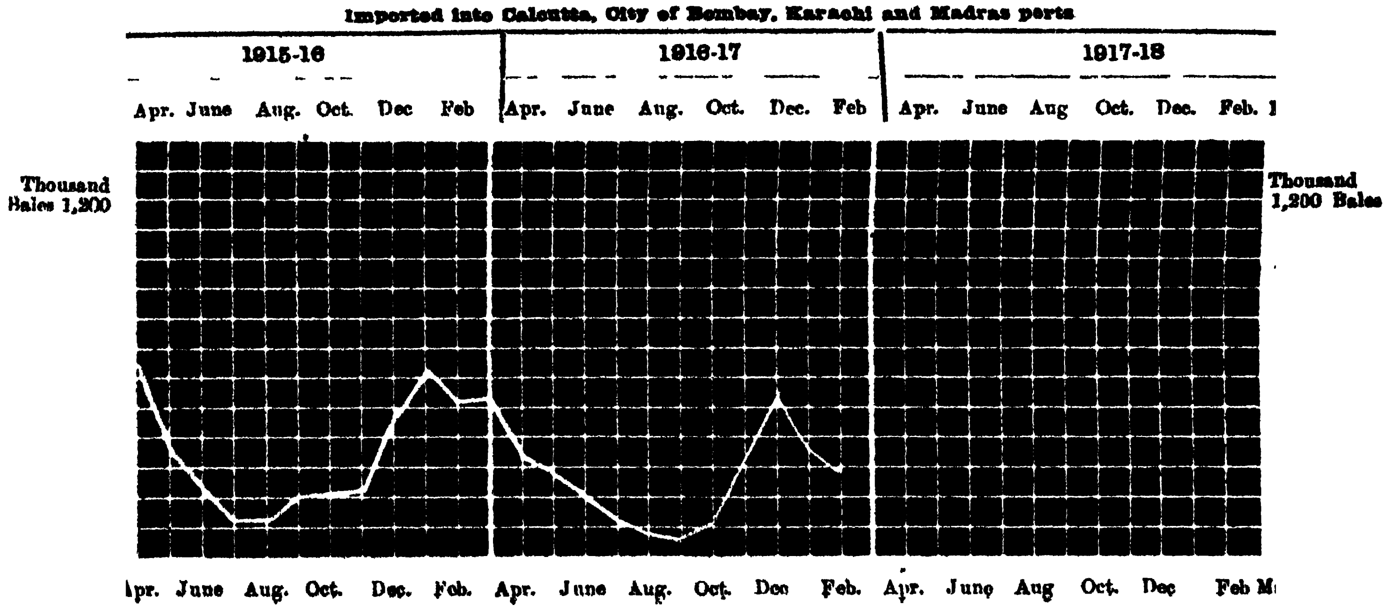
IMPORTS BY RAIL, RIVER AND SEA OF WHEAT, COTTON AND JUTE FROM APRIL 1915 TO FEBRUARY 1917

Imported into Calcutta, City of Bombay and Karachi



COTTON (RAW)

Imported into Calcutta, City of Bombay, Karachi and Madras ports



JUTE (RAW)

Imported into Calcutta

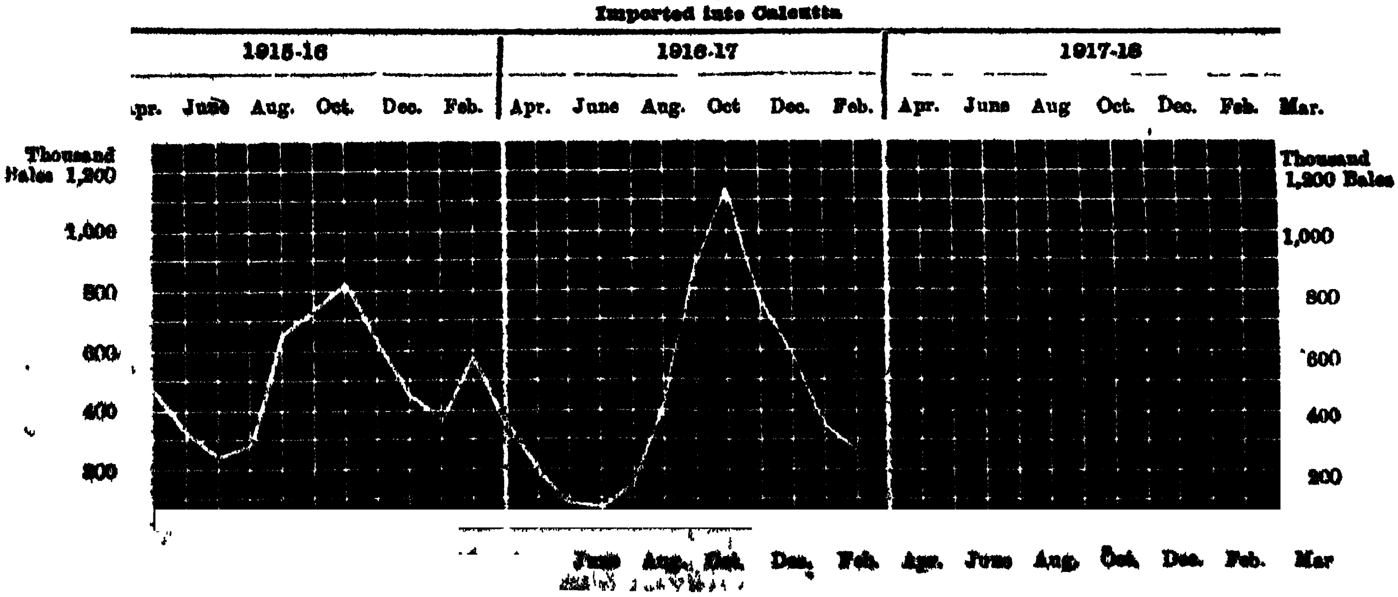


TABLE III.—Cotton, raw

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	City of Bombay 1916	City of Bombay 1917	Karachi 1916	Karachi 1917	Madras ports 1916	Madras ports 1917	Total 1916	Total 1917
Imports in February										
	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales
By Rail and River—										
Assam	132	144	...	..	...	...	...	...	132	144
Bengal	4,694	7,043	..	211	...	...	...	...	4,694	7,254
Bihar and Orissa	102	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	102	7
U P of Agra and Oudh	453	314	7,285	1,941		304	...	...	7,738	2,559
Punjab	122	512	15 020	15,874	18,371	25,415	...	...	33,513	41,801
Sind and Br Baluchistan	39				11,608	16,251	...	...	11,647	16,251
Raj and C India	694		30,711	35,069	..	...	...	...	31,405	35 069
Bombay	336	399	123,239	38,912	..	.	2,132	561	125,757	39,872
Central Provinces and Berar	4,187	1 239	187,575	79,449	...	...	...	...	191,762	80,688
Nizam's Territory	...	...	56,591	20,606	...	...	1,212	297	57,803	20,903
Madras	62	100	4,188	1,823	...	...	4,032	2,435	8,282	4,358
Mysore	...	.	952	624	...	...	21	50	973	674
Kashmir	...	...		.		...	...	...	.	...
TOTAL	10,871	9,758	425,561	194,479	29,979	41,970	7,397	3,343	473,808	249,550
By Sea—										
Bengal	.	...			..	.	...	...		...
Bihar and Orissa	.			..	...	.		..	..	...
Bombay	102	.	...	122	...		441	540	543	662
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	.		18,804	16,724	..	...	..	..	18,804	16 724
Madras	54		1,984	857	...	...	..	..	2,038	857
Burma	555	696		10	..	...		...	555	706
Non-Br Ports in India			9,596	27 973	..	...	...	...	9,596	27,973
Foreign Countries		..	34	206	...	...	3	..	37	206
TOTAL	711	696	30,418	45,392	...	.	444	540	31,573	46,628
TOTAL IMPORTS	11,582	10,454	455,979	239,871	29,979	41,970	7,841	3,883	505,381	296,178
Imports from April to end of February										
By Rail and River—										
Assam	1,196	1,999	.	.	...	...	...	...	1,196	1,999
Bengal	48,762	29,704	186	1,119	..	...	4	...	48,952	30,823
Bihar and Orissa	1,332	935	..	...	...	...	...	...	1,332	935
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	23,128	19,324	254,972	198,167	484	736	..	...	278,584	218,227
Punjab	2,167	5,485	122,755	152 634	165,075	130,137	...	...	289,997	288,256
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	39	1	..	.	99 862	68,852	...	...	99,901	68,853
Raj. and C India	1,953	99	221 048	204 620	14	...	..	..	223,015	204,719
Bombay	7,823	7,85.	831,394	421,754		197	13 664	22,195	852,881	451,901
Central Provinces and Berar	65,383	49,669	800 189	525 811	...	...	...	...	865,572	575,480
Nizam's Territory		825	257 795	144,812	...	...	15,778	5,864	273,573	151,001
Madras	1 885	8,036	41,749	98,079	...	...	305,103	195,360	348,739	301,475
Mysore	101	193	14 986	7,128	...	...	5,442	3,246	20,529	10,567
Kashmir		.	.		3	.	.		3	...
TOTAL	146,219	123 625	2,545,974	1,754,124	265 438	199,932	339,998	227,565	3,199,654	2,305,286
By Sea—										
Bengal	10,485	..	860	.	...	..	...	...	11,345	...
Bihar and Orissa	.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	4,147	1,149	2,196	237	1,392	37	7,488	7,317	15,223	8,760
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	152,297	111,685	...	...	...	...	152,297	111,685
Madras	8,821	7,654	40,984	19,369	...	...	...	30	49,805	27,053
Burma	10,042	7,084	146	198	...	...		...	10,188	7,282
Non-Br. Ports in India	..	..	223,964	238,999	.	...	24	...	223,988	238,999
Foreign Countries	618	374	5 986	3,149	...	...	76	4	6,675	3,527
TOTAL	34,108	16,211	426,533	378,587	1,392	37	7,588	7,351	469,621	409,206
TOTAL IMPORTS	182,357	139,836	2,972,507	2,132,711	266,830	199,979	347,581	234,916	3,669,275	2,707,442

NOTE.—Provinces named in the first column include their chief port or ports. "Madras ports" includes the ports of Madras, French Ports (Pondicherry with its suburb Villianur, and Karikal, exclusive of sea imports from Non-British Ports and Foreign countries), Negapatam, Tuticorin, Calicut, Cocanada, Vizagapatam, Cuddalore, Cochin, Tellicherry, Cannanore, Masulipatam, Mangalore, Quilon, Porto Novo, Badagara and Dhanushkodi

One bale of cotton is equivalent to 400 lbs.

TABLE IV.—Wheat (excluding wheat flour)*

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	City of Bombay 1916	City of Bombay 1917	Karachi 1916	Karachi 1917	TOTAL 1916	TOTAL 1917
Imports in February								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	3	26	...	...	...	..	3	26
Bihar and Orissa	198	1,591	...	.			198	1,591
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	8,149	9,848	202	1,117		745	8,351	11,710
Punjab	2,503	37	480	731	3,697	16,331	6,680	17,099
Sind and Br Baluchistan	.	.	...		1,573	2,982	1,573	2,982
Raj. and C. India	133	121	2,091	6,083		9	2,224	6,218
Bombay			1,291	4,115		...	1,291	4,115
Central Provinces and Berar	2,492	5,117	252	9,127	..	...	2,744	14,244
Nizam's Territory	...	..	278	603	...	..	278	603
Madras					...	..	...	...
Mysore	...	...			...	...	.	...
Kashmir	...		..	.		...	...	...
TOTAL	13,473	16,740	4,594	21,776	5,270	20,017	23,837	58,533
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...
Bombay	...	...	..	15	.	.	.	15
Sind and Br Baluchistan	..	...	1,675		...	...	1,675	.
Madras	..	...		.	..	...	.	
Burma	...	...	..	..	.	...	...	...
Non-Br Ports in India	...	...	326	340	...	98	326	438
Foreign Countries		...	...	1	..	.		1
TOTAL	..	...	2,001	356		98	2,001	454
TOTAL IMPORTS	13,473	16,740	6,595	22,131	5,270	20,115	25,338	58,987
Imports from April to end of February								
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	..	...	..	...	...	..	.
Bengal	927	951	..	211	...	...	927	1,162
Bihar and Orissa	4,173	21,979	.		..		4,173	21,979
U P of Agra and Oudh	143,536	109,509	27,130	7 238	76,628	23,446	247,294	140,283
Punjab	41,146	5,323	27,968	25,552	467,330	649,636	536,439	680,511
Sind and Br Baluchistan	.	.	.	.	48,882	51,431	48,882	51,431
Raj. and C. India	2,624	2,546	38,252	46,091	257	221	41,138	48,858
Bombay	96	41	26,918	39,252	..	...	27,014	39,293
Central Provinces and Berar	38,288	61,358	30,450	79,890	..	...	69,338	141,248
Nizam's Territory	...	...	1,880	6,646	...	...	1,880	6,646
Madras	22	18	110	10	...	...	132	28
Mysore	...	...	29	1	..	..	29	1
Kashmir	...	...	..	.	...	..	..	...
TOTAL	281,412	201,815	153,732	204,891	593,097	724,734	977,241	1,131,440
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	111	183	87	21	198	204
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	29,698	11,446	284	1	29,982	11,444
Madras	...	..	7	14	...	...	7	14
Burma	...	9	...		...	...	.	9
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	.	11,301	9 240	130	130	11,431	9,370
Foreign Countries	...	3	3	2	...	2	3	7
TOTAL	...	12	41,129	20,882	501	154	41,631	21,048
TOTAL IMPORTS	281,412	201,827	193,852	225,773	593,598	724,888	1,018,862	1,152,4°8

* See also Table XI

TABLE V.—Rice (including paddy)*

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	Karachi 1916	Karachi 1917	Madras ports 1916	Madras ports 1917	TOTAL 1916	TOTAL 1917
Imports in February								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	1	4	...	...	...	...	1	4
Bengal	38,287	28,950	...	..	.	490	38,287	29,440
Bihar and Orissa	2,470	1,296	..	...	1,086	245	3,556	1,471
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	8	18	.	3	..	...	8	16
Punjab	27	44	291	2,926	...	...	318	2,970
Sind and Br Baluchistan	.	...	9,437	12,824	.	..	9,437	12,824
Raj. and C India		322	.	.	.		...	322
Bombay		..	..	...	6	7	6	7
Central Provinces and Berar	418	129	...	.	.	16	418	145
Nizam's Territory	17	.	.	.	24	54	41	54
Madras	302	9	.	.	20,973	16,120	21,275	16,129
Mysore	...	..	...	...	431	275	431	275
Kashmir	...	..	.	..	..	...	..	...
TOTAL	41,475	30,697	9,728	15,758	22,520	17,207	73,723	68,657
By Sea—								
Bengal		..	...	.	564		564	..
Bihar and Orissa	081	284		..		.	981	284
Bombay	1		27	19	1,867	791	1,895	810
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	.		508	...	213	317	721	317
Madras					202	102	203	102
Burma	26,083	25,368	...	...	13,785	11,180	39,818	36,549
Non-Br Ports in India		..	.	608	..	64	..	672
Foreign Countries	19	224	..	.	...	7	19	231
TOTAL	27,084	25,871	535	627	16,581	12,467	44,200	38,965
TOTAL IMPORTS	68,559	56,568	10,263	16,380	39,101	29,674	117,923	102,622
Imports from April to end of February								
By Rail and River—								
Assam	53	102		..	...	.	53	102
Bengal	161,581	169,704	...	...	646	4,080	162,227	173,784
Bihar and Orissa	13,645	18,025	...	...	1,584	11,523	15,229	32,848
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	989	441	1	31	...	1	990	473
Punjab	191	370	5,705	11,788	...		5,896	12,158
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	3	2	71,250	83,007	..	..	71,253	83,009
Raj. and C. India	460	385	.	...	..	.	460	385
Bombay	8	68	1	..	81	53	90	121
Central Provinces and Berar	10,169	3,083	...	...	9	77	10,178	3,160
Nizam's Territory	127		..	...	878	575	1,005	575
Madras	41,149	9,582	..	...	295,119	218,014	336,268	227,596
Mysore	...	...	...	...	1,897	3,257	1,897	3,257
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	228,375	201,997	76,957	94,821	300,214	240,585	605,546	537,403
By Sea—								
Bengal	28	.	.	...	566	37	589	37
Bihar and Orissa	2,142	1,644	...	...		...	2,142	1,644
Bombay	9	13	213	177	12,853	7,457	13,075	7,647
Sind and Br Baluchistan	147	..	2,298	1,258	2,101	1,651	4,541	2,914
Madras	8,554	...	...	1	1,488	853	10,042	854
Burma	455,098	342,119	16	5	147,962	109,234	603,076	451,358
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	610	1	186	1	796
Foreign Countries	27,045	3,488	.	1	208	783	27,253	4,277
TOTAL	493,018	347,269	2,522	2,047	165,279	120,201	660,819	469,517
TOTAL IMPORTS	721,393	549,256	79,479	96,868	465,493	360,786	1,266,365	1,006

* One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice

TABLE VI.—Gram and Pulse

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	City of Bombay 1916	City of Bombay 1917	Karachi 1916	Karachi 1917	Total 1916	Total 1917
Imports in February								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Bengal	2,848	2,028	...	48	...	...	2,848	2,071
Bihar and Orissa	1,926	1,741	57	154	...	70	1,988	1,965
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	5,214	5,226	982	4,057	462	1,911	6,658	11,194
Punjab	636	58	1,958	1,648	8 746	21,169	11,340	22,875
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	..	..	470	1,636	470	1,636
Raj and C. India	168	816	152	2,837	15	984	335	4,137
Bombay	12	.	2,666	2,677	...	...	2,678	2,677
Central Provinces and Berar	1,544	582	3,898	3,304	...	...	5,442	3,886
Nizam's Territory	86	1	895	161	...	...	981	162
Madras	99	..	...	.	...	...	99	.
Mysore	...	...	75	...	...	...	75	...
Kashmir	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	12,480	9,947	10,683	14,886	9,693	25,770	32,856	50,603
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	28	..	5	35	32	167	65	202
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	52	13	88	.	140	12
Madras	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	.
Burma	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...
Non-Br Ports in India	..	...	104	510	...	5	104	515
Foreign Countries	1	1	859	2	.	1	860	4
TOTAL	29	1	1,020	559	120	173	1,169	733
TOTAL IMPORTS	12,509	9,948	11,708	15,445	9,818	25,943	34,025	51,336
Imports from April to end of February								
By Rail and River—								
Assam	4	12	...	5	...	...	4	17
Bengal	22,929	39,592	45	339	...	...	22,974	39,981
Bihar and Orissa	30,900	23,701	1,871	4,646	...	5,214	32 771	33,561
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	69,436	77,886	15,910	34 996	11,941	30,154	97,287	143,086
Punjab	26,143	3,847	46,476	25,270	59,349	62,844	131,968	91,961
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	7	35	...	5,765	11,669	5 800	11,676
Raj. and C. India	1,335	3,078	4,056	12,518	948	2,925	6,339	18,521
Bombay	602	223	29,280	22,581	28	35	29,905	[illegible]
Central Provinces and Berar	14,498	16,069	26,669	43,668	19	...	41,186	59,737
Nizam's Territory	1,444	2,496	4,305	4,643	...	...	5,749	7,136
Madras	841	758	144	175	...	...	985	933
Mysore	15	...	89	26	...	...	104	26
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	168,147	167,666	128,880	148,867	78,045	112,841	375,072	429,374
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	19	15	...	...	...	...	19	15
Bombay	45	...	812	376	307	1,155	1,164	1,531
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	1,835	1,217	349	70	2,184	1,297
Madras	197	52	58	3	...	...	255	55
Burma	1,931	313	104	371	...	...	2,035	684
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	1,472	1,548	35	6	1,507	1,554
Foreign Countries	1,619	60	7,995	1,172	16	67	9,630	1,299
TOTAL	3,861	440	12,278	4,987	707	1,298	16,844	6,725
TOTAL IMPORTS	172,008	168,106	141,156	153,854	78,752	114,139	391,916	436,099

TABLE VII.—Linseed

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Total	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
	Imports in February					
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—						
Assam	1	...	...	...	1	...
Bengal	646	181	...	98	646	279
Bihar and Orissa	2,296	689	175	1,280	2,473	1,969
U P of Agra and Oudh	1,188	42	491	884	1,679	926
Punjab	...	...	...	...	.	...
Sind and Br Baluchistan	..	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. and C. India	36		620	494	656	494
Bombay	..	...	644	1,647	644	1,647
Central Provinces and Berar	362	.	844	711	1,206	711
Nizam's Territory	...	...	2,906	2,892	2,906	2,892
Madras	...	...	346	109	346	109
Mysore	...	...	...	...	. .	.
TOTAL	4,531	912	6,026	8,115	10,557	9,027
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	..	...
Bombay	. .	...	...	...		...
Sind and Br Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	..	...	...
Non-Br Ports in India	..	...	112	19	112	19
Foreign Countries	...	..	61	...	61	..
TOTAL	...	...	173	19	173	19
TOTAL IMPORTS	4,531	912	6,199	8,134	10,730	9,046
	Imports from April to end of February					
By Rail and River—						
Assam	167	1,768	...	37	167	1,805
Bengal	4,509	6,655	...	4,509	4,509	11,164
Bihar and Orissa	58,844	72,218	1,344	29,488	60,188	101,706
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	30,498	23,007	25,587	79,136	56,080	102,143
Punjab	. .	...	11	120	11	120
Sind and Br Baluchistan	...	...	...	5		5
Raj and C India	638	411	29,149	28,926	29,787	29,339
Bombay		...	7,636	11,276	7,636	11,276
Central Provinces and Berar	1,616	693	18,786	40,805	20,402	41,498
Nizam's Territory	...	...	20,016	31,440	20,616	31,440
Madras		19	614	652	614	671
Mysore	...	...	4	88	4	88
TOTAL	96,267	104,771	103,147	226,484	199,414	331,255
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	5	...	1	1	6	1
Sind and Br. Baluchistan		...	8	21	8	21
Madras	...	...				
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	2,424	3,658	2,424	3,663
Foreign Countries	68	...	257	92	325	92
TOTAL	73	...	2,686	3,777	2,758	3,777
TOTAL IMPORTS	96,340	104,771	[illegible]	230,261	202,172	[illegible]

TABLE VIII.—Rape and Mustard Seed

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	City of Bombay 1916	City of Bombay 1917	Total 1916	Total 1917
	Imports in February					
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—						
Assam	74	48	...	...	74	48
Bengal	135	348	...	...	135	343
Bihar and Orissa	3,144	2,874	..	...	3,144	2,874
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	6,352	1,969	281	160	6,633	2,129
Punjab	551	78	..	...	551	78
Sind and Br Baluchistan	...	...	.	...		..
Raj. and C India	369	1,199	1,517	298	1,886	1,497
Bombay	...	105	201	65	201	170
Central Provinces and Berar	491	1,823	1,445	303	1,936	2,126
Nizam's Territory	...		7	1	7	1
Madras	4	872	...	104	4	976
Mysore		...	..	...	...	...
TOTAL	11,120	9,311	3,451	931	14,571	10,242
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	..
Madras	...	...	...	..	...	..
Burma	.	...	...	..	.	...
Non-Br Ports in India	..	...	21	...	21	. .
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	.	...	21	..	21	. .
TOTAL IMPORTS	11,120	9,311	3,472	931	14,592	10,242
	Imports from April to end of February					
By Rail and River—						
Assam	473	1,853	...	...	473	1,853
Bengal	629	1,011	17	17	646	1,028
Bihar and Orissa	6,847	8,655	6	20	6,853	8,675
U P of Agra and Oudh	93,713	114,407	16,887	16,584	110,600	130 991
Punjab	2,271	358	128	4	2,399	362
Sind and Br Baluchistan	33	9	1	..	34	9
Raj and C India	833	3,393	3,587	1,973	4,420	5,366
Bombay	1,456	710	9,045	5,171	10,501	5,881
Central Provinces and Berar	756	4,375	2,077	1,142	2,833	5,517
Nizam's Territory	...	..	145	157	145	157
Madras	106	2,083	23	113	129	2,196
Mysore	...	...	3		3	...
TOTAL	107,117	136,854	31,919	25,181	139,036	162,035
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	..	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	..	...
Bombay	45	...	...	1	45	1
Sind and Br Baluchistan	...	...	1,239	22	1,239	22
Madras	...	...	21	...	21	...
Burma	...	1	...	...	..	1
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	173	192	173	192
Foreign Countries	...	.	102	...	102	..
TOTAL	45	1	1,535	215	1,580	216
TOTAL IMPORTS	107,162	136,855	33,454	25,396	140,616	162,251

TABLE IX —Jute

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917
	Imports in February	
	bales	bales
By Rail and River—		
Assam	19,217	17,018
Bengal	479,549	218,133
Bihar and Orissa	84,032	28,484
U P of Agra and Oudh	...	..
Punjab	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Raj and C India	.	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	.
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	582,798	263,635
By Sea—		
Bengal		
Bihar and Orissa	1,764	1,742
Bombay	...	.
Sind and Br Baluchistan	..	..
Madras	..	..
Burma	...	..
Non-Br Ports in India	..	..
Foreign Countries	706	...
TOTAL	2,470	1,742
TOTAL IMPORTS	585,268	265,377
	Imports from April to end of February	
By Rail and River—		
Assam	151,161	164 086
Bengal	4,780,804	4,285,508
Bihar and Orissa	596,088	460 525
U P of Agra and Oudh		317
Punjab	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	..	..
Raj and C India	...	...
Bombay	...	..
Central Provinces and Berar	94	180
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	5,528,147	4,910,616
By Sea—		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	38,628	34,693
Bombay		
Sind and Br Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-Br Ports in India	..	...
Foreign Countries	1,652	
TOTAL	40,280	34,694
TOTAL IMPORTS	5,568,427	4,945,310

NOTE —One bale of jute is equivalent to 400 lbs

By "Calcutta" is meant the town of Calcutta with Howrah and the Kidderpore Docks. The imports exclude, therefore, imports into those jute mills which are outside this area. Such mills form the large majority of the total mills manufacturing jute.

TABLE X.—Tea

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917
	Imports in February	
	lbs.	lbs.
By Rail and River—		
Assam	5,351,204	4,027,680
Bengal	2,864,580	3,509,650
Bihar and Orissa	1,975	2,304
U. P of Agra and Oudh	42,871	3,708
Punjab	31,598	5,678
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	
Raj. and C. India	...	...
Bombay	165	
Central Provinces and Berar	...	82
Nizam's Territory		...
Madras	..	70,601
Mysore	...	...
Kashmir	...	...
TOTAL	8,292,343	7,619,657
By Sea—		
Bengal	2,200	...
Bihar and Orissa	.	...
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br Baluchistan	...	..
Madras	.	.
Burma	...	...
Non-Br Ports in India		
Foreign Countries	1,704	37,889
TOTAL	3,904	37,889
TOTAL IMPORTS	8,296,247	7,657,546
	Imports from April to end of February	
By Rail and River—		
Assam	192,054,683	148,553,526
Bengal	82,220,864	85,406,566
Bihar and Orissa	326,712	240 608
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	893 082	231 800
Punjab	248,730	24,850
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	1,568
Raj and C. India	82	658
Bombay	7,454	3,867
Central Provinces and Berar	688	2,963
Nizam's Territory	4,082	.
Madras	10,276	259,859
Mysore	...	...
Kashmir	165	...
TOTAL	275,766,718	234 723,255
By Sea—		
Bengal	288,781	7,040
Bihar and Orissa	...	204
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	..	...
Madras	11,774	20,336
Burma	1,944	2,540
Non-Br. Ports in India	.	...
Foreign Countries	22,744	471,126
TOTAL	325,198	501,246
TOTAL IMPORTS	276,091,911	235,227,501

NOTE.—One maund is equivalent to 82$\frac{2}{7}$ lbs.

TABLE XI.

The following statements show the exports of (1) wheat, (2) wheat flour and (3) Total (wheat and wheat flour) from British India by sea to foreign countries during each month of the six official years 1911-12, 1912-13, 1913-14, 1914-15, 1915-16 and 1916-17. The figures are in thousands of tons :—

1.—Wheat.

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons
April	68	69	27	9	11	3(a)
May	136	107	166	24	105(a)	2
June	189	244	260	169	292(a)	42
July	266	328	318	169	187(a)	44
August	125	153	135	43	48(a)	75
September	66	232	135	56	6(a)	139
October	66	148	53	88	... (b)	151
November	74	114	47	55	... (b)	79(a)
December	97	80	22	37	... (b)	99(a)
January	102	99	20	25	... (b)	52(a)
February	75	51	10	22	2(a)	15(a)
March	97	35	9	9	1	33(a)
TOTAL	1,361	1,660	1,202	706	652	734
	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16
Production (in thousands of tons)	10,061	9,924	9,853	8,358	10,087	8,518

NOTE.—In this statement the figures of production for one year have been placed below those of exports of the next year because the production of one year is usually exported in the next year:

(a) Include exports on Government account 94,857 tons in May, 249,952 tons in June, 150,295 tons in July, 26,488 tons in August, 2,875 tons in September, 1915 ; 1,(00 tons in February, 2,595 tons in April 19,373 tons in November, 81,460 tons in December, 1916 ; 42,809 tons in January, 18,184 tons in February and 23,5 37 tons in March, 1917.

(b) Exports were below 1,000 tons in these months.

2.—Wheat flour.

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.
April	4	4	6	6	5	2
May	4	4	9	3	2	7
June	4	6	10	5	4	5
July	5	5	8	8	6	4
August	6	6	4	6	4	4
September	6	5	7	4	6	6
October	4	9	9	4	4	8
November	3	5	6	4	7	7
December	4	6	4	3	3	6
January	5	7	6	5	9	5
February	4	5	4	4	4	7
March	3	6	6	2	4	8
TOTAL	52	68	79	54	58	69

3.—Total (wheat including wheat flour converted into wheat).*

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.
April	74	74	36	17	17	6
May	141	118	179	29	108	12
June	196	252	274	176	298	49
July	273	335	329	181	196	50
August	133	161	141	52	54	81
September	74	239	145	81	15	148
October	72	161	66	94	6	162
November	79	122	55	61	10	89
December	103	89	27	42	4	108
January	109	109	29	32	13	60
February	81	59	16	28	6	25
March	100	44	18	11	7	44
TOTAL	1,435	1,758	1,315	784	734	834
	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16
Production of wheat (in thousands of tons).	10,061	9,924	9,853	8,358	10,087	8,518

* Ten tons of wheat are taken as equivalent to seven tons of wheat-flour

NOTE (1).—On an average for the three years ending 1913-14, 4·1 per cent. of the total export of wheat (including wheat flour) was exported in April; the percentages for the other months are as follows:— May 9·6 per cent., June 16 per cent., July 20·8 per cent., August 9·7 per cent., September 10·2 per cent., October 6·6 per cent., November 5·7 per cent., December 4·9 per cent., January 5·5 per cent., February 3·5 per cent., and March 3·6 per cent.

(2) Exports of wheat (excluding wheat flour) from the ports of Calcutta, Bombay and Karachi by sea during March 1917 week by week as compared with the corresponding periods of last year are given below:—

	1916 tons.	1917 tons.
Week ending 3rd March	295	5,469*
" " 10th "	155	7,797*
" " 17th "	87	15,510*
" " 24th "	266	18,053*
" " 31st "	104	2,434*
	907	49,263

* Inclusive of figures on Government account

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WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1917; [I of 1917.]

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915, the Governor General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:— [5 & 6 Geo. V., C. 61.]

ORDINANCE No. II OF 1917.

Short title. **1.** This Ordinance may be called the Indian Paper Currency (Amendment) Ordinance, 1917.

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XI of 1917. Amendment of section 3, Act XI of 1917.

2. Section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1917, shall be construed as if for the words "three hundred millions," the words "four hundred and twenty millions" were substituted.

CHELMSFORD,
Viceroy and Governor General.

DEHRA DUN;
The 18th April 1917.

RESOLUTION.—By the Government of India, Legislative Department.

The 20th April, 1917.

No. 10.—With his letter dated the 30th of August 1916, Mr. Golam Hossein Cassim Ariff, an unsuccessful candidate at the election of the member of the Imperial Legislative Council to represent the Muhammadan community in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions of Bengal, forwarded a memorial to the Governor General in Council bringing into question the validity of the election of the Hon'ble Mr. Abdur Rahim who had been declared duly elected. The memorial contained specific charges of corrupt practices, supported in several instances by affidavits, and alleged other irregularities in connection with the election.

2. The Governor General in Council after considering the memorial decided that an inquiry should be held into the allegations therein contained, and accordingly orders were issued in the letter of the Government of India, No. 3586, dated the 14th of September 1916, to the Government of Bengal, directing that with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council an inquiry might be held into the facts alleged in the memorial at the earliest possible date by a responsible officer, after giving notice to both the parties concerned. It was further requested that the officer selected to hold the inquiry should be directed to report whether in his opinion the charges made by Mr. Ariff were established. Considerable delay, which the Governor General in Council cannot but regard as unfortunate, took place in fixing a date for the inquiry, and it was not till the 21st of November 1916 that the parties and their representatives attended before the Hon'ble Mr. Monahan, who had been entrusted with the inquiry. As to what took place on that date, the Hon'ble Mr. Monahan in his report states that "Counsel on both sides having asked for a short adjournment, as there was a prospect of the parties arriving at a settlement" he adjourned the hearing from 11 to 2-30, at which hour Counsel on behalf of Mr. Ariff stated that his client wished to withdraw the memorial, and Counsel on behalf of Mr. Rahim stated that he was satisfied with the withdrawal. No further action was taken by the Hon'ble Mr. Monahan beyond a report of these infructuous proceedings which was communicated to the Governor General in Council by a letter from the Government of Bengal, dated the 29th of November 1916.

3. On receipt of this report, it was clear that the matter could not be left in the position in which it then rested, as definite allegations of corrupt practices had been made, which gravely affected the status of a Member of the Imperial Legislative Council. Moreover from the terms of the inquiring officer's report it appeared that something in the nature of a compromise had taken place between the memorialist and the elected candidate of which, if established, the Governor General in Council would strongly disapprove. In these circumstances the Governor General in Council considered that a full inquiry should be held not only with regard to the origiual allegations but also as to the facts which led to the withdrawal of the petition, and it was recognised that the investigating officer must be clothed with wider powers. With this object the Governor General promulgated the Indian Legislative Council (Election Inquiries) Ordinance, 1916, under Section 2 of which Mr. H. P. Duval, Legal Remembrancer to the Government of Bengal, was appointed a Commissioner for the purpose of conducting the necessary investigation.

4. The Commissioner accordingly duly held an inquiry at which a large number of witnesses were examined and he submitted the report which is annexed to this Resolution.

5. The Governor General in Council has now considered Mr. Duval's report and the evidence recorded by him and has come to the following conclusions. In the first place he regrets to state that he is by no means satisfied that the election was free from corrupt practices, though he is disposed to agree with the Commissioner that most of the actual charges made by the memorialist appear to be without foundation. Owing to the difficulties experienced by the Commissioner in conducting the investigation, due in part to the long delay that unfortunately ensued before any effective action was taken and in part to the fact that no assistance was to be expected from the memorialist who had withdrawn his petition, the evidence recorded by the Commissioner is not conclusive, and the Governor General in Council is not prepared therefore to declare the election void under Regulation XVI. The Governor General in Council, however, has arrived at this conclusion after considerable hesitation and cannot refrain from observing that the facts disclosed in the Commissioner's report indicate at

least that the case was one requiring very careful investigation. The Commissioner's report moreover shows the necessity of changes in the Regulations, and possibly the desirability of permanent legislation to provide effective machinery for the investigation of election petitions in the future.

6. The Governor General in Council further takes this opportunity of affirming his determination not to tolerate anything in the nature of a collusive compromise of an election dispute, and to emphasise the fact that the bringing of false charges by a defeated candidate against his rival would be regarded as discreditable conduct and might have the effect of bringing the person concerned within the provisions of Regulation IV (*k*).

7. Subject to the foregoing remarks the Governor General in Council sees no reason to differ from the conclusions arrived at by the Commissioner in his careful and thorough report.

ORDER.—Order that a notification under Regulation XVI be issued declaring the Hon'ble Mr. Abdur Rahim to have been duly elected, and that this Resolution together with a copy of Mr. Duval's report be published in the *Gazette of India* and also that a copy be forwarded to the Government of Bengal, for information.

Report by the Commissioner appointed under Ordinance VIII of 1916 in regard to the election held in 1916, of a representative of the Muhammadan Community in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions in Bengal.

The allegations of corrupt practices by or on behalf of the Hon'ble Mr. Abdur Rahim are set out in the memorial of Mr. Ariff commencing with paragraph 7 (*vi*). As to paragraph 7 (*xviii*) at the commencement of the proceedings before me the attorney for Mr. Ariff stated that he had no further evidence. I have, however, made some inquiry into the general conduct of the election.

It appears that the rival candidates came into the field about February or March last. Mr. Rahim at once set to work and with the help of canvassers got people whom he considered had the legal qualifications to vote, had not been on the electoral roll before and had signed a form promising their votes to him, to make applications to be put on the new roll. The first electorate roll was published in April 1916, and after that there were applications from a large number of persons to be put on the roll. Applications were also made on behalf of the candidates to strike out persons as being ineligible. Some of the applications were granted and some were refused. An application to put on to the roll about 20 members of the Salehji family who supported and are great friends of Mr. Ariff, was rejected. Mr. Ariff says he took no steps to get the roll revised until the draft roll for the present election was published in April. Mr. Rahim thus got on the rolls several electors, including some about whose votes corrupt practices are alleged. He also got the canvassers to persuade voters to fill in printed forms promising him their support. In June and July he visited some of the electors. Mr. Ariff also had his admitted canvassers, but he says he did not pay them, though he paid their expenses in a few instances. He states that his friends who went canvassing for him paid their own expenses usually and, being well-to-do, do not like to tell him what their expenses were.

Out of the 197 voters 117 were residents of Calcutta and both sides canvassed hard chiefly in motor cars.

Mr. Rahim had a form printed which a voter could fill asking for their voting paper to be sent to an address other than that mentioned in the voters' list and his canvassers distributed it. Several voters therefore wrote to the Chief Secretary's office and asked that their voting papers should be sent to places in Calcutta. Several such voting papers belonging to voters thus came into the hands of Mr. Rahim and his supporter Mr. Ismail Choudhury. He also had a letter printed and issued warning people to be very careful of their voting papers. These letters were also distributed by the canvassers. The records of the Secretariat show that before the voting papers issued two people wrote that the papers were to be sent to Mr Ariff (Mr. Ariff gives a perfectly good explanation of this, and one to his canvasser Narendra Nath Singha and 11 to Mr Rahim or his supporters' houses. The voting papers were posted to the voters on Saturday, July 22nd and under the rules voters could vote before either a District Magistrate, a Sub-divisional Officer, Chief Presidency Magistrate, or any Sub-Registrar. In all out of 61 residents outside Calcutta and its suburbs who voted 44 voted in the moffusil and 17 in Calcutta. During the days the poll was open (*i. e.*, from July, 24th to August 5th) further applications were made to the Chief Secretary's office for duplicate voting papers on various allegations. Some such were sent by post and others handed over personally at the Chief Secretary's office to voters who were identified there either by Mr. Rahim or Mr. Ismail Choudhury.

Most of Mr. Rahim's supporters about whose votes corrupt practices were alleged voted at the Registration office—3, Charnock Place, Calcutta. Mr. Ariff's supporters in Calcutta voted chiefly at the Chief Presidency Magistrate's Court, the Sub-divisional Court at Sealdah and the Registration office at Alipur. The last day of voting was the 5th August and the day of the counting of the votes was the 12th August. Affidavits on behalf of Mr. Ariff relating to corrupt practices began to be made on the 8th and 9th August when 5 affidavits were

made at Diamond Harbour and 1 in Calcutta and continued throughout the month. Mr. Ariff collected these affidavits and on these his petition to His Excellency the Governor General in Council was drafted by Mr. B. C. Mitra, Barrister-at-law and Standing Counsel, and others.

Mr. Ariff has stated how he came by his information. Mr. Rahim states that he heard of some corrupt practices committed by Mr. Ariff, and he also made some inquiries about them.

Neither Mr. Rahim nor Mr. Ariff could produce any full account of their expenditure. Mr. Ariff has produced no account at all; he says that any expenses of his canvassers which had to be paid for, was paid from the household monies of himself and his brothers who live jointly with him, and that his elder brother's wife disbursed any expenditure there was. His whole expenditure did not exceed Rs. 200 to Rs. 400. He had the use in all of 12 motor cars (his own and of friends).

Mr. Rahim has given some account of his expenditure to me. He says that his firm (Messrs. Bux Ellahi & Co.) purchased a new motor car in June for Rs. 3,025 and incurred extra expenses on motor tyres and petrol, owing to the election, of about Rs. 1,000. His firm also met his printing charges but he cannot show them separately. He keeps no private account of his personal expenditure, but has a private income of from Rs. 2,000 to Rs. 3,000 a month from house-rents in Calcutta. He has too presumably his share in the profits of the firm of Bux Ellahi He says he spent about Rs 1,000 on canvassers and travelling expenses for his canvassers, servants and friends. The only details he can give are as follows :—

Canvasser Fazle Rahman—Rs. 50 a month for 3 months and at Rs. 100 for 2 months and his expenses of coming to Calcutta. (This canvasser had 3 voters to look after.)

Abdul Hamid—Rs. 50 a month for 5 months and Rs. 100 *bukshish* after the election. (He had 5 or 6 persons to look after.)

Abdul Gani Khan (father of Abdul Hamid)—Rs. 60 for 2 months. (He was then dismissed.)

Kazi Abdul Gani Khan—Rs. 50 or 60 for the last 2 or 3 months. (He got promises of 3 voters but only 2 were polled.)

Mr. Rahim has also produced a list of the charities of his firm in the last year showing an expenditure of Rs. 34,000. It is not abnormal compared to his charities of other years (lists of which for two other years were shown). I cannot find that either candidate set out any programme or declared their political faith in any policy. One canvasser of Mr. Rahim stated that he told the electors that they should vote for Mr. Rahim as his firm was so well-known for its charities, helping in the repairs of mosques, helping orphans and widows, and having started a fund for the burial of unclaimed Muhammadan dead found in Calcutta streets. The fact that his firm is charitable in this way all over India is borne out by the list filed. Mr. Ariff had more experience of election, having twice been elected to the Bengal Council. Mr. Rahim had no previous experience, but his friend Mr. Ismail Choudhury had.

As to the electorate 32 electors were Surati people by origin including Mr. Ariff, and 14 were Delhiwallas including Mr. Rahim and his father, 113 were Bengalis and the rest belonging to other nationalities. Of these electorates about half (including several shop-keepers) got their qualification as Income-tax payers, but admittedly as a whole the Surati momins and the Delhiwallas (the parties of Mr. Ariff and Mr. Rahim) are the rich part of the electorate. Mr. Ariff considers himself of a higher social status than Mr. Rahim, describing himself as a merchant and Mr. Rahim as a trader.

I now come to the specific allegations:—

Paragraph 7 (vi).—The charge here is that Mr. Rahim gave Rs. 2,000 as a subscription to the Burdwan Muhammedan Educational Conference held in April last to procure the votes of the electorate

Mr. Ariff says he got the information from a late Head Master of the Jubilee Laik Institution, Burdwan, and also heard that several voters were offered sums up to Rs. 1,000 to vote for Mr. Rahim.

Mr. Rahim shows that his firm paid only Rs. 1,000 towards the Conference, and this sum had been promised to the Hon'ble Mr. Fazlul Haq, the Secretary, in October, before Mr. Rahim had come forward as a candidate. Mr. Fazlul Haq, however, did not want to keep so much money until he knew the Conference would be held though Mr. Rahim offered to pay it at once. His firm actually paid the Rs. 1,000 on April 4th, 1916, after his candidature was announced. The Hon'ble Mr. Fazlul Haq supports this version of the transaction, and I see no reason to disbelieve him. Mr. Rahim had assisted the Conference on a previous occasion by paying off the deficit when it was held in Calcutta a few years ago.

There is no evidence that there were any corrupt practice in Burdwan or its neighbourhood put before me.

Paragraph 7 (vii).—The only evidence that Mr. Ariff has produced on this charge of giving entertainments to influence voters is that of two invitations to two voters (Exhs. N. & O.) whom Mr. Rahim had got on to the lists, who were invited to dine with Mr. Rahim on 16th April at his garden house at Seth Bagan, Dum Dum. One of these voters was

Abdul Aziz who voted twice and the other voted for Mr. Ariff. Neither of them are men of much account—being very ordinary shop-keepers. Mr. Rahim says he only invited his friends, as he always does, and that he has regularly entertained for some years; as a matter of fact owing to the election he has not entertained so often as usual during the time it was on, as he was too busy.

It does appear that he asked these voters to dine after he had got their names on to the roll, but it is argued that mere treating is not an offence in Indian elections, and that anyhow he had no corrupt intention. As a matter of fact these two voters refused the invitation and there is no evidence as to who else was there. Mr. Ariff has not substantiated anything more than that two voters who subsequently voted for him (one of them also voting for Mr. Rahim) were asked to dinner and refused the invitation.

Paragraph 7 (viii).—*Re* voters alleged to have been brought at Mr. Rahim's expense to vote at Calcutta.

I will take this paragraph last as I will have to treat of the conduct of most of these voters in dealing with the specific charges of bribing and corruption.

Paragraph 7 (ix).—The charge here is that Nader Jang, a canvasser of Mr. Rahim and member of the Chitpur Nizamat family, went to Hughly and saw Sahebzada Aminuddin, a member of the Mysore Family who was a voter, and was formerly a Sub-Registrar in the Hughly District and asked him to obtain the vote of Moulvi Izad Bux, a pleader of high position at Hughly. This statement is set out in a letter Exhibit D. given by Aminuddin to Mr. Ariff. Before me, however, Aminuddin has changed his story. He now says he does not know how much the offer was and that the offer was made not by Prince Nader Jang, but by an unknown man. Whatever that may be, that there was a talk about an offer of a bribe for Mr. Izad Bux's vote being made on behalf of Mr. Rahim is clear from the fact that it got to Mr. Izad Bux's and subsequently to Mr. Rahim's ears. The result was that Mr. Izad Bux, who is a very respectable gentleman, refused to vote for either party. Mr. Rahim hearing of it went to Chinsura himself to inquire, but could only find it was a rumour. In this connection, I would also refer to the fact that another voter Sahebzada Wasif Qadr Asif Ali Mirza of the Nizamat Family of Murshidabad after recording his vote for Mr. Ariff changed his mind and wrote a letter both to the Registrar and the Returning Officer asking that his vote should be cancelled. I do not consider however that anything has been proved against Mr. Rahim in this matter. It appears proved that rumours were going about in Chinsura that Mr. Rahim was buying votes; but in the first place Aminuddin's evidence on solemn affirmation does not agree with his letter which was not sworn to, and in the second place Nader Jang denies the story. It is not proved too that the man who made the offer was a canvasser of Mr. Rahim or was acting with his knowledge.

Paragraph 7 (x).—The charge here is that Mr. Rahim offered Nowsherwan Jah, a grandson of the late King of Oudh and a Political Pensioner, some monetary assistance and a promise that he would use his influence with Sir Shamsul Huda to obtain an appointment for him in the Registration Department if he could procure the vote from his uncle Prince Sultan Mirza for Mr. Rahim, and further threatened him that if he did not procure the vote he would take care to see that Nowsherwan Jah never gets an appointment in Government service. Besides the evidence of Nowsherwan Jah in support of his affidavit there is the evidence of Sk. Mahbur Ali that Nowsherwan Jah told him before the election was over of the incident. Mr. Rahim denies the incident; so does Prince Sultan Mirza, and Mr. Rahim says that he was taken to Prince Sultan Mirza by Sultan Mirza's step-brother Prince Dara Jah and introduced to him, but that as Prince Sultan Mirza had already promised to vote for Mr. Ariff, Mr. Rahim was unable to get his vote. As to the alleged promise Sir Shamsul Huda has made a statement which shows that Nowsherwan Jah has been trying to obtain an appointment in the Registration Department and saw Sir Shamsul Huda about it two years ago. Sir Shamsul Huda however found he was quite unfit educationally. Quite recently, however, Sir Shamsul Huda was approached again on his behalf by Mr. Zahed Surhawardy, a gentleman who was on the Bengal Legislative Council as representative of the Muhammedans of the Presidency Division and had had the support of Mr. Ariff in getting elected. In this connection it is further alleged by Nowsherwan Jah that Sir Shamsul Huda's name was canvassed as that of a supporter of Mr. Rahim, and that this fact would influence voters. In this connection the Presidency Magistrate, Khan Bahadur Abdus Salem, was examined, and he said that Prince Sultan Alam asked him to vote for Mr. Rahim and remarked that Mr. Rahim was supported by Sir Shamsul Huda. Sir Shamsul Huda says that his sympathies were with Mr. Rahim, but that he expressed no opinion. It may well be, considering the excessive canvassing which was going on, some canvassers might have used Sir Shamsul Huda's name, but this was quite unauthorised by Sir Shamsul Huda and is not in itself a corrupt practice. As to this specific charge of the promise it appears to me to be a most unlikely incident. The promise of pecuniary help is extremely vague, and the promise to procure an appointment for this uneducated youth seems to me to be extremely improbable. Nor could Mr. Rahim have thought it possible that either Prince Sultan Mirza would vote the way his nephew would like him to, or that he could procure from Sir Shamsul Huda an appointment for such an incompetent person. It is further at least strange that Mr. Zahed Surhawardy, who had the support of Mr. Ariff in the Bengal Council election, about two months ago (*i.e.*, after the first inquiry was ordered), approached Sir Shamsul Huda again to see if this young man could be helped.

Paragraph 7 (xi).—The charge here is that Moulvi Abdul Rahim by threats induced Abdul Aziz who had already voted for Mr. Ariff to vote again for Mr. Rahim.

The case of the voting of Abdul Aziz is peculiar and somewhat amusing Abdul Aziz has a shop in Radhabazar and his address in the voting list is given as Radhabazar. His home is at Punchberia in the Howrah District and he was at Punchberia in the end of July. His story is (and it is supported by Narendra Nath Singha, a canvasser of Mr. Ariff but a witness who is by no means above suspicion) that on the 25th of July in the evening Narendra Singh arrived at Punchberia and stayed the night at this Muhammedan's house. The next morning Narendra Nath Singha, Abdul Aziz and Abdul Aziz's brother came back by train. Narendra had a return 2nd class ticket. Abdul Aziz who was not aware of this so, though he naturally travels intermediate, on this occasion bought three second class tickets and the three returned together to Howrah Station. The extra ticket was not used, but Narendra did not pay this voter the price of it. Arriving at Howrah Station they got into Mr. Ariff's motor which was waiting for them. They then went to Mr. Ariff's house. As Abdul Aziz had not yet got a voting paper, he not having been to his house in Radhabazar since the voting papers had been issued, Mr. Ariff's voting paper was taken for the purpose of being used for Abdul Aziz's vote. Mr. Ariff supported this part of the story until I showed him a letter which he had addressed to the Chief Secretary on the 28th of July, in which he said that he had lost his voting paper out of his motor car.* Mr. Ariff then said that probably one of his brother's voting paper was used. Having procured a voting paper, the voter, Narendra and one Dr. Paul, who appears to be an Islami preacher and who has been financially assisted by Mr. Ariff and his friends the Salehjis, proceeded to Entally Sub Registry office and there Dr. Paul, who did not know Abdul Aziz before this incident, identified Abdul Aziz to the Sub-Registrar and Abdul Aziz voted for Mr. Ariff. The parties then came away. Narendra Singha was dropped at his house and Dr. Paul took Abdul Aziz back to his shop in Radhabazar. They found there Abdul Aziz's voting paper waiting for him which Dr. Paul impounded and took away with him and handed over to Mr. Ariff. The vote had been recorded sharp at 11 o'clock at Entally. It then appears that a canvasser of Mr. Rahim, Shefaulmulk Abdul Rashid arrived at Abdul Aziz's shop. He somehow must have had a voting paper with him and he took Abdul Aziz in a car and gave him a ride out to Cossipur about five miles away where at 1 o'clock the same day on his identification Abdul Aziz recorded his vote again before the Sub-Registrar in favour of Mr. Rahim. Abdul Rashid is an inhabitant of Delhi. Telegrams were sent to him to come and give evidence but he did not appear.

There is no evidence that any threats were used to Abdul Aziz who seemed to have given his vote for both sides in return for drives in motor cars. No explanation however is given as to how Rashid had a voting paper handy, but it is proved from the Chief Secretary's records that several voters' papers were sent to the firm of Bux Ellahi on receipt of letters written on Mr. Rahim's printed form. It appears as I have remarked above that before the election several voters filled in forms printed by Mr. Rahim asking for their votes to be sent to care of Bux Ellahi or Ismail Choudhury or to 10, Colutola Street, the office of the firm of Bux Ellahi. Thus Mr. Rahim got possession before the election of several voting papers, and as the voting papers were not marked with the voters' names, anyone could use any voting paper he could procure. In the same way two voters who expected to be absent from Calcutta had their voting papers sent to care of Mr. Ariff. The copy of the Gazette attached (flag 17) will show how after the election list was out a considerable number of voters had their votes sent to Mr. Rahim or his friends. Mr. Rahim explains this by saying that he also issued a warning letter to his supporters to be very careful about their voting papers as he thought that in the recent election of the Muhammedan representative for the Presidency Division several voting papers of Abdul Karim's supporters had gone astray, and he suspected had been stolen in the post. As to the specific charge however with which I am now dealing there is nothing to prove that any threats or promise of pecuniary assistance were made to Abdul Aziz. I would remark that this Abdul Aziz is the same gentleman who had been put on the register by Mr. Rahim's exertions and who was invited to dinner by Mr. Rahim in April but refused the invitation.

Paragraph 7 (xii).—The charge here is that Mr. Rahim promised to pay Rs. 5,000 for the repair of his canvasser Fazle Rahaman's mosque at Magra Hat and also offered pecuniary assistance to help three voters who live within a few miles of Magra Hat. This charge is supported by six affidavits. It is admitted that Fazle Rahaman who is now not in good circumstances went to Mr. Rahim in March and offered to be his paid canvasser. Mr. Rahim took him on without apparently knowing very much about him, as a canvasser on Rs. 50 a month. He found two persons who could be put on the register—Golam Afsar Molla and Nasibal Islam Molla. He also procured from them their signature on a printed Bengali form stating they would support Mr. Rahim. These two men thus became voters. There was a further voter in the neighbourhood Shah Alam. Fazle Rahaman was a canvasser for these three voters only and received a pay of Rs. 50 a month up to the beginning of July. The following facts are further admitted. On the 29th of June Mr. Rahim went by train in a first class reserved carriage to Magra Hat to meet the voters by arrangement with Fazle Rahaman. Nasibal and Golam Afsar live some miles from Magra Hat, but they have to pass through it in going and returning from Diamond Harbour or Calcutta. It was therefore convenient for Mr. Rahim, who wished to see them, to meet them there. Mr. Rahim says that Shah Alam

accompanied him from Calcutta as also did one Adam Gazi and Wahed, and they arrived at Magra Hat about 10 o'clock in the special carriage. There they were met and taken to Fazle Rahaman's house. The two other voters were present there and Mr. Rahim asked them to promise their votes to him personally. They agreed. Light refreshments were served on their arriving, and subsequently a good feast was given, Mr. Rahim dining with Fazle Rahaman's family and the voters at Fazle Rahaman's expense. It was also arranged that they should write to the Chief Secretary to have their votes sent to the care of Mr. Rahim's firm and not to be posted to their villages. These letters were given Mr. Rahim who forwarded them to the Chief Secretary (Exhs. A-2, A-3) and in these letters the voters say they will be at Mr. Rahim's address at the time of voting. Mr. Rahim came away in the special carriage about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The charge is that Mr. Rahim paid for the feast and that he promised the three voters pecuniary assistance in clearing off their mortgages, and promised his canvasser Fazle Rahaman Rs. 5,000 for repair of his mosque. The evidence on this point is most discrepant, and one witness who had given an affidavit now backs out of it. It appears that on the 9th of August the people who swore the affidavits went to Diamond Harbour with one Bilait Ali, the Secretary of a local school, of the managing body of which Mr. Ariff is one of the members and swore affidavits to this effect. All except one of these affidavits were subsequently given up and the affidavit makers came to Sealdah and swore fresh affidavits to the same effect, this being arranged by Muhammad Amin who went out to Magra Hat to make inquiries as to what had taken place on behalf of Mr. Ariff. Some of these persons who made the affidavits were connected with the Magra Hat school and so under the influence of Bilait Ali; but one has since apparently resigned and he has given evidence before me denying the truth of the affidavit. I cannot myself believe the affidavits or the evidence of the people who made them. It is not clear why the two voters who live eight or nine miles from Magra Hat should vote for Mr. Rahim because Mr. Rahim was going to repair a small mosque at a high cost of Rs. 5,000 there; and the evidence that Mr. Rahim ever gave out any hope to these voters of paying off their mortgages is most discrepant. My finding on the evidence is that Mr. Rahim went to Magra Hat to procure these votes and that Fazle Rahaman who was his paid canvasser gave a specially good feast to him and the voters. It further appears that after this visit Fazle Rahaman's pay was increased to Rs. 100 for the months of July and August. Mr Rahim explains this by saying he thought it better to give him a fixed sum instead of *bakshish* after the result of the election as he did in the case of one or two other canvassers. As to this charge it would, I consider, come under the charge of treating if treating, is an offence, and certainly the payment to Fazle Rahaman in all of Rs. 400 to see that these people voted for Mr. Rahim seems quite out of proportion to the work required. There are, however, no rules at present in existence limiting the amount that may be spent on paid canvassers. These voters finally voted in Calcutta, and the evidence is that they came to Chetla not Colutola Street as they said they would in their letters. It appears that they had regular business in Calcutta and had lodgings in Chetla. Shah Alam too is a regular visitor to Calcutta. Golam Afsar voted on the 28th and Nasibal on the 31st. On Mr. Ariff's side it is alleged that they were taken to vote by Mr. Rahim in his motor cars. The voters, however, tell us that they came to the Registration office by tram car from Chetla and went to the Registration office without Mr Rahim knowing anything about it though he had their voting papers, and that they then voted on his identifying them at the Registration office and subsequently went home. It seems to me that these voters protest too much. It would have been no offence for them to have gone in Mr. Rahim's motor car from Chetla to the voting place though there is no reason why they should not have voted at the Alipur Registry office which will be only a few minutes walk from their lodgings. I have been told, however, by Counsel for Mr. Rahim that Mr. Rahim did not like the arrangements made at the Alipur Registration office and so he did not care to have his voters polling there. In reference to the charge that Mr. Rahim paid the expenses of these voters for coming to Calcutta to vote I do not consider it has been substantiated (charge in paragraph VIII), though the evidence of the letters saying they would be staying at his place is very suspicious.

Paragraph 7 (xiii).—There were four voters in Basirhat Sub-divisional jurisdiction—Moulvi Golam Kasim Khan Bahadur and Abdul Baseque residents of Basirhat town, Golam Gafar Mondol of Mukundakati village, a short distance away from Basirhat and Ismail Sardar of Kolutola, a village some miles off from Basirhat and reached from the station named Chingrihatta which is about six miles from that town. The evidence is that Dr. Ibrahim who has not been examined on behalf of Mr. Ariff was canvassing for Mr. Ariff in that quarter, and Mr. Ariff also had other canvassers and he had on the previous occasion when he stood for election for the Bengal Council obtained the votes of the gentlemen of this quarter. Mr. Rahim sent his servant a Punjabi Abdul Gafur Khan to canvass the votes. As to Ismail Sardar's vote it is alleged that Ismail Sardar has a mosque and a Muktabkhana and Abdul Gafur Khan arrived at the village and found him and, with the help of the Moulvi of the Muktab Fazlul Azim, asked Ismail for his vote for Mr. Rahim explaining to him that Mr. Rahim was very charitable and sympathetic, helping orphans and widows and had opened an Association in Calcutta for burying unclaimed dead bodies of Muhammedans and on that Ismail promised to vote for him. The allegation of Fazlul Azim is that Ismail showed him the poor condition of his school and mosque and said that Mr. Rahim had already promised

Rs. 2,000 for the repair of the Shahi mosque at Basirhat, and so Ismail would like certain arrangements for the benefit of his mosque and school. Abdul Gafur Khan has said that Mr. Rahim was coming to Basirhat on the following Friday and he should come in there and arrange matters with him. It is admitted that Mr. Rahim went to Basirhat on Friday the 14th of July and went to the Dâk Bungalow. This was during the Roza and so there was no question of refreshments. He says that he then went to prayers at the Shahi mosque where also the Khan Bahadur Golam Kasim and Baseque were at prayer. When he came out from prayers some people spoke to him about the bad state of the mosque. It appears the mosque was repaired sometime ago but the people want a covering for the open platform. Mr. Rahim on this point explains as follows: "Some people "caught me as I came out and said the mosque was built by an old king and they were "in need of a new shed over the open platform of the mosque and asked me to contribute. I "asked if they had raised subscription. They said they had not but were going to do so "shortly. I told them when they raised subscription they could see me about it, and I "would consider. I asked what it would cost and they said about Rs. 1,200. There was no "talk of an estimate being prepared." The affidavit givers (one of whom however has gone back on his affidavit) say that a definite sum was offered for the repair of the mosque and for Ismail's mosque at the Dâk Bungalow afterwards and that there was also promise to pay off the debts of the voters. As to Khan Bahadur he denies that he has any debts to pay at all. He is an Honorary Magistrate of some position who has been recently prominent in procuring a dispensary at Basirhat. The voters also deny that they were ever promised any money for their votes. I cannot say that I am much impressed with the affidavits and the evidence in support of them which again are rather of the nature of hearsay evidence. But it is clear that Mr. Rahim certainly held out a sort of hope to the people of Basirhat in general that he would help them with subscriptions when they were in a position to repair the mosque—a mosque of some antiquity and celebrity and this at a time he was wanting the votes. I do not believe that he could ever have made any offer to repair Ismail's mosque though Ismail went too far by trying to make out that he had no mosque at all. Fazlul was a wandering Musafir and had gone to Kolutola to lead the prayers and read the Koran during the time of the Roza. The evidence as to these voters goes on to the following effect. It appears that on the 18th Mr. Ariff says he heard that Rashid (who was canvassing for Mr. Rahim) was going to Basirhat to see the voters again on behalf of Mr. Rahim. He therefore sent Mr. Ismail Salehji to watch him. Mr. Rahim says (and it seems more likely) that he heard that Ismail Salehji was going to Basirhat to try and get voters to vote for Mr. Ariff and so he sent Abdul Rashid to watch him. Abdul Rashid went by motor accompanied by Kamaluddin. Mr. Ismail Salehji also went by motor. Both parties certainly went to Basirhat on the 19th and Mr Ismail Salehji says that after Rashid left he saw Baseque (Khan Bahadur Golam Kasim had then come to Calcutta) and asked him who they were going to vote for and Baseque said that as they had received an assurance about the mosque from Mr. Rahim the Basirhat people would vote for him. Mr. Ismail Salehji however was not told of anything in writing. Mr Salehji then returned to Calcutta and saw the Khan Bahadur who said he was getting money from Mr. Rahim on high interest, but if Mr. Ariff will lend him some on lower interest he would vote for him (a story I do not believe). It appears that when his election petition was being drawn up by Mr. Ariff there came into his hands a letter with a printed address 10, Colootola Street, and typed purporting to be signed by Mr. A. Rahim. Mr. Ariff says that he got loan of this letter for two days only from one Marfatulla, a man who had been his canvasser in Basirhat when he stood for the Bengal Council. In this letter the writer promises that all he had said for the benefit of the mosque he as a Muhammedan would perform and if this letter were genuine there would be no doubt that Mr. Rahim had promised money in return for votes. The letter was seen also by the Hon'ble Mr. B. N. Basu, Solicitor for Mr. Ariff, at the time of preparing the petition. It was also seen by Dr. Surhawardy, a canvasser and supporter of Mr. Ariff and was referred to when Mr. B. C. Mitter and Mr. N.N. Sarkar were preparing Mr. Ariff's petition. As, however, it is said, it could not be used it was not referred to in the petition. The fact of the existence of this document was mentioned to me in an anonymous petition and when I asked Dr. Surhawardy about it he said that he had seen the document. A few days afterwards the document reached me anonymously with a letter saying that it had been recovered from the man who had got it by promise of payment and making other allegations against Mr. Rahim's supporters. Mr. Rahim denies naturally having issued such a letter. Mr. Ariff's conduct in regard to it appears to me to show that he did not put very much reliance on it. At the same time I would remark that Mr. Ariff in his petition did not apparently use all the evidence he had as there was an affidavit offered him by a guest of his, one Menatulla, who had voted for Mr. Rahim, in which Menatulla says he was asked to vote twice, that he was told that Mr. Rahim was willing to help him with Rs. 5,000 to liquidate his debts if he voted for him and that he did not get this sum but only got Rs. 25 for his expenses through one Mobarak Ali, a canvasser of Mr. Rahim. This, however, is not one of the charges set out in Mr. Ariff's petition and so has not been gone into.

These Basirhat voters (except the Khan Bahadur) all voted in Calcutta and Mr. Ariff alleges that they did so at Mr. Rahim's expense. The Khan Bahadur had his voting paper sent to him care of Shefaulmulk Abdul Rashid, the man who had been to Basirhat on the 19th July, as he was ill he came to Calcutta in July to stay with his son-in-law at Chetla to be under medical treatment, and he was actually under the treatment of Dr. B. L. Bose.

He voted, however, at the Chief Presidency Magistrate's Court on the advice of Shefaulmulk Abdul Rashid that least trouble was caused there. I do not think there is anything suspicious about his voting in Calcutta.

Baseque, though a resident of Basirhat voted at the Calcutta Registration office. He says that he came to Calcutta to make purchases as the Id was just coming on and so while he was here he voted on the 28th July. His story is that he always comes to Calcutta to buy things before Id, and that he came straight to Calcutta by the Basirhat Railway, came down from Shambazar to the Registration office and then went away. I must say his evidence is most suspicious. In the first place it is full of obvious falsehoods. He says that he came to the Registration office as it was mentioned in the voting paper. The voting paper is entirely silent as to where anyone should vote at all. He says he got his voting paper ten days or more before he came to Calcutta. He voted on the 28th. The voting paper could not have reached him before the 23rd at the very earliest. His explanation why he did not vote at Basirhat is that people on both sides were bothering him so much as to his vote and so he thought he would slip off to Calcutta and vote and then afterwards would say that he voted. He further said that he did not tell Mr. Rahim that he voted for him. This is difficult to believe as it is Mr. Rahim who identified him at the Registration office. Further this witness did not come to give evidence until a warrant was issued for his arrest and hearing of that he suddenly appeared. As to this man's evidence I hold that there is considerable suspicion as to the circumstances under which he voted.

As to Ismail Sardar he voted on the 24th July at the Registration office. Voting papers were only sent out of the 22nd and he lives some distance from a Post office. His story is that on the morning of the 24th July he had to come to Calcutta owing to a relative being ill the relative being a son of the paternal aunt of his nephew's wife. On his way to Calcutta he went to the Hasnabad Post office and took his voting paper. How he knew it would be there then is not very obvious He then came about 5 hours in the train and then another 5 miles to Registration office and then voted on the 24th which was a Monday As the voting papers did not leave the Secretariat till the 22nd and 23rd was a Sunday he could not have presumably got his voting paper before the office opened at Hasnabad on the 24th. He thus could not have reached Shambazar till late in the afternoon on the 24th, the train reaching there about 4-30 which would be too late to enable him to vote on that day at all. The circumstances therefore of his voting in Calcutta instead of voting as he could have done at Basirhat are suspicious too. On the other hand it is alleged on Mr. Ariff's side that he was fetched from his village in a motor car to vote and kept in Calcutta at Mr. Rahim's expense.

Golam Gafar also voted on the 24th July. His house is a few miles from Basirhat. There would be the same difficulty of his getting his voting paper in time to enable him to vote on that day. His story is that he came to Calcutta to his brother in Harsi Street and was there for 2 days and from there he went straight to Charnock Place in his own gharry to vote. There is no explanation therefore as to what paper he voted with. He certainly on his own showing could not have voted with his own paper.

Paragraph 7 (xiv)—The charge in this paragraph is purely hearsay, one Kamaluddin who is a friend of Abdul Rashid and used to go about with Abdul Rashid, canvasser of Mr. Rahim, in his motor, has recently proceeded to England. It is alleged that Mr. Rahim has paid him a large sum of money for his vote to help him there. It appears however from the report of the Director of Public Instruction that Kamaluddin has gone to England for the scientific study of Arabic as a State scholar on £250 a year. There is no evidence to prove that Kamaluddin received any consideration for his vote. He was a friend of Rashid, Mr. Rahim's canvasser, and would be expected to vote for him.

Paragraph 7 (xv)—The charge here is that Mr. Abdur Rahim who is a Municipal Commissioner asked Mr. Baker (Superintendent of the Municipal Market) to procure Gyasuddin Mistry's vote but Mr. Baker declined. So Mr. Rahim complained in writing to the Chairman against Gyasuddin and Gyasuddin in fear voted for Mr. Rahim. Mr. Payne, the then Chairman of the Municipality, says that he received no such complaint from Mr. Rahim at all. Gyasuddin who appears to be practically an illiterate tradesman at the Municipal Market and who is very lame says that he did not care for which he voted but that as some people on behalf of Mr. Rahim came in a motor car to his shop and took him to the Registration office and as he came in Mr. Rahim's motor car he voted for Mr. Rahim. He cannot say whether if Mr. Ariff's men had arrived first in their motor he would have voted for Mr. Ariff but might have. There is nothing further in this charge.

Paragraph 7 (xvi)—There is a voter Abdul Gani, a trader living in Darmahatta Street. His story is that Mr. Rahim came to his house towards the end of June and asked for his vote. He replied that he promised his vote to Mr. Ariff and so could not vote for him. He then says Mr. Rahim came again in July and said : " Give me your vote and I will give you something " and then gave him a letter in Urdu promising to give him Rs. 500. On the 8th of August Mr. Rahim came to his house and said : " I heard you have not voted for me ; return my letter." He pressed him and finally Mr. Rahim paid him Rs. 1,000 in 10 rupee notes to get the letter back. This money he has been spending since. Several of the notes, the numbers of which he

remembers, he only spent a few days before my enquiry. He is only corroborated by a friend of his, one Molla Mahmud who happens to be a friend of Mr. Ariff, who has a club in his garden known as the Sunday Club of which he is a member. Mr. Hashim Salehji also says that he received some notes from Abdul Gani in the beginning of January. He is a firm supporter of Mr. Ariff and Mr. Rahim got a large number of the Salehji's votes struck off the list and he lost his vote owing to Mr. Rahim's petition. An effort was made to trace the number of the notes from the Currency Office but failed. I do not believe a word of this story. It appears to me to be too fantastic and improbable. Mr. Rahim says he never canvassed Abdul Gani as he was told Abdul Gani was a member of Mr. Ariff's Sunday Club and he did not venture to canvass the Amratolla quarter where Mr. Ariff has his residence. The story is so improbable that I notice that even Mr. Ariff's solicitor in his argument practically did not refer to it.

Paragraph 7 (xvii).—The charge here is that Tahersana, a voter of the Khulna District was given Rs. 500 for his vote. There is one affidavit only in support of this story. The story is that Tahersana, who lives at a great distance from Khulna, came to Khulna in connection with a case in his own boat about the end of July and on the 31st July his vote and the vote of one Majum Taluqdar who voted for Mr. Ariff were recorded. The affidavit maker's version of the occurrence is that Tahersana was in his boat and was going to vote for Mr. Ariff and that Tahersana told him (Ahmed Sobhan) that Abdul Gani Khan had offered him Rs. 500 for his ryots of which he had paid Rs. 100 in advance and that the balance of the money was subsequently forced on Tahersana before he voted. The chief and most reliable witness on Mr. Ariff's side in this matter is Doctor Surhawardy. He says that he went to Khulna on the 31st of July where he arrived in the morning and met a voter there, Majum Taluqdar, who was going to vote for Mr. Ariff. It may be noted about this Majum Taluqdar that he had sent a letter to the Chief Secretary asking that his vote should be sent, not to his own address, but to the care of Messrs. Harry Lyons and Co., *i.e.*, Narendra Nath Singha. It would therefore appear that Narendra Nath Singha on behalf of Mr. Ariff had taken down the paper with him to Khulna for Majum Taluqdar. After his arrival that morning Dr. Surhawardy went to Tahersana's boat and canvassed him. Tahersana complained that there was a great deal of *Daka-daki* (which was subsequently explained by him as meaning bidding for votes). He discussed the question who to vote for remarking that the Legislative Council was not a factory for making cigarettes (referring to Mr. Abdur Rahim's occupation) nor a mill for manufacturing silk (referring to Mr. Ariff's occupation) and that it was quite a different matter that he had voted previously for Mr. Zahed Surhawardy who was a barrister. Dr. Surhawardy says that Ahmed Sobhan told him that Tahersana had received Rs. 100 from Abdul Gani. Majum Taluqdar's vote was recorded shortly after 11. While he was resting in the bungalow he was informed that Tahersana was being taken to the Registry office to have his vote recorded in favour of Mr. Rahim. He went with Naren Singha towards the Registration office where he was told that Tahersana was being taken to the Magistrate's Court. He and Naren Singha went out and saw Tahersana going along with Mr. Rahim's canvassers and Naren Singh alleges that he saw money thrust into Tahersana's hands. Dr. Surhawardy however did not see this. Dr. Surhawardy then went into the Sub-Divisional Officer's Court where he discovered Tahersana and there sent up his card to the Magistrate. It is clear too from the evidence of the Sub-Divisional Officer that Dr. Surhawardy hoped to get Tahersana to record his vote before him. The Sub-Divisional Officer however sent for the rules before he recorded the vote and in the meanwhile Tahersana seems to have gone away followed by Dr. Surhawardy and have got back again into the hands of Mr. Rahim's supporters. When he reached the Registration office he insisted on voting in a screened-off room and there was some argument between a muktiar for Mr. Rahim and Dr. Surhawardy before the Sub-Registrar over the place where he should vote. There are other versions of the story, but this seems the most reliable. It seems to me that if the passing of the notes had really taken place before Dr. Surhawardy went to the Sub-Divisional Officer and said to him that he wanted to have a vote recorded, something would certainly have been said about the passing of this money. The story therefore that any money passed at that time is, I hold, a false one. At the same time what appears to have taken place is that Tahersana had been canvassed by both sides and each side was still hoping to procure his vote in the end. His remark to Dr. Surhawardy that he never knew before such bidding for votes looks very much as if promises were held out to him in the name of both candidates. He looks to be a shrewd old man though he does not appear to have been under police suspicion as when I summoned him I was informed by wire by the District Magistrate of Khulna that he had recently been released on police bail in some case. He however indignantly denied the truth of the District Magistrate's telegram to that effect. He was pressed to vote by canvassers of both sides and even when he reached the Registration office, a muktiar on behalf of Mr. Rahim and Dr. Surhawardy on behalf of Mr. Ariff raised a discussion before the Registrar as to how his vote was to be recorded. A pleader was then brought in to swear an affidavit to the effect that his vote has been recorded at the Registration office and there was a considerable excitement over the old gentleman who as a matter of fact finally voted for Mr. Rahim. I cannot hold therefore that Mr. Ariff has proved any promise or any money being paid to Tahersana for his vote, but Dr. Surhawardy's evidence of what Tahersana said to him seems to me to show that promises of some sort were held out to him by the canvassers of both sides.

Paragraph 7 (viii).—I lastly take item No. *(viii)* which is the charge that Mr. Rahim invited a number of voters to Calcutta and brought them down here at his expense and entertained them there and so they voted for him.

I have already dealt with Khan Bahadur Golam Kasim, Golam Gafur, Abdul Baseque, Ismail Sardar, Nasibal Islam and Golam Afsar. Of the other voters mentioned I have been unable to trace Khater Gain (voter No. 70). Azahar Sardar's evidence is as follows :—Azahar Sardar says that an old man and an young man came to his village, the old man asked for his vote for Mr. Ariff and the young man for his vote for Mr. Rahim. He refused to vote for either of them saying that he did not know the candidates and they went away. After that he came to Calcutta and put up at 8 Golam Sobhan's Lane with Ismail Choudhury, a great supporter and neighbour of Mr. Rahim. He came in connection with a case to take advice from the Hon'ble Mr. Fazlul Haq as to the filing of an appeal before the District Judge of Khulna and was here 3 or 4 days. Ismail Choudhury then asked him if he had voted and he said "I have not got my voting paper and I am not going to vote at all". Ismail Choudhury then said that he would arrange to get him a voting paper. He then said that he does not know the candidates. Ismail Choudhury then said "Why waste a vote? Vote for Mr Rahim". So he was taken to the Chief Secretary's office in Mr. Ismail Choudhury's car and there was given a paper on Mr. Ismail Choudhury's identification. He was then taken to the Registry office, identified by Mr. Rahim and voted. He admits that he did not find his voting paper when he got home. He denies that Mr. Ismail Choudhury had written to him to ask him to vote. Now a good deal of this is false. It is clear that as a matter of fact a telegram was sent to the Chief Secretary in his name on the 2nd of August asking that his voting paper should be sent to Mr. Rahim at 92 Ripon Street (a house close to 8 Golam Sobhan Lane) and that on the 3rd of August just as the paper was about to be sent to him care of Mr. Rahim, he came with Mr. Ismail Chaudhury to the Chief Secretary's office and got the voting paper. For him therefore to say that he was not going to vote for any one before he came to Calcutta is, it appears, false. It is argued however that a canvasser might have sent the telegram in his name. The inference appears to me that Azahar Sardar was fetched from his village in Bagerhat, Khulna, to vote in Calcutta. He could easily have voted at the local Registration office.

Reyasat Hossain is an inhabitant of Midnapur. His story is that he was away in Sobang Thana some miles from Midnapur when his vote arrived at his house at Midnapur. His voting paper was left by the dak-walla with his uncle. When he came home he asked his grandfather for whom he should vote and he told him to vote for Mr. Rahim. He had been much bothered for his vote for the Bengal Council and as he was coming to Calcutta he thought he would avoid being bothered by voting there before he came home again. When he came to Calcutta he stayed at Ellahi Bux's musafirkhana. Next day he hired a ticca gharry and came to the Registration office to vote. He denies that he had any of his expenses paid. Of course he got free lodging in the musafirkhana. His story is extraordinarily difficult to believe. He voted as a matter of fact on the 25th, Tuesday. He does not know exactly when his voting paper was delivered but presumably not before the 24th as it was only posted on the 22nd and 23rd was a Sunday. He had then to consult his grand-father and various people and make his arrangement to come to Calcutta and then to vote the next day. As he said he arrived in Calcutta the evening before he voted he must have left Midnapur before 2 P.M., on the 24th. It is most improbable too that if he had come to Calcutta and was in Bux Ellahi's musafirkhana that he would be left when Mr. Rahim had all motors at his disposal, to pay for his own ticca gharry to come and vote.

Khaja Bux Mutwalli lives in the interior in the District of Howrah. He signed one of the printed forms of application that his voting paper should be sent to a place in Calcutta and his vote was accordingly sent to care of Abdul Majid of 31 Colootola Street. His letter is undated but his new address was noted in the Secretariat before the voting papers were issued. This Abdul Majid is a supporter of Mr. Rahim and the voting paper of another voter (No. 192) was sent to his address. The voter says the letter was written for his vote by one Azizul Haq whereas it is a printed form with gaps typed in. Though he was ill he said that he walked the whole way from Colootola to the Registration office. It is also noteworthy that he came to see a doctor but he never saw one. Nothing is proved directly in respect of these three voters getting their expenses paid but their voting here is extremely suspicious.

Uzirali Sardar says that he came to Belgachia to see a nephew who was ill though he stayed in another house and he came in a motor car sent by Mr. Rahim and voted at the Registration office. He had obviously been in Calcutta some time before he voted and it would appear that his voting paper was sent on to him from his village. There is nothing to suspect about his case.

As to Shah Alam to whom I have already referred in dealing with the affair at Magra Hat he appears to regularly live in Calcutta in Belvedere Road, Alipur. He says that he went by tram to the Calcutta Registration office to vote, though the Alipur Registration office was just opposite his door. I do not believe him. If Mr. Rahim as is admitted took him in a first class reserved carriage at his expense to Magra Hat when he went to see the other voters of that district there, he could surely have afforded to send to Alipur a motor car to fetch him to vote at Calcutta.

The other voters who voted in Calcutta I have already dealt with in dealing with the allegations about what happened at Magra Hat and Basirhat.

To sum up, I hold that the affidavits on which Mr. Ariff's petition was drafted are as a whole absolutely worthless. As to the specific charges it may be specially noted that neither candidate can give a full account of his expenses (there is no rule compelling them to keep accounts). The expenses which Mr. Rahim admits he incurred were fairly considerable; his firm spent large sums over motor cars, and he had admittedly paid four canvassers to "nurse" a very small number of voters and maintained canvassers for no less than 6 months. He also paid their expenses and the travelling expenses of some of his servants and unpaid canvassers. His estimate therefore that he spent only Rs. 1,000 on this head is too low. Mr. Ariff's excuse for not giving me any accounts seems rather futile. I find the charge that Mr. Rahim corruptly gave a subscription to the Provincial Muhammedan Educational Conference at Burdwan is not true.

As to the charge that with a view to secure votes Mr. Rahim gave a series of feasts, nautches and other entertainments in Calcutta, Dum Dum and muffosil there is absolutely no evidence except that he invited two voters whom he had got on to the roll, to a dinner party in the middle of April and they did not accept the invitation.

Of the charges that he brought various voters from muffosil to Calcutta paying their expenses and lodging them in houses provided by himself I do not hold that Mr. Rahim has cleared himself Mr. Ariff no doubt produced no evidence. His position throughout the enquiry appears t have been that he had withdrawn his petition and did not wish to fight the matter further. He has only been compelled to do so under the orders of Government. It appears that though he made this general allegation he had no evidence in support of it at the time when he briefed Sir S. P. Sinha and it appears that the allegation was looked on by Sir S. P. Sinha as a minor charge and that no evidence was forthcoming. All the evidence in this matter. I had to collect myself by summoning the voters and examining the voting papers and the Secretariat files in support of it. The voting of Golam Gafar, Abdul Baseque, Ismail Sardar, Azahar Sardar, Reyasat Hossain, Khaja Bux Mutwalli, Uzirali Sardar, Nasibal Islam Molla and Golam Afsar Molla in Calcutta appears to have been quite unnecessary, considering that some of these voters are comparatively poor people and the explanations they have given for their presence in Calcutta is in many cases obviously false. They had given what must be false evidence as to how they came to the voting places after their arrival in Calcutta as Mr. Rahim had plenty of cars to bring them to his favourite polling booth and the election was so keen that he was not likely to put them to the expense of coming there from their lodgings, as he could legally use his motor cars for the purpose. I hold that there is a very strong inference that they must have come to stay and vote at Calcutta at Mr. Rahim's expense.

As to the charge in respect of offering a bribe to Moulvi Izad Bux, pleader of Chinsura, the evidence is not satisfactory but that there was a rumour that promises of money were about for votes is proved by his own conduct in refusing to vote at all.

The charge that Mr. Rahim offered money and a promise of an appointment (to be obtained through Sir Shamsul Huda) to Nowsherwan Jah in order to obtain his uncle's vote I find not proved, though in this connection it would appear that the canvassers of Mr. Rahim were giving out without authority that Sir Shamsul Huda was supporting Mr. Rahim's candidature. Such a statement no doubt would be a considerable asset for Mr. Rahim among the Bengali voters, who are as a whole not very literate people and many of whom are only small-shopkeepers, who might be misled into thinking that such a statement was an order from Government.

As to the charge about the way in which Mr. Rahim obtained the second vote of Abdul Aziz there is no evidence that threats were used or that there was promise of money. The canvasser of this voter Rashid has avoided coming to this Court, he being in Delhi. It would have been useless for me under the circumstances to have had him examined in Delhi on commission (his absence I interpret is that he had something to conceal). The evidence of Abdul Aziz shows that he voted a second time probably in return for a motor drive. In this connection I would bring to notice that the matter of issuing duplicate voting papers and issuing voting papers without the name of the voters on them appears to have enabled canvassers and candidates to have voting papers to hand for any voter when necessary.

As to the affair at Magra Hat my finding is that Mr. Rahim engaged Fazle Rahaman to look after two voters there at an extremely high cost and that Fazle Rahaman gave a feast to these voters and to Mr. Rahim on a style much above his ordinary way of living. The charge that he promised pecuniary help to the voters who were in financial difficulties is clearly not proved and appears to be false. The charge that he promised his canvasser help is also not proved but even if he did it would be no reason for these voters if they otherwise had intended to vote for Mr. Ariff, to have voted for him as they would not have been at all benefited by the improvement of Fazle Rahaman's mosque.

As to the Basirhat affair, I find that so far as Ismail was concerned there is no evidence that Mr. Rahim offered him anything. and the evidence that Mr. Rahim's servant Abdul Gafur Khan offered him anything is also not sufficient. It is at least significant that it is

said Ismail asked for help because the Basirhat musjid was to be repaired, but it is not alleged that Mr. Rahim offered to help in the repair of the Basirhat Musjid till some days after Abdul Gafur Khan's visit to Colatola. As to the charge in respect of paying of debts of the other voters especially the Khan Bahadur I believe it to be a false charge. As to the question of the repair to the mosque Mr. Rahim admits (though he says no voters were present at the time) that when he left the mosque some people showed him that it needed repairs and he did give out hopes that the people of Basirhat might expect a subscription from him towards the repairs. I do not believe the evidence that at the Dak Bungalow he definitely promised this, nor do I believe that the letter which came to me anonymously purporting to have been sent to Abdul Baseque is anything else but a forgery. On the other hand the fact that when he was out canvassing he held out hopes to the people of Basirhat that he might subscribe to the repair of the mosque might certainly influence the Basirhat voters who on a previous occasion had voted for Mr. Ariff, and it would be unlikely that the two resident voters of Basirhat would vote contrary to the general wishes of their coreligionists when their co-religionists believed that by their voting for Mr. Rahim their musjid in which they obviously take great pride would be improved.

The charge that Mr. Rahim has lent money to Kamaluddin to enable him to proceed to England is not substantiated.

The charge that Gyasuddin Mistry was threatened and so voted for Mr. Rahim who was a Municipal Commissioner, Gyasuddin having a stall in the Municipal Market, is also not proved. Gyasuddin appears to be a quite illiterate person and only to have voted for Mr. Rahim as his motor was sent to take him to the poll.

The charge that Mr. Rahim promised help to Abdul in writing and when he found that Abdul Gani had voted for Mr. Ariff that he paid him Rs. 1,000 to get back the letter is I hold an absolutely false story and too absurd to be believed.

As to the record of the vote of Tahersana at Khulna, I find on the evidence that no money passed in the way alleged. I will not say no money passed at all. The only respectable witness on Mr. Ariff's side in respect of this matter, Dr. Surhawardy, never saw it and the whole story is most improbable. On the other hand from Dr. Surhawardy's own evidence I consider it may be fairly inferred that canvassers on both sides were holding out promises to Tahersana for his vote. The way in which Tahersana was pressed by both sides at the time of his recording his vote and the methods pursued by both sides, including Dr. Surhawardy, to get the vote recorded in favour of their candidates shows how keen the election was.

I consider that a large number of witnesses on both sides had deliberately perjured themselves, that there is good reason to believe that in certain respects Mr Rahim had transgressed the Regulation as to corrupt practices ; but that most of the evidence on which Mr. Ariff relied is palpably false.

(B) AS TO THE CIRCUMSTANCES ATTENDING ON AND THE TERMS OF AN AGREEMENT ALLEGED BETWEEN MR. ABDUR RAHIM AND MR. ARIFF WHICH WERE COMMUNICATED TO HON'BLE MR. MONAHAN ON THE 21ST OF NOVEMBER, 1916.

I have examined Counsel concerned in the case and taken the statement of Mr. Ariff and Mr. Rahim as well as of Mr. Monahan himself. Mr. Ariff says that he first knew of illegal practices on the part of Mr. Rahim before the election was complete. He had heard about the Basirhat affair from his friend Ismail Ibrahim Salehji who had been there on the 19th July. He must have heard of the Magra Hat affair too before the election was complete as affidavits regarding them were sworn at Diamond Harbour on the 9th August. He says he did not hear of the Khulna affair till Kazi Menatulla told him when he came to stay with him in August. He sent his friend Muhammad Amin to enquire into what happened at Magra Hat and he had Narendra Nath Singha also to assist him in procuring evidence. As to the letter alleged to be written to Abdul Baseque he said that he had promised not to use it. He engaged Hon'ble Mr. B. N. Basu, Attorney, and Mr. B. C. Mitter, Standing Counsel, and Mr N. N. Sarkar to draft his petition and Dr. Surhawardy appears to have been also consulted at the time it was being drawn up. Mr. N. N. Sarkar says the affidavits were discussed and the letter was considered of some importance if it could be proved, but that they thought they would be unable to prove the letter, though one would have thought that other signatures of Mr. Rahim were easily procurable. The memorial was then sent in with the affidavits but after that it appears that Mr. Ariff collected no further evidence except to get two letters of invitation and to try and trace the notes said to be given to Abdul Gani. Mr. Rahim on the other hand says that he also made enquiries while the election was on as to whether Mr. Ariff had engaged in corrupt practices and he got information that Mr. Ariff had paid voters' expenses and threatened voters to put them to trouble unless they voted for him. He says that subsequently, after he heard of Mr. Ariff's petition, he also found that Mr. Ariff had paid money to certain voters for their votes. He consulted his solicitors but no counter charges were made and Counsel for Mr. Rahim informed me while I was examining Mr. Rahim on the 24th January that the charges were not communicated to Mr. Ariff before that moment. It next appears that shortly before the enquiry, which was fixed on the 21st of

November, Sir S. P. Sinha, who as a matter of fact had received an open brief from Mr. Pugh, Solicitor for Mr. Rahim, and had forgotten about it, was engaged by Mr. Ariff, Mr. Pugh taking back the brief, and there was briefed to him only the memorial and the affidavits attached. Sir Ali Imam had counter charges briefed to him. Late in the week preceding that of Mr. Monahan's enquiry it appears clear that Mr. Rahim and his father Khan Bahadur Ellahi Bux, C. I. E., were trying to have the matter settled. Mr. Abdul Aziz, a barrister, who received a fee of Rs. 500 in connection with this case from Mr. Rahim and who, though he was given a copy of Mr. Rahim's brief, did not take active part in the case, says that Hazi Ellahi Bux first approached some delegates to a Muhammedan conference which was being held in connection with the Congress, and that when he was staying in the Grand Hotel, Hazi Bux Ellahi, Mr. Rahim's father, came to him and took him to see one Musur Ali, a Delhi man, who was also staying in the Hotel and asked him if any settlement could be come to with Mr. Ariff. It further appears that one Fakruddin from Cawnpur and Ismail Putnasi of Delhi who had come to Calcutta especially in connection with the case also went to Mr. Ariff on the Friday and pressed him not to proceed with the enquiry. Mr. Ariff says however he declined any compromise then. On the Saturday, Mr. Ariff says, Musur Ali came to him and pressed him to have the matter compromised and on Monday this gentleman pressed him again. Mr. Ariff finally told him that if his senior Counsel advises him to withdraw he will do so, otherwise not. On Monday afternoon Sir Ali Imam who had arrived from Bankipur in the morning, had a consultation with Mr. Pugh and Mr. Chaudhuri to prepare for the case on Tuesday. Before the consultation Musur Ali paid him a visit and in conversation expressed his regret that the Muhammendan society in Calcutta was so sharply divided in this dispute and asked him to see Mr. Ariff. Sir Ali Imam naturally refused. Musur Ali then went off and came back to say that there was a disposition on the part of Mr. Ariff to have the matter settled. Sir Ali Imam consulted Mr. A. N. Chaudhuri and Mr. Pugh and it was held that a compromise by reference to arbitration would not be legal. Counsel then continued to prepare themselves for the case. Sir Ali Imam says that later in the evening Musur Ali came again to him and suggested that the matter should be decided on the advice which he (Sir Ali Imam) and Sir S. P. Sinha should jointly give. Sir Ali Imam then thought that Mr. Rahim would accept the proposal. Sir Ali Imam was visited by Mr. B. N. Basu (Mr. Ariff's solicitor) the same evening and Mr. B. N. Basu said that if both sides were agreeable Sir S. P. Sinha and Sir Ali Imam should decide what was to be done. The same evening Sir S. P. Sinha was holding a consultation at his house with his client (Mr. Ariff) and he advised Mr. Ariff after reading the affidavits and understanding that there was little more evidence than what was contained in them, that most of the evidence given in the affidavits was positively worthless (a good deal of it being mere hearsay) and there might be difficulty in connecting Mr. Rahim with the charges brought. In my opinion too most of the affidavits are either false or pure hearsay. In the morning of the 21st Counsel on both sides were again engaged in preparing their case, but when Sir Ali Imam and Sir S. P. Sinha met at the Commissioner's office in consequence of what Sir S. P. Sinha was told by Mr. Basu and Mr. Ariff to the effect that both parties were willing to hold an arbitration, Sir S. P. Sinha and Sir Ali Imam had a consultation. There had been a proposal to come to arbitration with Sir S. P. Sinha and Sir Ali Imam as Arbitrators and either Sir Ashutosh Mukerjee, Mr. Langford James or Mr. Hossain Imam as Umpire. This was rejected. Sir Ali Imam and Sir S. P. Sinha then both knew that there was this proposal and Sir S. P. Sinha further was aware that his affidavits were worthless and Sir Ali Imam was aware that he had counter charges. The two Counsels went before Mr. Monahan and asked for a short adjournment saying to him that probably he would not be further troubled if an adjournment was granted till after lunch. What were the exact words used, Mr. Monahan cannot remember. Sir S. P. Sinha does not think that the word "settlement" was used but Mr. Monahan's impression is that it was used. Sir Ali Imam is uncertain. Having got an adjournment till 2-30 Sir S. P. Sinha and Sir Ali Imam went each with their briefs, to Sir S. P. Sinha's chamber at the top of the High Court and considered the position. The chief thing considered was whether the case set up by Mr. Ariff could be proved, and the Counsel both came to the conclusion that the evidence was not strong enough to prove the charges and the best course would be that Mr. Ariff should withdraw unreservedly. The counter charges were mentioned by Sir Ali Imam but they did not weigh with Sir S. P. Sinha in coming to his conclusion. Sir S. P. Sinha and Sir Ali Imam went back before Mr. Monahan and Sir S P. Sinha informed Mr. Monahan that the charges were unreservedly withdrawn. Mr. Monahan asked if Sir Ali Imam agreed and he said "Yes." As to the word "settlement" Sir Ali Imam says that it might have been used but only as meaning that the matter would be at an end. Neither of the Counsels, when the case was withdrawn, knew of any compromise nor have they heard of any agreement between Mr. Rahim and Mr. Ariff either before or after the proceedings before Mr. Monahan. After that Mr. Rahim and Mr. Ariff shook hands.

Mr. Ariff had Mr. Rahim to dinner that night and the next evening Mr. Ariff was present at a tea party given by Mr. Rahim to Sir Ali Imam. It appears that when Musur Ali made the proposal to Mr. Rahim, that Mr. Ariff might withdraw, Musur stated that there was someone who wanted Rs 5,000, and when Sir Ali Imam was leaving Howrah Station and saying good-bye to Mr. Rahim Mr. Rahim stated that this demand had been renewed. Mr. Rahim says that he was threatened that if the money was not paid there might be a further enquiry.

As to this Rs. 5,000 which Musur Ali is said to have demanded, it had been also spoken of by Mr. Abdul Aziz, who says that it was required by Mr. B. C. Mitter, Standing Counsel's servant. I think it is much more likely that it was an unscrupulous attempt by Musur Ali to get some money for himself. It appears that after the case was withdrawn a large number of telegrams were sent all over India, copies of which I have attached. In most of those sent by Mr. Rahim and his party it was said simply that the case was withdrawn but in one or two that the case was settled. Mr. Ariff's telegrams said that the case was settled or compromised, and in one the remark was added "prestige maintained". It is no doubt that Mr. Ariff even if he had to withdraw under legal advice for lack of evidence would not be likely to admit to his friends that he did so and would therefore be likely to talk about it as a settlement. On the evidence adduced I must consider that the statements which Sir Ali Imam and Sir S. P. Sinha have given clearly show the real state of affairs. It appears to me that the charges were withdrawn unconditionally mainly because Mr. Ariff had only the affidavits to go on which were also worthless. But at the same time it might have been possible for Mr. Ariff to have produced more evidence *e.g.*, the story of Menatulla who appears to be a man of some position was kept back, what Dr. Surhawardy really knew about the affairs of Khulna was kept out of the affidavits and not briefed to Sir S. P. Sinha and no evidence really was put before Sir S. P. Sinha as to the treating of witnesses and bringing them to Calcutta at the candidate's expense, though Mr. Ariff said in his evidence before me that he himself followed voters to 8, Golam Sobhan's Lane and saw they were lodging there. The charges were therefore withdrawn and no terms were made, but it is also clear from the evidence that there was a talk of a settlement going on, certainly from Friday the 17th November, one proposal being that Mr. Rahim should retire. It is also clear that Fakruddin and Ismail Putnasi had specially come to Calcutta to try and prevent the enquiry being held and settle the matter and that one Musur Ali who was at Delhi was being used as a go-between in the negotiations. The fact that Mr. B. N. Basu, Solicitor for Mr. Ariff, found it necessary to see Sir Ali Imam on the night before the enquiry shows clearly that the parties were seeing if the matter could be kept out of Court.

H. P. DUVAL,
Commissioner.

February 9th, 1917.

No. 11.—Whereas the validity of the election of the Hon'ble Mr. Abdur Rahim by the Muhammadan Community in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions of the Presidency of Bengal to be an Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council has been brought in question under Regulation XVI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, the Governor General in Council, having made inquiry into the matter, is pleased hereby to declare that the said Hon'ble Mr. Abdur Rahim was duly elected.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 19th April, 1917.

No. 245.—The services of Mr. D. Johnstone, of the Indian Civil Service, an Assistant Commissioner in the Punjab, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, with effect from the 3rd April 1917.

JUDICIAL

The 19th April, 1917.

No. 165.—The services of Mr. A. H. Cuming, Indian Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 5th April 1917.

POLICE.

The 16th April, 1917.

No. 144.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878) the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the exemption made by entry (13) of Schedule I, of the Indian Arms Rules, 1909, in favour of Europeans or East Indian subjects of His Majesty shall cease to extend to Phillip Herbert Stevenson of Calcutta.

J. H. DU BOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 17th April, 1917.

No. 402-G.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. D. F. McClelland as Vice-Consul for the United States of America at Madras.

A. H. GRANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The 19th April, 1917.

No. 363-Est.-A.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. McConaghey, C.I.E., of the Political Department, is granted privilege leave for 3 months combined with furlough for 5 months, with effect from the 3rd April 1917, under Articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 364-Est.-A.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. B. Dew, C.S.I., C.I.E., Political Agent, Kalat and Political Agent in charge of the Bolan Pass, is appointed temporarily to officiate as a Resident of the 2nd Class, and Revenue and Judicial Commissioner in Baluchistan, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 3rd April 1917 and until further orders.

No. 367-Est.-A.—Major C. E. Luard, Political Agent in the Southern States of Central India, is appointed temporarily to officiate as Political Agent in Malwa, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 1st March 1917, and until further orders.

(Notification No. 1750-D., dated the 16th March 1917, is hereby cancelled.)

No. 374-Est.-A—Lieutenant J. N. Turner, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, Civil Surgeon at Gangtók, was granted privilege leave for the period from the 8th to the 30th March 1917, inclusive.

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The 19th April, 1917.

No. 376-Est.-A.—Major N. E. H. Scott, Indian Medical Service, an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd Class, on return from leave, was posted as Civil Surgeon, Mohammerah, for the period from the 26th February to the 1st April 1917, both days inclusive.

No. 377-Est.-A.—Major N. E. H. Scott, Indian Medical Service, an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd Class, is placed on special duty under the orders of the Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, with effect from the 2nd April 1917.

No. 425-G.—With reference to Notification No. 1477-D., dated the 7th March 1917, Mr. R. T. Menzies, Consul for Denmark at Madras, resumed charge of his office on the 26th March 1917.

A. H. GRANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The 19th April, 1917.

No. 515-I. B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and in continuation of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 1753-I. B., dated the 10th August 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 3793-Spl., dated the 7th April 1917 [making an amendment in the Hostile Foreigners (Trading) Order], shall apply to Berar.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 20th April, 1917.

No. 382-Est.-B.—*Erratum.*—In the Notification by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 1207-D., dated the 22nd February 1917, *for* "2nd-Lieutenant B. C Robinson, I.A.R.O., attached 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers" *substitute* "2nd-Lieutenant F. W. Champion, I.A.R.O., attached 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers".

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 17th April, 1917.

No. 391-F. E.—Mr. A. Krishna Rao Mudaliar, officiating Chief Superintendent, Class II, office of the Comptroller, Central Provinces, has been granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 2nd April 1917.

Mr. B. L. D'Silva, an Accountant in the office of the Comptroller, Central Provinces, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Accountant, Class II, in that office, with effect from the 2nd April 1917 and during the absence on leave of Mr. A. Krishna Rao Mudaliar.

The 20th April, 1917.

No. 392-F.E.—Mr. C. V. Srinivasa Rao, Assistant Comptroller, India Treasuries, has been granted privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from the 6th April 1917.

Mr. S. K. Datta Gupta has been posted as Assistant Comptroller, India Treasuries, with effect from the 6th April 1917.

No. 393-F.E.—Mr. F. J. Pruce, an officer in Class III of the Public Works List of the Indian Finance Department, attached to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, North Western Railway, has been granted privilege leave for 42 days, with effect froms the 10th April 1917.

No. 394-F.E.—Mr. B. L. A. Laville has been posted as Deputy Accountant General United Provinces, with effect from the 10th April 1917.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

PUBLIC DEBT.

The 20th April, 1917.

No. 368-F.—In their Finance Department's Notification No. 745-F., dated the 6th of April 1917, the Government of India published the details of two schemes which had been devised to assist Government servants in subscribing to the Indian War Loan by means of monthly deductions from their pay. The first scheme, which enables the monthly payments to be spread over 10 months, was made available to all Government servants throughout India: but the second scheme, in which advantage was taken of an offer of the Bank of Bengal to prolong the period of payment to two years, was at the outset confined to officers serving in the Bengal Presidency and in certain other Provinces in which the Bank of Bengal operates.

The Government of India have now much pleasure in announcing that the Bank of Bombay and the Bank of Madras have agreed to make available to Government servants employed in the marginally * noted areas the same facilities for subscribing to the War Loan by means of 24 monthly deductions from their pay as are afforded by the Bank of Bengal's scheme. Accordingly the Government of India, on a request from an officer, who desires to subscribe in this way to the Indian War Loan will deduct from his pay and pay to the Bank the amount due each month for repayment of the Bank's advance. The terms on which advances will be made by the Banks of Bombay and Madras are in all respects similar to those of the Bank of Bengal scheme, as described in Appendix B to the notification of the 6th of April 1917 : and, as stated in paragraph 3 of that notification, the scheme will be alternative and not in addition to the Government scheme described in Appendix A.

* Bank of Bombay—Bombay Presidency, Sind and Berar.
Bank of Madras—Madras Presidency.

2. It is also notified that the Bank of Bengal scheme is applicable to officers serving in the United Provinces, Assam and Delhi in addition to the Provinces noted in the margin of paragraph 3 of the notification of the 6th of April.

J. B. BRUNYATE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 17th April, 1917.

No. 9.—The services of Mr. D. Macfarlane, Executive Engineer, Punjab, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Railway Department (Railway Board) with effect from the forenoon of the 7th April 1917.

F. C. ROSE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATION.

FORESTS.

Simla, the 16th April, 1917.

No. 201-F.-111-1.—With reference to the notification of this Department No. 370-F.-125-59, dated the 22nd June 1916, the services of Mr. J. A. Pilgrim, Tannin Expert to the Government of India, are hereby placed at the disposal of the Indian Munitions Board until further orders.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 18th April, 1917.

No. 4176-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the export of rice from any port in Burma to Calcutta.

The 21st April, 1917.

No. 4157-C. W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 1695-C. W., dated the 17th February 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

ADDITIONS.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Argentina-Germanica de Abonos, (Sociedad) Limitada, Calle Peru 1183-1188, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Miniño, Juan, Patricios 1570, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Ribas, Salgado and Company, Diaz Vélez 3701, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Rossi, Francisco, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Ruete, Enrique, Agraciada 951, Montevideo, Uruguay.

Sociedad Argentina-Germanica de Abonas, Limitada, Calle Peru 1183-1188, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

BOLIVIA.

Companhia Commercial Mattogrossense and Boliviana Limitada, Puerto Suarez and Guajará-Mirim.

Köhler, E., and Company, Guajará-Mirim.

Mattogrossense and Boliviana, Companhia Commercial, Limitada, Puerto Suarez and Guajará-Mirim.

Pingel, Juan, La Paz.

Wäntig and Muller, Cochabamba.

BRAZIL.

Casa Edison (see Figner, Friedrich).

"Cometa" Fabrica de Roupas Brancas, Rua Haddock Lobo 94-96, Rio de Janeiro.

Companhia Commercial Mattogrossense and Boliviana Limitada, Corumba.

Fabrica de Roupas Brancas "Cometa," Rua Haddock Lobo 94-96, Rio de Janeiro.

Figner, Friedrich (Casa Edison), Rua do Ouvidor 135, Rio de Janeiro.

Lichtenfels-Brandão, Bernardo, Avenue Centrale 57, Rio de Janeiro.

Mattogrossense and Boliviana, Companhia Commercial, Limitada, Corumba.

Regis, João Deocleciano, Florianopolis.

Slues, Oscar, Santos.

Smith, Charles, Rua Direita 12, Sao Paulo.

Zerrenner, Bülow and Company, Rua Santo Antonio 52, Santos; and Rua de San Bento 31, Sao Paulo.

CHILE.

Castillo, Anjel C., Coquimbo.

Dübrock & Company, Punta Arenas.

Foretich, Natalio, Roca 865, Punta Arenas.

Grisar, Max, Valparaiso.

Gunther & Company, Calle O'Higgins 62, Valparaiso.

Klammer, Guillermo, Valparaiso and Santiago.

Sporke & Traeger, Coquimbo.

Heubel, Carlos E., Antofagasta.

Heubel, Herbert, Antofagasta.

Misol & Dübrock, Punta Arenas.

Puebla, Joaquin, Antofagasta.

Wiedmaier, C., Serrano 35, Valparaiso.

COLOMBIA.

Ardila, Manuel, Tumaco.

Heimann, Max, & Company, Tumaco.

Medina, E., P. O. Box 140, Barranquilla

ECUADOR.

Chaminage, Gustavo, Guayaquil.
Pimentel, Juan L., Guayaquil.

JAPAN.

Heene, H., P. O. Box 226, Kobe.
Kawamoto Kiyoji, Yamamoto-dori, 4, Chome, Kobe.
Kuwada (alias of Yoshioka Kojiro), 50, Shimo Yamate-dori Itchome, Kobe.
Taylor, Cooper & Company, Kobe.

MOROCCO.

Guessus, Mohammed, Tetuan.

NETHERLANDS.

Algemeene Nederlandsche Chemische Maatschappy, N. V., Kuiperstraat 48-50, Amsterdam.
Borawski, O. W., Groenstraat 56, Roosendaal.
Borleffs & Company, Haagscheveer 16, Rotterdam.
Ceuvell, J. L., Hoogte Kadijk 147, Amsterdam.
Duurnhouwer & Company, Raadhuisstraat 46, Amsterdam.
Fischer, J., & Company, Badhuisweg 18, Scheveningen.
Goudsmit, Leo, Heerengracht 109, Amsterdam.
Groenendijk & Garschagen, Koningsplein 1, Amsterdam.
Heidebroek, Hermann, & Company, Boompjes 40A, Rotterdam.
Jordan, L., (Maison Chic), Kalverstraat 117, Amsterdam.
Landy, Ignaz, Fred. Hendriklaan 34, Scheveningen.
Metz, Heinrich, Groote Draaisteeg 4, Rotterdam.
Vries, J. & N. A. de, Stationsweg 43, Rotterdam.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Arnold, W. O., Medan.
Bangoen Estate (Dolok Malela), East Coast of Sumatra.
Bangoen Landbouw Maatschappy, Dolok Malela & Pantoean, East Coast of Sumatra.
Borneo Industrie Maatschappy, Bandjermasin.
Brinker, H. Den, Samarang and Sourabaya.
Caffin, J., Gorontalo.
Duitsch Indische Cultuur Maatschappy, Sourabaya.
Forrer, Gustav, Tebing Tinggi, Sumatra.
Glückmann, L. G., Sourabaya.
Haan, Louis de, Medan.
Hashimoto Brothers, Sourabaya.
Hoeven, Emil van der, Batavia.
Import Maatschappy, De, Sourabaya.
Leersum, O. van, Sourabaya.
Limoesnongal Estate, Java (Preanger Regencies).
Loebell, M., c/o Sourabaya Oliefabriek, Sourabaya.
Marihat Sumatra Plantagen Cie., G. m. b. H., Siantar, East Coast of Sumatra.
Moerkerken, L. van, c/o Sourabaya Oliefabriek, Sourabaya.
Montage Bureau, Bandoeng.
Muller, Rudolph, Bandoeng.
Nagara Estate, Java (Preanger Regencies).
Pantoean Estate, East Coast of Sumatra.
Priboean Cultuur Syndicaat, East Coast of Sumatra.
Röhrig, F. A. C., Kampement 48, Sourabaya.
Schwenkel, A., Balikpapan.

Soengei Bloetoe Estate, East Coast of Sumatra.
Soe Hoo Sing Handels Maatschappy, Sourabaya.
Still, Otto, Kali Bessar, Batavia.
Technische Bureau de Vlijt, Sourabaya.
Tjikope Noord Estate, Java (Batavia Regency).
Tjimoelang Estate, Java.
Tjitembong Estate, Java.
Vlijt (De), Technische Bureau, Sourabaya.
Vries, Maison de, Sourabaya.
Weeren, H. van, Sourabaya.
Wolff's Machinefabriek, Sourabaya.
Wolff's Stoomkoffiebranderij, Sourabaya.

NORWAY.

Aaroe, Alb, Aalesund.
Braastad & Company, Toldbodgt. 35, Christiania.
City Magazin, A-S., Kirkegt. 30, Christiania:
Fiskaa Nitrate Works, Christiansand.
Henie Wilhelm, Prinsensgt. 13, Christiania.
Johannesen, B. H., A-S., Kirkegade 8 and Storg. 2, Christiania.
Korner, H. Skippergatan 15, Christiania.
Lorentzen, W. P. Toldbodgaten 4, Christiania.
Nordiske Grubo Kompagni, A-S., Kjobmandsgt. 16, Trondhjem ; and Melovar i Senjen.
Ous, Klaus, (of Jacobsen & Braastad), Toldbodg. 35, Christiania.
Skullerud, Carl, (of Jacobsen & Braastad), O. Voldgt. 12, Christiania.
Trosvik Slip & Verksted (Patent Slipway Company), (Einar Stensrud), Brovik.

PARAGUAY.

Société Francaise D'Exportation (Sociedad Anonima), Sucesora de Jose Bell & Company, Asuncion.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

MERLO, TIMOTEO.

PERU.

LEON, FELIX, PACASMAYO.

BOLIVIA.

Schutt, Nicolas (Partner of Morales, Bertram & Company), Sucre.

BRAZIL.

Boschen, Carlos, & Company, Rua Conde de Bomfin 1326, Rio de Janiero.
Marx, W., (*alias* Henrique Oliveira & Company, *alias* "Norbert Hertz" *alias* "Nils Nissen"), Rua da Alfandega, 102, Rio de Janeiro.
"Mins Missen" (see W. Marx),

should read

"Nils Nissen" (see W. Marx).

SWEDEN.

Andersson, S. August, Skeppsbron 3, Malmö.
Henriksson, Axel, Brunkebergstorg 15, Stockholm.

VARIATIONS.

CHILE.

Armstrong, Isaac Enrique, Talcahuano.
Samhaber, Augusto, Valparaiso; and Casilla 619, Calle Merced 720, Santiago.

ECUADOR.

Malheur and Company, Manta,

should read

Mahler, Julio, and Company, Manta.

DENMARK.

Phφnix Agentur (or Phφnix Company), Vestervoldgade 11, Copenhagen. (No connection with Phφnix A-S., Godthaabsvej 88).

JAPAN.

Erneko, K., (K. Ernecke), 126, Yamate-cho, Yokohama.
Griebel, P., (P. Greeble), 40, Kobe and P. O. Box 226, Kobe.
Habu & Company, 82, Sakae-machi, 1, Chome, Kobe.
Imada, Takehiro (Imada & Company), 39, Akashi-machi, Kobe.
Kimura, K. / Kimura Shoten } Shimo-osaki, Tokyo; 4, Honkawaya-cho, Nihonbashi Tokyo; and 81, Kyo-machi, Kobe
Kojiro Yayama, Shimo Yamate-dori, 2, Chome, Kobe,

should read

Yayama Shoten, Ikutamaye, and 50, Shimo-Yamate-dori, 1-Chome, Kobe.
Liesecke, J., 80, Kyo-machi and 17, Harima-machi, Kobe.
Nakamura Yushutsuten (Nichidoku Shoten), 169, Sannomiya-cho, Itchome, Kobe.

CHILE.

Spoerer, Oscar, & Company, Concepcion.

GREECE.

Frandzis, P., & Fiorentino, G., Vathy, Samos.

BRAZIL.

Cardoso, Victor Mattos, Para.
Nobrega, Sergio Augusto, Joinville, Sta. Catharina; and San Francisco do Sul.
Oliva, J., Sao Paulo.

JAPAN.

Harada Kakujiro, Kobe.

MOROCCO.

Ankri, Yusef el, Laraiche.
Assayag, Solomon, Laraiche.
Azulay, Solomon David, Alcazar.
Bendayan, Salomon, Laraiche.
Kouira, Drees, Laraiche.

NETHERLANDS.

Aker, P., Andijk.

NORWAY.

Jacobsen & Braastad, Toldbodgt. 35, Christiania; and Aalesund (see Braastad & Company).
Henriksen, G. A., & Company, Buselokveien 4, Christiania.
Olsen, Kornelius (Smörfabrikken "Victoria"), Bredgt. 10, and Jorenholmsg. 14, Stavanger.
"Victoria" Smörfabrikken (see Kornelius Olsen).
Walther's (Henrik) Farvehandel, Gronlandsleret 46 and 53, Christiania.

SPAIN.

Arrarte, Viuda é Hijos de Casiano de, Calle Somorrostro, Santander.
Ballestero, Antonio H., (S. en C.), Malaga.
Bas, (see Morel Bas, Joaquin).
Bayer, Federico, & Company, Calle Ausias March 14-18, and Calle Bruch 18, Barcelona.
Blay, (see Mas Blay, Antonio)..
Bosch, (see Oliver y Bosch, Juan).
Botey, Joaquin, Calle Salmeron 59, Gracia, Barcelona.
Burmester, Julius Wilhelm Gerhard, Travesia del Banco 2, Vigo.
Capmany, Juan, Port Bou.
Colas, Gelatinas y Abonos, Sociedad Anonima Espanola de, Calle Alcala 69 and Calle del Prado 4, Madrid.
Dauphin, Alberto, Seville.
Drogueria Modela, Calle Torrijos 112, Malaga.
Einstein, Bernardo, Principe Alfonso 64, Murcia.
Fraile, Manuel, Calle Princesa 63 and Calle San Hermenegilde 5, Madrid.
Garcia, Arsenio (see Valveroe Garcia, Arsenio).
Gerdtzen, Otto, Calle de Utziaz 10, Vigo; and Gijon.
Gomez, Candido, Ayamonte.
Greiner, C. A., é Hijos, San Feliu de Guixols.
Hafner & Wienken, Calle Torrijos 112, Malaga.
Haya, Antonio, Calle Alfonso XII 32, Seville.
Hispano Alemana de Transportes Internacionales, Sociedad, Barcelona.
Industria Electrica, La, Calle Banquillo 28, Madrid; and Barcelona.
Ingles, (or Yngles) Martin, Port Bou.
Mas Blay, Antonio, Calle Montesion 14 and 16, Magdalenas 8 and Calle Fernando 41, Barcelona
Meyerhof Hermanos y Thomson y Cia., Bruch 19 and Calabria 263, Barcelona.
Morata, Antonio Visconti, (see Visconti Morata, Antonio).
Morel Bas, Joaquin, Calle Valencia 351, Barcelona.
Morin, Jules, Paséo Gracia 61, Calle Ausias March 14-18 and Calle Lauria 108, Barcelona
Oliver y Bosch, Juan, Santa Cruz de Tenerife.
Rubio, Juan, Malaga
Sales, Angel, Calle Fernando 41, Barcelona.
Sociedad Anonima Española de Colas, Gelatinas y Abonos, Calle Alcala 69 and Calle del Prado 4, Madrid.
Stierlen, Ernesto, Pascual y Genis 26, Valencia.
Valverde Garcia, Arsenio, Calle Diputacion 348, Barcelona.
Visconti Morata, Antonio, Plaza Constitucion 14 and 15, Alicante.
Wolf, Rudolf, Calle Alcalá 52, Madrid.
Yngles (see Ingles, Martin).

SWEDEN.

Kanold Broderna, Chocoladfabrik, Jacobsdahl, Orgryte, Gothenburg.
Lindegren & Rae, A. B, Bredgr. 2, Stockholm.

VENEZUELA.

Mado, Joaquin, Maracaibo.
Belloso, Rossel Hermanos, Maracaibo.
Bozo, Audio, and Company, Maracaibo.
Garcia, C.M., Maracaibo.
Pulgar, J. A. é Hijo, Maracaibo.
Quintero, Ciro, Maracaibo.
Vargas, T. Enrique, Maracaibo.

REMOVALS.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Borowsky & Company, Calle Sgto. Cabral 172, Rosario, Argentina.
Eberson, Oho, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Iglesias, justo A., Piedras 338 and Dom. Agraciada 2114, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Müller (or Miller), Frederico, Livestock Importer, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ruete and Guyer, Montevideo, Uruguay.

NETHERLANDS.

Fischer, Leon, Belvederoweg 11, Scheveningen.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Vrijberghe de Coningh, A. J., Sourabaya.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Los Helios, Manila,

should read

Helios (Los) Cigar Factory, Isla de Romero 13, Manila.

VENEZUELA.

Quinters, Carracciolo, Santa Ana,

should read.

Quintero Santana, Caracciolo, San Cristobal.

SPAIN.

Barrau, Teixido, Passeo de Gracia 47, Barcelona,

should read.

Barrau (see Teixid Barrau, Juan).

Teixidó Barrau, Juan, Passeo de Gracia 47, Barcelona.

Soujol, Carlos, Plaza Urquinaona 3, Barcelona.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

International Import and Export Company, 136, South Fourth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. (No connection with International Import and Export, Inc., White Building, Seattle, Washington.) or (International Import and Export Company, 310, Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.)

No. 4288-C.-W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that "Chung Tak Dispensary, Canton" shall be added to this Department Notification No. 66-C.W.D., dated the 13th January 1917, as subsequently amended.

No. 4309-C. W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 22-W.-II, dated the 18th November 1916, *viz* :—

After the proviso to the said notification the following proviso shall be added, namely :—

Provided also that the Customs Collector may, in his discretion, and if he sees no reason for suspecting that they have emanated from an enemy territory, allow delivery of any such goods imported into India on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of such information as may be required within a period to be specified in the bond or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said information is not produced within such period as the Customs Collector may direct.

No. [illegible]-C. W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the export of tanned sheep and goat skins to the United Kingdom:

Provided that nothing in this Notification shall be deemed to prohibit :—

(i) The export of any skins by, or for the use of, the Crown.

(ii) The export of any skins shipped under a license granted by the Chief Customs Officer at the place of export.

No. 4390-C.-W.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL.

The 12th day of March, 1917.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That following headings should be deleted :—

(a) Binder twine (except binder twine made of Manila hemp) ;

Chemicals, drugs, etc. :—

(a) Calcium carbide ;

(c) Sodium cyanide, and mixtures containing sodium cyanide ;

(a) Sodium prussiate and mixtures containing sodium prussiate ;

(a) Cotten, raw ;

(a) Furs, and manufactures thereof ;

(a) Grubbers ;

(a) Handles and helves for grubbers, pickaxes, spades and shovels ;

(B) Jute, raw and carded ;

(B) Machinery, agricultural, other than motor ploughs and motor tractors for agricultural use ;

(C) Machinery for ditching and trenching ;

Oleaginous kernels, nuts, seeds, and products, the following :—

(B) Castor beans ;

(B) Coconuts ;

(B) Copra ;

(B) Cottonseed ;

(B) Ground nuts, earth nuts, or pea nuts (Arachides) ;

(B) Hempseed ;

(B) Linseed ;

(B) Palm nuts and palm kernels ;

(B) Poppy seeds ;

(B) Rape or colza seed ;

(B) Sesame seed ;

(B) Soya beans ;

(B) Sunflower seed ;

(C) Other oleaginous kernels, nuts, seeds and products ;

(C) Pickaxes ;

(B) Seeds for root crops, the following :—

Carrot ;

Kohl rabi,

Mangold ;

Onion ;

Swede ;

Turnip ;

(C) Shovels ;

(C) Spades ;

Woods, the following :—

(A) Ash ;

(A) Beefwood ;

(A) Birch ;

(A) Boxwood ;

(A) Cedar ;

(C) Cherry, wild ;

(C) Cotton ;

(A) Dogwood ;

(C) Ebony ;

(A) Greenheart ;

(C) Gum ;

(A) Hickory ;

(A) Lancewood ;

(A) Lignum vitæ;

(A) Mahogany;

(C) Maple;

(A) Padouk;

(C) Palm;

(C) Poplar;

(B) Quebracho;

(A) Rock elm;

(C) Rose;

(A) Sabicu;

(A) Spruce;

(A) Teak;

(A) Walnut;

(A) Whitewood.

(2) That the following headings should be added :—

(B) Anvils;

(A) Binder twine;

(A) Castings, malleable, hæmatite iron;

Chemicals, drugs, etc. :—

(A) Calcium carbide;

(A) Potassium prussiates and mixtures containing potassium prussiates;

(A) Sodium prussiates and mixtures containing sodium prussiates;

(A) Sodium cyanide and mixtures containing sodium cyanide;

(A) Cotton, raw;

(B) Furs, and manufactures thereof;

(B) Hammers;

(A) Handles and helves for grubbers, pickaxes, spades and shovels;

(A) Jute, raw and carded;

(A) Machinery, agricultural, including hand tools which can be used for agricultural purposes;

Metals and ores, the following :—

(A) Uranium, alloys of uranium and uranium ores;

(A) Oleaginous kernels, nuts, seeds and products of all kinds;

(A) Pickaxes;

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—

(A) Baking powder;

(A) Confectionery manufactured wholly or partly of sugar;

(A) Malt extract;

(A) Raffia;

(B) Sealskins, untanned hair;

(A) Seeds, the following :—

Carrot ;

Cauliflower ;

Kohl rabi ;

Mangold ;

Onion ;

Parsnip ;

Swede ;

Turnip ;

(B) Vices ;

(A) Wood and timber of all kinds, hewn, sawn or split, planed or dressed.

NOW, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

EMIGRATION.

The 21st April, 1917.

No. 4137-Spl.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 116-A., sub-section (3) of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 (VI of 1901), as amended by the Assam Labour and Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1915 (VIII of 1915), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. R. W. Davies, I.C.S., to be the Chairman of the Assam Labour Board, with effect from the 10th April 1917 *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel W. M. Kennedy, C.I.E., I.A., placed on special duty.

No. 4139-Spl.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. M. Kennedy, C.I.E., I.A., is placed on special duty in the Department of Commerce and Industry, with effect from the 10th April 1917.

No. 4243-Spl.—In pursuance of Section 116-A., sub-section (4) of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901, as amended by the Assam Labour and Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1915, the Governor General in Council is pleased to approve of the election of Mr. John Henderson to be a member of the Assam Labour Board as a representative of the Surma Valley Branch, Indian Tea Association, *vice* the Honourable Mr. H. B. Fox, resigned.

No. 4262-Spl.—Mr. N. E. Marjoribanks, I.C.S., is placed on special duty in the Department of Commerce and Industry, with effect from the 13th April 1917.

EXPLOSIVES.

The 21st April, 1917.

No. 4141-M.—Commissary and Honorary Captain J. S. Rush, Inspector of Explosives with the Government of India, is granted such privilege leave as may be due him on the 1st June 1917 or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 4329-M.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 5 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the Indian Explosives Rules, 1914, published with the Notification in this Department No. 4013-33, dated the 4th June 1914 —

In rule 4 of the said rules, after clause (6), the following shall be inserted as clause 6 (a):—

"District Magistrate" includes, in cases where the Local Government so directs, the "Additional District Magistrate" in respect of such area as such Local Government may so order.

INDUSTRIES.

The 21st April, 1917.

No. 4313-I.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4, sub-section (3), of the Indian Tea Cess Act, 1903 (IX of 1903), the Governor General in Council is pleased, on the recommendation of the Indian Tea Association, to appoint Mr. R. Graham of Messrs. James Finlay and Company, Limited, to fill the vacancy on the Indian Tea Cess Committee caused by the resignation of Mr. G. Turnbull.

H. F. HOWARD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

SANITARY.

Simla, the 18th April, 1917.

No. 155.—The services of Captain E. S. Phipson, D.S.O., M.B., I.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

EXAMINATIONS.

The 20th April, 1917.

No. 42.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., to be President of the Board of Examiners, Calcutta.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 20th April 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No 571.—Major G. W. Haslehust, 29th Punjabis, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the temporary appointment of General Staff Officer, 1st Grade. Dated 10th April 1917.

1st (King's) Dragoon Guards.

No. 572.—Second Lieutenant William Rigby is granted the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Adjutant, Punjab Light Horse. Dated 14th March 1917.

No. 573.—The undermentioned warrant officer to be Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

The Manchester Regiment.

Company Serjeant-Major John Richard Nicholson, 22nd March 1917.

No. 574.—The undermentioned warrant and non-commissioned officers to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.

Battery Quartermaster-Serjeant Edward Percy Doy, 28th March 1917.
Battery Serjeant-Major Herbert Miles, 31st March 1917.
Battery Quartermaster-Serjeant William George Lewis Kennard, 31st March 1917.
Battery Quartermaster-Serjeant Andrew Richard Henry Malcolm, 3rd April 1917.
Battery Quartermaster-Serjeant Frederick William Rolfe, 3rd April 1917.
Serjeant William Patrick Connell, 3rd April 1917.
Acting Corporal James Duncan Grant, 4th April 1917.

No. 575.—The undermentioned appointments are made :—

BRIGADIER-GENERAL, GENERAL STAFF.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) J. H. K. Stewart, D.S.O., 39th Garhwal Rifles. Dated the 13th March 1917.

DEPUTY INSPECTOR GENERAL OF COMMUNICATIONS.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) E. L. Sullivan, C.M.G., Indian Army. Dated the 25th February 1917.

GENERAL STAFF OFFICERS.

1st Grade.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel W. S. Leslie, 31st Punjabis. Dated the 28th February 1917.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. LeG. Jacob, C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army. Dated the 21st March 1917.

ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) T. C. Catty, 69th Punjabis. Dated the 4th March 1917.

ASSISTANT ADJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Norman, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse). Dated the 8th March 1917.

DEPUTY ASSISTANT ADJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL.

Major J. C. Loch, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles. Dated the 25th February 1917.

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

Administrative Commandant (Graded for purposes of pay as Assistant Quartermaster-General).

Lieutenant-Colonel E. J. M. Wood, 97th Deccan Infantry. Dated the 25th February 1917.

Special Service Officers (Graded for purposes of pay as General Staff Officers, 3rd Grade).

2nd Lieutenant C. A. Hooper, The Leicestershire Regiment. Dated the 7th July 1916.
2nd Lieutenant G. S. Reed, Indian Army Reserve of Officers. Dated the 19th August 1916.
2nd Lieutenant C. F. R. Routh, The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment). Dated the 21st August 1916.
Lieutenant G. L. M. Clauson, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry). Dated the 26th August 1916.
2nd Lieutenant A. B. Geary, General List. Dated the 23rd September 1916.
2nd Lieutenant A. Lander, Special List. Dated the 18th October 1916.
Captain H. Bettlheim, Special List. Dated the 19th October 1916.

Railway Transport Officers (Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Captain).

Captain R. J. Moore, The Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment). Dated the 22nd December 1916.
Captain E. M. Rosher, M.C., The Welsh Regiment. Dated the 26th December 1916.
Lieutenant (temporary Captain) B. Heckroodt, The Royal Sussex Regiment. Dated the 16th January 1917.

GRADED FOR PURPOSES OF PAY AS STAFF CAPTAIN.

Captain W. E. Fleming, M.C., 41st Dogras. Dated the 1st June 1916.

ATTACHED TO HEADQUARTER UNITS.

Chief Engineer.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) W. V. Scudamore, British Service. Dated the 8th November 1916.

Assistant Engineer-in-Chief.

Colonel W. Ewbank, British Service. Dated the 3rd March 1917.

Deputy Directors of Works.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Colonel) C. Ainslie, Royal Engineers. Dated the 14th November 1916.
Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Colonel) C. B. L. Greenstreet, Royal Engineers. Dated the 11th February 1917.

Commanding Royal Engineer.

Major J. F. Turner, Royal Engineers. Dated the 11th February 1917.

No. 576.—In Army Department Notification No. 374, dated the 16th March 1917, under the heading Assistant Quartermaster-Generals *for* Brevet Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) J. C. Macrae, D.S.O., 19th Punjabis, *read* Captain (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) J. C. Macrae, D.S.O., 19th Punjabis.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

No. 577.—Mr. G. W. Marshall, I.S.O., V.D., Registrar, Foreign and Political Department, has been appointed temporary additional Assistant Secretary with effect from the 26th March 1917.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 578.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Field, Indian Army, Supernumerary List, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Resident at Hyderabad for employment as a Cantonment Magistrate.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 579.—In Army Department Notification No. 466, dated 30th March 1917, *for* "Raikobad" *read* "Kaikobad."

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 580.—Captain D. C. V. FitzGerald, I.M.S., to be temporary Deputy Medical Storekeeper to Government with effect from the 23rd January 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 581.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Cavalry Branch.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Alexander Edwin Baird.	Dated 16th March 1916.
Ernest Henry King.	Dated 12th April 1917.
Fredrick Mumford Huggins.	Dated 16th April 1917.
Herbert John Todd.	Dated 17th April 1917.

Infantry Branch.

To be Lieutenant.

Percy Meyrick Morris Davies.	Dated 18th April 1917.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Malcolm Herbert Gordon Britts.	Dated 6th January 1917 (but to rank from the 4th June 1916.)
Edward Thomas Patrick Connolly.	Dated 7th April 1917.
Stanley Evan Jenkins.	Dated 10th April 1917.
Herbert Jackson.	Dated 11th April 1917.
Henry Collingwood Greenwood.	Dated 14th April 1917.
Harold John Petts.	Dated 14th April 1917.
Reginald Teague-Jones.	Dated 16th April 1917.
Robert James Hogan.	Dated 17th April 1917.

No. 582.—Second Lieutenant Alexander Edwin Baird, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Embarkation Staff Officer, Bombay, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 10th April 1917.

No. 583.—Second Lieutenant Reginald Teague-Jones, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Intelligence Officer, Bandar Abbas, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 16th January 1917.

No. 584.—Second Lieutenant Alfred Edmund Lowrie, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain (without pay and allowances of that rank), subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 6th April 1917.

No. 585.—Army Department Notification No. 375, dated the 16th March 1917, so far as it relates to the appointment of Arthur Hopcroft as a Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is cancelled.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 586.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Third Supplement dated the 22nd February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 20th February 1917, pages 1865, 1866 and 1867.

War Office,

22nd February, 1917.

MACHINE GUN CORPS.

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Capt. J. N. Simonds (Ind. Army) to be temp. Maj. 1 Jan. 1917.

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London Gazette dated the 23rd February 1917, pages 1879, 1880, 1881, 1885 and 1886.

War Office,
23rd February, 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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GENERAL STAFF.

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3rd Grade.—Capt. P. J. Gout, M.C., Ind. Inf., *vice* temp. Capt. L. C. M. S. Amery, Gen. List. 9th Jan. 1917.

Capt. H. M. Wilson, Ind. Cav., from A.-D.-C., *vice* Capt. D. McK. Hartigan, R. Innis. Fus. 13th Jan. 1917.

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ATTACHED TO HD. QR. UNITS.

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Brig.-Majors.—

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17th Jan. 1917.

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Lt. (temp. Capt.) I. D. Guthrie, Ind. Cav., *vice* Bt. Maj. D. F. Anderson, D.S.O., E. York. R.

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SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl.) :—

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10th Jan. 1917.

Lt.-Col. J. H. Pollard, Ind. Army.
Lt.-Col. F. Jollie, Ind. Army.

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INFANTRY.

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Service Battalions—

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Temp. Lt.-Col. W. Keyworth (Maj., ret., Ind. Army) relinquishes his temp. rank on vacating comd. of a Bn. 10 Feb. 1917.

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Second Supplement dated the 24th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 23rd February 1917, pages 1955, 1957, 1966 and 1967.

War Office,
24th February, 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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ATTACHED TO HD. QR. UNITS.

Draft Conducting Officer.—(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 2nd Cl.)—Lt.-Col. W. I. Ryder, u.s.l., Ind. Army. 17th Feb. 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

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Capt. C. H. Campbell, Ind. Cav., to be temp Maj. whilst specially empld. 19th June 1916.

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VOLUNTEER FORCE.

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Devonshire Volunteer Regt.

1st Bn.—To be temp. Capt. :—

Maj. Charles Bertram Templer (late Indian Army). 25th Feb. 1917.

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Fourth Supplement dated the 26th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 23rd February 1917, page 1997.

War Office,
26th February, 1917.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

Flying Officers.—

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5th Feb. 1917.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) F. H. Mardall, Ind. Army, from a Flying Officer (Observer), with seniority from 26th July 1916.

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London Gazette of the 27th February 1917, pages 2019 and 2022.

War Office,
27th February, 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

Maj. G. D. M. Moore (ret., Ind. Army) (Lt.-Col., Terr. Force Res.), late temp. Lt.-Col., comdg. a Bn. Glouc. R., is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. 17th July 1916.

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PROMOTIONS.

Royal Garrison Artillery.

No. 587.—The undermentioned officer to be acting Major :—

Temporary Captain H. Slater, No. 60 Company, Royal Garrison Artillery. Dated 1st February 1917.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.

No. 588.—The undermentioned officer to be acting Major :—

Captain H. F. C. Kempe, 4th Battery, Royal Field Artillery. Dated 1st April 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 589.—The following promotions or antedate of promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified, but not to carry pay and allowances prior to the 1st September 1916.

Captains to be Majors.

1st March 1916.

George Frederick Mellor, Military Farms Department.

3rd March 1916.

Dacre Hamilton Powell, 105th Mahratta Light Infantry.

4th March 1916.

Jack St. Aubyn King, 62nd Punjabis

24th March 1916.

William Campbell, D.S.O., Supply and Transport Corps.

28th March 1916.

Reginald Barker De la Motte, D.S.O., Supply and Transport Corps.

15th April 1916.

Olmar Charles John Stevenson-Hamilton, Supply and Transport Corps.

1st May 1916.

Charles Robert Lloyd, Supply and Transport Corps.

4th May 1916.

Joseph Thomas Kirby, Supply and Transport Corps.

8th May 1916.

Frederic Harry Burn Passy, Army Remount Department.
Charles Stuart Hamilton Robarts, 75th Carnatic Infantry.
Charles Percival Fenwick Warton, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.
Clement James Boyce, Supply and Transport Corps.
John Stewart Sutherland Moir, 26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.
Arnot Edward Joseph Connell-McDowell, Civil Employ.

26th June 1916.

Brevet-Major Frederic Cooke Bannatyne, 109th Infantry.

6th July 1916.

Edward Armstrong Trafford, Cantonment Magistrates' Department.

27th July 1916.

Edward Michael Angelo John Hogan, Supply and Transport Corps.

31st August 1916.

Henry Cecil Prescott, Civil Employ, attached 67th Punjabis.

19th October 1916.

Gerald Dominick Rice, Supply and Transport Corps.

6th November 1916.

Arthur Douglas Chanter, Supply and Transport Corps.

4th December 1916.

William Prescott Ross Wheatley, Supply and Transport Corps.

16th December 1916.

Thomas Fleetwood Brook, Supply and Transport Corps.

24th December 1916.

John Vincent Meetkerke Biscoe, Cantonment Magistrates' Department.

18th January 1917.

Raymond Somerville Scott, Army Remount Department.
Percy St. John Rance Woodhouse, Supply and Transport Corps.
Gerald Bruce St. Pierre Bunbury, 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).

29th January 1917.

Cyril Penrose Paige, 109th Infantry.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

1st September 1915.

George John Townsend, 66th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Malcolm Louis Woollcombe, 28th Light Cavalry.
Harold Edward Silver, 18th Infantry.
Noel Hyde Edwards, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Hugh Maxwell Pim, M.C., 24th Punjabis.

Army Reserves.

No. 590.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:

Second Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

Charles Hopewell Tayler. Dated 2nd March 1915.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 591.—The following officiating promotions are notified :—

Rank and Name.	From	To	Period.	REMARKS.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. de V. Harvest.	2nd grade ...	1st grade ...	From the 1st February 1917 to the 14th March 1917.	*Vice* Lieutenant-Colonel C. Herbert, D.S.O., sub. *pro tem.*, 1st grade Cantonment Magistrate, granted privilege leave, *vide* United Provinces Gazette Notification No. $\frac{79 \text{ of } 1913}{11\text{-}18}$, dated the 10th January 1917.
Major W. T. Barry	3rd grade ...	2nd grade ...	Ditto	

Public Works Department, Madras.

No. 592.—Deputy Commissary and honorary Captain George Ellard Brand to be Commissary,

Assistant Commissary and honorary Lieutenant Charles Henry Briant to be Deputy Commissary with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval,

Assistant Commissary and honorary Lieutenant Robert Cuthbert (supernumerary) to be absorbed in that grade, and

Sub-Conductor Richard Albert Lisles to be Conductor,

vice Commissary and honorary Captain Ernest Price, retired ; with effect from the 1st January 1917.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 593.—The following promotions are made :—

39th King George's Own Central India Horse.

Kot-Dafadar Suleman Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st February 1917 ; and to be seconded.

38th Dogras.

Havildars Gannu and Pars Ram to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st March 1917 , to complete the establishment.

53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Colour-Havildar Jitman Rai (2nd Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st April 1917; to complete the establishment.

55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).

Havildar Abdullah Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th November 1916, Havildars Teja Singh, I O.M., Muhammad Khan and Sundar to be Jemadars, with effect from the 29th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.

Colour-Havildar Atma Singh (1st Reserve Battalion, Sikh Pioneers) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

84th Punjabis.

Subadar Habib Shah to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 6th July 1916; *vice* Sundar Singh, *Sardar Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment.

94th Russell's Infantry.

Subadar Duli Chand to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 1st March 1917; *vice* Bajrang Singh transferred to the pension establishment.

Havildars Bhagat Ram and Ramrekha Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 17th April 1915, Havildars Sukhdeo and Shaikh Muhammad Ali to be Jemadars with effect from the 1st January 1916, and Colour-Havildar Dukhan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

Havildars Ran Sing Thapa and Padam Sing Thapa to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st January 1917; to complete the establishment.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 594.—Major Hugh Macdonald, Army Clothing Department, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service on account of ill-health, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 5th April 1917.

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 595.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following admissions to the Order of British India for distinguished conduct in the field. Dated 20th April 1917:—

To the 2nd Class with the title of "Bahadur."

Risaldar Mukand Singh, Lancers.
Risaldar Jai Ram, Hodson's Horse.
Risaldar Ram Singh, Hodson's Horse.
Risaldar Lakha Singh, Lancers.
Ressaidar Muhammad Inayat Khan, Lancers.
Jemadar Khwaja Muhammad, Lancers.
These appointments will be supernumerary to the authorised establishment.

No. 596.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following admissions to the Order of British India for distinguished conduct in the field. Dated 20th April 1917:—

To the 2nd Class with the title of "Bahadur."

Squadron Commander Aman Singh, Imperial Service Troops.
Risaldar Agar Singh (1), Imperial Service Troops.
These appointments will be supernumerary to the authorised establishment.

INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

No. 597.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the undermentioned for distinguished conduct in the field :—

Jemadar Amir Singh, Cavalry.

SPECIAL.

No. 598.—With reference to paragraph 305, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the undermentioned officer, having been absent from military duty for 10 years, is transferred to the Supernumerary List, with effect from the date specified :—

Major George Harley Newcombe, Civil Employ,—22nd April 1917.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Assam Valley Light Horse.

No. 599.—Major Charles Wickens Simkins, V.D., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 25th November 1916.

Captain John Mucklow, V.D., to be Major, *vice* C. W. Simkins, promoted. Dated the 25th November 1916.

Lieutenant James Stenhouse Elliot to be Captain, *vice* J. Mucklow, promoted. Dated the 25th November 1916.

Second Lieutenant Archibald Moffat to be Lieutenant, *vice* J. S. Elliot, promoted. Dated the 25th November 1916.

United Provinces Horse.

2nd (Northern) Regiment.

No. 600.—In Army Department Notification No. 89, dated the 23rd January 1914, and No. 138, dated the 4th February 1916, *for* "John Thurlow Rivett-Carnac," *read* "John Claude Thurlow Rivett-Carnac."

Rangoon Port Defence Volunteers.

No. 601.—Lieutenant Stuart MacDonald to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 20th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant Edgar Frank Dunk to be Lieutenant, *vice* S. MacDonald, promoted. Dated the 20th February 1917.

Charles Franklin Pedley to be Surgeon Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st March 1917.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 602.—Henry John Eastwood Abbott to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 29th March 1917.

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

No 603.—Captain Charles Benjamin Oakley, seconded, to be Major, and to remain seconded. Dated the 18th August 1916.

Captain Alexander Ranken Cox to be Major, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 18th August 1916.

Lieutenant Ronald Leslie Steele to be Captain, *vice* A. R. Cox, promoted. Dated the 18th August 1916.

Second Lieutenant Horace Christmas Cooke Stafford, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 18th August 1916.

Second Lieutenant William Wailling to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 18th August 1916.

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 604.—Henry Howe to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 31st October 1916.

Bombay Volunteer Rifles.

No. 605.—Second Lieutenant Donald Russell Martin Yates, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 10th March 1917.

Second Lieutenant Eustace Marmion Ferrers Nicholson, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 10th March 1917.

Second Lieutenant Samuel Townsend Sheppard to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 10th March 1917.

Second Lieutenant William Sandford Hoskason to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 10th March 1917.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

No. 606.—His Excellency the Governor General of India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officers :—

Yercaud Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Charles Danby Ryle.

Captain Bruce Norton Short.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 20th April 1917.

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given :—

First.—That information has been received by me of the deaths of the officers named and described in the subjoined table.

Secondly.—That there have been received by me, as the surplus of their respective properties, the amounts set opposite their respective names in the same table.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the respective properties of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of surplus.	REMARKS.
					Rs. A. P.	
Major G. Dodd, C.I.E.	27th Punjabis	Tank, North-West Frontier Province.	14th April 1914	Intestate ...	8,583 10 1[illegible]	Administrator-General, Punjab.
Major H. C. Darke	220th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery.	Lahore Cantonment.	12th July 1916	Testate ...	2,059 11 11	Ditto.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 20th April 1917.

LEAVE.

No. 18.—Commander E. G. Mills, Royal Indian Marine, has been granted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India an extension of leave till the 22nd June 1917, on medical certificate.

No. 19.—With reference to Marine Department Notification No. 62, dated the 29th December 1916, Engineer E. R. Abbott, Royal Indian Marine, has been granted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India a further extension of leave till the 2nd September 1917.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 20.—Commander E. G. Mills, Royal Indian Marine, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service with effect from the 23rd June 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 17th April, 1917.

No. 319-E.-17.—Mr. N. Pearce, Executive Engineer, is, on termination of his appointment as Superintendent of Works, Hardinge Bridge, transferred to the North Western Railway.

No. 453-E.-17.—Mr. A. K. Muirhead, Store-Keeper, in class II, grade 4 of the Superior Stores Establishment, of State Railways, is promoted to class II, grade 3 of that Establishment, with effect from the 11th March 1917.

The 18th April, 1917.

No. 199-R.-17.—Mr. Muhammad Hussain Khan, Secretariat Assistant, 3rd grade, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, 3rd grade, *vice* Mr. A. G. Saldanha, Officiating Superintendent, 1st grade, granted privilege leave for 1 month and 25 days, with effect from the 16th April 1917.

No. 1002-E.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 1002-E.-16, dated the 28th September 1916, Mr. J. J. Inglis, Carriage and Wagon Superintendent, North Western Railway, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State an extension of furlough on medical certificate for six months.

The 20th April, 1917.

No. 496-E.—Mr. A. French, Traffic Inspector, Eastern Bengal Railway, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Traffic Superintendent of that Railway, with effect from the 19th April 1917 and until further orders.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

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[illegible] zures and deaths reported in India, [illegible] for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI ...	...	. . . .	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	79	64
		Ahmedabad City	16	16
		Kaira District	11	9
		Surat Town and Port	44	41
		Surat District	8	8
		Thana District	70	62
	Central	Ahmednagar District	46	35
		West Khandesh District	120	95
		Poona District	109	87
		Nasik District	128	85
		Satara District	255	178
		Sholapur Town	1	1
		Sholapur District	210	163
	Southern	Panvel Port	6	7
		Thal Port	1	1
		Kolaba District	1	1
		Bankot Port	3	3
		Ratnagiri Port	8	6
		Ratnagiri District	7	8
		Belgaum District	137	99
		Dharwar District	43	33
		Kanara District	10	5
		Bijapur District	173	131
	Sind ...	Karachi Town and Port	165*	144*

* For two weeks.

The following additions and corrections should be made in the returns noted below :—

31st March 1917—Nawabshah District *add* 2 cases, *nil* death.

7th April 1917—Karachi District *add* 53 cases, 53 deaths.

" " Sukkur " " 1 case 1 death.

" " Hyderabad Town *read* 377 cases, 252 deaths *for* 243 cases, 164 deaths.

" " Hyderabad District " 11 " 9 " " 6 " 5 "

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind	Political Charges	Baroda State	17	21
		Mangrol Port	1	1
		Kathiawar Agency	16	15
		Tuna Port	2	2
		Mandvi Port	1	...
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	230	169
		Surat Agency	1	3
		Bijapur Agency	11	12
		Satara Agency	85	81
		Akalkot State	37	32
		TOTAL	2,002	1,563
Madras Presidency	...	Anantapur District	32	25 (a)
		Bellary District	65	47
		Chittoor District	1	3
		Coimbatore District	24 (a)	16 (a)
		Mangalore Port	8	10
		Kurnool District	3 (a)	2
		Nilgiris District	2 (a)	...
		Salem Town	1	...
		Salem District	7	10
		North Arcot District	24 (b)	16 (c)
		Ramnad District		1 (a)
		TOTAL	167	130
Bengal Presidency	Burdwan	Burdwan District	...	1
		Hooghly District	2	2
		Howrah Town	2	2
	Presidency	Calcutta	7	7
		TOTAL	11	12
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	Patna City	147	150
		Patna District	501	448
		Gaya City	8	8
		Gaya District	28	18
		Shahabad District	449	385
	Tirhut	Saran District	777	749
		Champaran District	7	7
		Muzaffarpur District	485	477
		Darbhanga City	6	8
		Darbhanga District	208	219

(a) One imported. (b) Four imported. (c) Three imported.

In the return for the week ending 7th April 1917, the following additions and corrections should be made :—

Mundra Port *add* 1 case, 1 death.
Tuna Port ,, 4 cases, 4 deaths.
Akalkot State, *read* 32 cases *for* 30 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	415	327
		Bhagalpur City	38	32
		Bhagalpur District	56	46
		TOTAL	3,125	2,674
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut	Saharanpur City	1	
		Saharanpur District	34	18
		Muzaffarnagar District	36	31
	Agra	Mainpuri District	29	27
		Etah District	23	8
	Rohilkhand	Bijnor District	24	24
		Budaun District	66	33
		Moradabad District	75	67
		Shahjahanpur City	...	1*
		Pilibhit District	40	5
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City	13	11
		Farrukhabad District	37	34
		Etawah District	20	20
		Cawnpore City	111	111
		Cawnpore District	184	184
		Allahabad City	19	19
		Allahabad District	486	455
	Jhansi	Jalaun District	60	42
	Benares	Benares City	6	3
		Benares District	47	40
		Mirzapur City	18	12
		Mirzapur District	1	1
		Jaunpur District	503	368
		Ghazipur District	946	948
		Ballia District	584	489

* Imported.

In the return for the week ending 7th April 1917, against Pilibhit District *read* 49 cases *for* 45 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
UNITED PROVINCES	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur District	589	533
		Basti District	349	339
		Azamgarh District	729	705
	Lucknow	Lucknow City	38	38
		Unao District	618	501
		Rae Bareli District	207	186
		Sitapur District	149	108
		Hardoi District	52	49
		Kheri District	1	...
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	68	55
		Gonda District	68	67
		Bahraich District	5	5
		Sultanpur District	182	160
		Partabgarh District	127	127
		Bara Banki District	63	60
		TOTAL	6,506	5,904
PUNJAB	Ambala	Karnal District	8	3
		Ambala District	164	90
	Jullundur	Jullundur District	20	9
		Ludhiana District	35	22
		Ferozepore District	2	..
	Lahore	Lahore City	8	8
		Lahore District	26	25
		Gurdaspur District	23	14
		Gujranwala District	31	17

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District	8	1
		Shahpur District	4	...
		Jhelum District	64	39
		Rawalpindi District	14	5
	Multan ...	Lyallpur District	4	2
	Native States	Jind State	6	7
		Patiala State	1	1
		TOTAL	408	252
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	31	29
		Hanthawaddy District	6	6
		Tharrawaddy District	11	11
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	9	9
		Henzada District	7	7
		Myaungmya District	36	6
		Maubin District	1	1
		Pyapon District	5	5
	Tenasserim	Toungoo District	8	8
		Thaton District	1	1
		Moulmein Town	20	20
		Amherst District	1	1
	Magwe	Minbu District	1	1
		Magwe District	2	2
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town	1	1
		Bhamo District	1	1

In the return for the week ending 7th April 1917, against Jhelum District *read* 7 deaths *for* 17 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BURMA	Shan States	Southern Shan States	4	3
		TOTAL	110	105
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur	Nagpur District	126	91
		Bhandara District	61	44
		Wardha District	31	30
		Chanda District	2	2
		Balaghat District	27	27
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town and Cantonment	12	8
		Jubbulpore District	99	72
		Saugor District	32	32
		Seoni District	8	6
		Mandla District	34	29
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District	26	19
		Nimar District	16	11
		Narsinghpur District	55	32
		Chhindwara District	27	28
	Chhatisgarh	Raipur District	42	41
		Bilaspur District	66	57
	Berar	Amraoti District	172	118
		Yeotmal District	68	45
		Akola District	202	142
		Buldana District	171	118
		TOTAL	1,275	948
ASSAM	...	...	...	...
COORG	...	...	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	8	6
		Bangalore City	...	1
		Bangalore District	20	16
		Mysore District	13	8
		Shimoga District	13	8
		Chitaldroog District	4	2
		Tumkur District	4	5
		Kolar District	24	19
		TOTAL	86	65
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	73	64
		Bir District	21	19
		Parbhani District	120	97
		Nander District	287	254
		Gulbarga District	13	11
		Raichur District	8	10
		Usmanabad District	78	67
		Bidar District	37	61
		Medak District	146	127
		Mahbubnagar District	86	80
		Nalgonda District	31	31
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs (including Secunderabad)	4	2
		Atrafibalda Sarfikhas District	19	14
		Warangal District	5	4
		TOTAL	981 (a)	817 (a)

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 30,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore City	1	3
		Indore Residency Bazars	1	1
		Indore State	55	37
		Dhar State	2	3
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	79	58
		Mhow Cantonment	4	2
		Dewas State (Senior Branch)	4	3
		Manpur State	...	1
		Bhopal State	1	...
		Rewa State	8	8
		TOTAL	155 (b)	116 (b)
RAJPUTANA	...	Ajmer City	217	182
		Ajmer District	29	18
		Alwar State	27	12
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State	71	64
		Bharatpur State	23	24
		Mewar State	126	97
		Tonk State	4	8
		Jaipur State	13	11
		TOTAL	500	411
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	...	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	87	17
		TOTAL	87	17
BALUCHISTAN	...	...	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	15,851	13,214

(a) From the 2nd to the 8th April 1917.
(b) For the week ending 7th April 1917.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 19th April 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. There were a few scattered falls of rain in northwest India and the south of the Peninsula, but the rainfall of the week occurred chiefly in east Bengal, Assam and north Burma.

2. *Burma.*—Weather was dry in south Burma, but rain fell at most stations in the northern half of the province.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Local falls of rain were reported from Assam and lower Bengal.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Mussooree had a light fall of rain.

Northwest India.—Light local precipitation occurred in Kashmir, the north Punjab and at Kotah.

The Peninsula.—Rain fell at Mysore and at a few stations in Madras.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

April 12th. Silchar 4·82" and Cherrapunji 4·35".

" 13th. Silchar 1·30".

" 14th Chittagong 1·91".

" 15th. Cox's Bazar 1·59", Chittagong 2·62" and Calcutta 0·84".

" 16th. Kyaukpyu 1·30", Cox's Bazar 1·61" and Chittagong 2·94".

" 17th. Kyaukpyu 1·87" and Silchar 1·10".

" 18th. Yamethin 0·91".

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent. or more in excess in Upper Burma, Bengal and Rajputana East, and was within 20 per cent of the normal in Lower Burma, Assam and the Punjab Southwest. No rain usually falls at this time of the year in Sind, Rajputana West, Gujarat and Central India, but in all the remaining divisions rainfall was 20 per cent. or more in defect.

The rainfall from the 1st December to date is 20 per cent. or more in defect in Chota Nagpur, Bihar, the United Provinces West, the Punjab, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana East Central India East, Malabar, Madras Southeast and the Madras Coast North. It differs by less than 20 per cent. from the normal in the Bay Islands, Assam, Bengal and the United Provinces East, and is 20 per cent or more in excess elsewhere.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 19th April 1917			Rainfall data from 1st December 1916 to 19th April 1917				
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches	Excess or defect in inches.	Percentage departure from normal. This week	Percentage departure from normal. Last week
Bay Islands	0	0·4	−0·4	10·2	10·4	−0·2	−2	+2
Lower Burma	0·4	0·4	0	4·2	2·7	+1·5	+56	+65
Upper Burma	1·0	0·3	+0·7	2·8	1·9	+0·9	+47	+13
Assam	1·9	2·3	−0·4	12·3	12·0	+0·3	+3	+7
Bengal	0·9	0·7	+0·2	3·7	4·5	−0·8	−18	−26
Orissa	0	0·4	−0·4	5·0	3·9	+1·1	+28	+43
Chota Nagpur	0	0·4	−0·4	2·5	4·1	−1·6	−39	−32
Bihar	0	0·2	0·2	1·4	2·1	−0·7	−33	−26
United Provinces, East	0	0·1	−0·1	2·5	2·1	+0·4	+19	+25
United Provinces, West	0	0·2	−0·2	2·4	3·5	−1·1	−31	−27
Punjab, East and North	0	0·2	−0·2	2·1	5·0	2·9	−58	−56
Punjab, South-West	0·1	0·1	0	1·1	2·6	−1·5	−58	−60
Kashmir	0·2	0·8	·0·6	6·8	13·6	−6·8	−50	−48
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0·3	−0·3	2·2	5·0	2·8	−56	−53
Baluchistan	0	0·2	−0·2	4·3	6·1	1·8	−30	−27
Sind	0	0	0	0·7	1·1	0·4	−36	−36
Rajputana, West	0	0	0	1·0	0·8	+0·2	+25	+25
Rajputana, East	0·2	0	+0·2	0·6	1·0	−0·4	40	−60
Gujarat	0	0	0	0·4	0·2	+0·2	+100	+100
Central India, West	0	0	0	1·1	0·6	+0·5	+83	+83
Central India, East	0	0	0	1·5	2·2	−0·7	−32	−32
Berar	0	0·1	−0·1	3·3	1·8	+1·5	+83	+94
Central Provinces, West	0	0·1	−0·1	3·1	2·0	+1·1	+55	+63
Central Provinces, East	0	0·3	−0·3	1·8	3·2	+1·6	+50	+66
Konkan	0	0·1	−0·1	1·6	0·2	+1·4	+700	+1500
Bombay Deccan	0	0·2	0·2	1·1	0·8	+0·3	+37	+83
Hyderabad, North	0	0·1	−0·1	2·0	1·6	+0·4	+25	+33
Hyderabad, South	0	0·3	−0·3	4·0	1·6	+2·4	+150	+208
Mysore	0·1	0·5	0·4	2·6	1·7	+0·9	+53	+108
Malabar	0	1·0	−1·0	4·1	5·3	−1·2	−23	−5
Madras, South-East	0	0·5	−0·5	4·8	7·6	−2·8	−37	−32
Madras Deccan	0	0·2	−0·2	2·5	1·0	+1·5	+150	+218
Madras Coast, North	0·1	0·2	−0·1	1·7	3·3	−1·6	−48	−48

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Dated the 19th April 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 14th April 1917.

Burma.—Arakan hill tracts and the Chin Hills received 0·93 and 3·62 inches of rain respectively and Upper Chindwin over 1½ inches. The rain was light to moderate. Showers fell in several other districts mostly of Upper Burma. Cultivation of spring and summer rice, plucking of tobacco and cotton and harvesting of miscellaneous crops are still proceeding. The condition of standing crops is satisfactory. Cattle are generally healthy. The price of unhusked rice at Rangoon has fallen further to Rs. 107 per hundred baskets and is normal. The market for white rice is quiet.

Assam.—The weather is seasonable. Light to moderate rain has fallen in most districts. Burning of *jhums* and pressing of sugarcane have been practically finished. Plucking and manufacture of tea are in progress in places. Prospects are fair to good. Ploughing for and sowing of autumn and winter rice and jute are in progress. Cattle disease is reported from four districts. The price of common rice is stationary.

Bengal.—During the week heavy rain fell in the Chittagong division but the fall was light in the Burdwan, Presidency and Dacca divisions. There was practically no rain in the Rajshahi division. Preparatory operations for jute and autumn paddy are in progress. Sowings continue but progress is being retarded especially in the northern districts for want of rain. Young jute and autumn paddy have suffered through want of rain in Rangpur and in parts of the Dacca district. Harvesting of spring crops has been nearly completed. The outturn is fairly satisfactory. Sugarcane and other standing crops are generally reported to be doing well. Cattle disease is reported from eleven districts. The average price of common rice for the Province has remained almost stationary with a slight tendency to rise as compared with that of the previous week.

Bihar and Orissa.—Light rain was fairly general in Orissa and Chota Nagpur. In Bihar there was practically no rain. Harvesting of spring crops is approaching completion. Threshing continues. Preparation of lands for the next season's crops is going on. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has risen in three districts, fallen in three and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from thirteen districts. The number of persons on test works in Singhbhum was 1,295. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—Light rain has been general throughout the Provinces. Harvesting, threshing and reaping of spring crops; sowing, irrigation and hoeing of sugarcane and sowing and irrigation of extra crops continue. Winnowing of spring crops, sowing of autumn crops and weighments of opium have commenced in places. Standing crops are doing well and prospects are good. Agricultural stock is in good condition and little cattle disease is reported. Fodder and water are ample. Markets are full. Prices continued to fall during the week.

Punjab.—Light or moderate rain has fallen in all the reporting districts. Though useful for extra spring and autumn crops it has damaged harvested crops and retarded harvesting operations in a few districts. Some damage to wheat by the storm of 13th and 14th April is also reported from the Chenab Colony. The condition of standing wheat and other crops is about normal on irrigated and below normal on unirrigated areas. Harvesting of spring crops continues. The yield is normal or slightly below normal on irrigated and below normal or poor on unirrigated areas. Extra spring crops, sugarcane and cotton are being sown. The area sown is below normal to normal. Cattle are generally healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient but shortage of canal water and of fodder is reported in a few districts. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices are generally stationary but have fallen slightly in some districts. They range between normal and scarcity rates except those of autumn grains which range between normal and warning rates. Price of wheat :—Rawalpindi 9, Lahore and Lyallpur 9½ and Ambala and Ferozepore 10 seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—Slight rain fell in certain districts. The weather is moderate. Standing irrigated and unirrigated crops are generally average. Pressing of sugarcane still continues in one district with outturn above average. Harvesting of spring crops has commenced in some districts with yield average. Sowing of extra spring and of certain autumn crops is proceeding. The condition of cattle and the public health are generally good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices of food stuffs are high. The price of wheat in Peshawar is 8¾ and in Dera Ismail Khan 9¾ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8 to 12 and maize from 18 to 25 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is below average. Cattle disease prevails in the Ranbirsinghpura tahsil Fodder is insufficient in certain places.

Kashmir.—The rainfall during the week was sufficient. Prices are normal. Standing crops are in fair condition. Cattle are generally healthy.

Rajputana.—The weather is cloudy. The rainfall during the week was 140 cents in Marwar, 71 cents in Dungarpur, 67 cents in Bikaner and 64 cents in Sirohi. Slight showers were received elsewhere except Jaisalmer, Banswara, Kishengarh and Dholpur. Harvesting of spring crops is in full swing. Standing crops are generally in good condition except in places in the hilly tracts and in Dungarpur where some damage has been done owing to storms Agricultural stock is generally healthy except in parts of Dungarpur, Kotah, Tonk and Bharatpur where cattle disease is reported. Water and fodder are ample. Prices continue to fall in eastern Rajputana, Bikaner, Jaisalmer. Tonk, Shahpura and Merwara but are rising slightly in the southern Rajputana States, the Hilly Tracts, Mewar, Jhalawar, Jaipur, Kishengarh and Ajmer.

Central India.—During the week the rainfall was partial in Gwalior, Indore and Bundelkhand. Spring crops are being harvested and threshed. Land is being prepared for autumn crops in Indore and in the Southern States. Standing crops are in good condition and their probable outturn is good. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are high in Bhopal, slightly fluctuating in parts of Indore and steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather was dry and warm with occasional clouds and a few small storms which caused no damage. Harvesting and threshing of spring crops are well advanced and winnowing continues in several districts. Standing crops are generally in good condition and prospects are satisfactory. The supply of fodder and water is adequate. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Prices of wheat and gram are still falling.

Feudatory States :—Reaping of spring crops is proceeding.

Bombay.—Slight rain fell during the week in Karachi, Hyderabad, Thar and Parkar, Gujarat, Kathiawar and Kolhapur. Standing crops are thriving. Harvesting continues. Cotton picking is progressing in Gujarat, West Khandesh, Satara, the Karnatak, Kathiawar, Rewa Kantha, Baroda, Kolhapur and Cutch. The fodder supply is adequate Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Thar and Parkar, Kaira and the Panch Mahals. Prices of food grains are generally steady.

Hyderabad.—Isolated showers averaging 11 cents were received during the week Late rice crop is in fair to good condition. Harvesting has commenced in parts. Cattle disease prevails in 8 *talukas*. Prices of grains are almost constant. Coarse rice is selling at 7½ and white *juar* at 14 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 8 seers per rupee in Warangal and the lowest 26¾ seers per rupee in Usmanabad.

Mysore.—The rainfall was light throughout the State. Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of the harvested sugarcane, paddy and *ragi* is fair. Ploughing operations and sowing of paddy and sugarcane are in progress in parts. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are healthy in the greater part of the State. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 63 cents. Prices of food grains are slightly lower The public health is fair. Cattle disease is subsiding. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was good in Ganjam, light to fair in Vizagapatam, Godavari, Guntur, the Deccan except Sandur, Nellore, North Arcot, Salem, Coimbatore, the west coast and the Nilgiris and *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally except in parts of one district where they have been damaged slightly by rain and in parts of two others where they are withering or require rain. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water supply is insufficient in parts of Godavari, the Deccan except Kurnool, Nellore, South Arcot, the central parts except Coimbatore, the southern parts and South Kanara and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is insufficient in four districts and in parts of eleven others. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

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Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAYS.	Average earnings per mile per week	Mean mileage worked.			Total earnings for the first			Earnings per mile open for			Total earnings from 1st April to—			Compared with corresponding period, 1913-14, +4 days.		Compared with corresponding period, 1916-17.	
	During official year 1915-16.	1913.	1916	1917	11 days of April 1913.	7 days of April 1916.	7 days of April 1917.	11 days of April 1913.	7 days of April 1916.	7 days of April 1917.	11th April 1913.	7th April 1916.	7th April 1917.	Increase	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs	Miles.	Miles	Miles	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
State and Guaranteed Railways.																	
Bengal-Nagpur (including 2' 6" gauge lines	318	2,531	2,691	2,69	13,03,898	9,97,920	10,73,000	515	371	399	13,03,898	9,97,920	10,73,000	...	2,30,898	75,080	...
Bezwada Extension	437	21	21	21	12,953	11,357	9,000	617	541	429	12,953	11,357	9,000	...	3,953	...	2,357
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	717	946	1,000	1,000	13,21,482	8,22,375	8,86,000	1,391	822	886	13,21,482	8,22,257	8,86,000	...	3,35,482	63,743	...
Eastern Bengal (including 3' 3⅜" and 2' 6" gauge lines)	479	1,578	1,639	1,683	9,22,190	6,37,718	6,32,000	584	383	386	9,22,190	6,37,718	6,32,000	...	2,90,190	4,283	...
East Indian	786	2,484	2,573	2,619	33,81,771	21,44,280	23,16,000	1,360	833	846	33,81,771	21,44,280	22,16,000	...	11,65,771	71,720	...
Great Indian Peninsula	674	2,471	2,605	2,605	26,67,078	19,14,399	19,35,000	1,079	735	743	26,67,078	19,14,399	19,35,000	...	7,32,078	20,601	...
Agra-Delhi Chord	440	126	126	126	57,827	59,362	55,000	459	471	437	57,827	59,362	55,000	...	2,827	...	4,362
Baran Kotah	106	40	40	40	4,638	5,501	5,100	116	137	127	4,638	5,501	5,100	462	...	...	401
Bhopal-Itarsi (British Section)	1,033	*57	12	12	*58,290	15,648	14,500	1,023	1,304	1,208	*58,290	15,649	14,500	...	43,790	...	1,148
Cawnpore-Banda	101	...	76	76	.	6,921	9,200	...	127	121	...	9,621	9,200	9,300	...	...	421
Madras and Southern Mahratta (including 3' 3⅜" gauge lines	313	2,585	2,567	2,567	12,63,303	8,66,646	9,32,000	491	338	359	12,63,303	8,66,646	9,32,000	...	3,47,303	55,354	...
North-Western (including 2' 6" gauge lines)	403	3,806	4,010	4,036	25,84,121	16,19,074	24,00,000	679	404	592	25,83,121	16,19,074	24,00,000	...	1,83,121	7,80,926	...
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including Cawnpore-Burhwal 3' 3⅜" link)	368	1,400	1,606	1,646	7,37,020	4,62,037	6,21,000	461	288	387	7,37,020	4,62,037	6,21,000	...	1,16,020	1,58,963	...
Assam-Bengal	161	805	809	821	1,75,532	1,22,999	1,09,000	218	152	133	1,75,532	1,22,999	1,09,000	...	66,532	...	13,999
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	337	1,823	1,823	1,828	8,38,080	6,64,045	6,44,000	458	363	352	8,38,080	6,64,045	6,44,000	...	1,94,080	...	20,045
Burma	287	1,545	1,342	1,342	8,07,714	4,76,569	4,93,000	523	355	367	8,07,714	4,76,569	4,93,000	...	3,14,714	16,431	...
Burma Extensions	181	...	187	187		54,173	50,000	...	290	267	...	54,173	50,000	50,000	...	...	4,173
Southern Shan States	85	...	70	70	...	4,929	7,000	...	70	100	...	4,929	7,000	7,000	...	2,071	...
Dhone-Kurnool	79	.	32	32	..	2,559	2,500	...	81	78	...	2,559	2,500	2,500	...	...	59
Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Section)	197	124	124	124	51,275	27,160	40,600	414	221	327	51,275	27,460	40,600	...	10,675	13,140	...
Lucknow Bareilly	135	299	308	314	78,918	49,765	53,700	265	162	171	78,918	49,765	53,700	...	25,218	3,935	...
Mysore (including Kolar Gold Fields, 5' 6")	176	411	411	411	1,14,961	80,750	75,000	280	196	182	1,14,961	80,750	75,000	...	39,961	...	5,750
South Indian (including 5' 6" and 2' 6" gauge lines)	391	1,396	1,455	1,455	8,69,590	6,10,174	6,93,000	623	419	476	8,69,590	6,10,174	6,93,000	...	1,76,590	82,826	...
Travancore Branch	176	109	109	109	22,981	19,449	21,200	213	171	196	22,981	18,449	21,200	...	1,781	2,752	...
Tirhoot	220	792	826	826	3,38,163	2,01,769	2,09,000	427	241	253	3,38,163	2,01,769	2,09,000	...	1,29,163	7,231	...
Broach-Jambusar	53	...	30	30		1,694	2,600	...	56	87	...	1,694	2,600	2,600	...	906	...
Jorhat (Provincial)	94	32	32	32	3,990	2,535	2,500	125	79	78	3,990	2,538	2,500	...	1,490	...	38
TOTAL	417	25,594	26,528	26,640	1,75,20,778	1,18,73,691	1,31,80,900	685	448	495	1,75,20,773	1,18,73,691	1,31,80,900	...	43,39,873	13,07,209	...
All other Railways.																	
[illegible]-Patti	233	56	56	56	23,329	14,894	11,000	399	266	196	23,329	14,894	11,000	...	11,329	...	3,894
Bhopal Itarsi (Native State Section)	53	...	44	44	...	19,350	17,500	...	440	398	...	19,350	17,500	17,500	...	...	1,850
Bhopal-Ujjain	181	114	114	114	30,125	41,063	30,500	264	360	268	30,125	41,063	30,500	375	...	...	10,563
[illegible]-Baran	70	148	148	148	22,117	11,912	12,100	150	81	82	22,117	11,912	12,100	...	10,017	188	...
Delhi-Umbala-Kalka	321	192	192	192	1,15,691	79,173	79,500	602	[illegible]	348	1,15,684	79,173	79,500	...	36,184	327	...
[illegible]	[illegible]	32	32	32	16,392	14,240	12,600	548	[illegible]	334	16,392	14,240	12,600	...	3,792	...	1,640
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jullundur-Mukerian	91	...	45	45	...	4,645	3,400	...	[illegible]	84	...	4,646	3,400	3,800	...	...	345
Khanpur-Chachran	39	22	22	22	1,601	657	1,200	73	30	55	1,601	657	1,200	...	401	543	...
Ludhiana-Dhuri-Jakhal	221	79	79	79	27,799	13,720	15,900	352	161	201	27,793	13,720	15,900	...	11,899	2,180	...
[illegible]	68	...	47	47	..	2,408	3,800	...	51	81	...	2,408	3,800	3,800	...	1,392	...
[illegible]-Ujjain	197	34	34	34	10,384	9,625	5,100	305	283	150	10,384	9,625	5,100	...	5,284	...	4,525

[illegible]-Ujjain	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	30,135	[illegible]	30,800	204	460	[illegible]	30,135	21,008	[illegible]	919	...	...	[illegible]
Bina-Goona-Baran	70	148	148	146	22 117	11,912	12,100	150	81	82	23,117	11,912	12,100	...	10,017	188	...
Delhi-Umbala-Kalka	321	192	192	192	1,15,691	79,173	79,500	602	[illegible]	348	1,15,684	79,173	79,500	...	26,184	347	...
[illegible]	[illegible]	32	38	32	[illegible]	14,249	13,800	[illegible]	[illegible]	334	16,392	14,240	13,800	...	[illegible]	...	1,640
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	...	[illegible]	...	[illegible]
Jullundur-Mukerian	94	...	45	45	...	4,645	3,800	...	[illegible]	84	...	4,646	3,800	3,800	...	...	345
[illegible]-Chheharan	39	22	22	22	1,801	657	1,200	73	60	55	1,801	657	1,200	...	401	548	...
Ludhiana-Dhuri-Jakhal	221	79	79	79	27,799	12,720	15,900	352	161	201	27,793	13,720	15,900	...	11,889	3,130	...
[illegible]-Ujjain	68	...	47	47	..	2,403	3,800	...	51	81	...	2,403	3,800	3,800	...	1,392	...
Nagda-Ujjain	197	34	34	34	10,384	9,625	5,100	305	283	150	10,384	9,625	5,100	...	5,284	...	4,525
Nizam's Guaranteed State	373	334	334	331	2,02,133	1,37,923	1,16,000	605	413	347	2,02,133	1,37,923	1,16,000	...	66,188	...	21,928
Petlad-Cambay	196	34	34	34	10,758	7,882	5,909	316	232	174	10,758	7,882	5,900	...	4,858	...	1,968
Phagwara-Rahon	108	...	27	27	.	2,337	2,500	...	87	93	...	2,337	2,500	2,500	...	168	...
Rajpura-Bhatinda	296	109	105	108	62,946	35,769	36,800	583	331	341	62,946	35,709	36,800	...	26,146	1,091	...
Sara Sirajganj	...	...	23	58	...	185	4,000	...	8	75	...	185	4,000	4,000	...	3,815	...
Sialkot-Narowal	113	...	38	38	...	4,368	4,800	...	115	126	...	4,368	4,800	4,800	...	472	...
Southern Punjab (Main Line)	286	425	425	428	1,63,251	93,735	1,37,000	394	221	320	1,63,251	93,735	1,37,000	...	26,251	48,265	...
Jullundur-Doab	65	33	133	133	4,495	7,996	10,200	136	60	77	4,495	7,996	10,200	5,705	...	2,194	...
Ludhiana Extension	155	155	155	155	48 460	22,609	30,400	313	146	196	48,460	22,609	30,400	...	18,060	7,791	...
Sutlej Valley	59	209	209	2?0	21,438	11,099	10,700	103	53	51	21,438	11,099	10,700	...	10,798	...	...
Tapti Valley	214	155	155	155	53,493	34,321	31,500	345	221	203	53,493	34,331	31,500	...	21,998	...	389
Tenali Repalli	75	...	21	23	...	1,940	2,100	..	92	95	..	1,940	2,100	2,100	...	180	2,821
Ahmedabad-Dholka	70	34	34	34	4 235	2,681	2,400	125	81	71	4,235	2 681	2,400	...	1,885	...	281
Ahmedabad Parantij	88	89	89	89	15,829	7,980	7,100	178	90	80	15.829	7,980	7,100	...	8,729	...	880
Bengal and North-Western	158	1,209	1,241	1,2?9	3,64,700	2,36,172	2,44,000	304	182	197	3,64,700	2,36,172	2,44,000	...	1,20,780	17,828	...
Bengal-Dooars	206	153	153	153	30,160	25,988	28,500	197	170	186	30,160	25 988	28,500	...	1,660	3,812	...
Bezwada-Masulipatam	155	52	52	52	11,767	8,212	7,500	226	158	145	11,767	8,212	7,500	...	4,267	...	...
Bhavnagar State	127	194	249	249	46,753	32,837	41,100	241	132	165	46,753	32,837	41,100	...	5,653	8,263	713
Cooch Behar State	154	33	33	33	9 037	5 812	5,300	274	177	161	9,037	5 342	5,300	...	8,777	...	...
Dibru-Sadiya	317	86	86	86	44,000	23,127	25,100	512	269	292	44,000	23,127	25,100	...	18,980	1,973	542
Gaekwar's Mehsana (including Vijapur-Kalol Kadi)	85	184	199	209	34,789	21,343	17,500	189	107	84	34,782	21,343	17,500		17,282		...
Gondal-Porbandar State	132	211	220	231	43,716	28,531	30,600	207	130	132	43,716	29,531	30,600	...	13,116	2,060	3,843
Hyderabad-Godavari Valley (including Hingoli Branch)	201	442	442	442	1,47,817	82,831	78,800	234	187	178	1,47,817	83,831	78,800	7	69,017	...	4,081
Jaipur State	104	73	73	1?9	9,196	10,724	7,000	126	147	64	9,196	10,724	7,000	...	3,196	...	3,724
Jamnagar	115	54	54	54	9,985	6,412	6,800	185	119	124	9,985	6,412	6,800	...	3,185	388	...
Jodhpur-Bikaner	11?	995	1,106	1,106	1,94,013	1,52,953	1,18,000	195	138	107	1,94,013	1,52,953	1,18,000	...	76,013	...	54,958
Junagad State	11	113	121	121	17 979	15,910	20,400	159	131	169	17,979	15,910	20,400	2,421	...	4,490	...
Kolhapur State	215	29	29	29	12,316	7,244	7,100	443	250	245	12,316	7,244	7,100	...	5,716	...	144
Mirpur Khas-Jhudo (including Khadro Section)	38	100	100	100	6,829	3,946	4,500	68	89	45	6,829	3,946	4,500	...	2,399	554	...
Morvi (including Vankaner-Morvi, 2' 6" gauge)	160	93	93	93	21,934	15,456	13,900	236	166	149	21,934	15,456	13,900	...	8,934	...	1,556
Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	196	55	54	54	9,207	11,739	8,800	167	217	168	9,207	11,739	8,800	...	407	...	2,939
Rohilkund and Kumaon	136	268	270	270	65,396	46,989	47,500	244	174	176	65,396	46,989	47,500	...	17,596	511	...
Sangli State	163	5	5	5	1,343	1,073	900	269	215	160	1,343	1,073	900	...	443	...	173
Secunderabad Gadwal (a)	...	...	...	104	...	..	4,800	...	...	46	...	...	4,800	4,800	...	4 800	...
Shoranur-Cochin	207	65	65	65	23,340	15,037	17,500	359	231	266	23,340	15,037	17,300	...	6,040	2,868	...
Tanjore District Board	178	103	112	112	33,731	19 769	23,000	327	177	205	33,731	19,769	23,000	...	10,731	3,231	...
Udaipur-Chitorgarh	98	67	67	67	9,757	8,495	6,400	146	126	96	9,757	8,495	6,400	...	3,357	...	2,085
Barsi	175	116	117	118	47,931	23,183	28,200	413	198	239	47,931	23,183	28,200	...	19,731	5,017	...
Bilimora-Kalamba	34	...	26	26	...	3,556	3,100	...	187	119	...	3,556	3,100	3,100	...	...	456
Champaner-Shivrajpur	71	20	20	20	4,651	2,926	2,300	231	146	110	4,631	2,926	2,300	...	2,431	...	726
Dhond-Baramati	49	...	27	27	...	1,924	4,000	...	68	148	...	1,924	4,000	4,000	...	...	...
Ellichpur-Yeotmal	78	..	117	117	...	10,624	10,900	...	91	93	...	10,624	10,900	10,900	...	2,176	...
Gaekwar's Dabhoi	93	118	148	147	28,149	21,728	18,000	239	148	122	28,149	21,728	18,000	...	10,149	276	3,728
Godhra-Lunavada	40	...	25	25	...	1,036	900	...	41	36	...	1,036	900	900	...	...	136
Jacobabad-Kashmor	85	...	76	76	...	3,435	3,100	...	32	41	...	3,435	3,100	3,100	...	665	...
Kolar District (including Bangalore-Chick-Ballapur)	86	...	69	99	...	2,761	5,100	...	40	52	...	2,761	5,100	5,100	...	2,339	...
Kosamba-Zankhvav	23	26	26	26	1,089	609	600	42	23	23	1,089	609	600	...	489	...	9
Nadiad-Kapadvanj	92	28	28	28	3,597	3,150	2,700	128	112	96	3,597	3,150	2,700	...	897	...	450
Petlad-Vaso	55	...	19	19	...	1,218	1,000	...	64	53	...	1,218	1,000	1,000	...	...	218
Rajpipla State	67	37	37	37	5,544	3,535	2,200	150	96	59	5.544	3 535	2,200	...	3,844	...	1,385
Darjeeling-Himalayan	440	51	51	51	37,658	30,520	19,900	738	403	990	37,658	20,520	19,900	...	17,758	...	680
Darjeeling-Himalayan Extensions	63	...	109	100	...	6,815	9,400	...	68	94	...	6,815	9,400	9,400	...	2,585	...
Pipar-Bilara	26	25	25	25	755	555	500	30	22	20	775	555	500	...	225	...	55
TOTAL	161	7,264	8,246	8,611	21,16,516	14,61,141	14,73,300	291	175	171	21,16,516	14,61,141	14,73,300	...	6,48,216	12,159	...
GRAND TOTAL	856	32,848	34,874	35,251	1,96,87,289	1,33,34,832	1,46,54,200	506	882	416	1,96,87,289	1,33,34,832	1,46,54,200	...	49,83,089	18,19,368	...

*Include figures for Native State Section.

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Simla, the 23rd April, 1917.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 1695-C.W., dated the 17th February 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.* :—

ADDITIONS.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Argentina-Germanica de Abonos, (Sociedad) Limitada, Calle Peru 1183-1188, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Minino, Juan Patricios 1570, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ribas, Salgado & Company, Diaz Vélez 3701, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Rossi, Francisco, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ruete, Enrique, Agraciada 951, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Sociedad Argentina-Germanica de Abonas, Limitada, Calle Peru 1183-1188, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

BOLIVIA.

Companhia Commercial Mattogrossense & Boliviana Limitada, Puerto Suarez and Guajará-Mirim.
Köhler, E., & Company, Guajará-Mirim.

Mattogrossense & Boliviana, Companhia Commercial, Limitada, Puerto Suarez and Guajará-Mirim.
Pingel, Juan, La Paz.
Wäntig & Muller, Cochabamba.

BRAZIL.

Casa Edison (see Figner, Friedrich).
Companhia Commercial Mattogrossense and Boliviana Limitada, Corumba.
"Cometa" Fabrica de Roupas Brancas, Rua Haddock Lobo 94-96, Rio de Janeiro.
Fabrica de Roupas Brancas "Cometa" Rua Haddock Lobo 94-96, Rio de Janeiro.
Figner, Friedrich (Casa Edison), Rua do Ouvidor 135, Rio de Janeiro.
Lichtenfels-Brandáo, Bernardo, Avenue Centrale 57, Rio de Janeiro.
Mattogrossense and Boliviana, Companhia Commercial, Limitada, Corumba.
Regis, Joáo Deocleciano, Florianopolis.
Slues, Oscar, Santos.
Smith, Charles, Rua Direita 12, Sao Paulo.
Zerrenner, Bülow and Company, Rua Santo Antonio 52, Santos; and Rua de Sao Bento. 81, Sao Paulo.

CHILE.

Castillo, Anjel C, Coquimbo.
Dübrock and Company, Punta Arenas.
Foretich, Natalio, Roca 865, Punta Arenas.
Grisar Max, Valparaiso.
Gunther and Company, Calle O'Higgins 62, Valparaiso.
Heubel, Carlos E., Antofagasta.
Heubel, Herbert, Antofagasta.
Klammer, Guillermo, Valparaiso and Santiago.
Misol and Dübrock, Punta Arenas.
Puebla, Joaquin, Antofagasta.
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MOROCCO.

Guessus, Mohammed, Tetuan.

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Jordan, L, (Maison Chic), Kalverstraat 117, Amsterdam.
Landy, Ignaz, Fred. Hendriklaan, 34, Scheveningen.
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Bangoen Estate (Dolok Malela), East Coast of Sumatra.
Bangoen Landbouw Maatschappy, Dolok Malela and Pantoean, East Coast of Sumatra.

Borneo Industrie Maatschappy, Bandjermasin.
Brinker H. Den, Samarang and Sourabaya.
Caffin, J., Gorontalo.
Duitsch Indische Cultuur Maatschappy, Sourabaya.
Forrer, Gustav, Tebing Tinggi, Sumatra.
Glückmann, L. G., Sourabaya.
Haan, Louis De, Medan.
Hashimoto Brothers, Sourabaya.
Hoeven, Emil van der, Batavia.
Import Maatschappy De Sourabaya.
Leersum, O. van, Sourabaya.
Limoesnongal Estate, Java (Preanger Regencies).
Loebell, M. c/o Sourabaya Oliefabriek, Sourabaya.
Maribat Sumatra Plantagen Cie., G.m.b.H., Siantar, East Coast of Sumatra.
Moerkerken, L van, c/o Sourabaya Oliefabriek, Sourabaya.
Montage Bureau, Bandoeng.
Muller, Rudolph, Bandoeng.
Nagara Estate, Java (Preanger Regencies).
Pantoean Estate East Coast of Sumatra.
Priboean Cultuur Syndicaat, East Coast of Sumatra.
Röhrig, F. A. C., Kampement 48, Sourabaya.
Schwenkel, A., Balikpapan.
Soengei Bloetoe Estate, East Coast of Sumatra.
Soe Hoo Sing Handels Maatschappy, Sourabaya.
Still, Otto, Kali Bessar, Batavia.
Technische Bureau de Vlijt, Sourabaya.
Tjikopo Noord Estate, Java (Batavia Regency).
Tjimoelang Estate, Java.
Tjitemboeng Estate, Java.
Vlijt (De), Technische Bureau, Sourabaya.
Vries, Maison de, Sourabaya.
Weeren, H. van, Sourabaya.
Wolff's Machinefabriek, Sourabaya.
Wolff's Stoomkoffiebranderij, Sourabaya.

NORWAY.

Aaree, Alb, Aalesund.
Braastad & Company, Toldbodgt. 35, Christiania.
City Magazin, A/S., Kirkegt. 30, Christiania.
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Johannesen, B. H., A./S., Kirkegade 8 and Storg. 2, Christiania.
Korner, H., Skippergatan 15, Christiania.
Lorentzen, W. P., Toldbodgaten 4, Christiania.
Nordiske Grube Kompagni, A./S , Kjobmandsgt. 16, Trondhjem ; and Melovar i Senjen.
Ous, Klaus, (of Jacobsen & Braastad), Toldbodg 35, Christiania.
Skallerud, Carl, (of Jacobsen & Braastad), O. Voldgt. 12, Christiania.
Trosvik Slip & Verksted, (Patent Slipway Company), (Einar Stensrud), Brevik.

PARAGUAY.

Société Fran Caise D'Exportation (Sociedad Anonima), Sucesora de José Bell & Company, Asuncion.

SPAIN.

Arrarte, Viuda e Hijos De Casiano de, Calle Somorrostro, Santander.
Ballestero, Antonio H., (S. en C.), Malaga.
Bas, (see Morel Bas, Joaquin).
Bayer, Federico, & Company, Calle Ausias March 14-18, and Calle Bruch 18, Barcelona.
Blay, (see Mas Blay, Antonio).
Bosch, (see Oliver y Bosch, Juan).
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Capmany, Juan, Port Bou.
Colas, Gelatinas y Abonos, Sociedad Anonima Espanola de, Calle Alcala 69 and Calle del Prado 4, Madrid.
Dauphin, Alberto, Seville.
Drogueria Medela, Calle Torrijos 112, Malaga.
Einstein, Bernardo, Principe Alfonso 64, Murcia.
Fraile, Manuel, Calle Princesa 63 and Calle San Hermenegilde 5 Madrid.

Garcia, Arsenio (see Valveroe Garcia, Arsenio).
Gerdtzen, Otto, Calle de Utziaz 16, Vigo ; and Gijon.
Gomez, Candido, Ayamonte
Greiner, C. A., E Hijos, San Feliu de Guixols.
Hafner & Wienken, Calle Torrijos 112, Malaga.
Haya, Antonio, Calle Alfonso XII 32, Seville.
Hispano Alemana de Transportes Internacionales, Sociedad, Barcelona.
Industria Electrica, La, Calle Banquillo 28, Madrid ; and Barcelona.
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Morata, Antonio Visconti, (see Visconti Morata, Antonio).
Morel Bas, Joaquin, Calle Valencia 351, Barcelona
Morin, Jules, Paséo Gracia 61, Calle Ausias March 14-18 and Calle Lauria 108, Barcelona.
Oliver y Bosch, Juan, Santa Cruz de Tenerife.
Rubio, Juan, Malaga.
Sales, Angel, Calle Fernando 41, Barcelona.
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Valverde Garcia, Arsenio, Calle Diputacioñ 348, Barcelona.
Visconti Morata, Antonio, Plaza Constitucion 14 and 15, Alicante.
Wolf, Rudolf, Calle Alcalá 52, Madrid.
Yngles (see Ingles, Martin).

SWEDEN.

Kanold Broderna, Chocoladfabrik, Jacobsdahl, Örgryte, Gothenburg.
Lindegren & Rae, A/B., Bredgr. 2, Stockholm.

VENEZUELA.

Amφdo, Joaquin, Maracaibo.
Belloso Rossel Hermanos, Maracaibo.
Bozo, Audio. & Company, Maracaibo.
Garcia, C. M., Maracaibo.
Pulgar, J. A. é Hijo, Maracaibo.
Quintero, Ciro, Maracaibo.
Vargas, T. Enrique, Maracaibo.

REMOVALS.

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Eberson, Otto, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Iglesias, Justo, A., Piedras 338 and Dom. Agraciada 2114, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Muller (or Müller), Frederico, Livestock Importer, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ruete & Guyer, Montevideo, Uruguay.

BRAZIL.

Cardoso, Victor Mattos. Para.
Nobrega, Sergio Augusto, Joinville, Sta. Catharina ; and Sao Francisco do Sul.
Oliva, G. Sao Paulo.

CHILE.

Spoerer, Oscar, & Company, Concepcion.

GREECE.

Frandzis, P., & Fiorentino, G., Vathy, Samos.

JAPAN.

Harada Kakujiro, Kobe.

MOROCCO.

Ankri, Yusèf el, Laraiche.
Assayag, Solomon, Laraiche.
Azulay, Solomon David, Alcazar.
Bendayan, Salomon, Laraiche.
Kouira, Drees, Laraiche.

NETHERLANDS.

Aker, P., Andijk.

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Jacobsen & Braastad, Toldbodgt, 35, Christiania; and Aalesund (see Braastad & Company).
Olsen, Kornelius (Smörfabrikken "Victoria"), Bredgt. 10, and Jorenholmsg. 14, Stavanger.
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VARIATIONS.

BOLIVIA.

Schutt, Nicolas (Partner of Morales, Bertram and Company), Sucre.

BRAZIL.

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Marx, W., (*alias* Henrique Oliveira & Company, *alias* "Norbert Hertz" *alias* "Nils Nissen"), Rua da Alfandega 102, Rio de Janeiro.
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"Nils Nissen" (see W. Marx.)

CHILE.

Armstrong, Isaac Enrique, Talcahuano.
Samhaber, Augusto, Valparaiso; and Casilla 619, Calle Merced, 720, Santiago.

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Habu & Company, 82, Sakae-machi, 1, Chome, Kobe.
Imada, Takehiro (Imada & Company), 39, Akashi-machi, Kobe.
Kimura, K. Kimura Shoten Shimo-osaki, Tokyo; 4, Honkawaya-cho, Nihonbashi Tokyo; and 81, Kyo-machi, Kobe.
Kojiro Yayama, Shimo Yamate-dori, 2, Chome, Kobe,
should read.
Yayama Shoten, Ikutamaye, and 50, Shimo-Yamate-dori, 1, Chome, Kobe.
Lieseeke, J., 80, Kyo-machi, and 17, Harima-machi, Kobe.
Nakamura Yushutsuten (Nichidoku Shoten), 169, Sannomiya-cho, Itchome, Kobe.

NETHERLANDS.

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NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Vrijberghe de Coningh, A. J., Sourabaya.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Los Helios, Manila,
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Barrau, Teixido, Passeo de Gracia 47, Barcelona.
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Teixidó Barrau, Juan, Passeo de Gracia 47, Barcelona,
Soujol, Carlos, Plaza Urquinaona 3, Barcelona.

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VENEZUELA.

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should read
Quintero Santana, Caracciolo, San Cristobal.

This Department Notification No. 4157-C. W., dated the 21st April 1917, published at pages 667 to 672 of the Gazette of India of the same date is hereby cancelled.

H. F. HOWARD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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MONDAY, APRIL 23, 1917.

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POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

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J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

AN

ORDINANCE.

TO

Amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1917.

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1917.

XI of 1917.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915, the Governor-General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:—

5 & 6 Geo. V., C. 61.

ORDINANCE No. II OF 1917.

Short title.

1. This Ordinance may be called the Indian Paper Currency (Amendment) Ordinance, 1917.

Amendment of section 3, Act XI of 1917.

2. Section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1917, shall be construed as if for the words "three hundred millions," the words "four hundred and twenty millions" were substituted.

XI of 1917.

CHELMSFORD,

Viceroy and Governor-General.

DEHRA DUN:

The 18th April 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 18th April 1917.

No. 4176C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the export of rice from any port in Burma to Calcutta.

H. F. HOWARD,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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Notifications by High Court, Comptroller-General, etc.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

The 17th March 1917.

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J. P HEWETT,
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J. J. MEIKLE,
Publisher, Gazette of India.

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THE PATENT OFFICE.

PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 28th April 1917.

APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

April 16.

3014. A. E. Pearse. *Electric bell switch working in conjunction with the railway carriage private door lock.*

3015. Thakurdass Sureka. *The "Patternless" system of producing rice-bowl moulds by means of dies.*

April 17.

3016. A. A. Crozier. *Improvements in or relating to pneumatic tyres for the wheels of motor cars and other vehicles.*

3017. A. A. Bachmann. *A new or improved receptacle for the storage and for retail sale of groceries, tea, tobacco and the like.*

3018. Minerals Separation, Ld. *Improvements in ore concentration.*

3019. New Motor Speciality (Empire Automatic Petrol Economiser) Co., Ld. *Improvements in or relating to auxiliary air valves for internal combustion engines.*

3020. S. A. Alexander. *An apparatus for indicating the rate of bark consumption in the process of tapping rubber trees and the like.*

April 18.

3021. J. L. McKim. *Improvements in pneumatic apparatus for applying rough cast or other plaster to the walls of buildings or structures or other surfaces.*

3022. H. A. Humphrey and W. J. Rusdell. *Improvements in internal combustion engines.*

3023. Roushan Ali Khan. *Improved lock brick.*

April 19.

3024. E. J. Lane. *Improvements in machines for making carpenters' joints.*

3025. J. Hettinger. *Improvements in and relating to aerial conductors for wireless signalling and other purposes.*

April 21.

3026. P. C. Mallick, and S. C. Mallick. *Improvements in apparatus and methods of cooking food.*

3027. Hari Shanker. *Lower lid retractor for surgical use.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

Notice is hereby given that all persons interested in opposing the grant of a Patent on any one of the applications, referred to below, may, at any time within three months of the date of this *Gazette of India*, give notice at the Patent Office in the prescribed form No. 5 of such opposition.

Printed copies of the specifications in the following list will be on sale at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, within about three weeks.

Any one desiring a copy posted to an address in British India should send to the Patent Office the sum of annas eight by money-order on which the number of the application should be stated on the coupon at the foot of the order.

2889. L. Wilputte. *Improvement in coke oven.*

2915. B. Tapidass. *Improved shegdi or stove.*

2916. W. C. Edman. *Metal chair for railway trough sleepers.*

2973. A. P. G. Lorimer. *Surgical dressing table.*

2990. Minerals Separation Limited. *Improvements in ore concentration.*

2992. A. A. Crozier. *Improvements in or applicable to pneumatic tyres for the wheels of motor cars and other vehicles.*

2993. Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co., Ld. *Improvements in valve receivers for wireless signals.*

2995. J. H. Humphryes. *Improvements in and relating to tanks and like receptacles.*

2996. W. J. Melhuish. *A milk-like food for the feeding of agricultural stock.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

Printed copies of the undernoted specifications may be purchased at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, annas eight each.

2536. Vibrocel Co., Ld. *Improvements in and relating to the protection and repairing of river and canal banks, sudmerged masonry and other structures.*

2555. J. K. Porter and H. F. Morris. *Hydraulic method of drilling oil, water and other wells.*

2710. A. Craven. *Improvements in coupling and draw-bar gear.*

2713. A Craven. *Improvements in central buffing and draw gear for railway vehicles and the like.*

2856. P. D. Bhargava. *A combination mica and tin chimney for lamps.*

2869. K. S. Laurie. *Cement paint.*

2903. K. S. Sanghani. *Centringless flat arch flooring.*

2951. Lamson Paragon Supply Co., Ld. *An improved file or folder for holding documents.*

2954. F. R. Rand & Co., Ld. *Improvements in controllers for the doors of railway wagons and the like.*

2959. C. Cortesi, E. Prassone and A Contin. *Frigorifical apparatus working in closed cycle without parts in movement.*

2964. R. L. Pritchard. *Improved process and apparatus for separating fibres from bast plants and other adhering fibres.*

2967. American Rolling Mill Co. *Improvements in nestable culverts.*

2969. J. E. Grant and Morgan Crucible Co., Ld. *Improvements in or connected with carbon brushes for dynamo-electric machines.*

SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

Notice is hereby given that a patent may now be sealed on the applications referred to below. If it is desired that a patent should be sealed, a request on the prescribed form No. 7, accompanied by the fee, R30, should be sent to the Controller of Patents, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta.

2386. Jha.
2843. Burgess.
2815. Garbis.
2846. Stewart.

PATENTS SEALED.

2562. Godward.
2826. Griffin.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

15 of 1904. Small & Parkes, Ld. and anr. (To 10 August 1918.)

540 of 1907. Kershaw and ors. (To 22 April 1918.)

195 of 1908. Jagger. (To 8 June 1918.)

388 of 1908. Maschinenfabrik Munchen G. m. b. H. (To 20 April 1918.)

430 of 1908. Harker. (To 20 April 1918.)

68 of 1909. Badische Anilin & Soda Fabrik. (To 21 April 1918.)

141 of 1909. Barton. (To 24 April 1918.)
50 of 1910. Spalding. (To 27 April 1918.)
461 of 1910. Esplen. (To 18 April 1918.)
126 of 1911. Consolidated Brake & Engineering Co., Ld. and anr. (To 25 April 1918.)
227 of 1912. Corthesy and anr. (To 8 May 1918.)
929 of 1913. Good and ors. (To 6 May 1918.)
935 of 1913. Melamid. (To 9 May 1918.)
955 of 1913. Remington Typewriter Co , Ld. (To 14 May 1918.)
1048 of 1913. Bilbrough and anr. (To 7 July 1918.)

CESSATION OF EXCLUSIVE PRIVILEGES.

The public are warned that entries under this heading must not be accepted as final, as under the provisions of Rules 9 and 11 of " The Indian Patents and Designs (Temporary) Rules, 1915," the Controller may extend the time prescribed by the Indian Patents and Designs Act, 1911, and by the Inventions and Designs Act, 1888, for paying the necessary renewal fees.

The Patent Office will supply on request definite information, so far as possible, as to the position of any particular Patent or Exclusive Privilege.

1904.

452, (Kehr).

1911.

187, (Sutton). 413, (Armstrong and anr.). 733, (Forbes). 790, (Reddie). 791 (Dennison).

1913

698, (McWilliams). 699, (House). 702, (Maxwell-Lefroy). 703, (Stas Rotations-motor-G. m b H). 704, (Fortescue). 707, (Ulysse) 708, (Leinweber).

DESIGNS ENTERED ON THE REGISTER.

From April 16th to 21st.

Class 13. Nos. 5520 to 5568 and 5579 to 5596. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. April 17

Class 13. Nos. 5601 to 5606 Anderson Wright & Co, 22 Strand Road, Calcutta. April 19.

Class 14. Nos 5569 to 5571. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. April 17.

Class 15. Nos. 5572 to 5578 and 5597 to 5600 The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. April 17.

REPORT OF THE PATENT OFFICE.

The following report on the working of the Patent Office during the calendar year 1916, is published for general information.

No 1155-P., dated Calcutta, the 31st March 1917.

FROM—H. G. GRAVES, ESQ., CONTROLLER OF PATENTS AND DESIGNS,

TO—THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY,

I have the honour to submit, for the information of the Government of India, the Annual Report of the Patent Office during the calendar year 1916.

2. The office at 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, has been in my charge during this year.

3. Four hundred and forty-two applications for patents and 1773 applications to register designs were made in 1916 as compared with 445 and 904 respectively in 1915. The income of the office increased from ₨69,760-3 in 1915 to ₨77,608-13 in 1916. Figures for previous years will be found in the appended tables. If the natural increase of pre-war conditions had been continued, there would have been about 800 applications for patents and an income of over ₨80,000. Apart from the falling off in applications, the war does not appear to have made any material change in the nature of inventions in this country where the novel necessities of the moment are not apparent and cannot therefore be supplied by would-be patentees.

4. Altogether, 2649 patents were in force on 31st December 1916. These include 1814 patents out of 2108 sealed on 2858 applications under the Indian Patents and Designs Act, 1911, together with 65 of the 148 patents converted under section 81 of that Act. The balance 770 consists of exclusive privileges remaining under the Inventions and Designs Act, 1888. Renewal fees with or without additional fees for late payment were paid on 987 cases during the year and the cessation of 719 exclusive privileges and patents were notified. The patents granted in 1912, when the present Act came into force, are now beginning to cease owing to failure to pay the necessary renewal fees. The following table shows the effect of these fees on the life of the patents before 1913. After that year the number increases, as 18 months or more are allowed for sealing.

Date of application	1916	1915	1914	1913	1912	1911	1910	1909
Number of applications	442	445	588	705	678	807	667	695
Alive on 31st December 1915	—	137	438	593	608	526	224	141
Alive on 31st December 1916	136	300	471	593	314	230	168	115

Date of application	1908	1907	1906	1905	1904	1903	1902	1901
Number of applications	551	615	620	586	554	536	524	496
Alive on 31st December 1915	82	96	78	54	42	21	18	12
Alive on 31st December 1916	67	81	62	44	38	18	10	1

5. One application for extension of the patent term was refused but eight patents which had been allowed to lapse, were restored under the provisions made for that purpose. Twelve applications for extension of the term of copyright in designs were allowed. Six oppositions, three more than in the previous year, were made to the grant of patents the opponent was successful in three cases, the applicant in one, and two are pending. Nine applications to amend specifications were made and eight allowed with or without modification, one being refused. Entries of assignments, licenses, etc., were made on the Register of Patents in 41 cases.

6. One appeal was made from the decision of the Controller to the Governor-General in Council and disallowed. Altogether there have been 7 appeals in which the Controller's decision was supported four times, reversed once and varied twice. The latter cases led to a modification of the Rules.

7. Specifications, as soon as they are printed, are distributed to 25 centres scattered throughout India (see appended list). They may be consulted together with the other publications of this office free of charge, and copies are on sale at uniform price of eight annas each. Some 2576 specifications of inventions are in this way available, and the number will increase year by year. Copies of the specifications received from the United Kingdom Patent Office are also open to public inspection at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, the Record Office, Bombay, and the Connemara Library, Madras.

8. The practice of the previous year in respect of enemy patents and other matters under the Indian Patents and Designs (Temporary Rules) Act and Indian Patents and Designs (Temporary) Rules 1915 has been continued without alteration. Two more orders avoiding or suspending patents were made and there are now eight in force affecting seven patents. Royalties amounting to ₨1,080-9-7 have been paid to Government by the Licensees.

9. The Patent Office Handbook (price one rupee), containing the current Acts and Rules and instructions of interest to persons interested in inventions and designs, was issued during the year. Copies were distributed freely and the sale is increasing, 173 copies having been sold during the year. Sales of other publications including the consolidated and annual indexes and printed specifications amount to about ₨500.

10. The work of the office has progressed satisfactorily and has been kept up to date during the year. The annual and quarterly numbers of the "Patent Office Journal" have been issued as usual.

11. The usual tables are appended.

APPENDIXES.

A.—List of places receiving copies of the Patent Office Journal and Specifications of inventions on the condition that they may be seen by the public free of charge.

Place	Institution
AHMEDABAD	R. C. Technical Institute.
ALLAHABAD	Public Library.
BANGALORE	Indian Institute of Science.
BOMBAY	Record Office.
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ROORKEE	Thomason College.
SHOLAPUR	Office of the Collector.
WASHINGTON, U. S. A.	The Patent Office.

B.—Table showing number of applications from persons in India and abroad.

	1916.	1915.	1914	1913.	1912.	1911.	1910.
Natives of India	61	70	56	65	50	64	62
Other residents in India	105	105	117	132	120	142	137
Foreign	276	270	415	508	508	601	468
TOTAL	442	445	588	705	678	807	667

C.—Statement showing the number of inventions and designs applications and the fees received in the Patent Office from 1890 to 1916.

Year.	Application.		Number of specifications filed.	Fees.					Total receipts.	
	Inventions.	Designs.		Applications.		Continuance of privilege.	Miscellaneous.			
				First fee.	Second fee.					
				R	R	R	R	A.	R	A.
1890	319	49	194	3,680	5,820	50	856	10	10,406	10
1891	347	171	236	5,180	7,080	750	752	0	13,762	0
1892	336	89	305	4,250	9,150	1,400	905	6	15,705	6
1893	375	87	253	4,120	7,590	4,300	897	2	16,907	2
1894	375	38	294	4,180	8,820	6,610	2,270	10	21,880	10
1895	417	40	320	4,570	9,600	8,000	1,205	14	23,375	14
1896	460	27	312	4,870	9,360	11,950	1,281	5	27,461	5
1897	451	19	392	4,700	11,760	13,050	1,387	2	30,897	2
1898	481	16	409	4,970	12,270	17,400	1,523	9	36,163	9
1899	481	20	415	5,010	12,450	19,100	2,033	2	38,593	2

C.—Statement showing the number of inventions and designs applications and the fees received in the Patent Office from 1890 to 1916—concld.

Year.	Application.		Number of specifications filed and patents sealed.	Fees.				Total receipts
	Inventions.	Designs		Applications		Continuance of privilege.	Miscellaneous.	
				First fee.	Second fee.			
				R	R	R	R A	R A.
1900 . .	492	22	410	5,140	12,300	23,700	1,824 5	42,964 5
1901 . .	496	27	412	5,230	12,360	26,210	1,300 1	45,100 1
1902 . .	524	28	375	5,520	11,250	27,000	1,777 4	45,547 4
1903 . .	540	27	444	5,670	13,320	29,200	1,337 12	49,527 12
1904 . .	552	32	468	5,840	14,040	36,450	1,431 13	57,761 13
1905 . .	586	15	467	6,110	14,010	33,150	1,496 12	54,766 12
1906 . .	620	15	538	6,440	16,140	34,250	1,040 3	57,870 3
1907 . .	615	34	508	6,650	15,240	37,550	1,164 11	60,604 11
1908 .	551	60	471	6,380	14,130	37,800	1,288 10	59,598 10
1909 . .	695	51	503	7,540	15,090	42,200	1,370 10	66,200 10
1910 . .	667	30	618	7,080	18,540	39,450	2,057 15	67,827 15
1911 . .	507	87	605	8,950	18,150	42,100	1,777 4	70,977 4
1912 . .	678	343	* 354 § 284	7,194	* 10,620 § 8,520	48,150	2,533 1	72,017 1
1913 . .	705	741	* 11 § 599	7,547-6	* 330 § 17,970	43,700	2,612 0	72,159 6
1914 .	588	1,440	557	6,688-13	16,710	47,150	2,610 11	73,159 8
1915 .	445	904	389	4,981 8	10,170	51,450	3,158 11	69,760 3
1916 . .	442	1,773	331	5,375-5	9,980	59,550	2,753 5	77,608 13

* Specifications. § Patents

D.—Table showing the applications for the registration of Designs.

Class.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Not registered	Total.
1912 . .	10	..	2	2	2	..	..	4	..	...	..	..	279	10	23	1	10	343
1913 .	17	1	5	2	3	.	1	.	2	..	.	..	623	2	55	2	28	741
1914 . .	17	...	4	4	1	..	..	...	...	..		..	1,165	2	227	3	17	1,440
1915 . .	12	.	...	.	2	2		..	..	..	2	1	743	..	91	1	50	904
1916 . .	4	.	2	3	3	1	.		..	..	1	.	1,491	198	53	.	17	1,773
TOTAL .	60	1	13	11	11	3	1	4	2	..	3	1	4,301	212	449	7	122	5,201

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NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

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2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
5. Tracers.
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SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	R
For quantities 60 lbs and above in one delivery	28 per lb
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs but below 60 lbs in one delivery	29 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	30 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs in one delivery	11 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs in one delivery	5 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	6 ,,

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	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

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Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0 10 0
,, 2 ,,	,, 6 ,,	,,	Re.	1 0 0
,, 3 ,,	,, 9 ,,	,,	Re.	1 8 0

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It is hereby notified that claims from the undermentioned individuals on account of the patrimony due to them should be submitted to the Controller of Military Accounts, Bolarum, through the Staff Officer of the station at which each claimant may be residing :—

Names of Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Brooks, John, Sergeant, Infantry Veteran Company	Caroline Brooks (daughter). Dennis Brooks (son).
Brandon, John, Gunner, European Artillery Veteran Company.	John Brandon (son).* Charles Brandon (son).
Clarkson, Samuel, Artificer, Carnatic Ordnance Department.	Ann Clarkson (daughter).
Carroll, J., Sergeant, 2nd European Light Infantry	Elizabeth Carroll (daughter). Joseph Carroll (son). Agnes Carroll (daughter).
Cosser, J., Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department	John Cosser (son).
Crawley, Sergeant	George Wellington Crawley (son).
Doyle, I., Gunner, 4th Battalion, Madras Artillery	James Doyle (son).
Danford, S., Gunner, 3rd Battalion, Madras Artillery	Amelia, *alias* Emma Danford (daughter).
Furlong, I., Corporal, 3rd Madras European Regiment	John Furlong (son).
Flynn, J., Corporal, 1st Madras Fusiliers	James Flynn (son). William Flynn (son). Joseph Flynn (son).
Grimstone, R., Sergeant, 3rd Madras European Regiment.	Perquira Grimstone (daughter). Richard Grimstone (son).
Hawkins, Richard, Private, European Infantry Veteran Company.	Jeremiah Mitchell Hawkins (Fosterson). George Hawkins (son).
Hunsley, W., Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department	Charles Hunsley (son).
Hutchins, James, Gunner, 2nd Battalion, Artillery	George Henry Hutchins (son).
Healey, P., Hospital Sergeant	Edward Healey (son). Frank Healey (son).
Keleker, I. T., Bombardier, 3rd Battalion, Artillery	Mary Keleker (daughter).
Knowles, W. S., Bugler, D. Company, 1st Battalion, Madras Artillery.	Andrew James Knowles (son).
McDonald, B., 2nd Corporal, Sappers and Miners	James McDonald (son).
McGuire, Michael, Staff Barrack-Sergeant, B. Company, 4th Battalion, Artillery.	Andrew McGuire (son).
McManus, J., Foreman, Carnatic Ordnance Artificer Corps	Agnes Maude McManus (daughter). Mary Elizabeth McManus (daughter). Reith McManus (daughter). Patrick John McManus (son).
Murphy, I., Private, 3rd Madras European Regiment	James Murphy (son).
Nicholson, T., Shoeing Smith	Arabella Hannah Nicholson (daughter).
Rothe, R., Corporal, 2nd European Light Infantry	Catherine Rothe (daughter).
Scully, E., Sub-Overseer	Eleanor Scully (daughter). John Scully (son).
Smith, Michael, Colour-Sergeant, 1st Madras Fusiliers	Mary Ann Smith (daughter).
Smithes, R., Sergeant, 2nd Battalion, Artillery	Henry Smithes (son).
Sheepard, J., Sergeant, 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery	John Sheepard (son). Ellen Sheepard (daughter).
Wallace, J., Gunner, 4th Battalion, Artillery	John Wallace (son). Thomas Wallace (son).
Wiggins, R., Gunner, Madras Artillery	John M. Wiggins (son).

* Claim received, but claimant has not yet appeared to receive payment.

Office of the Controller of Military Accounts,
9th (Secunderabad) Division, Bolarum,
7th April 1917.

G. R. O'DOWD,
for *Controller of Military Accounts.*

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 24th April 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 22nd April 1917.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE. COIN AND BULLION. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).		TOTAL.	REMARKS.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta	38,01,920	30,43,96,780	30,81 98 700	4,85 28,905	1,21,61,790	94 99,915	5,92,50,000	45,11,201		..	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 39,62,23,630	62,51,75,387	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R41,17,26,571. (c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Ordinance No. II of 1917 at a cost of R31,12,23,630.
Cawnpore	..	1,50,41,600	1,50.41,600	1,07,70,569	94,25 002	.	.	.	...				2 01,95,591	
Lahore	...	6,81,12,860	6 51,12 860	1 91,41 040	1,88,64,255		.		.	...	..	.	3,80,05,335	
Bombay	54,98,250	24,35,35,025	24 90 28,275	2,43,10,535	4 98,78,253	1,47,61,480	.		.	...	...	.	8,89,45,248	
Karachi		3,08 54,030	3 08 54,030	48,17,693	36,81,030		...		...		..	.	84,98,723	
Madras	19,72,180	9,83.23 975	10,02 96,155	1,75,92,750	1,17,69 630	.	..	..	..		...	..	2 93 62,410	
Rangoon	...	6 52,49 045	6,52,49,045	1,50 97,081	98 74,965		..	.	...			...	2 49,72,946	
	1,12,67,350	81 55 13 315	83 67,80 665	13,53,58,623	11,56,49 935	2,42,61,395	5,92,50,000	45,11,201	.	.	9,99,99,946	39,62,23,630	83,51,54,730	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			27,50,935	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									11,25,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			83,40,29,730	TOTAL RESERVE R									83 40,29,730	

Gold worth £113,000 (Rs. 16,95,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 22nd April 1917.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 22nd April 1917 to 21 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Controller of Currency

BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th April 1917.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT.		GRAND TOTAL
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	TOTAL.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	
Balance of 31st March 1917	28,29,900	95,29,100	4,29,77,800	1,48,68,200	65,35,100	22,48,600	7,61,58,800	2,500	40,50,400	8,30,41,600
Add—										
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No. 6201A., dated 3rd November 1908	...	...	...	...	...	600	600	...	...	600
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	28,29,900	95,29,100	4,29,77,800	1,48,68,200	65,35,100	22,49,200	7,61,59,400	2,500	40,50,400	8,30,42,200
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers	700	...	1,00,000	...	...	..	1,00,000	...	...	1,00,700
Balance on 15th April 1917	28,29,200	95,29,100	4,28,77,800	1,48,68,200	65,35,100	22,49,200	7,60,59,400	2,500	40,50,400	8,29,41,500

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Feb. 1917 Enfaced from India 12,406 lakhs, re-transferred from London 12,918 lakhs
" 16th Feb 1917 " 28th " " ditto ... ditto ...
" 1st March " " 15th Mar. " ditto 4 lakhs ditto 1 lakh
" 16th " " 31st " " ditto ... ditto 9 lakhs
" 1st April " " 15th Apl. " ditto ... ditto 1 lakh

12,410 12,929

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 9th April 1917.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 16TH TO 22ND APRIL 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.												Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for Ceylon Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.										
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Cents coined and paid over.	Closing balance
Calcutta . .	54	...	...	54	32	...	32	9	(a) 71	12	...	92	...	...	...	...	...	15
Bombay . .	81	..	...	81	57	...	57	...	(b) 133	4	..	137	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 1 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(b) Exclusive of 65 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint;
Calcutta, the 25th April 1917.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 24th April 1917.

LIABILITIES.				Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up				2,00,00,000	0	0
	Rs.	A.	P.			
Reserve Fund	2,13,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	63,00,000	0	0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				63,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	5,43,28,998	5	6			
Public Deposits at Branches	2,08,10,820	14	11	7,51,39,819	4	5
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				21,73,67,578	7	0
Bank Post Bills, etc.				16,45,800	14	2
Sundries				23,58,807	2	6
RUPEES				33,78,12,005	12	1

ASSETS.				Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities				6,61,67,912	12	0
Other authorized Investments				1,21,20,815	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities				6,46,44,934	5	4
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities				4,24,77,216	5	11
Bills discounted and purchased				2,76,90,883	7	2
Balances with other Banks				44,26,013	6	2
Bullion				......		
Dead Stock				29,79,440	9	10
Stamps				11,923	15	1
Sundries				3,95,230	6	11
	Rs.	A.	P.	22,09,14,370	4	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	7,42,55,904	10	5			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches †	4,26,41,730	13	3	11,68,97,635	7	8
RUPEES				33,78,12,005	12	1

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,50,842 8 0
† Do. do. do. „ 5,18,235 0 0

Rs. 8,69,077 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 26th April 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 39·42

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CURRENCY.

The following is a statement of the cash balances at the Home Treasury of the Government of India on the last day of February 1917 and of the form in which they were held :—

	General Balance.	Gold Standard Reserve.
	£	£
Cash at the Bank of England	1,724,710	...
Short loans	3,914,270	6,106,438
Total Home Treasury balances as shown in the accounts	5,638,980	6,106,438
	11,745,418	

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

THE TREASURY;
Calcutta, the 25th April 1917.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF MILITARY SUPPLY ACCOUNTS—ACCOUNTS SECTION.

List of Government Promissory notes and other securities remaining in deposit with the Controller of Military Supply Accounts, Calcutta, on 31st December 1916 on account of security deposits of contractors, etc.

Designation of officer from whom received and to whom interest is sent.	Amount of investment.							
	3½ per cent. 1842-43.	3½ per cent. 1865.	3½ per cent. 1879.	3½ per cent. 1900-01.	3 per cent. 1896-97.	3½ per cent. 1854-55.	4 per cent. 1916-17.	TOTAL.
Government Promissory notes on which interest is drawn.								
Superintendent, Army Clothing Factory, Alipore.	200	5,100	...	500	5,000	...	...	11,700
Superintendent, Army Cloth-Factory, Madras.	...	...	...	400	1,000	100	...	1,500
Superintendent, Ammunition Factory, Dum Dum.	...	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	1,000
Superintendent, Gun Shell Factory, Cossipore.	...	...	500	...	...	...	...	500
Superintendent, Hosur Remount Depôt.	...	...	...	1,200	...	...	...	1,200
Superintendent, Remount Depôt, Saharanpur.	...	500	...	...	...	...	...	500
Assistant Director of Ordnance Stores, 5th and 6th Divisions, Kirkee.	...	6,000	...	...	...	...	...	6,000
Assistant Director of Ordnance Stores, 3rd and 7th Divisions, Ferozepore.	...	1,000	...	...	...	1,000	...	2,000
Assistant Director of Ordnance Stores, 8th Division, Allahabad.	...	2,500	...	...	...	...	...	2,500
Assistant Director of Dairy Farms, N. C., Kasauli.	...	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	1,000
Assistant Director of Dairy Farms, S. C., Poona.	...	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	1,000
Ordnance Officer in charge, Agra Depôt.	...	500	...	...	...	...	...	500
Medical Store-keeper to Government, Calcutta.	...	...	...	200	...	...	...	200
Medical Store-keeper to Government, Madras.	...	...	...	...	3,050	...	...	3,050
Medical Store-keeper to Government, Bombay.	...	500	...	...	...	...	...	500
Superintendent, Remount Depôt, Ahmednagar.	...	...	...	...	700	...	...	700
Director of Ordnance Factories, Calcutta.	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,000	10,000
TOTAL .	200	19,100	500	2,300	10,650	1,100	10,000	43,850

Designation of officer from whom received and to whom interest is sent.	AMOUNT OF INVESTMENT.					
	3½ per cent. 1842-43.	3½ per cent. 1854-55.	3½ per cent. 1900-01.	3 per cent. 1896-97.	Bank deposit receipts.	TOTAL.
Government Promissory notes received but not yet converted into Stock.						
Director, Ordnance Factories, Calcutta . .	...	3,500	...	...	...	3,500
For Safe Custody.						
Superintendent, Army Clothing Factory, Alipore .	...	500	2,400	300	...	3,200
Superintendent, Army Clothing Factory, Madras .	...	...	...	1,500	...	1,500
Medical Store-keeper to Government, Calcutta .	200	...	900	500	...	1,600
TOTAL .	200	500	3,300	2,300	...	6,300
Bank Deposit Receipts.						
Assistant Director of Ordnance Stores, 1st and 2nd Divisions, Rawalpindi.	...	...	...	...	2,200	...
Superintendent, Army Clothing Factory, Shahjahanpur.	...	...	...	...	1,500	...
Superintendent, Remount Depôt, Mona . .	...	...	...	...	1,500	...
Manager, Military Dairy Farm, Lucknow . .	...	...	...	...	1,000	...
Manager, Military Dairy Farm, Mhow . .	...	...	...	...	800	...
Superintendent, Harness and Saddlery Factory, Cawnpore.	...	...	...	...	20,000	...
TOTAL .	...	...	...	...	27,000	...

F. W. BAGSHAWE, Lt.-Colonel,
for Senior Controller of Military Supply Accounts.

CALCUTTA;
Dated 21st April 1917.

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ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Receipts in the North-West Frontier Province for February 1917 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1916-17.

REVENUE AND RECEIPTS	BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1916-17			Receipts in February 1917.	RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 28TH FEBRUARY 1917.		
	Imperial	Special	TOTAL.		Imperial.	Special	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs	Rs.
I.—Land Revenue	.	22,27,000	22,27,000	1,73,567		20,99,055	20,99,055
II.—Opium	...	49,000	49,000	4,780	...	48,411	48,411
IV.—Stamps	...	6,84,000	6,84,000	68,647	...	6,19,732	6,19,732
V.—Excise	..	3,19,000	3,19,000	53,916	.	3,45,428	3,45,428
VI.—Provincial Rates		2,000	2,000	...	...	3,021	3,021
VII.—Customs	...	...	...	..	...		...
VIII.—Income Tax	6,000	2,12,000	2,18,000	22,817	5,731	2,22,679	2,28,410
IX.—Forest	.	2,21,000	2,21,000	12,433	...	1,63,419	1,63,419
X.—Registration	..	44,000	44,000	4,977	...	43,608	43,608
XI.—Tribute from Native States	..	..	..	...	..	...	...
XII.—Interest	30,000		30,000	3,274	34,488		34,488
XVIA.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	..	1,50,000	1,50,000	14,895	...	2,22,683	2,22,683
XVIB— Ditto —Jails	..	45,000	45,000	4,632	.	44,708	44,708
XVII.—Police		49,000	49,000	1,985	...	25,643	25,643
XIX.—Education	..	24,000	24,000	2,043	..	1,49,005	1,49,005
XX.—Medical	.	8,000	8,000	—2,006	...	—607	—607
XXIA.—Agriculture		6,000	6,000	29	.	635	635
XXIB.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	...	1,000	1,000	5	...	417	417
XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuation, etc.		21,000	21,000	2,360	...	25,235	25,235
XXIII.—Stationery and Printing	...	23,000	23,000	3,647	...	20,181	20,181
XXV.—Miscellaneous	.	1,23,000	1,23,000	14,528	...	1,26,201	1,26,201
XXIX.—Irrigation—Major Works—Direct Receipts	5,37,000	4,13,000	9,50,000	1,10,208	3,84,322	3,84,322	7,68,644
XXX.—Irrigation—Minor Works and Navigation	.	...		...	...		...
XXXI.—Civil Works	...	1,50,000	1,50,000	11,830	...	1,32,328	1,32,328
TOTAL REVENUE AND RECEIPTS	5,73,000	47,71,000	53,44,000	5,08,587	4,24,541	46,76,094	51,00,635
Add—Debt Accounts		...	..	94,62,656	...	...	9,45,64,481
TOTAL	.	...	...	99,71,193	...	...	9,96,65,116
Opening Cash Balance		...	...	(b) 25,20,640	...	...	(a) 24,36,019
GRAND TOTAL	.	.	...	1,24,91,833	...	...	10,21,01,135

(a) On 1st April 1916 (b) On 1st February 1917.

W. ALDER,
Accountant-General, Punjab.

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB,
LAHORE:
The 19th April 1917.

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Expenditure in the North-West Frontier Province for February 1917 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1916-17.

EXPENDITURE.	Budget Estimate for 1916-17.			Disbursement in February 1917.	Disbursement from 1st April to 28th February 1917.		
	Imperial.	Special	Total.		Imperial.	Special.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1.—Refunds and Drawbacks	10,000	10,000	20,000	2,562	11,541	11,540	23,081
2.—Assignments and Compensations	9,000	9,000	18,000	158	8,826	8,827	17,653
3.—Land Revenue	3,90,000	2,99,000	6,89,000	44,177	3,54,934	2,52,554	6,07,488
6.—Stamps	12,000	12,000	24,000	1,794	9,128	9,129	18,257
7.—Excise	9,000	9,000	18,000	1,072	6,414	6,415	12,829
10.—Income Tax	1,000	..	1,000	62	363	363	726
11.—Forest	59,000	60,000	1,19,000	17,666	39,032	39,031	78,063
12.—Registration	6,000	6,000	12,000	1,022	5,433	5,434	10,867
13.—Interest on Ordinary Debt	...		...	...	...	...	...
14.—Interest on other obligations	..	..	...	...	6		6
18.—General Administration	2,61,000	1,20,000	3,81,000	30,048	2,24,062	98,608	3,22,665
19A.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	4,20,000	2,25,000	6,45,000	59,624	4,07,126	2,00,150	6,07,276
19B.— Ditto —Jails	1,37,000	1,37,000	2,74,000	22,923	1,43,289	1,43,289	2,86,578
20.—Police	10,85,000	10,86,000	21,71,000	1,85,763	9,97,754	9,97,754	19,95,508
22.—Education	2,72,000	2,72,000	5,44,000	22,243	2,44,919	2,44,920	4,89,839
23.—Ecclesiastical	54,000		54,000	5,424	49,272		48,272
24.—Medical	2,25,000	2,08,000	4,33,000	—4,384	2,05,706	1,93,479	3,99,185
25.—Political	20,26,000	18,37,000	38,63,000	2,96,888	16,91,156	15,56,257	32,47,413
26A.—Agriculture	47,000	47,000	94,000	—387	27,508	27,508	55,016
26B.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	5,000	6,000	11,000	760	3,525	3,525	7,050
27.—Territorial and Political Pensions	61,000		61,000	4,016	55,681		55,681
28.—Civil, Furlough and Absentee Allowances		...		...		...	..
29.—Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	98,000	97,000	1,95,000	15,257	81,075	81,076	1,62,151
30.—Stationery and Printing	62,000	62,000	1,24,000	7,054	40,779	40,778	81,557
32.—Miscellaneous	21,000	20,000	41,000	2,974	18,751	18,750	37,501
33.—Famine Relief	..	...	. .		..	...	...
36.—Reduction or Avoidance of Debt				...		...	...
42.—Major Works—Working Expenses	12,17,000	2,83,000	15,00,000	30,316	2,42,987	2,42,986	4,85,973
43.—Minor Works and Navigation	32,000	32,000	64,000	2,522	11,290	11,289	22,579
45.—Civil Works	12,09,000	12,03,000	24,12,000	2,03,463	8,17,196	8,17,195	16,34,391
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	77,28,000	60,40,000	1,37,68,000	9,55,347	56,96,753	50,10,852	1,07,07,605
Add—Debt Accounts	...	...	...	89,41,519	...	...	8,87,98,563
TOTAL	..	...	...	98,96,866		...	9,95,06,168
Balance on 28th February 1917	...	...	...	25,94,967	...	...	25,94,967
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	1,24,91,833	...	..	10,21,01,135

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB,
LAHORE,
The 19th April 1917.

W. ALDER,
Accountant-General, Punjab.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mount Abu, the 20th April 1917.

No. 875—755.—In supersession of the rules, published in his notification No. 2056—755, dated the 21st December 1914, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 40 (*c*) and (*d*) of the Ajmer Laws Regulation, III of 1877, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following rules for the guidance of the Gazetted Officers, Nazirs (including Naib Nazirs and Ahalmads in charge of Nazarat duties) and clerks of the Courts in the Ajmer-Merwara district :—

1. For the purpose of these rules, the District Nazir shall be deemed to be the Nazir attached to the Courts at Ajmer, including the Courts of the Tahsildar and the Naib Tahsildars of Ajmer and the Courts of the Honorary City Magistrates.

2 The Nazir of each Court (or Ahalmad in charge of Nazarat duties, where there is no Nazir) shall keep the following registers :—

	Form
1. Register of unclaimed and intestate property	A
2. Fine and penalty register	B
3. Register of forfeitures	C
4. Register of miscellaneous receipts	D
5. Register of payments into treasury	E
6. Daily cash book of receipts and disbursements	F

3. The register of payments into the Treasury (Form E) shall be kept in duplicate (counterfoil) The duplicate copy shall accompany the remittance to the Treasury.

NOTE 1.—This rule shall not apply to Courts situate at places where no Government Treasuries exist.

4. The District Nazir or the Nazir shall endorse on the original writ or order of the Court the number and date of each payment into the Treasury (as borne on the register appertaining to the transaction) such endorsement being countersigned by the Treasurer.

5. A register of unclaimed property shall be kept only by the District Nazir in Form A hereto annexed.

6. The District Nazir shall, without delay, credit into the Treasury under the head "Criminal Deposit" all unclaimed cash coming into his custody and the sale proceeds of unclaimed perishable property sold by him under the orders of the District Magistrate, before the expiry of six months from the date of the proclamation referred to in section 26 of Act V of 1861.

All other unclaimed property detained by the District Magistrate under that section shall be kept by the District Nazir for six months from the date of proclamation.

7. If no person appears within six months from the date of a proclamation, issued under section 26 of Act V of 1861 to claim the property to which the proclamation referred, the District Nazir shall, on the expiry of that period, take the orders of the District Magistrate as to the disposal of the property detained

8 The District Nazir shall, as soon as may be after each entry in the register of unclaimed property is disposed of, obtain the signature to the register of the District Magistrate under whose order such entry was disposed of, or of such other official as the District Magistrate may appoint in this behalf.

9. The Presiding Officer of every Court is personally responsible for the strict enforcement of these rules and for the maintenance of all registers and forms, and the submission of all returns therein prescribed.

10. In future no Nazir, Naib Nazir or Ahalmad in charge of Nazarat duties, shall be appointed as such, who has not a competent knowledge of English. All sums of money entered in vernacular registers and books of account as well as vernacular bilingual forms, vouchers or orders, must be written in English numerals. All entries in printed bilingual forms, vouchers and orders shall be filled in both in English and the vernacular.

11. (*a*) Each entry in the cash account of the Court or office and of the Nazir must be initialled daily by the chief or head ministerial officer of the Court or office. All Courts and officers must keep a cash account in the following form in which all amounts entrusted to the Court or office in cash or otherwise whether paid direct into the treasury or sent to the Nazir must be entered daily.

Serial number.	Date of receipt.	From whom received.	Description of case or reference to the sender's letter.	Nature of deposit or on what account.	Amount received.			Initials of the Nazir (or Treasurer for amounts above Rs 1,000) with date or Number and dat of advice lists	Remarks	Date of drawing the amount.	Initials of the Official receiving the amount.	How disposed of	Number and date of letter under which disposed of	Initials of Head Clerk or other Chief Ministerial Officer
1	2	3	4	5	6			7	8	9	10	11	12	13
					R	a	p							

(b) The Presiding Officer of each Court or head of office will, on the last working day in each week, examine and check the entries for the week in the cash account of his Court or office and will sign in each as examined. Such Presiding Officer or head of office will also initial all entries made in the Nazir's general cash account relating to his Court or office.

(c) The District Nazir shall keep in deposit with him petty items, not exceeding Rs. 2,000 on account of copying fees, expenses of witnesses, publication charges and other miscellaneous items received by him during the course of a month but not the balance if any, which may remain undisbursed at the close of the month.

(d) The Presiding Officer of each Court or the head of an office should take care that no deposit sent from his Court or office to the Nazir remains undisposed of for more than three months without reasonable cause; and that the period of such deposit shall, in no circumstances, ever exceed 6 months unless with the special written sanction of the Commissioner.

12. (a) Payment of money under the following heads of account shall be made direct to the Treasury or Sub-Treasury as the case may be through the Court concerned. But if the payment is made too late in the day for the Treasury or Sub-Treasury, as the case may be to receive the money, the money shall be sent to the Nazir by the Court which will be responsible for withdrawing from Nazir and crediting the same into the Treasury or Sub-Treasury not later than the morning of the next following working day :—

(1) Civil Court deposits

(a) Sums paid under decrees and orders

(b) Sums deposited under order XX, rule 14 and order XXIV, rule I of Act V of 1908 and section 83 of Act No. IV of 1882.

(c) Sums deposited under order XXI, rule 84 of Act V of 1908.

(d) Sums deposited under section 14 (1) of Act VII of 1889.

(e) Sums deposited in lieu of security.

(f) Sums deposited in connection with examination of witnesses by Commission.

(2) Cash and sale proceeds of intestate property.

(b) Payments of money shall be made by means of a tender upon a printed triplicate form G (attached) These forms shall be obtainable free of charge by the applicant at the ministerial office of the Court. The particulars required in the form shall be entered thereon by the applicant in English or if he is unable to do so by a ministerial officer of the Court. In the case of money remitted by post or received from some other Government officer or Court (including the sale proceeds of movable and immovable property sent to the Court concerned by the Nazir) the above form shall be prepared by the ministerial officer of the Court.

13 The ministerial officer in charge of the record of the case in which the payment is made shall then examine the record, and report in the column provided for this purpose, whether the amount and nature of the payment tendered and the number of the suit are correct and the payment is due from the tenderer.

After any necessary corrections have been made the entries on the form authorising receipt of the sum tendered shall be filled in by the chief ministerial officer of the Court

14. (a) The form of tender will then be submitted to the Presiding Officer in open Court, who, after examination of the entries made therein, will sign the order for the money to be received The original part of the tender shall be retained in safe custody by the Court and the duplicate and triplicate portions returned to the applicant for the presentation and payment of the money to the Treasury, Sub-Treasury or Nazir as the case may be (see also rule 15). After signature by the Treasury Officer, Head Accountant of the Treasury or Nazir the duplicate portion will be given to the applicant as his receipt and the triplicate will form the Treasury or Nazarat voucher for the receipt and disposal as directed of the sum tendered. The Treasury or Sub-Treasury Officer after the amount is credited into the Treasury or Sub-Treasury shall issue, at the close of the day, advice lists (vide form M (1) attached) to the Courts concerned who on the authority of such advice lists should post entries in their registers, the cash accounts and the memoranda on cases

(b) Receipts under Head of Account (2), rule 12, shall be entered in the register of intestate and unclaimed property kept by the Nazir.

(c) The advice lists prepared under this rule shall be regularly compared by the Chief Ministerial Officer of the Court, who is responsible for the maintenance of the cash book prescribed for each Court under rule 11, with the entries in his cash book and with the original counterfoils of form G which are retained in the Court, and he shall certify every week in the cash book that all preceding items in such cash book have been duly accounted for in the advice list received from the Treasury (or Sub-Treasury).

(d) In cases of sales of immovable property the Nazir should receive in cash the twenty-five per centum deposit required by order XXI, rule 84 of Act V of 1908. For the rest of the purchase money he should ordinarily give a payment order in form N (attached) entering therein as the date of payment, the latest safe date having regard to the terms of order No XXI, rule 84 of Act V of 1908. Counterfoil books of payment orders will be supplied to the Nazir. The auction purchaser on the receipt of payment order from the Nazir shall deposit the amount stated therein by means of usual tender through the Court into the Treasury or Sub-Treasury Out of the above-said twenty-five per cent deposit the Nazir after deducting his commission shall remit the balance to the Court concerned for deposit in the Treasury or Sub-Treasury

NOTE.—The Court concerned is responsible for seeing that the Nazir deducts as his commission only such amount as is due to him under the rules in force and that the balance has been credited in full into the Treasury or Sub-Treasury The receipt given to the auction purchaser is in form G which is in triplicate

15 (a) Payments of money under heads of account other than those given in rule 12 are made direct to the Nazir and not to the Treasury or Sub-Treasury

(b) In the case of Courts which owing to their distance from the Treasury or Sub-Treasury cannot have daily transactions with the Treasury, the Naib Nazir or Ahalmad in charge of Nazarat duties will receive all sums paid under these rules and remit them with his chalan to the Treasury or Sub-Treasury by means of a Hundi or money order at intervals of not more than one month, provided always that such Naib Nazir or Ahalmad shall not be permitted to retain in his hands more than Rs. 10 at any one time and shall make a special remittance to the Treasury or Sub-Treasury as soon as that limit has been reached.

16 A printed memorandum of account in form N (attached) shall be kept as a covering sheet to each file or case in connection with which money is received and deposited in the Treasury or Sub-Treasury In the event of a fresh deposit being made or another application for execution presented, the memorandum from the previous file shall be attached to the new record by the official to whom the application is sent for examination and report.

17. No payment of money deposited in the Treasury, Sub-Treasury or with the Court shall be made except upon an application form K (attached) by or on behalf of the person who is entitled to receive it. These forms will be supplied by the Ministerial Officer of the Court free of charge. The applicant will fill in the particulars in columns 1 to 4 in English

or if he is unable to do so this will be done by the Ministerial office of the Court. The Chief Ministerial Officer of the Court will then fill in columns 5 to 8, care being taken to ascertain that no attachment or stop order has been issued against the deposit.

18. (*a*) The application will then be submitted to the Presiding Officer in open Court, who after examination of the entries made thereon will endorse it with an order to prepare a repayment order on the Treasury or Sub-Treasury in form 31 A of the Civil Account Code (attached).

(*b*) The Treasury repayment order and the application will then be laid before the Presiding Officer, who will fill in the amount to be paid under the order, in words and figures, in the place provided for this purpose with his own hand and under his signature.

(*c*) The Presiding Officer will check the entries on the repayment order with the corresponding entries in the memorandum on the file and in the Cash Book of the Court, and will then deliver the repayment order to the person entitled to receive the amount or to his accredited agent in open Court

(*d*) The recipient will acknowledge the receipt of the order on the form of application for payment, and if he is not personally known to the Presiding Officer the signature of some respectable person will be obtained on the application form in identification of the payee.

(*e*) The application form will then be completed by the signature of the Presiding Officer and filed with record of the case.

(*f*) If the repayment order has been duly presented to the Treasury or Sub-Treasury and payment made, the Treasury or Sub-Treasury Officer shall issue, at the close of the day, advice lists (*vide* form M (2)) to the Courts concerned who will make entries of payment in their registers, cash accounts and memoranda on files.

19. No repayment order must, under any circumstances, be drawn in the name of the Nazir of the Court. In the event of more than one creditor being entitled to a rateable division of a sum in deposit, a separate repayment order must be prepared for each person entitled to a share.

Should a deposit have been erroneously made in a wrong name, the mistake must be corrected by an official letter addressed to the Treasury or Sub-Treasury Officer.

20. All chalans or deposit forms sent with money to be deposited in the Treasury must show the names in full of all persons entitled to a share in the money, and the same rule must be observed in noting the names in the memoranda attached to the files of the Courts.

21 Repayment order forms will be printed in duplicate and bound in books, with a serial number and letter for each order. These books will be kept in the custody of the Presiding Officer of the Court or office The number of each repayment order issued will be ntered in the application form under which it has been used.

22. No person serving on the establishment of the Court or being a Government servant shall in any way interfere in the encashment of a repayment order by the payee at the Treasury or Sub-Treasury Any infringement of this order will be most severely punished.

23 (*a*) The Nazarat accounts and registers at Ajmer will be inspected quarterly by the Officer in charge of the Nazarat. Those of the Courts at Beawar and Todgarh by the Extra Assistant Commissioner, Merwara Those of all other Courts in the district will be inspected quarterly by the Presiding Officer of the Court. Such Officers will be responsible that the Registers and Accounts of the Courts are most carefully examined with a view to detect any frauds or irregularities which may have been committed and to secure that the rules prescribed under this Notification are strictly observed

(*b*) The objects of the examination are to see—

(1) That all necessary entries are made and initialled at the time of the transaction

(2) That no money is unnecessarily placed in deposit or remains there without good cause. As a safe-guard, when the aggregate cash balance in the hands of the Nazir exceeds one-half the amount for which he has given security and is not capable of immediate reduction the excess should be remitted to the Treasury, as a Miscellaneous deposit. The officers mentioned in this rule should personally, at least once in a quarter, check and verify the cash balance of the Nazir.

(*c*) The said officers will sign a certificate in each register examined by them in the following terms :—

"I certify that this register has been carefully examined by me or under my direction and that the entries for the past quarter contained therein have been made with accuracy and regularity." This certificate shall be submitted to the Commissioner without delay.

24. In order to enable him to close his accounts punctually every day, the Nazir shall not be required to receive or make payments after 4 P. M

25. The District Nazir and Naib Nazirs must furnish security to the amount which will be fixed by the Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara, in each case.

FORM A.

Register of unclaimed and intestate property found in the district of Ajmer Merwara during the year.

Serial Number.	Name of police station and abstract of police report.	Date of receipt of property.	Particulars of property: Cash	Particulars of property: Other property.	Perishable property sold: Particulars.	Perishable property sold: Amount realised.	Expenses incurred on account of carriage, etc.	Property, if any, sold to defray expenses, etc.: Particulars of property.	Property, if any, sold to defray expenses, etc.: Amount realised.	Net amount credited under the head Criminal Deposits: Date.	Net amount credited under the head Criminal Deposits: Amount.	Signature of Treasurer.	Signature of Treasury Officer or Head Accountant.	Abstract of order of District Magistrate as to disposal of property.	How disposed of: Date of sale by auction.	How disposed of: Name of purchaser.	How disposed of: Amount of sale-proceeds.	How disposed of: Amount credited to Government and date of credit.	How disposed of: Amount credited to cash book.	How disposed of: Signatures of: Treasurer.	How disposed of: Signatures of: Treasury Officer or Head Accountant.	How disposed of: Restored to claimant: Date.	How disposed of: Restored to claimant: Cash by repayment order against Criminal Deposits.	How disposed of: Restored to claimant: Other property.	How disposed of: Signature of recipient.	How disposed of: Signatures of two witnesses in case recipient is illiterate.	Signature of District Magistrate or official appointed by him to sign the Register.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29

FORM B.

Register of fines and penalties realised and refunded during the year.

Date of receipt	Consecutive number of entry in this register	Name of Court	Date of order imposing fine or penalty	Name of offender and description of case.	Nature of offence with section and law applicable	Amount of fine or penalty	Property seized in execution of fine warrant: Description.	Property seized in execution of fine warrant: Estimated value.	Date and abstract of order of Court, if any, postponing sale of property.	Amount realised: By sale of property.	Amount realised: In cash	Amount realised: Total	Date of realisation.	From whom received.	Total receipts (in cash) carried to cash book.	Total amount remitted to Treasury and carried to cash book.	Date of remittance to Treasury.	Signature of: Treasurer.	Signature of: Treasury Officer or Head Accountant, according as the amount is over or under Rs. 500.	Refund or restoration of property: Date: Of order of Court.	Refund or restoration of property: Date: Of refund or restoration of property.	Refund or restoration of property: Nature of refund: Cash.	Refund or restoration of property: Nature of refund: Property.	Signature of recipient.	Signatures of two witnesses if recipient be illiterate	Signature of Presiding Officer of Court.	REMARKS
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28

FORM C.

Register of forfeitures for the year.

Date of receipt.	Consecutive number of entry in this register.	Name of Court.	Date and abstract of order of forfeiture.	Description of case.	Name of offender.	Nature of offence with section and law applicable.	Particulars relating to forfeitures.				Order of court, if any, postponing sale of forfeited property with date.	Amount realised.			From whom received.	Total receipts in cash carried to cash book.	Total amount remitted to Treasury and carried to cash book.	Date of remittance to Treasury.	Signature of		Particulars relating to refund of forfeitures.						Signature of Presiding Officer of Court.	Remarks.
							Details of property (other than money) forfeited.														Date.		Nature of refund.					
							Description.	Estimated value.	Forfeiture in money.	Total.		By sale of property.	In cash.	Total.					Treasurer.	Treasury officer or head accountant according as the amount is over or under Rs. 500.	Of order of Court.	Of refund or restoration of property.	Cash.	Property.	Signature of recipient.	Signature of two witnesses if recipient be illiterate.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29

FORM D.

Register of miscellaneous receipts for the year.

Date of receipt.	Serial No.	From whom received.	On what account.				Total receipts carried to Cash book.	Total amount remitted to Treasury and carried to cash book.	Date of remittance to Treasury.	Signature of		Remarks.
			Copying fees.	Licence fees.	Other items.					Treasurer.	Treasury officer or head accountant according as the amount is over or under Rs. 500.	
					Particulars.	Amount.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13

FORM E.

Register of payments into Treasury.

Serial Number.	Date.	Reference to account register.	Particulars.	Amount.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6

FORM F.

Daily cash book of receipts and disbursements.

RECEIPTS.								DISBURSEMENTS.							
Date.	Serial number (monthly).	From whom received.	Particulars of receipt.	Amount.	Total.	Reference to expenditure item.	Initials of the Presiding or Ministerial Officer of the Court.	Date.	Serial number (monthly).	Reference to credit item.	To whom paid.	Particulars of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.	Initials of the Presiding or Ministerial Officer of the Court.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16

Form G.

ORIGINAL TENDER.

In the Court of ______

(Instructions to Applicant.) Fill up accurately Columns 1 to 4.

Name of Party on whose behalf the money is tendered.	Names of Parties and Number of the Suit.	Nature of Payment.	Amount	Office Report
1	2	3	4	5
			R a. p.	

(Signature of actual Payee)

Signature of Judge.

Date ______

Receipt acknowledged in Register No. ______

Treasury Officer.
Head Accountant.

Signature of Head Ministerial officer of Court or Nazir.

N.B.—To be filed with the record.

Form G.

DUPLICATE TENDER.

In the Court of ______

(Instructions to Applicant.) Fill up accurately Columns 1 to 4.

Name of Party on whose behalf the money is tendered.	Names of Parties and Number of the Suit.	Nature of Payment.	Amount Tendered.
1	2	3	4
			R a. p

(Signature of actual Payee.)

Signature of Judge.

To THE TREASURY OFFICER / THE NAZIR.

Receive and Credit the above sum if tendered to you within three days.

Signature of Presiding Judge.

Received the sum of R - *Treasury Officer.* / *Head Accountant.*

Signature of Head Ministerial officer of Court or Nazir.

N.B.—To be given to the Payee.

Form G.

TRIPLICATE TENDER.

In the Court of ______

(Instructions to Applicant.) Fill up accurately Columns 1 to 4.

Name of Party on whose behalf the money is tendered.	Names of Parties and Number of the Suit.	Nature of Payment.	Amount Tendered.
1	2	3	4
			R a. p.

(Signature of actual Payee)

Signature of Judge.

To THE TREASURY OFFICER / THE NAZIR.

Receive and Credit the above sum if tendered to you within three days.

Signature of Presiding Judge.

Received the sum of R ______ *Treasury Officer.* / *Head Accountant.*

Signature of Head Ministerial officer of Court or Nazir.

N.B.—To be retained by the Treasurer or Nazir.

FORM H.

(1) Original No.
(2) Execution No
(3) Attachment order No
(4) Name of decree holder.
(5) Name of Judgment debtor.
(6) Claims.
(7) Costs.
(8) Total.

Serial No.	Date on which money received.	Amount received			No of the Deposit Register in the Treasury.	Date of Deposit in the Treasury.	Signature of Judge.	Date of payment.	Amount paid.			REMARKS
1	2	3			4	5	6	7	8			9
		R	a	p					R	a.	p	

FORM K.

Application for Refund of Deposit in the Court of ____________________

(Instructions to Applicant.—Fill up Columns 1 to 4 leaving the other Columns blank.)

Name of Applicant.	Name of Parties and Number of the Suit.	Nature of Repayment applied for.	Amount.	Deposit.		Is Applicant entitled to the amount claimed?	Is amount still in deposit and available for present payment to the Applicant?	Serial Number and Date of Repayment Orders.	Remarks.
				Number in the Treasury Register.	Date.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

Received Repayment Order No.__________ for Rs.__________

Signature of Applicant.

Date.

Witness to Signature of Applicant.

Date.

Signature of the Judge.

Signature of the Head Ministerial Officer of the Court.

Voucher for Deposit Repayments.

Consecutive No

*Ajmer Treasury, month of*____________*191*

Head of Service chargeable.		Deposits	
Original Number.	Date of Deposit	Name of Depositor	Amount or balance of deposits, Rs.___

Received on 191 , Rs

Payee

Claimant's Signature

Passed for payment

Rs ( ) _____

Under Rupees______

Judge, Magistrate, or Collector

FORM L. (FORM NO 31-A., OF THE CIVIL ACCOUNT CODE)

Voucher for Deposit Repayments.

Consecutive No

*Ajmer Treasury, month of*________________*191* .

Head of Service chargeable	Deposits.	Voucher No. of List of Payments for 191	
Original Number	Date of Deposit.	Name of Depositor	Amount originally deposited, Rs. _______

Received this day of 191 , the sum of Rs. ( )

Rupees annas and pies

only, being the amount payable to

on account of Deposit described above.

Examined and entered

ACCOUNTANT,
Ajmer Treasury.

Pay Rs. ( ) —

Under Rupees

Treasury Officer, Ajmer

Receipt stamp if required.

Claimant's Signature.

Passed for payment.

Rs ( )________

Judge, Magistrate, or Collector.

FORM M. (1).

Advice List under rule 14 of Nazarat rules.

Item No.	Date of Credit	Particulars of Item.	Amount Rs.	Name of Court.	No. of Treasury Register.	REMARKS.

Head Accountant, ...Treasury.

Treasury Officer, ...

FORM M. (2).

Advice List under rule 18 (*b*) of Nazarat rules.

Item No	Date of Payment.	Particulars of Item.	Amount Rs.	Name of Court.	No. of Treasury Register.	REMARKS.

Head Accountant......... . ... ..Treasury.

Treasury Officer,...... ... . ..

FORM N.

Payment order form original.

Name of Court____________________

Name of Parties____________________

Date of Sale____________________

Amount of Sale____________________

Latest date by which the balance of the purchase money should be paid.

Signature of Nasir.

Payment order form duplicate.

Name of Court____________________

Name of Parties____________________

Date of Sale____________________

Amount of Sale____________________

Latest date by which the balance of the purchase money should be paid.

Signature of Nasir.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 19th April 1917.

No. 3042-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending 14th April 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi . .	225,471	83	98	181	94	69	163	...	...	...	65	6	58	2	32	...	26	23	49	41·74	37·59
	Notified Area	3,678	4	2	6	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24·94	14·15
	Total .	229,144	87	100	187	95	69	164	...	...	..	66	6	58	2	32	...	26	23	49	42·43	37·21

No. 3053-*Home*.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Beadon, I.A., Deputy Commissioner, Delhi, has been granted combined leave for six months under Articles 199(*a*), 260 and 316 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 14th April 1917.

No 3056-*Home*.—Mr. G. F. deMontmorency, C.I.E., I.C.S., Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi. is appointed to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, Delhi, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Beadon, I.A., granted leave.

No 3057-*Home*.—Mr. G. F. deMontmorency, C.I.E., I.C.S, assumed charge of the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Delhi, with effect from the afternoon of the 14th April 1917.

No. 3058-*Home*.—Mr. G. F. deMontmorency, C.I.E, I.C.S., is, within the limits of the Province of Delhi, invested under section 30 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, with powers to try as Magistrate all offences not punishable with death.

No. 3059-*Home*.—Under the provisions of section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898), the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint Mr. G. F. deMontmorency, C.I.E., I.C.S., a Magistrate of the 1st Class in the Delhi Province.

No 3060-*Home*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 10, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898), the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint Mr. G. F. deMontmorency, C.I.E., I.C.S., Deputy Commissioner and a Magistrate of the 1st Class in the Delhi District to be a District Magistrate.

No. 3063-*Home*.—In anticipation of his services being placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, Mr. D. Johnstone, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner, is placed on special duty with effect from the forenoon of the 10th April 1917.

No. 3066-*Home*.—Mr. D. Johnstone, I.C.S., Assistant Commissioner on special duty, is appointed as Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, and assumed charge of his duties with effect from the forenoon of the 14th April 1917.

No 3070-*Home*.—Mr. D. S Hadow, Senior Superintendent of Police, Delhi, has been granted combined leave for six months under Articles 199, 260, 308(*b*) and 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the forenoon of the 14th April 1917.

Delhi, the 20th April 1917

No. 3120-*Home*.—The following returns of births and deaths in the Delhi Province for the month of March 1917 are published for information:—

Division.	No.	Name of District or Municipal Towns.	Population according to the census of 1911. Male.	Female.	Total.	Births registered. No. registered excluding still births.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still born No.	Deaths registered. Cholera. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Dysentery & Diarrhoea. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Respiratory disease. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Injuries including suicide. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Other causes. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total all causes. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Delhi Province.		District excluding Delhi Municipal Town.	102,699	88,486	191,185	585	36·71	..	..		4	·25		.	209	13·11	2	·13	110	6·90	6	·37	7	·43	168	170	338	21·21	156	140	296	18·57	
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	102,699	88,486	191,185	569	35·71	...		...	...	...	3	·18	181	11·36	1	·06	97	6·08	1	·06	13	·79	156	140	296	18·57	...	...	...	...	
		Increase	...	...	...	16	1·00	...		...	4	·25	...	.	28	1·75	1	·07	13	·82	5	·31	...	...	12	30	42	2·64	...	...	...	...	
		or Decrease	...	...	...	..	.	...			...	..	3	·18	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	6	·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

Division.	No.	District excluding towns.	Population according to the census of 1911. Male.	Female.	Total.	Births registered. No. registered excluding still births.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still born No.	Deaths registered. Cholera. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Dysentery & Diarrhoea. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Respiratory disease. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Injuries including suicide. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Other causes. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total all causes. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Delhi Province.		Delhi Municipality	129,521	95,950	225,471	776	41·30	19		..	..	..	..		262	13·94	19	1·01	364	19·37	1	·05	84	4·47	370	360	730	38·85	335	283	618	32·89	
		Total of corresponding month of previous year	129,521	95,950	225,471	739	39·33	18	..	..	...	.	18	·96	273	14·53	20	1·06	202	10·75	8	·43	97	5·16	335	283	618	32·89	...	...	...	...	
		Increase or	..	...	..	37	1·97	1	...	.	.	.							162	8·62	...	...	..	.	35	77	112	5·96	...	...	...	..	
		Decrease	...	..	..	.			..		.	...	18	·96	11	·59	1	·05		...	7	·38	13	·69	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	

Delhi, the 23rd April 1917.

No. 3151-*Home*.—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi during the half month ending 15th April 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
			Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.		
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.
P. S. Alipur	50	47	...	...	...	35	...	12	...	...	...	...	7	3	10
Nangloi	36	34	...	...	...	24	1	6	...	...	3	1	9	3	12
Najafgarh	30	27	..	..	...	20	...	7	...	...	...	..	3	4	7
Subzimundi	...	6	...	...	...	6	.	..	...	...	...	...	1	..	1
Paharganj	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	1		..	...	...
Mehrauli	19	40	...	...	...	24	...	13	...	...	3	2	7	2	9
Raisina	10	25	...	...	...	20	...	3	...	...	2	1	3	4	6
Shahdara	8	6	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3
New Cantonment	16	13	...	...	...	7	...	5	...	...	1	...	3	2	5
Total of the District .	169	199	...	...	...	142	1	46		...	10	4	34	19	53

The 24th April 1917.

No. 3205-*R. & A*.—Whereas it appears to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, from the report of the District Magistrate of Delhi, that in the local area contained in the jurisdiction of the Shahdara Thana, cattle are habitually allowed to trespass on land and damage crops or other produce thereon, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to direct that for all classes of animals which may be seized or impounded within the said local area, the pound-keeper shall levy double rates of fines according to the scale prescribed in section 12 of Act I of 1871 (The Cattle Trespass Act) as amended by section 5 (1) of Act I of 1891, that is to say, according to the following scale :—

	Rs.	As.
Elephant	4	0
Camel or buffalo	1	0
Horse, mare, gelding, pony, colt, filly, mule, bull, bullock, cow or heifer	0	8
Calf, ass or pig	0	4
Ram, ewe, sheep, lamb, goat or kid	0	2

No. 3226-*C. & I*.—The following return of wholesale and retail prices current in Delhi Province are published for information :—

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 15th April 1917.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.		ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.	
	Srs.	Chts.		Srs	Chts
Wheat	9	0	Maize	16	0
Barley	18	8	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál)	10	0
Rice { Best sort	4	0	Firewood	60	0
Rice { Common sort	6	0	Salt { Wholesale	...	
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum) . .	15	0	Salt { Retail	18	0
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum) . .	16	0	Gur . . . . . { Desi	6	4
			Gur . . . . . { Lawar	5	8
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana) . .	...		Cotton (unginned)	...	
Kangni (Setaria Italica) . . .	...		Bejhar	18	8
Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked) .	18	8			

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the head-quarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending the 15th April 1917. (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 89.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82 2/7 LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.	ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
Rice, unhusked	...	Cotton seed	2 15 0
,, husked	5 10 0	Ghi	57 0 0
Wheat	4 7 0	Flour (Wheat)	4 10 0
Barley	2 14 0	Tobacco Leaf (dry)	8 0 0
Oats	...	Turmeric (unground)	17 0 0
Jowar	2 9 0	Salt	2 2 0
Bajra	2 7 0	Raw Hides (Cow)	80 0 0
Maize	2 7 0	Bran	2 4 0
Gram	2 14 0	Grass (dry)	1 0 0
Arhar Dál	3 12 0	Bhusa (white)	1 2 0
Linseed	6 0 0	Jowar Stalks	0 14 0
Rapeseed (Sarshaf)	4 4 0	Bengal Coal	1 0 0
Poppy-seed	...	Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand)	2 9 3
Til (jinjili seed)	5 12 0	Plough Bullocks, per pair	250 0 0
Sugar (raw), Gur { Desi	5 14 0	Sheep, per score	80 0 0
Sugar (raw), Gur { Lawar	6 14 0		
Cotton (cleaned)	...	Bejhar	2 14 0

No. 3228-*Home*.—Doctor K. S. Sethna, Health Officer, Delhi Municipality, assumed charge of the current duties of the Health Officer, Notified Area, Delhi, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the afternoon of the 4th April, 1917, relieving Captain P. M. Rennie, I. M. S., transferred.

No. 3231-*R. & A.*—In supersession of Notification No. 238?-R. & A., dated the 27th March 1917, and in accordance with the provisions of Section 107(1) (*b*) of the Punjab Land Revenue Act, (XVII of 1887), it is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been appointed as surveyors, by the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, for the purpose of surveying the estates constituted by virtue of the Notification No. 302 and 304-R. & A., dated the 12th January 1917—

1. M. Rashid Uddin *vice* M. Abdul Ghafoor.
2. M. Mohammad Ilyas *vice* S. Mohammad Kazim.

By order,

D. JOHNSTONE,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

ERRATUM.

Quetta, the 18th April 1917.

No. 989-*R*.—In the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 510, dated the 7th March 1917, substitute the word "2nd" for the word "3rd." in column 5 against entry No. 4.

By order,

R. H. CHENEVIX TRENCH, Major,

First Assistant.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated, Central India Agency, Indore, the 23rd April 1917.

No. 1244-D.—Mr. A. C. Lothian, Assistant Political Agent in Bundelkhand, assumed charge of the office of the Cantonment Magistrate, Nowgong, in addition to his own duties from Lieutenant-Colonel H. De V. Harvest on the forenoon of the 5th April 1917.

By order,

P. NAND LAL,

for First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

It is hereby notified under Section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act VI of 1878 that on 27th August 1916, 1st September 1916 and subsequent dates treasure of the description and approximate value noted in the margin was discovered under the ground in a vacant house belonging to one Sornammal in the village of Lalpuram, Chidambaram taluk, South Arcot District, Madras Presidency.

	No.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
Full rupees	16	16	0	0
Half rupee	1	0	8	0
One-fourth rupee	7	1	12	0
One-eighth rupees	26	3	4	0
One-fourth anna pieces	9	0	2	3
Pies	13	0	1	1
Small gold screw	1	0	1	0
,, ornament	1	0	4	0
,, coral with wire	1	0	0	1
,, wires	3	......		
,, pearl on a wire	1	......		
White metal screw	1	0	4	0
Metal lamp (bottom)	1	0	8	0
1 bell metal cup	1	0	2	0
Brass vessel	1	0	0	6
Iron padlock	1	......		
Iron bill hook (broken)	1	......		
Small brass chembu	1	0	1	0
	86	22	15	11

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of South Arcot at his Office in Cuddalore on the 4th August 1917 in order to have the matter enquired into and determined according to law.

B. RAMA RAO,

Sub-Collector in charge.

SOUTH ARCOT COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
The 3rd April 1917.

Notice is hereby given under Section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act (VI of 1878) that at about 4 P.M., on the evening of the 30th October 1916, the undermentioned treasure is stated to have been found in S. F. No. 369-1 of Bitragunta Village, Kavali Taluk, which stands registered in the names of Akkaraju Venkatramanaiah and Gandrakota Hamayya, and secured from Mandu Venkadu one of the Coolies who were repairing the field on behalf of Boddu Subbadu and kept in the Taluk Sub-Treasury at Kavali :—

Details of the find.	Weight.		Estimated approximate value. Rs.	A.	P.
(1) Pathakam	39	Guruginjas.	4	14	0
(2) Corrugated gold ring	23	,,	3	6	0
(3) Small gold piece	18	,,	2	10	0
		Total	10	14	0

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any portion thereof are required to appear in person or by a duly authorized agent before the Collector of Nellore at his office in Nellore on the 1st October 1917 in view of their claims being enquired into and disposed of according to law.

R. RAMACHANDRA ROW,

Collector.

OFFICE OF COLLECTOR OF NELLORE,
The 31st March 1917.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions. Day.	Month.	Year.	Date of the adjudication. Day.	Month.	Year.
193—1917	Syad Esmail Syad Hoosein	Mahomedan	Chukla Street	Lately dealer in milk and now unemployed	16th	April	1917	17th	April	1917
196—1917	Jamsetji Dhanjibhai Mistry	Parsi	Grant Road	Extra Fitter	17th	"	"	"	"	"
197—1917	Asoo Kesow Vani	Hindu	Khadak	Lately dealer in grain and now mehta in the service of Ghela Keshowji.	"	"	"	"	"	"
196—1917	Karsondas Ranchor das Joshi	"	New Modi Khana Fort	Lately broker in hay, etc., and now unemployed.	16th	"	"	18th	"	"
198—1917	Mancharam Prema Sikligar	"	Nagdevi Cross Road No. 1	Fitter in the Bombay Municipal Workshop	18th	"	"	"	"	"
199—1917	Tatia Gangaji Sawant	"	Mount Road, Mazagon	Jobber in the Dawood Sassoon Mills, Ltd., Mazagon.	"	"	"	"	"	"
200—1917	Baboobhai Anandji Mehta	"	No. 82, Deliole Road	Lately Wax Merchant and now unemployed	"	"	"	19th	"	"
201—1917	Babaji Laxumon Rane	"	Mazagon	Jobber in the employ of Framji Petit Mills	19th	"	"	"	"	"
202—1917	Jackeria Fateh Mahomed Maniar	Mahomedan	Nakhoda Molla	Lately petty dealer in bangles in partnership with Mohomed Hoosein Fateh Mahomed under the name of Mahomed Hoosein Fateh Mahomed and now unemployed.	20th	"	"	20th	"	"
203—1917	Benedict Felix D'Souza alias B. F. D'Souza.	East Indian	No. 2, Row Umerkhadi	Clerk in the B., B. & C. I. Railway (Carnac Bridge).	23rd	"	"	23rd	"	"
204—1917	Bachoo Khooban Bhoi	Hindu	Valbhatwadi Kumbharwada	Painter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway (Parel Workshop).	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,
Bombay, this 23rd day of April 1917.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

In Insolvency.

No. 487 OF 1915.

Dated the 17th April 1917.

Re Merwanji Rustomji Mody, of Bombay, Parsi Inhabitant, residing at Grant Road, a Clerk in the employ of Messrs. Bruel & Co : an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 14th day of July 1915, against the said Insolvent has been this day annulled.

No. 389 OF 1916.

Dated this 17th April 1917.

Re Dwarkanath Gopinath Arthe, of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Mahim, a Clerk in the British India Steam Navigation Company : an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 19th day of June 1916 against the said Insolvent has been this day annulled.

No. 366 OF 1915.

Dated this 17th April 1917.

Re Babaji Laxumon Rane, of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Mazagon, a Jobber in the Empress Edward Mill and also carrying on business in partnership with Dwarkanath Raghunath, Vithal Bhawoo Chiwdewala and Sadanand Pandarinath Dandekar in the name of Shri Laxmikant Prasadic Sangit Mandali : An Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 11th day of June 1915 against the said Insolvent has been this day annulled.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 42 OF 1912.

Dated the 19th April 1917.

Re Mahtab Chand Boid.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an Order of Court, dated the 2nd day of June 1914, the order of adjudication made herein on the 14th day of February 1912, was annulled.

No. 223 OF 1912.

Dated the 19th April 1917.

Re Sib Chandra Pal.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 2nd day of February 1915, the order of adjudication made herein on the 22nd day of November 1912, was annulled.

No. 43 OF 1917.

Dated the 26th April 1917.

Re Bahadur Mull Surane.

Ex parte the creditor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 24th day of April 1917, the order of adjudication made herein on the 27th day of March 1917, was annulled.

Summary Case.

No. 197 of 1916.

Dated the 19th April 1917.

Re Hari Charan Bhor.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 5th day of June 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 49 of 1917.

Dated the 21st April 1917.

Re Madan Lall Deora, residing at No. 92, Harrison Road, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business in copartnership with Khemcaran Serowgi as share brokers at No. 191, Harrison Road aforesaid, under the name, style and firm of Khemcaran Madan Lall and at present carrying on business as a share broker at No. 92, Harrison Road aforesaid.

Ex parte the debtor.—Subodh Chandra Mitter—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 16th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 52 of 1917.

Dated the 20th April 1917.

Re Meghraj Bothra, residing and lately carrying on business at No. 9, Kannu Lall Lane, in the town of Calcutta, as broker and a petty dealer in jewellery, but at present of no occupation.

Ex parte the debtor.—Brajo Lal Mookerjee—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 17th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 54 of 1917.

Dated the 21st April 1917.

Re Dr. Golam Nabi Khan, now or lately residing at 29-6, Phears Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and now or lately carrying on business at No. 33, Canning Street in Calcutta, aforesaid as merchant under the name of G. N. Khan and Khan Brothers.

Ex parte Udaimull Chandmull—the creditors.

Messrs. Morgan & Co.—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 18th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 55 of 1917.

Dated the 23rd April 1917.

Re Chuni Lall Deb *alias* Nirendra Krishna Deb and Nikhilendra Krishna Deb, both residing at No. 92, Cornwallis Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business under the name and style of the Grand National Theatre, at No. 9, Beadon Street, in Calcutta, aforesaid, the former service holder and the latter out of employment.

Ex parte the debtor. P. C. Dutt—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 18th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 56 OF 1917.

Dated the 23rd April 1917.

Re **Kissen Gopal Bajari, residing at No. 7, Dayahatta, in the town of Calcutta, by occupation a Gomastha, in the employ of Messrs. Shamermull Parrnell but at present under arrest in execution of a decree of the Calcutta Small Cause Court.**

Ex parte **the debtor—Jyotindra Nath Mitra—Attorney for the Insolvent.**

On the 18th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 60 OF 1917.

Dated the 25th April 1917.

Re **Hari Bhusan Mukerjee, at present residing at No. 6, Doctor Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and at times at No. 138-3A, Kalighat Road, in the suburbs of Calcutta, by occupation Vakil and practising as such in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Appellate Jurisdiction.**

Ex parte **the debtor.—Sarat Chunder Ghose—Attorney for the Insolvent.**

On the 24th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the above named as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

FORM NO. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 11 OF 1917.

Dated the 14th April 1917.

In the matter of Mannu Lal, son of Mathu Mal, of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition dated 9th February 1917 on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

SUIT No. 24 OF 1917.

Dated the 17th April 1917.

In the matter of insolvency of Mohammad Yaqoob, son of Ahmad Bakhsh, Bara, Hindu Rao, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Mohammad Yaqoob to be adjudicated him an insolvent has been admitted in this court and will be heard on 8th day of May 1917.

RAHIM BAKHSH,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

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REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Anglo-Indian Force, dated at Rawalpindi, this 17th day of April 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—4803-A. I. F., Private, Henry Millar Sterling.
Age—25 years 10 months.
Height—5 feet 11 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, dark, hair, black; eyes, black.
Trade—Clerk.
Date of Enlistment—8th May 1916.
Place of Enlistment—Rangoon Cantonment.
Parish and County in which born—*Nil*.
Date of Desertion or absence—14th April 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Rawi
Marks—Tattoo marks chest, crossed
On furlough.
Under 1 year's service.

A. O. L. DAVIS, Lieutenant,
for Lieut-Col., Commanding 1st Battalion, Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry, dated at Nowshera, this 16th day of April 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—24209, Private Angus McDonald.
Age—32 years and 7 months.
Height—5 feet 8 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, light brown; eyes, blue.
Trade—Shoemaker.
Date of enlistment—27th August 1903.
Place of enlistment—Hamilton, Scotland.
Parish and County in which born—Barry, Glasgow.
Date of Desertion or absence—10th April 1917
Place of Desertion or absence—Nowshera.
Marks—Anchor right forearm.
Has 14 years' service.

E. MOORE, Major,
Commanding 1st Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry, dated at Nowshera, this 16th day of April 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—24186, Private Alexander Scott.
Age—25 years 10 months.
Height—6 feet.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, dark brown; eyes brown.
Trade—Fitter.
Date of enlistment—14th December 1914
Place of enlistment—Bordon.
Parish and County in which born—Bridgetown, Glasgow.
Date of Desertion or absence—10th April 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Nowshera.
Marks—*Nil*.
Has less than 8 years' service.

E. MOORE, Major,
Commanding 1st Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 21st April 1917.

No. 302-*G*.—Mr. A. G. N. Clark, Officiating Chief Superintendent in the office of the Accountant-General, Punjab, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the Military Accounts Department, with effect from the 15th March 1917, in the arrangements made, *vice* Rao Bahadur R D Moghe, Chief Accountant, Bombay Dockyard, granted privilege leave.

No. 316-*G*.—Mr. Provokhar Chatterjee, Accountant, 1st grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 2nd (Rawalpindi) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 9th April 1917.

The 24th April 1917.

No. 347-*G*.—Mr. Ramjee Dass, Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, reverts to his own grade, with effect from the 17th April 1917.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant-General.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Land Acquisition Branch.

NOTIFICATION.

Darjeeling, the 23rd April 1917.

No. 150-T.-R.—The following agreement made under section 41 of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, is published for general information.

L. BIRLEY,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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Memorandum of agreement made this 20th day of April 1917 between the Burmah Oil Company Limited—a joint Stock Company with Limited liability incorporated under the English Companies Act, and having its registered office at Glasgow in Scotland (hereinafter called the Company) of the one part and the Secretary of State for India in Council (hereinafter called the Secretary of State) of the other part.

Whereas for the purpose of erecting of additional cooly lines in their oil Installation the Company has applied to the Government of Bengal for the acquisition under the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, of the piece or parcel of land containing ·22 acre or thereabouts situate in the village of Nalsa in the district of Chittagong and more particularly described in the schedule hereto and delineated in the plan * hereunto annexed. And whereas the said Government of Bengal, being satisfied by an enquiry held under section 40 of the said Act that the proposed acquisition is needed for the aforesaid purpose and that the said work is likely to prove useful to the public, has consented to acquire on behalf of the Company the piece or parcel of land hereinbefore described.

And whereas the said Government of Bengal has required the Company under the provisions of section 41 of the above mentioned Act to enter into the agreement with the Secretary of State hereinafter contained. Now this Indenture witnesseth that it is hereby agreed and declared as follows:—

1. On demand the Company shall and will pay to the said Government of Bengal all and every compensation in respect of the said land tendered, paid or awarded or to be tendered, paid or awarded, by the Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, or by the Court to which a reference under Part III of the said Act may be made, or by the Court or Courts to which an appeal from the award of the said Court may be preferred, and all costs, charges and expenses of the proceedings in the aforesaid Courts, or otherwise incidental to the proposed acquisition or payable in respect thereof under the provisions of the said Act.

2. On demand made by the said Collector the obligations of the Company under the last preceding clause not being thereby limited, the Company shall and will deposit with the said Collector such sum or sums of money as in his discretion the said Collector may in anticipation estimate to be necessary for the purposes mentioned in the last preceding clause.

3. On payment by the Company of all demands under the foregoing first clause, or, in the discretion of the said Government of Bengal (on deposit by the Company of all estimated amounts as provided in the 2nd clause), but not before possession shall have been taken under the provisions of the above mentioned Act, the Secretary of State shall make over possession of the said land to the Company and shall execute and do all such acts and deeds as may be necessary and proper for effectually vesting the same in the Company.

4. The said land shall be held by the Company for the purposes of such an erection of additional cooly lines as is hereinbefore mentioned and without the sanction in writing of the said Government of Bengal first had and obtained for no other purpose whatsoever.

5. The said erection of additional cooly lines shall be completed (and fully equipped in all respects ready for use) within one year from the date on which possession of the said land shall have been given to the Company.

6. Should the said erection of additional cooly lines not be completed (and fully equipped in all respects ready for use) within the period stated in the last preceding clause or within such further period as in its discretion may be prescribed or allowed by the said Government of Bengal, or should the said land at any time thereafter cease for a period of 12

* Not printed and published herewith, but may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

consecutive months, to be held, and used, or cease to be required for the purpose or purposes provided for in the foregoing fourth clause, then and in any such case, the said Government may summarily re-enter upon and take possession of the said land and thereupon the interest of the Company in the said land shall absolutely cease and determine.

7. On taking such possession the said Government may sell or otherwise deal with the said land as it may think proper. Should the said Government sell the said land, the said Government after deducting the expenses incurred in connection with the said taking of possession and with such sale shall pay the proceeds to the Company. Should the said Government, on taking possession, decide not to sell the land, it shall repay to the Company all sums received from the Company in respect of all and every compensation as provided in the foregoing first clause (less the Statutory allowance of 15 per cent.), but will not repay any sums paid and received on account of costs, charges and expenses.

8. Should any dispute or difference arise touching or concerning the subject matter of this agreement or any covenant clause or thing herein contained the same shall be referred to the said Government of Bengal, and the opinion and decision of the said Government upon such dispute or difference shall be final and conclusive and binding on the parties hereto.

In witness whereof E. A. Martin the duly constituted attorney of the Burmah Oil Co., Ltd., and the Secretary of State for India in Council have hereunto set their respective hands and seals.

Signed, sealed and delivered by

E. A. MARTIN,

Attorney for the Burmah Oil Coy., Ltd., in the presence of :—

B. J. CORCORAN,

Witness.

Signed, sealed and delivered by L. Birley, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Revenue Department on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council in the presence of Muhammad Abdul Hamid, Assistant-in-Charge, Revenue Department, Darjeeling.

Witness.

L. BIRLEY,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue Department.

20th April 1917.

SCHEDULE.

In the district of Chittagong, thana town, village Nalsa, taraf Beidya Nath, Touzi No. 557. On the North by the Burmah Oil Co.'s land, East by part of Cadastral Survey plot No. 73, South by part of Cadastral Survey plot Nos. 102 and 73 and West by the Burmah Oil Co.'s land.

for Bulloch Bros. & Co., Limited,

E. A. MARTIN,

Agents: The Burmah Oil Co., Limited.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby announced that a fresh Matriculation Examination will be held on Monday, the 23rd of July, 1917, and following days.

A candidate who will have completed the age of sixteen years on the 1st of July, 1917, will be admitted to this examination.

P. BRÜHL,

Registrar.

SENATE HOUSE;
The 25th April 1917.

AJMER-MERWARA.

Catalogue of Books printed and published in Ajmer-Merwara and registered under Act XXV of 1867, during the quarter which ended on the 31st March 1917.

Serial Number.	Author and title, brief subject including the age of the book where the same is obscure, number of pages, publisher and place of publication, date given on the title page with the name of era, where other than Christian era, date of issue from the press or of publication, size, edition and price.	Printer and place of printing.	Number of copies.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5
1	**GAZAL BAHAR**, ग़ज़ल बहार by **Mangi Lal Nokri**, published by Seth Mangi Lal, Neemuch, on the 4th January 1917. 32 pages. 16 size. Double Foolscap. First edition. **Price 0-2-0.**	Harishchandra Trivedi, Vedic Press, Ajmer.	1,000	
2	**ACT NO. XI OF 1890** in Hindi by **St. Gobbu Lal, Vakil of Sailana**, published at Sailana on the 17th January 1917. 7 pages. Demi 8vo. First edition. **Price 0-3-0.**	Durga Parshad, Manager, S. S Jain Press, Ajmer.	500	
3	**ACT NO. XX OF 1887** in Hindi by **Gobbu Lalji, Vakil of Sailana**, published at Sailana on the 17th January 1917. 4 pages. Demy 8vo. First edition. **Price 0-2-0.**	Do.	1,000	
4	**ANATH RAKSHAK VOL. XV ANK I** in Hindi by **Seth Mangi Lal, Neemuch**, published by P. Moti Lal Sharma at Ajmer on the 9th January 1917. Royal 8vo. First edition. **Price 1-0-0.**	Harishchandra Trivedi, Vedic Press, Ajmer.	1,000	
5	**ANATH RAKSHAK VOL. XV ANK II AND III** in Hindi by **Seth Mangi Lal, Neemuch**, published by P. Moti Lal Sharma at Ajmer on the 24th January 1917. Royal 8vo First edition. **Price 1-0-0.**	Do.		

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1	2	3	4	5
6	**APPLIED GEOMETRY-MENSURATION** by Babu **Ram Pershad,** **Sub-overseer,** P W. D., Rajputana, Ajmer, published at Ajmer by the author on the 4th January 1917. 319 pages 12 pages Demy. First Edition. Price 2-8-0	Harishchandra Trivedi, Vedic Press, Ajmer.	1,000	
7	**हर्ष चरित HARSHA CHARITRA (CHAPTER V)** by Professor Bhava Datta Kudal, H S L. L. Government College, Ajmer, published by the author on the 28th January 1017. 206 pages. Demy 8vo. First edition. Price 2-0-0	Do.	1,000	Text with notes and commentary on the life of Harsha
8	**काव्यमंजरी टीका KAVYAMANJARI TEEKA** by **Pandit Madan Lal Shastri,** Jaipur, published by the author at Jaipur on 6th January 1917. 302 pages. 12 pages Royal. First edition. Price 0-14-0.	Do.	1,000	Note to Kavyamanjari in Sanskrit.
9	**AN APPEAL TO THE PUBLIC** (in English) by the **Secretary, Dayanand Orphanage Committee, Ajmer,** published by the author at Ajmer on the 4th January 1917. 16 pages. 16 pages Royal. First edition. Gratis.	Do.	5,000	
10	**श्रीमत् दयानन्द अनाथालय अजमेर की अपील AN APPEAL ON BEHALF OF THE DAYANAND ORPHANAGE by the Secretary of the Orphanage** published by the auther at Ajmer on the 4th January 1917. 16 pages. 16 pages Royal. First Edition. Gratis	Do	10,000	

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1	2	3	4	5
11	अबला पर अत्याचार **ABLA-PAR-ATTYACHAR**, by **Yadavchandra Gupta, Jaipur,** published by the author at Jaipur on the 20th January 1917, 20 pages. 16pp. Demy Foolscap. First Edition. **Gratis.**	Harishchandra Trivedi Vedic Press, Ajmer.	300	
12	हाय रे जाति की फूट **HAI-RE-JATI-KI-PHOOT**, by **Goswami Ramji, Ajmer,** published by the author at Ajmer on the 20th January 1917, 20 pages. 16pp. Demy Foolscap. First Edition. **Gratis.**	Ditto	500	
13	कार्यवाही श्रीमती परोपकारिणी सभा **PROCEEDINGS OF THE PAROPKARINI SABHA,** by **B. Harbilaaji Sarda, Joint Secretary,** of the Sabha published by the author at Ajmer on the 8th January 1917, 8 pages. Royal Octavo. First Edition. **Gratis.**	Ditto	100	
14	जाति चेतावनी **JATI CHETAVNI,** by **Pannalal Lodwal and Ramsukh Lakvad, Contractors, Ajmer,** published by the authors on 3rd January 1917, 16 pages. 16pp. Demy Foolscap. First Edition. **Gratis.**	Ditto	500	
15	**THE MANUAL OF HINDUSTANI GRAMMAR,** (in English and Urdoo) by **Mr. Tajammul Khan, Teacher to H. H. the Nawab of Junagadh,** published by the Job Press, Ajmer, on the 26th January 1917, 84 pages. Demy 8vo. Second Edition. **Price 0-12-0**	Manager, Job Printing Press, Ajmer.	300	

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1	2	3	4	5
16	**CATALOGUE OF BOOKS OF THE BISSETT INSTITUTE** by the **Honorary Secretary of the Institute**, issued from the press on the 1st February 1917, 126 pages. Demy 8 vo. First Edition. **Price Free.**	Manager, Job Printing Press, Ajmer.	300	English, Urdu and Hindi.
17	**PHAGA IA PHOOL NO 3.** फागणिया फूल). G[illegible] **Lal Baldeva,** published at Sojat by the author on the 17th January 1917, 14 pages. Royal 16mo. First Edition. **Price 0-0-6.**	Durga Pershad, Manager, S.S. Jain Printing Press, Ajmer.	500	
18	फागणिया फूल **PHAGANIA PHOOL** by **Ganeshmal Rughnath Malji,** published by the authors on the 24th January 1917, 11 pages. Royal 16mo. First Edition. **Gratis.**	Ditto.	500	
19	जैन धर्म के नियम **PRINCIPLES OF THE JAIN RELIGION,** by **Shrimati Parvatiji Maharaj,** published at Rawalpindi, published by Lala Jewashah Gobindu Shah Jain, Rawalpindi, on the 6th February 1917, 14 pages. Royal 16mo. Second Edition. **Gratis.**	Ditto.	500	
20	पृथ्वीराज जयचन्द **PRITHVIRAJ JAICHAND** by **Chhotu Lal of Nasirabad,** published by the author on 27th February 1917. 44 pages. Royal 32mo First Edition. **Price Nil.**	Ditto.	1,000	

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1	2	3	4	5
21	भजनबत्तीसी **BHAJANBATTISI** by **Pukhraj Dolia, Teacher,** Government Vernacular School, Ajmer, published by the author at Ajmer on the 28th February 1917. 18 pages, Demy Octavo. First Edition. **Price 0-1-0.**	Durga Pershad, Manager, S S. Jain Press	1,000	
22	**ANATH RAKSHAK, VOLUME XV, ANK IV,** by **Seth Mangihalji, Neemuch,** published by Pandit Motilal Sharma, Ajmer, on the 2nd March 1917. 24 pages. Royal Octavo. First Edition. **Price 1-0-0 per annum.**	Harishchandra Trivedi, Vedic Press, Ajmer.	700	In Hindi.
23	**A SHORT HISTORY OF THAKUR LACHMAN SING OF BAGSURI'S SERVICES** with testimonials. Issued from the Press on 5th March 1917 19 pages. Demy Octavo. First Edition. **Free.**	Ditto	100	
24	ऋग्वेद भाष्य के प्रथम नौ मंत्रों का भाष्य **RIGVEDA BHASHYA KE PRATHAM NOU MANTRON KA BHASHYA** by the late **Swami Dayanand Sarswati,** published by the Manager, Vedic Book Depôt, Ajmer, on the 25th March 1917. 26 pages. Royal Octavo. Second Edition. **Price 0-0-6.**	Ditto	1,000	Hindi and Sanskrit.

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1	2	3	4	5
25	भारत देश का मूलधन सिर्फ एक गाय ही है (The cow is the only principle capital of India). Songs by **Vaishnava Sadhu Nandram Das Jamola,** published by Gulabchand Kothari Jain Swetambari, Jamola, Ajmer, on the 3rd March 1917. 16 pages. 12 pp. Royal. Second Edition. **Gratis.**	Harishchandra Trivedi, Vedic Press, Ajmer.	1,000	
26	अनुभ्रमोच्छेदन **ANUBHRAMO CHHEDAN** by **Pt. Bheemsen Sharma,** published by the Manager, Vedic Book Depôt, Ajmer, on 15th March 1917. 20 pages. Royal 8 vo. Fifth Edition. **Price 0-0-9.**	Ditto .	2,000	
27	मगाशिष भाष्य **MAGASHISH BHASHYA** by **Jai Lal, Poet of Kishengarh,** published by the Author at Kishengarh in March. 43 pages. Royal 12mo. First Edition. **Gratis.**	Durga Pershad, Manager, S. S. Jain Press, Ajmer.	1,000	
28	वैदिक तत्व मीमांसा **VEDIC TATVA MEEMANSA** by **Jagannath Das Adhikari,** published by Pt. Narain Das Jotshi, Ajmer, in March. 13 pages. Demy Octavo. First Edition. **Gratis.**	Ditto .	500	

L. W. REYNOLDS, I.C.S., C.I.E.,

Commissioner Ajmer-Merwara.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 23rd April 1917.

No. 7.—The services of 2nd class Assistant Surgeon Richard Luke Dunn, I.S.M.D., are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, for employment at Hindu Rao's Hospital, Delhi, with effect from the 12th September 1916.

R. A. NEEDHAM, Major, I.M.S.,
for Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Calcutta, the 18th April 1917.

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By order,
T. A. WHITE,
Controller of Stores.

NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 19th April 1917.

No. 6.—Mr. F. C. Judges, Assistant Engineer, passed the Professional examination, prescribed in the State Railway Construction Code, paragraphs 639 to 641, on the 2nd April 1917.

S. L. CRA'STER, Colonel,
Agent, N. W. Railway.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 12th April 1917.

No. 750s-Ap.—The following sub. *pro tem.* appointments are made with effect from the 11th March 1917 and until further orders, *vice* Mr. J. S. Buckner, Postmaster, Delhi, pay Rs. 500—600, on field service :—

Mr. H. M. Richardson, Postmaster, Lucknow, pay Rs. 500—600 and officiating Postmaster, Delhi, to be sub. *pro tem.* Postmaster, Delhi, on his own pay ;

Mr. T. G. Chiodetti, Postmaster, Agra, pay Rs. 400—500 and officiating Postmaster, Lucknow, to be sub. *pro tem.* Postmaster, Lucknow ;

Mr. C. E. White, Postmaster, Quetta, pay Rs. 400—500 and officiating Postmaster, Agra, to be sub. *pro tem.* Postmaster, Agra, on his own pay ;

Mr. J. C. O'Loughlen, 1st Assistant Postmaster, Calcutta, pay Rs. 300—400 and officiating Postmaster, Quetta, to be sub. *pro tem.* Postmaster, Quetta;

Mr. H. J. Nicholas, 2nd Assistant Postmaster, Calcutta, pay Rs. 300—400 and officiating 1st Assistant Postmaster, Calcutta, to be sub. *pro tem.* 1st Assistant Postmaster, Calcutta, on his own pay;

Mr. W. B. Roderick, Postmaster, Gaya, pay Rs. 200—300 and officiating 2nd Assistant Postmaster, Calcutta, to be sub. *pro tem.* 2nd Assistant Postmaster, Calcutta, and to continue on field service;

Mr. A. I. P. Browne, Postmaster, Srinagar, pay Rs. 200—300 and officiating 2nd Assistant Postmaster, Calcutta, to be sub. *pro tem.* 2nd Assistant Postmaster, Calcutta, *vice* Mr. W. B. Roderick.

Simla, the 18th April 1917.

No. 837s-*Ap*.—Mr. Shujath Ali, Probationary Superintendent, Railway Mail Service and sub. *pro tem.* Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, is appointed Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, from the 13th April 1917. He will continue on field service.

No. 850s-*Ap*.—Mr. W. C. Dennehy, Superintendent of post offices, 3rd grade, is granted privilege leave for two months, with effect from the 11th May 1917, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. N. S. Smith, Probationary Superintendent of post offices, United Provinces, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. W. C. Dennehy or until further orders.

Simla, the 19th April 1917.

No. 858s-*Ap*.—The following promotions, transfers and appointments, in the grades of Superintendents of post offices are made with effect from the date noted against each.

Mr. C. H. McMinn to be promoted to the 2nd grade from the 31st March 1917 and to continue on field service;

Mr. J. J. Newton to be confirmed in the 3rd grade from the 31st March 1917;

Mr. F. L. C. Heysham to be promoted previsionally to the 3rd grade from the 31st March 1917;

Mr. S. M. Yusuf Quraeshi to be confirmed in the 4th grade from the 12th December 1916;

Mr. R. B. Wright to be confirmed in the 4th grade from the 17th March 1917 and to continue on deputation to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers;

Mr. Bishen Singh to be promoted provisionally to the 4th grade from the 12th December 1916 and to be confirmed in that grade, from the 31st March 1917. He was sub. *pro tem.* Superintendent of post office, 4th grade, from the 3rd November 1916 to 11th December 1916 inclusive in the vacancy *vice* Mr. E. S. Doran.

Babu Nirmal Kant Dutt to be promoted provisionally to the 4th grade from the 17th March 1917;

Maung Tin Gale to be promoted provisionally to the 4th grade from the 31st March 1917;

Babu Kunal Chandra Sen, Sub-Postmaster, Bara Bazar, to be appointed Reserve Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, Bengal and Assam, from the 16th April 1917 and to continue on field service;

Mr. H. R. McLeod, Probationary Superintendent, Railway Mail Service and officiating Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, to be appointed Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, from the 16th April 1917;

Babu Mati Lal Banerji, Assistant Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 2nd grade, to act as Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, from the 23rd March 1917 and until relieved by Babu Suresh Chandra Mitra;

Babu Suresh Chandra Mitra, Clerk, office of the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, to act as Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, from the date on which he assumes charge of that appointment and until further orders.

No. 865s-*Ap*.—Mr. E. C. Lalkaka, Superintendent of post offices, 2nd grade, is granted privilege leave for one month and nine days, with effect from the 20th March 1917.

Mr. A. Anantha Charlu, Head Clerk, Rangoon post office, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. E. C. Lalkaka, or until further orders.

No 875s-*Ap*.—In this office Notification No. 545s-Ap., dated the 20th March 1917, read "28th November 1916" for "20th November 1916".

No. 888s-Ap.—Mr. E. A. Faithfull, Superintendent of post offices, 2nd grade, and Personal Assistant to the Postmaster-General, Bihar and Orissa, is granted privilege leave for two months and two days, with effect from the 30th April 1917, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Babu Jayananda Kumar, Supernumerary Inspector, office of the Postmaster-General, Bihar and Orissa, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. E. A. Faithfull, or until further orders.

The 24th April 1917.

No. 889-s. Ap.—Mr. V. Desikachari, Superintendent of post offices, is granted privilege leave for one month and fifteen days, with effect from the 23rd April 1917, or from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. M. C. Gopalachari, B.A., City Inspector, Madras General Post Office, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr V. Desikachari, or until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 20th April 1917.

No. 189s-E.-E.—The following promotion in the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. P. C. Potter	Inspecting Telegraph Master.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd Class, Officiating.	26th February 1917.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 25th April 1917.

No. 2408-T.—Mr. S. N. Chatterjee, who was appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, under Notification No. 1138-T, dated the 20th February 1917, reverted to the grade of Telegraph Master with effect from the 1st April 1917.

2. This cancels Notification No. 2124-T., dated the 11th April 1917.

The 26th April 1917.

No. 2436-T.—The following officiating promotions are sanctioned for the periods specified :—

Name.	Rank		Date	
	From	To	From	To
Mr. P. Chakravarty Iyenger.	Telegraph Master	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	26th December 1916.	31st March 1917
Mr. S. E. Doggett	Ditto	Ditto	1st April 1917	Until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

The 26th April 1917.

No. 2429-T.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 19th April to 25th April 1917.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
Government Telegraph Offices.			
Amboli	Bombay	1st April 1917	Closed.
Burhan Camp	Punjab	" " "	"

W. SUTHERLAND,
Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

NOTICE.

The Book Depôt attached to the Office of the Superintendent, Government Printing, India, will be closed from the 1st to 15th May inclusive, for the purpose of Stock-taking.

J. J. MEIKLE,
Superintendent, Government Printing, India.

8, HASTINGS STREET,
CALCUTTA,
The 29th March 1917.

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I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 28th February, 1917

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each) (a)	Percentage to total for India	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton pressed in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity pressed from 1st September, 1916 to 28th February, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs each) — Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	35·6	194	27	24,193	187,751	343,35
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	14·0	184	106	42,235	477,098	765,34
Madras	377,000	8·8	55	13	(b)2,970	48,868	84,66
Punjab (including Native States)	333,000	7·8	92	10	12,495	146,844	146,12
United Provinces	309,000	7·2	80	5	864	240,329	219,66
Sind	74,000	1·7	16	2	2,269	37,161	31,06
Burma	45,000	1·1	16	2	1,218	36,315	20,95
Bihar and Orissa	16,000	0·4	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	20,000	0·5	3	2	1,134	2,247	4,57
Assam	11,000	0·3	...	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province	6,000	0·1	1	1	...	2,591	93
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	0·4	9	4	2,509	21,274	(c)
Delhi	...	...	1	1	48	922	80
TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (d)	3,329,000	77·9	631	173	89,935	1,201,388	1,617,48
Hyderabad	500,000	11·7	41	(f)	(f)	2,471	18,00
Central India	309,000	7·2	32	(f)	(f)	(f)	(f)
Rajputana	119,000	2·8	10	(f)	(f)	21,601	13,20
Mysore	16,000	0·4	3	2	365	5,378	6,72
TOTAL NATIVE STATES (e)	944,000	22·1	86	2	365	29,450	34,93
GRAND TOTAL	4,273,000	100	717	175	90,300	1,[illegible],838	1,[illegible],42

(a) The figures in column 2 are the estimates for 1916-17 as published in the Supplementary Memorandum on the Cotton crop of 1916-17, [illegible] the [illegible] March, 1917.
(b) Figures for the weeks ending 17th and 24th February, 1917.
(c) No returns received.
(d) Including [illegible] situated within provincial boundaries.
(e) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.
(f) [illegible] from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 28th February, 1917.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received in the half-month	Quantity of cotton received in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity received from 1st September, 1916, to 28th February, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs each)	
				Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6
mbay (including Native States) and Baroda .	177	34	7,607	121,622	155,448
tral Provinces and Berar (including Native States) .	10	10	2,816	35,687	62,577
dras .	14	8	(*a*) 1,973	46,519	47,370
ijab .	3	1	53	4,144	8,879
ited Provinces .	15	(*b*)	(*b*)	18,965	38,151
d .	3	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)
igal .	10	9	1,573	37,263	33,426
ner-Merwara .	2	2	800	33,521	(*b*)
hi .	2	2	11	8,861	10,457
Total British Provinces (*c*) .	236	66	14,833	306,532	356,308
derabad .	3	2	542	2,975	3,211
ntral India .	3	1	544	13,900	8,226
jputana .	1	(*e*)	(*e*)	(*e*)	(*e*)
sore .	2	2	59	1,216	1,297
Total Native States (*d*) .	9	5	1,145	18,091	12,734
GRAND TOTAL .	245	71	15,978	324,623	369,042

Note.—This statement shows the quantity of unpressed cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.

(*a*) Figures for the weeks ending 17th and 24th February, 1917.
(*b*) No returns received.
(*c*) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*d*) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*e*) Returns not received from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

—Total quantity of cotton pressed in the Pressing Factories and of unpressed cotton received in the Spinning Mills, from 1st September, 1916, to 28th February, 1917, in *British Provinces (including Native States within Provincial Boundaries).*

Province	Total estimated outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of cotton pressed up to 28th February, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of unpressed cotton received in spinning mills up to 28th February, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total of columns 3 and 4 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Percentage ratio of col. 5 to col. 2
1	2	3	4	5	6
nbay (including Native States) and Baroda .	1,519,000	187,751	121,622	309,373	20·4
tral Provinces and Berar (including Native States) .	600,000	477,088	35,687	512,725	85·5
ras .	277,000	48,866	46,519	95,385	35·3
jab (including Native States) . } th-West Frontier Province . i .	339,000	150,357	13,005	163,362	48·2
ted Provinces .	309,000	240,329	18,965	259,294	83·9
l .	74,000	37,161	..	37,161	50·2
ma .	45,000	36,315	...	36,315	80·7
gal . } r and Orissa . m .	47,000	2,247	37,263	39,510	84·1
er-Merwara .	19,000	21,274	33,521	54,795*	288·4
Total	3,229,000	1,201,388	306,532	1,507,920	46·8

Note.—This table contains the details of tables I and II excluding Hyderabad, Central India, Rajputana, and Mysore.
* Includes cotton received from the adjoining States in Rajputana.

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FOREIGN COMMERCE.

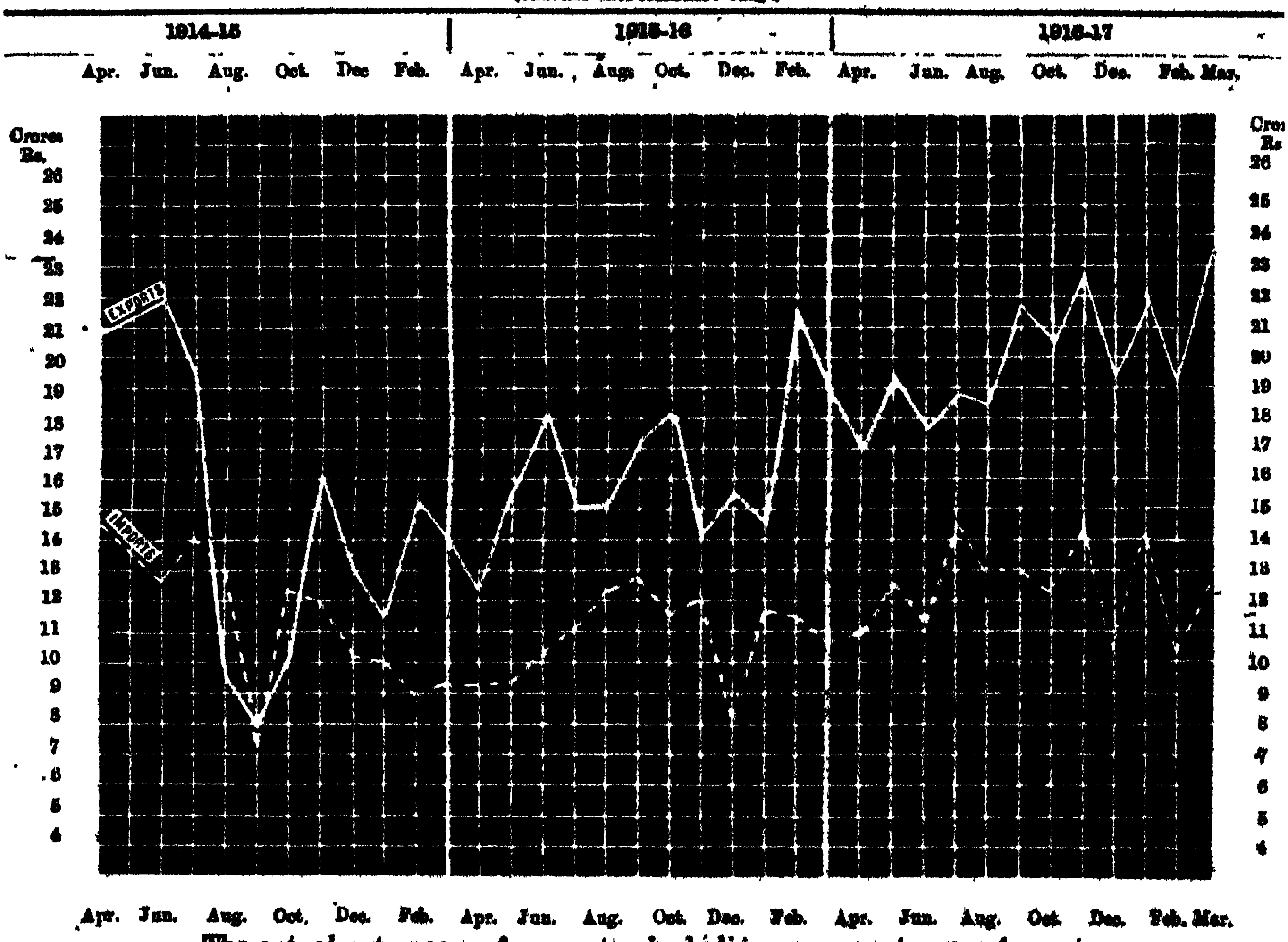
FOREIGN SEA-BORNE TRADE DURING MARCH, 1917.

The trade returns of British India for March, 1917, as compared with those of its immediate predecessor, shewed increases in total imports, exports, and re-exports. The total imports of merchandise were valued at nearly R13 crores, the exports, including those of wheat and tanned cow hides on Government account, at R22¾ crores, and the re-exports at R77¾ lakhs. As compared with the preceding month (February, 1917), the imports increased by 25 per cent, the exports by 22 per cent, and the re-exports by 9 per cent. As compared with March, 1916, the imports showed an increase of 19 per cent, the exports of 21 per cent, and the re-exports of 106 per cent.

The chart showing the course of monthly imports and exports, including re-exports, from April, 1914, to March, 1917, is appended below :—

MONTHLY IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FROM APRIL, 1914, TO MARCH, 1917.

(Private Merchandise only.)



The actual net excess of exports, including re-exports, over imports was R8,99 lakhs in February, 1917, and R10,62 lakhs in March, 1917. The statement below shows the figures of imports and exports, including re-exports, during February and March, of the years 1915, 1916, and 1917, and the actual net excess of exports over imports during the same periods :—

	1915		1916		1917		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1915	1916	1917
	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)
February . .	8,91	15,1[illegible]	11,34	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] (a)	[illegible]	[illegible]	8,99
March . .	9,36	[illegible]	10,90	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] (b)	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

(a) Includes R[illegible], being the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account in February, 1917.

(b) Includes R[illegible],914, being the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account in March, 1917.

Comparisons with February, 1917.—As compared with February, 1917, the most noticeable changes were :—

Under imports : *increases* under wood—timber (+R17½ lakhs), cotton, twist and yarn (+R11⅜ lakhs), grey piece goods (+R77 lakhs), white piece goods (+R44½ lakhs), and coloured piece goods (+R 42⅜ lakhs), but a *decrease* under sugar, 16 D. S. and above (—R 52 lakhs).

Under exports : *increases* under rice (+R57 lakhs), barley (+R15⅝ lakhs), gram (+R24 lakhs), pulse (+R17⅝ lakhs), wheat (private and Government) (+R28⅜ lakhs), spices, pepper (+ R12⅝ lakhs), tea, black (+ R40½ lakhs), coffee (+ R37⅜ lakhs), shellac (+R 12 lakhs), groundnut seed (+R39½ lakhs), linseed (+R24⅓ lakhs), raw cotton (+R1,65 lakhs), raw hemp (+R10⅜ lakhs), hides, tanned (+R50 lakhs), skins, tanned (+R15⅓ lakhs), and cotton, twist and yarn (+R48 lakhs), but *decreases* under raw hides (—R15 lakhs), raw skins (—R70⅜ lakhs), sesamum seed (—R13 lakhs), raw jute (—R24 lakhs), jute, gunny bags (—R44½ lakhs), and jute, gunny cloth (—R35 lakhs).

Comparisons with March, 1916.—As compared with March, 1916, the most noticeable changes were :—

Under imports : *increases* under wood—timber (+R21⅛ lakhs), aniline dyes (+R12 lakhs), cotton, grey piece goods (+R19⅓ lakhs), white piece goods (+R16½ lakhs), and coloured piece goods (+R56½ lakhs), but *decreases* under sugar, 16 D. S. and above (—R21 lakhs), and kerosene oil (—R13⅜ lakhs).

Under exports : *increases* under barley (+R23⅓ lakhs), gram (+R24 lakhs), pulse (+R22 lakhs) wheat (private and Government) (+R41⅛ lakhs), spices (pepper) (+R16½ lakhs), coffee (+R30⅓ lakhs), shellac (+R12⅓ lakhs), raw hides (+R16⅜ lakhs), raw skins (+R24½ lakhs), linseed (+R29⅜ lakhs), sesamum seed (+R 18½ lakhs), raw cotton (+R1,15⅓ lakhs), raw hemp (+R18 lakhs), raw jute (+R18⅜ lakhs), raw wool (+R24⅛ lakhs), opium (+R16 lakhs), hides, tanned (+R27⅜ lakhs), cotton, twist and yarn (+R63 lakhs), and cotton piece goods (+R27 lakhs), but *decreases* under rice (—R41⅜ lakhs), cotton seed (—R12⅜ lakhs), rape seed (—R21 lakhs), jute, gunny bags (—R84⅓ lakhs), and jute, gunny cloth (—R43⅜ lakhs).

VARIATIONS IN CLASSES.

The variations in March, 1916 and 1917, as compared with February, 1916 and 1917, respectively, according to the four main classes of merchandise, are as follows :—

	February 1916 R(lakhs)	March 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)	February 1917 R(lakhs)	March 1917 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)
IMPORTS						
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	2,03	2,10	+7	2,44	1,92	—52
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	63	69	+6	69	76	+7
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	8,59	7,80	—79	6,84	9,54	+2,70
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	29	21	—8	28	61	+33
Total	11,54	10,80	—74	10,25	12,83	+2,58

Exports	February 1916 R(lakhs)	March 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)	February 1917 R(lakhs)	March 1917 R(lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R(lakhs)
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	4,23	4,62	+39	3,69	6,10	+2,41
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	9,99	7,40	—2,59	8,57	9,95	+1,38
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	6,49	6,51	+2	6,09	6,46	+37
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	30	17	—13	18	17	—1
Total	21,01	18,70	—2,31	18,53(a)	22,68(b)	+4,15

COMPARISON WITH THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF THE PRECEDING MONTH (FEBRUARY, 1917).†

I.—Imports.

A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF SUGAR AND OF SALT.

Sugar.

Imports of Food, drink, and tobacco in March, 1917, decreased by R52 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, decreased in March, 1917, to 27,538 tons, valued at over R95½ lakhs, from 43,670 tons, valued at nearly R1,47½ lakhs, in the preceding month (February, 1917). Imports from Java and Mauritius decreased, while those from Japan increased. In the twelve months, ended March, 1917, the imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, amounted to 483,201 tons, valued at R14,58 lakhs, as against 509,269 tons, valued at R15,70⅔ lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Salt.

Imports of salt decreased in March, 1917, to 37,979 tons from 49,166 tons in the preceding month.

AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF RAW MATERIALS.

Mineral oil.

The value of the imports of Raw materials in March, 1917, increased by R7 lakhs. Imports of mineral oil in March, 1917, maintained the level of the preceding month and amounted to over 7 million gallons, valued at R29 lakhs. The quantity of kerosene oil imported declined to 2 million gallons from 3 million gallons, but imports of other kinds of mineral oil, mainly lubricating and fuel oils, increased to over 5 million gallons from nearly 4 million gallons in the preceding month.

AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF COTTON PIECE GOODS AND OF IRON OR STEEL SHEETS AND PLATES.

Cotton goods.

The value of the imports of Manufactured articles increased by R2,70 lakhs. The imports of cotton piece goods, including fents, in March, 1917, increased to 1,75½ million yards, valued at R4,50 lakhs, from 1,08 million yards, valued at R2,84 lakhs, in the preceding month. Grey goods increased by 35 million yards to 71⅔ million yards, white goods by 22 million yards to 54½ million yards, and coloured, printed, or dyed by 14¼ million yards to 46 million yards. In the twelve months, ended March, 1917, the total imports of cotton piece goods amounted to 1,929 million yards, valued at over R45⅔ crores, as against 2,148 million yards, valued at R37½ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Iron or steel sheets and plates.

Imports of iron or steel sheets and plates increased in March, 1917, to 6,220 tons, valued at R27⅔ lakhs, from 5,965 tons, valued at R24 lakhs, in the preceding month.

(a) Includes R24,88,172, being the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account in February, 1917.

(b) Includes R82,66,914, being the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account in March, 1917.

† Comparison is made with the previous month and not with the corresponding month of last year, owing to the present abnormal circumstances brought about by the war.

II.—Exports.

AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RICE AND WHEAT.

Exports of Food, drink, and tobacco increased in March, 1917, by R2,41 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. Exports of rice, not in the husk, increased in March, 1917, to 211,915 tons, valued at R2,30½ lakhs, from 149,954 tons, valued at R1,78¾ lakhs, in the preceding month. The marginal table shows the exports in February and March, 1917, to certain principal importing countries. The exports to the United Kingdom, Ceylon, the Straits Settlements, Italy, Mauritius and the West Indies increased. In the twelve months ended March, 1917, the exports amounted to 1,584,738 tons, valued at over R18¾ crores, as against 1,339,790 tons, valued at R15½ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Rice, not in the husk.

Exports of rice, not in the husk

	February, 1917	March, 1917
	tons	tons
To United Kingdom .	35,346	57,747
„ Ceylon .	23,041	40,357
„ Straits Settlements	19,004	29,176
„ Italy . . .	10,065	15,517
„ West Indies . .	13,036	15,014
„ Mauritius . . .	4,397	5,647
Total (including other countries) .	149,954	211,915

Wheat.

Exports of wheat (on private and Government account) increased in March, 1917, to 32,810 tons, valued at R42¾ lakhs, from 14,530 tons, valued at R19 lakhs, in the preceding month. In the twelve months ended March, 1917, the exports (on private and Government account) amounted to 733,663 tons, valued at R8,95¼ lakhs, as against 652,879 tons, valued at R8,44 lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

A HEAVY INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF TEA.

Tea.

Shipments of tea in March, 1917, increased to 21 million lbs, valued at R1,27½ lakhs, from 15¼ million lbs, valued at R87¼ lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom took nearly 17 million lbs in March, 1917, as against 11 million lbs in February, 1917. The total exports in the twelve months ended March, 1917, amounted to 2,91⅝ million lbs, valued at R16¾ crores, as against 3,38½ million lbs, valued at R20 crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RAW MATERIALS.

The value of the exports of raw materials increased by R1,38 lakhs. The marginal table shows the exports of raw cotton during February and March, 1917, to the principal importing countries. The shipments increased in March, 1917, to 38,871 tons, valued at R3,75 lakhs, from 22,489 tons, valued at R2,10 lakhs, in the preceding month. Japan and Italy took larger quantities, while the United Kingdom reduced her imports. In the twelve months ended March, 1917, the exports amounted to 425,242 tons, valued at over R34 crores, as against 442,698 tons, valued at R25 crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Raw Cotton.

Exports of raw cotton

	February, 1917	March, 1917
	tons	tons
To Japan . . .	14,309	28,167
„ Italy . . .	2,351	4,541
„ United Kingdom .	3,606	3,242
„ Spain . . .	1,286	61
Total (including other countries) .	22,489	38,871

Raw Jute.

Exports of raw jute in March, 1917, decreased to 45,580 tons, valued at R1,85¼ lakhs, from 52,492 tons, valued at nearly R1,59¼ lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom took in March, 1917, 27,246 tons, as against 25,920 tons in February, 1917, and the United States of America 10,713 tons, as against 14,990 tons. In the twelve months ended March, 1917, the exports amounted to 539,768 tons, valued at nearly R16¼ crores, as against 600,113 tons, valued at nearly R15¼ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF JUTE MANUFACTURES.

The value of the exports of Manufactured articles increased by [illegible] lakhs. Exports of jute, gunny bags amounted in March, 1917, to 40 millions in number, valued at R1,[illegible] lakhs, as against 73 millions, valued at nearly R1,[illegible] lakhs, in the preceding month. The marginal table shows the number of hessian and sacking bags exported to certain principal countries during February and March, 1917. The exports to the United Kingdom decreased by 24 millions of bags and to Russia by 7 millions. The exports of jute, gunny bags, in the twelve months ended March, 1917, amounted to nearly 805 millions in number, valued at over R21½ crores, as against 794 millions, valued at R20 crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Jute, gunny bags.

Exports of gunny bags

	February, 1917			March, 1917		
	Sacking, (millions of bags)	Hessian, (millions of bags)	Total (millions of bags)	Sacking, (millions of bags)	Hessian, (millions of bags)	Total (millions of bags)
United Kingdom	3	31·4	34·4	2·6	8·1	10·7
Australia	5·1	·3	5·4	3·7	·8	4·5
Russia	...	7·5	7·5	...	·5	·5
France	...	6·1	6·1	...	...	...
Java	3·7	...	3·7	4·3	...	4·3
United States of America	·3	3·4	3·7	...	3·1	3·1
West Indies	...	...	...	·2	...	·2
Chile	...	...	...	4·8	...	4·8
Total (including other countries)	22·9	50	72·9	26·9	13·1	40

Exports of jute, gunny cloth in March, 1917, amounted to nearly 96½ million yards, valued at R1,40¾ lakhs, as against 1,08¼ million yards, valued at nearly R1,75½ lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom and the United States of America took, respectively, 22½ million yards and 63 million yards, as against 18¾ million yards and 54 million yards in the preceding month. There were no exports to France in March, 1917, as against 13½ million yards in the preceding month. In the twelve months ended March, 1917, the exports amounted to 1,230 million yards, valued at R20 crores, as against nearly 1,192 million yards, valued at nearly R17¾ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Jute, gunny cloth.

Exports of gunny cloth

	February, 1917			March, 1917		
	Sacking, (millions of yards)	Hessian, (millions of yards)	Total (millions of yards)	Sacking, (millions of yards)	Hessian, (millions of yards)	Total (millions of yards)
United Kingdom	·6	18·2	18·8	·7	21·8	22·5
Russia	...	3·3	3·3	...	·8	·8
France	...	13·6	13·6	...	...	...
Australia	1·2	2·6	3·8	·9	1	1·9
Canada	...	3·5	3·5	...	4·1	4·1
United States of America	·2	54·1	54·3	...	63·9	63·9
Total (including other countries)	5·3	103·1	108·4	2·7	93·7	96·4

TWELVE MONTHS ENDED MARCH, 1917.

The summary of the results for the twelve months ended March, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1914-15 and 1915-16, is as follows:—

	1914-15		1915-16		1916-17		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Merchandise (private)	1,37,96	1,61,59	1,31,90	1,97,36(a)	1,49,65	2,40,28(b)	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Treasure (private)	21,77	6,29	11,86	7,63	14,15	4,6[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

(a) Includes R6,[illegible], being the value of wheat exported on Government account [illegible] to March, [illegible]
(b) Includes R4,[illegible], being the value of wheat and [illegible] 1916, to March, 1917

It will be seen that, during the twelve months ended March, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915-16, the imports of merchandise increased by R17,66 lakhs or 13 per cent, and the exports, including re-exports, by R43,50 lakhs or 22 per cent. The total value of merchandise increased by over R61 crores, or 19 per cent, to over R390 crores.

Chief increases and decreases.

Comparing the values of the imports and exports during the twelve months ended March, 1917, with those in the corresponding period of 1915-16, the chief increases and decreases are as follows :—

I. Imports.

Increases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Spirit	23,47
	Biscuits and cakes	19,28
	Canned and bottled provisions	27,98
	Cigarettes	40,04
Class II	Mineral oil (other than kerosene)	79,01
	Cotton, raw	12,18
	Wood (timber)	34,11
	Precious stones and pearls, unset	14,20
Class III	Boots and shoes	16,78
	Motor cars and motor cycles	85,07
	Chemicals	41,84
	Drugs and medicines	16,45
	Hardware	72,76
	Instruments, electrical	29,86

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class III	Aniline dyes	39,94
	Paints and colours	28,46
	Glass and glassware	43,64
	Electrical machinery	11,07
	Textile machinery	21,15
	Paper (excluding pasteboard)	87,00
	Stationery	20,74
	Cotton, twist and yarn	37,20
	" white piece-goods	2,10,98
	" coloured "	6,53,17
	" hosiery	77,34
	Haberdashery and millinery	36,14
	Woollen piece-goods	77,57
	Soap	16,41
Class IV	Horses	27,11

Decreases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	1,12,36
	Molasses	9,86
Class II	Kerosene oil	33,87
Class III	Copper, wrought	29,27
	Bars and channel (steel)	33,70
	Iron or steel—sheets and plates	39,61
	" beams, pillars, etc.	30,07

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class III	Iron or steel pipes and fittings (cast)	48,02
	Railway carriages and wagons	7[illegible],94
	" locomotive engines, etc.	1,24,36
	" materials for construction	67,89
	Cotton, grey piece-goods	1,21,63
	Silk, piece-goods	12,47
	Matches	22,61

II. Exports.

Increases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Barley	51,17
	Pulse	1,14,51
	Rice	3,29,01
	Wheat (private and Government)	51,43
	Wheat flour	14,37
	Spices—pepper	15,25
Class II	Lac	1,66,56
	Hides (raw)	79,66
	Skins (raw)	3,91,28
	Manganese ore	41,42
	Wolfram ore	51,43
	Castor seed	23,25
	Copra or cocoanut kernel	42,48
	Linseed	4,16,57
	Rape seed	36,23
	Sesamum seed	1,57,93

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class II	Rubber (raw)	31,49
	Cotton (raw)	9,25,25
	Hemp (raw)	49,72
	Jute (raw)	64,61
	Silk (raw)	25,20
Class III	Saltpetre	36,26
	Opium	62,63
	Hides, tanned, (private and Government)	1,40,88
	Skins, tanned	2,29,78
	Cotton, twist and yarn	57,55
	" piece-goods	2,59,28
	Jute-gunny bags	1,18,27
	" cloth	2,41,58
	Paraffin wax	20,32

Decreases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Tea	2,31,01
Class II	Cotton seed	36,17

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class [illegible]	Wood, teak	12,37
Class [illegible]	Oil cakes	14,52
Class IV	Bran and pollards	27,46

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Imports of Foreign Merchandise.

In the following table are shown the quantities and values of the principal articles of imports during the twelve months ended March, 1917, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1915-16:—

Principal Articles		Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (—) in the twelve months ended March, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915-16	
		1915-16	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	Quantity	Value
		(thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)
Apparel (excluding haberdashery, hosiery, and boots and shoes)		—	—	1,38,89	1,57,92	—	+19,03
Carriages and carts (including cycles and motor cars)		—	—	1,58,70	2,42,61	—	+83,91
Chemicals		—	—	1,45,86	1,87,70	—	+41,84
Coal	tons	114	48	20,30	14,91	—66	—5,39
Drugs and medicines		—	—	1,22,95	1,39,40	—	+16,45
Dyes, aniline and alizarine	lbs	715	1,062	17,07	65,38	+347	+48,31
Fruits and vegetables		—	—	1,24,04	1,16,92	—	—7,12
Glass and glassware		—	—	1,06,45	1,50,09	—	+43,64
Hardware		—	—	2,38,11	3,10,87	—	+72,76
Instruments, apparatus, etc.		—	—	1,30,31	1,74,99	—	+44,68
Liquors	gals.	4,826	4,458	1,87,34	2,33,01	—368	+45,67
Machinery of all kinds, including belting for machinery		—	—	5,25,71	6,01,42	—	+75,71
Matches	gross	18,305	11,159	1,38,31	1,15,70	—7,146	—22,61
Metals, iron and steel	tons	425	257	9,19,24	8,87,86	—168	—31,38
„ copper	cwts	116	34	74,15	37,95	—82	—36,20
Oils—mineral	gals.	95,983	87,927	4,01,47	4,42,61	—8,056	+41,14
Paper and pasteboard		—	—	1,44,24	2,33,10	—	+88,86
Provisions and oilman's stores		—	—	2,11,27	2,80,91	—	+69,64
Railway plant and rolling-stock		—	—	4,21,85	1,56,86	—	—2,64,99
Salt	tons	549	451	1,89,61	1,94,33	—98	+4,72
Spices	lbs	151,570	147,171	1,87,21	1,94,54	—4,399	+7,33
Stationery		—	—	56,80	77,54	—	+20,74
Sugar, 16 D S. and above	cwts	10,185	8,664	15,70,60	14,58,24	—1,521	—1,12,36
Textiles—							
Cotton, raw	„	25	33	9,68	21,86	+8	+12,18
„ twist and yarn	lbs	40,497	29,800	3,67,70	4,04,90	—10,697	+37,20
„ grey piece-goods	yards	1,148,247	846,350	18,08,61	16,86,98	—301,897	—1,21,63
„ white „	„	611,405	589,826	10,63,87	12,79,85	—21,579	+2,16,98
„ coloured „	„	358,739	454,959	8,35,87	15,08,84	+96,220	+6,72,17
„ other sorts of manufactures		—	—	3,27,20	4,36,39	—	+1,09,19
Silk, raw	lbs	[illegible]	1,085	1,07,93	1,09,90	[illegible]	+1,97
„ manufactures		—	—	2,75,82	2,84,10	—	+8,28
Woollen manufactures		—	—	95,96	1,97,84	—	+1,01,88

Exports of Indian Merchandise.

The table below shows the quantities and values of the principal articles of Indian merchandise exported during the twelve months ended March, 1917, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1915-16 :—

Principal Articles		Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (—) in the twelve months ended March, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915-16	
		1915-16	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	Quantity	Value
				R	R		R
		(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)
Chemicals—saltpetre	cwts	414	525	68,87	1,05,13	+111	+36,26
Coal	tons	804	829	73,53	75 78	+25	+2,25
Coffee	cwts	177	191	98.69	1,04,58	+14	+5,89
Coir	,,	549	575	64,70	65,95	+26	+1,25
Dyes, indigo	,,	42	34	2,07.87	2,07,44	—8	—43
,, myrobalans	,,	1,393	1,081	70,52	61,97	—312	—8,55
Grain, pulse, and flour—							
Rice, in the husk	,,	552	1,016	16,64	32,96	+464	+16,32
Rice, not in the husk	,,	26 796	31.695	15,28,89	18 41 60	+4,899	+8 12 71
Wheat (a) Private	,,	2,364	11,014	1,54.17	6,61 37	+8,640	+5,07 20
Wheat (a) Government	,,	10,689	3,659	6,89,90	2,34,13	— 7,030	—4,55.77
Wheat (a) Total	,,	13,057	14 673	8,44 07	8,95.50	+1,616	+51 43
Wheat flour	,,	1,172	1,370	1,12 02	1,26 39	+198	+14 37
Barley	,,	3,315	4,189	1,75 20	2,26 37	+874	+51,17
Gram and maize	,,	731	1,259	37 34	65,60	+528	+28,26
Jawar and bajra	,,	857	741	43 22	38 88	—116	—4,34
Pulse	,,	2,201	3,328	1,45,82	3,60,33	+1,127	+1 14 51
Hides, raw	,,	782	804	6.78,54	7,49.20	+12	+70 66
Skins, raw	,,	433	567	2,99,28	6,90,51	+134	+3,91,23
Hides and skins, tanned or dressed—							
Hides (b) Private	,,		181		2,55,06		
Hides (b) Government	,,		141		1,91,16		
Hides (b) Total	,,	272	[illegible]	3,06,24	4,47 12	+50	+1,40,88
Skins	,,	127	163	2,54,88	4,84,66	+36	+2,29,78
Total Hides and skins, tanned or dressed (including cow hides on Government account)	,,	399	485	5,61,12	9,31,78	+86	+3,70,66
Lac—shell	,,	359	324	1,54,74	2,55,04	—35	+1,00 30
Manures	tons	60	62	44 37	56 24	+2	+11 87
Manganese ore	,,	473	631	83,09	1,24 51	+158	+41 42
Wolfram	,,	3	5	53,62	1,05,05	+2	+51,43
Mica	cwts	34	60	31,27	51,19	+26	+19,92
Castor oil	gals	1,452	1,723	19 40	26,12	+271	+6,72
Cocoanut oil	,,	2,045	2,051	39,23	43,29	+6	+4,06
Oilcakes	cwts	3,006	2,500	1,13 62	99,10	—506	—14 52
Opium	,,	13	13	1,47,02	2,09 65	...	+62 63
Seeds—total	,,	13,999	18,565	10,12,26	16,44 32	+4,566	+6,32 06
Castor	,,	1,759	1,849	1,20,33	1,43,58	+90	+23,25
Copra	,,	314	531	57,28	99,73	+217	+42,45
Cotton seed	,,	1,918	798	66,76	30,59	—1,120	—36,17
Linseed	,,	3,860	7,882	2,97,41	7,13,99	+4,022	+4,16,57
Tea	lbs	338,470	291,403	19,98,11	16,77,10	—47,067	—3,21,01
Textiles—							
Cotton, raw	cwts	3,854	3,505	24,92,89	34,18,14	—349	+9,25,25
,, twist and yarn	lbs	160,232	160,417	6,92,28	7,49 83	+185	+57,55
,, piecegoods	yards	118 465	244,746	2,46 69	5,05 97	+131,281	+2,59,28
Hemp, raw	cwts	608	701	1 02,54	1,52,26	+93	+49,72
Jute, raw	tons	600	540	15,64,20	16,28,81	—60	+64,61
,, gunny bags Sacking	no.		334,552		13,21 39		
,, gunny bags Hessian	,,		470,415		8,12.28		
,, gunny bags Total	,,	794,153	804,967	20,15,40	21,33,67	+10,814	+1,18,27
,, gunny cloth Sacking	yards		42,394		77,35		
,, gunny cloth Hessian	,,		1,187,733		19,31,25		
,, gunny cloth Total	,,	1,192,257	1,230,126	17,67,07	20,03,60	+37,869	+2,41,53
Wool, raw	lbs	65,024	48,108	3,79,09	3,77,98	—16,916	—1,11
Wood, teak	cubic tons	32	25	60,57	48,00	—7	—12,57
Other timber	,, ,,	4	3	2,56	2,14	—1	—42

[illegible] Exports of wheat on Government account are shown sep[illegible] under Government stores from April, 1915.
(b) Exports of tanned cow hides on Government account are [illegible] separately from September, 1916.

Trade by Provinces.

The total imports and exports, including re-exports, of private merchandise into and from the several maritime provinces during the month of March, 1917, as compared with those of February, 1917, are stated below :—

	Imports		Exports, including re-exports	
	February, 1917	March, 1917	February, 1917	March, 1917
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Bengal	3,34	4,27	8,24	6,95
Bombay	4,06	5,32	6,24	8,39
Sind	1,32	1,36	1,75	2,37
Madras	64	96	1,32	3,07
Burma	99	1,02	1,69	2,67
Total	10,35	12,93	19,24(a)	23,45(a)

Under imports, Madras showed an increase of 50 per cent, Bombay of 31 per cent, Bengal of 28 per cent, and Sind and Burma of 3 per cent each. Under exports, Madras showed an increase of 132 per cent, Bombay and Sind of 35 per cent each, and Burma of 58 per cent, while Bengal showed a decrease of 16 per cent. These comparisons are with the preceding month (February, 1917).

Trade with the Allies and Neutral Countries.

The total trade with the Allies and the principal neutral countries in the month of March, 1917, as compared with February, 1917, is noted below :—

	Imports			Exports			Total		
	February, 1917	March, 1917	+ or −	February, 1917	March, 1917	+ or −	February, 1917	March, 1917	+ or −
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
United Kingdom	4,92	7,46	+2,54	5,34	7,91	+2,57	10,26	15,37	+5,11
Russia	...	...	...	45	11	−34	45	11	−34
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
France	10	21	+11	1,10	1,46	+36	1,20	1,67	+47
Italy	19	11	−8	77	97	+20	96	1,08	+12
Japan	1,16	1,66	+50	1,59	3,00	+1,41	2,75	4,66	+1,91
Sweden	2	1	−1	...	...	...	2	1	−1
Norway	1	...	−1	1	...	−1	2	...	−2
Holland	6	7	+1	...	8	+8	6	15	+9
Spain	9	7	−2	30	1	−29	39	8	−31
United States of America	1,02	1,09	+7	3,48	2,45	−1,03	4,50	3,54	−96

It will be observed that in March, 1917, as compared with February, 1917, the total trade with the United Kingdom, France, Italy, Japan and Holland increased, while that with Russia and Spain decreased. Imports from the United Kingdom increased by R2,54 lakhs, and the exports thereto by R2,57 lakhs. The export trade with the United States of America decreased by R1,03 lakhs, while under imports there was an increase of R7 lakhs only.

Balance of Trade.

India's Balance of Trade during the twelve months ended March, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915-16, is shown in the appended table. The table takes into account the imports and exports of merchandise and

(a) Includes the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account.

treasure on private account only, as well as the value of wheat and tanned cowhides exported on Government account :

	Twelve months, April to March, 1915-16	Twelve months, April to March, 1916-17
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Exports of Merchandise, including Re-exports *	1,97,38(a)	2,40,88 (b)
Imports " *	1,31,99	1,49,65
Excess of Exports over Imports	65,39	91,23
Net Imports of Gold *	—1,15	12,53
" " " Silver *	5,58	—3,20
Net Imports of Treasure *	4,43	9,33
Net exports of merchandise and treasure*	60,96	81,90
Council bills and Telegraphic transfers paid in India	31,05·4	47,06·4
Sterling bills on London sold in India	*7,38·3*	...
Enfaced Rupee paper (net imports)	90 5	52·1
Interest on enfaced Rupee paper	31·9	29·2
	March (1916)	March (1917)
	d.	d.
Average rate of exchange	16·138	16·168(c)

In the twelve months, April, 1916, to March, 1917, the excess of exports over imports of private merchandise was R91,23 lakhs, as against R65,39 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1915-16, and the net imports of treasure on private account were R9,33 lakhs as against R4,43 lakhs last year. The net exports (merchandise and treasure) were R81,90 lakhs, as against R60,96 lakhs in 1915-16.

The amount of Council Bills and Telegraphic Transfers paid in India in the twelve months ended March, 1917, reached the high figure of R47,06½ lakhs, of which about R7,19½ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, R28,20 lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and R11,67 lakhs through the Treasuries. In the twelve months ended March, 1916, the amount was R31,05½ lakhs, of which R7,66½ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, R12,28½ lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and R11,10½ lakhs through the Treasuries. Besides, a sum of about R2,48 lakhs being portions of Council payments from Treasury balances during previous months has been appropriated to the Gold Standard Reserve in March, 1916. In the twelve months ended March, 1915, the amount of Council Bills paid was R10,79 lakhs. As regards enfaced Rupee paper, R48 lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London, and R1,00½ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London, in the twelve months, April, 1916, to March, 1917, while in the corresponding period of 1915-16, R48¾ lakhs represented the amount of paper enfaced to London and R1,39½ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London.

Movements of Gold and Silver (Private and Government).

In the month of March, 1917, the imports of gold were valued at over R60 lakhs and the exports at about R3,000, as against nearly R2,03 lakhs and R47,000, respectively, in February, 1917. Of the imports, gold bullion was valued at only R8,000 as against over R1,47 lakhs in the preceding month, while sovereigns and other British gold coin were valued at R58 lakhs, as against R54 lakhs.

* Merchandise and treasure exclusive of Government transactions (other than "wheat" and "tanned cow hides" in the case of exports of merchandise).
(a) Includes R 6,89,89,847, being the value of wheat exported on Government account.
(b) Includes R4,85,29,053, being the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account.
(c) Approximate.

Imports of silver were valued at R2,74½ lakhs, of which R2,61½ lakhs were on Government account, as against R1,94 lakhs on both private and Government account in February, 1917. Exports of silver were valued at more than R25 lakhs, of which nearly R9 lakhs were on Government account, as against over R31 lakhs, both on private and Government account, in the preceding month.

Declared value per unit of selected Articles.

The declared values per unit of certain selected articles imported and exported during March, 1915, 1916 and 1917, are noted below :—

		March 1915			March 1916			March 1917		
		R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.
Imports										
Coal	ton	19	6	11	23	7	4	37	15	0
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	cwt	14	14	6	15	4	6	17	5	7
Cotton, twist and yarn	lb	0	12	8	1	1	8	1	10	8
,, grey piecegoods	yard	0	2	5	0	2	10	0	3	7
,, white ,,	,,	0	3	0	0	3	1	0	3	8
,, coloured ,,	,,	0	3	8	0	4	2	0	5	5
Exports										
Coal	ton	9	9	9	8	14	8	9	12	2
Coffee	cwt	54	6	0	54	18	4	56	3	8

Exports—contd.		March 1915			March 1916			March 1917		
		R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.
Indigo	cwt	652	1	9	565	3	11	689	8	3
Rice, not in the husk	,,	4	11	0	5	8	9	5	6	11
Wheat	,,	3	0	4	6	7	5	6	8	8
Manganese ore	ton	18	4	7	17	12	1	17	9	9
Tea	lb	0	9	1	0	9	2	0	9	8
Cotton, raw	cwt	22	8	1	34	8	2	48	4	3
*Jute, raw	bale	39	11	9	48	2	11	52	15	8
,, gunny bags	no.	0	4	0	0	4	7	0	5	0
,, gunny cloth	yard	0	1	5	0	2	8	0	2	4

As compared with the corresponding month of the previous year (March, 1916) under imports, the declared unit value of coal rose in March, 1917, by 62 per cent, of sugar by 13 per cent, of cotton twist and yarn by 51 per cent, and of cotton piecegoods, grey by 26 per cent, white by 19 per cent, and coloured by 30 per cent. Under exports, raw cotton showed an increase of 40 per cent, indigo of 22 per cent, raw jute of 10 per cent, coffee of 3 per cent, tea of 5 per cent, wheat of 1 per cent, and coal of 9 per cent; while rice, not in the husk, showed a decrease of 2 per cent and jute gunny cloth of 12 per cent.

Customs Revenue.*

The following table shows the gross Indian sea customs revenue (excluding salt revenue) collected on principal articles in March, 1917, as compared with February, 1917, and March, 1916 and 1914 :—

	March 1914 (pre-war month)	March 1916	February 1917	March 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—) in March, 1917, as compared with February 1917	March 1916	March 1914
IMPORT DUTY	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)
Special duties							
Arms, etc.	61	56	46(*a*)	41(*a*)	—5	—15	—20
Cotton manufactures	17,68	13,63	10,62	31,66	+21,04	+18,03	+13,98
Liquors	11,56	10,31	11,36	8,87	—2,49	—1,44	—2,69
Petroleum	8,71	6,16	5,05(*b*)	3,04(*b*)	—2,01	—3,12	—5,67
Silver bullion and coin	17,64	3,61	21	1,22	+1,01	—2,39	—16,42
Silver manufactures	—	9	44	38	—6	+29	—
Sugar	4,98	9,75	11,46(*c*)	9,15(*c*)	—2,31	—60	+4,17
Tobacco	2,72	1,95	4,38	3,47	—91	+1,52	+75
Duty at 2½ per cent							
Machinery	—	70	77	74	—3	+4	—
Metals—Iron and steel	1,82	1,35	1,35	1,62	+27	+27	—20
Railway plant, etc.	—	25	8	14	+6	—11	—
Duty at 7½ per cent							
Articles of food, etc., excluding sugar	2,36	3,66	4,13	3,18	—95	—48	+82
Raw materials, etc.	1,10	1,68	2,76	3,90	+1,14	+2,22	+2,80
Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	17,28	17,13	18,16	21,52	+3,36	+4,39	+4,24
Total (including other articles)	87,61	74,01	73,95	91,44	+17,49	+17,43	+3,83
EXPORT DUTY on jute	—	1,74	10,54	14,63	+4,08	+12,89	—
,, ,, rice	27,98	16,37	9,97	12,08	+2,11	—4,29	—15,90
,, ,, tea	—	98	2,03	3,16	+1,11	+2,21	—

* The Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, IV of 1916, took effect from 1st March, 1916.
(*a*) Excludes the 7½ per cent duty on explosives.
(*b*) ,, ,, ,, ,, petroleum.
(*c*) ,, ,, ,, ,, confec[illegible]

The customs duty figures are an index to the volume of the import trade, as under exports jute, rice, and tea only are subject to duty. In the twelve months ended March, 1917, the import duties increased to over ₨9,89 lakhs from ₨7,38½ lakhs in the twelve months ended March, 1916, and the export duty on rice rose to nearly ₨87 lakhs from ₨76½ lakhs. The export duty levied on raw jute amounted to ₨59,05,000, on jute manufactures to ₨58,81,000, and on tea to ₨42,54,000, in the twelve months, April to March, 1916-17. The total customs revenue (excluding salt but including excise duty on cotton manufactures and land customs) in the twelve months ended March, 1917, amounted to about ₨12,96 lakhs, as compared with ₨8,81 lakhs in the same period of last year.

SHIPPING.

The following table shows the number and tonnage of vessels, which entered and cleared with cargoes at ports in British India during March, 1917, as compared with February, 1917, and March, 1916, 1915, and 1914:—

Entered with cargoes.

	STEAMERS.		SAILING VESSELS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
March, 1917	166	310,480	233	21,344	399	331,824
February, 1917	143	291,277	140	11,171	283	302,448
March, 1916	163	347,989	99	7,889	262	355,878
March, 1915	193	410,309	117	12,196	310	422,505
March, 1914 (pre-war month)	234	640,647	58	4,481	292	645,128

Cleared with cargoes.

	STEAMERS.		SAILING VESSELS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
March, 1917	252	503,733	282	25,003	534	528,736
February, 1917	207	401,255	267	23,935	474	425,190
March, 1916	251	495,702	294	23,918	545	519,620
March, 1915	230	488,269	203	18,662	433	506,931
March, 1914 (pre-war month)	307	844,941	172	14,821	479	859,762

The total tonnage entered and cleared with cargoes in March, 1917, as compared with that in the preceding month (February, 1917) and in the corresponding month of 1914, 1915, and 1916, is shown in the last column of the table above, and is, perhaps, of interest in view of the present scarcity of tonnage. In the month of March, 1917, there were 399 arrivals * and 534 sailings † with cargoes, in and from India. As regards tonnage, if a comparison be made with March, 1914, the corresponding pre-war month, it will be seen that there is a decrease in the tonnage of vessels cleared with cargoes of 331,026 tons or 39 per cent. The decrease in the entries (with cargoes) amounted to 313,304 tons or 49 per cent.

The shipping clearances with cargoes in foreign trade from the ports of British India in the twelve months, April to March, 1916-17, as compared with the corresponding period of 1913-14, *i.e.*, before the war broke out, were as follows:—

	TONNAGE CLEARANCES IN THE TWELVE MONTHS, APRIL TO MARCH.	
	1913-14 Peace conditions.	1916-17 War conditions
British ships (including British Indian)	6,281,915	4,763,360
Foreign ships	1,970,272	1,127,078
TOTAL	8,252,187	5,890,438

Under war conditions, the total tonnage clearances with cargoes have declined 29 per cent. Under peace conditions, the British (including British Indian) tonnage was 76 per cent and foreign tonnage 24 per cent of the total, while under war conditions, the British (including British Indian) tonnage is 81 per cent and foreign tonnage [illegible] ent.

* The details were as follows:—Bengal 21, [illegible]0, Sind 41, Madras 224, and Burma 33.
† The details were as follows:—Bengal 45, Bo[illegible], Sind 128, Madras 127, and Burma 141.

Railway Statistics.

Railway statistics, like the import and export statistics above, are a valuable index to the general movement of trade throughout the country, and show that the earnings from 1st April, 1916, to 31st March, 1917, were R69,48 lakhs as against R64,18 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1915-16, or an increase of R5,30 lakhs.

Trade of Aden during March, 1917.

The grand total value of the imports and exports of merchandise, by sea, into and from the port of Aden amounted to nearly R1,10 lakhs in the month of March, 1917. The value of the principal articles of imports and exports during March, 1917, were as follows:—

	March, 1917.	
	Imports R (thousands)	Exports R (thousands)
Cotton manufactures	17,28	14,17
Hides and skins, raw	8,26	28,54
Grain and pulse	2,15	2,09
Coffee	1,73	5,66
Coal	7,15	—
Tobacco, unmanufactured	1,61	2,72
Provisions	37	87
Sugar	61	—
Spices	26	—
Salt	—	1,09
Other articles	7,21	8,58
Total value	46,58	63,22

Shipping at the port of Aden in March, 1917.

In March, 1917, 53 steamers with an aggregate tonnage of 98,849 entered at the port of Aden, while 52 steamers with 99,551 tons cleared from the port and 94 sailing vessels (country craft) with 2,882 tons entered and 46 vessels with 1,164 tons cleared from the port. These figures exclude vessels in ballast and Government vessels.

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Special WHEAT Forecast, 1916-17

This special forecast is based on reports received from local authorities and refers to 98·5 per cent of the total reported wheat acreage of India. In the table below comparison is made with the estimates given in the special forecast made at this time last year. The third forecast on this wheat crop will be published in the last week of May, and the final report in the second week of August.*

The total area now reported is 32,962,000 acres as compared with 30,128,000 acres † at this time last year, or an increase of 9 per cent. As compared with the final estimate of last year (30,143,000 acres), the present estimate also shows an increase of 9 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 9,929,000 tons as against 8,501,000 tons † at this time last year, or an increase of 17 per cent. As compared with the final estimate of last year (8,518,000 tons), the present estimate shows an increase of nearly 17 per cent. It may be noted that the area, like that of rice, is a record one. The yield is less than that only of 1910-11 and of 1914-15.

The detailed figures are as follows :—

(1) Area (in thousand acres)

Provinces and States	1916-17 (April, 1917)	1915-16 (April, 1916)	Increase + or Decrease —
Punjab (a)	11,050	10,333	+ 717
United Provinces	6,841	6,681	+ 160
Central Provinces and Berar (a)	3,938	3,601	+ 337
Bombay (a)	2,164	1,954	+ 210
Sind (a)	597	558	+ 39
Bihar and Orissa	1,296	1,330	— 34
North-West Frontier Province	978	850	+ 128
Bengal	129	134	— 5
Delhi	36	28	+ 8
Ajmer-Merwara	28	12	+ 16
Central India	3,456	2,946	+ 510
Rajputana	1,156	625	+ 531
Hyderabad	1,288	1,072	+ 216
Mysore	5	4	+ 1
Total	32,962	30,128	+ 2,834

(2) Yield (in thousand tons)

Provinces and States	1916-17 (April, 1917)	1915-16 (April, 1916)	Increase + or Decrease —	Yield per acre 1916-17	Yield per acre 1915-16
				lbs	lbs
Punjab (a)	2,834	2,509	+ 335	574	544
United Provinces	3,059	2,742	+ 317	1,003	919
Central Provinces and Berar (a)	1,168	963	+ 205	664	599
Bombay (a)	576	467	+ 109	598	535
Sind (a)	172	166	+ 6	645	666
Bihar and Orissa	606	588	+ 18	1,030	982
North-West Frontier Province	220	206	+ 14	504	540
Bengal	40	40		695	669
Delhi	12	11	+ 1	747	880
Ajmer-Merwara	10	2	+ 8	800	373
Central India	850	618	+ 232	551	470
Rajputana	268	112	+ 156	510	405
Hyderabad	128	81	+ 47	223	167
Mysore	1	1	.	378	386
Total	9,929	8,501	+ 1,428	676	632

It will be seen that the present estimate of yield as against the estimate made at this time last year, shows an increase of 133 per cent in Rajputana, 58 per cent in Hyderabad, 37 per cent in Central India, 23 per cent in Bombay, 21 per cent in the Central Provinces and Berar, 13 per cent in the Punjab, 12 per cent in the United Provinces, 9 per cent in Delhi, 7 per cent in the North-West Frontier Province, 4 per cent in Sind, and 2 per cent in Bihar and Orissa.

The failure of the winter rains has seriously affected the crop in the unirrigated § areas of the Punjab, Delhi, and the North-West Frontier Province, but the recent rains have much improved the prospects in the last named province. In Bengal the crop suffered from the heavy rainfall of November and later on through drought. With these exceptions, the general condition of the standing crop is good.

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

Punjab (33 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The combined area of British districts and Native States is estimated at 11,050,000 acres, as against 10,333,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 7 per cent. The area sown in British districts, it may be noted, is 9,845,000 acres, which is about 9 per cent above last year, and that in Native States is 1,205,000 acres, which is 5 per cent below last year's corresponding estimate. The total estimated yield is 2,834,000 tons (400,000 tons being in Native States), which is 13 per cent above the estimate made at this time last year The Director of Land Records, however, remarks that there are grounds for thinking that this is an overestimate. The increase in the area sown in the British districts is, as explained in the first forecast, due to favourable conditions at sowing time. The failure of the winter rains has, however, told very badly on the unirrigated crop. Except for light rain which fell in the south-east of the province in the first half of February, the month remained dry. Light rain was again received in the first half of March (except in parts of the west) and in the last week of that month. This was quite insufficient for the maturing of crops on unirrigated areas which have long been suffering from drought. Canal water was inadequate in several districts, but the irrigated crop is on the whole doing well, although it would have been all the better for a good shower of rain. The absence of winter rainfall would have caused a complete failure of the unirrigated crop but for the ample moisture left in the soil in many parts of the province by the rain which fell in the beginning of October. The outturn is expected to be slightly below normal on the irrigated area owing to insufficiency of canal supply, and below normal or poor on the unirrigated areas.

United Provinces (23·2 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area under wheat, pure and mixed, is now estimated at 6,841,000 acres, as against 6,681,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 2 per cent. The increase is shared by all the divisions excepting

(a) Including Native States

* The dates on which forecasts will be published by this Department in future are as follows:—

1st report	January 31
2nd [illegible]	March 15
[illegible]	May 20
[illegible]	August [illegible]

† Revi[illegible]

§ [illegible] unirrigated area is on the [illegible] 1915-16 [illegible] per cent of the total wheat area in [illegible] Punjab, 31 per cent in the United Prov[illegible] 73 pe[illegible] West Frontier Province and 44 per cent (three years' average) in Delhi

Rohilkhand, Lucknow, and Fyzabad. The total yield is estimated at 3,059,000 tons, as against 2,742,000 tons estimated at this time last year, showing an increase of about 12 per cent. Weather conditions have, on the whole, been favourable for the crop. There was ample moisture at sowing time, and parts of the provinces received rain in November. The months of December and January were rainless, but ample rain fell over most districts in February, which was beneficial to the unirrigated crops. The weather was unsettled during March with local storms and hail, but no material damage was done. Harvesting is now general throughout the central and eastern districts and is commencing in the western districts. The estimates of outturn are generally favourable. In some parts of the Meerut division, the unirrigated crops have suffered from lack of rain; while in the Gorakhpur division there was an excess of moisture at sowing time. In these two divisions, the wheat crop is estimated respectively at 90 and 80 per cent of the normal. In the Allahabad and Jhansi divisions the crop is estimated at 105 per cent of the normal. In the remaining divisions a normal outturn is expected. For the provinces, as a whole, the wheat crop is now estimated at 95 per cent of the normal as against 90 per cent at the corresponding period of last year.

Central Provinces and Berar (11·8 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area sown is now estimated at 3,938,000 acres (3,374,000 acres being in the Central Provinces, 434,000 acres in Berar, and 130,000 acres in the States of Khairagarh and Nandgaon), which is 9 per cent above the area reported at this time last year. The total yield is estimated at 1,168,000 tons (1,016,000 tons being in the Central Provinces, 113,000 tons in Berar, and 39,000 tons in Khairagarh and Nandgaon), as compared with 963,000 tons estimated at this time last year, or an increase of 21 per cent. December and January were practically rainless. During the first fortnight of February and in the last week of March light to moderate showers were received all over the provinces, which greatly improved the condition of the young plants. Some damage was, however, caused in places by cloudy weather and hail (Jubbulpore, Mandla, Raipur, Bilaspur, Buldana, and Yeotmal) which accompanied the rain. On the whole, the climatic conditions were favourable to the crop, although untimely rain in Chanda and the absence of winter rains in Bhandara slightly affected the plants in places. Saugor, Chindwara, Betul, and Nagpur expect a 120 per cent crop. In the remaining districts the average outturn ranges from 96 per cent in Amraoti to 115 per cent in Balaghat. The average outturn for the Central Provinces and Berar is estimated at 110 per cent of the normal, as against a normal crop last year. The State of Khairagarh estimates an outturn of 120 per cent and the Nandgaon State an outturn of 105 per cent of the normal.

Bombay (6 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area is now reported to be 2,164,000 acres (including 573,000 acres in the Native States) as against 1,954,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of nearly 11 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 576,000 tons (including 198,000 tons in the Native States) which is 23 per cent above the estimate made at this time last year. In the British districts 200,000 acres and in the Native States 258,000 acres are reported to have been served with irrigation. Some rain fell in the last week of March, mainly in the Deccan and the Karnatak but no damage to the crop has [illegible]ted. The crop has [illegible] and the harvesting of the unirrigated [illegible] almost completed and its thre[illegible] The irrigated crop is being [illegible] [illegible] no change in the [illegible] [illegible] in the secon[illegible]

[illegible] per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area is estimated at 597,000 acres (23,000 acres being in Native States) as against 558,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 7 per cent. The irrigated area is 390,000 acres, of which 13,000 acres are in the Native States. The total yield is estimated at 172,000 tons (5,000 tons in Native States), which is nearly 4 per cent above the corresponding estimate of last year. Rainfall at the end of March caused rust, but except in parts of Jammu the damage is not serious. Slight damage is reported to have been caused by hailstorms in parts of the north. Elsewhere the crop is in good condition. Harvesting of the crop has commenced in parts in the north.

Bihar and Orissa (4·1 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area sown is reported to be 1,296,000 acres as against 1,330,000 acres estimated at this time last year, or a decrease of nearly 3 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 596,000 tons, which is 2 per cent above the estimate made at this time last year. In February the rainfall was below the normal in Shahabad, Palamau, and the districts of the Bhagalpur division, was normal in Patna and Darbhanga, and above the normal in the remaining districts. The rainfall of the month was greatly beneficial to the wheat crop. In March light rain was fairly general over the province, but it was not prejudicial to the harvesting operations, which began in the second fortnight of that month. Some slight damage has, however, been done by hail-storm in parts of Champaran and Monghyr. The weather conditions have, on the whole, been more than ordinarily favourable for the growth of the crop, and prospects are generally good. According to the estimates of the District Officers, the average outturn for the province as a whole works out to 93 per cent of the normal, but the provincial Director of Agriculture remarks that the estimates of the District Officers appear to be below the mark, and in view of the beneficial rain of February, he is of opinion that the outturn will not fall short of 105 per cent, and on this basis the total yield given above has been estimated.

North-West Frontier Province (3·4 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area as now ascertained amounts to 978,000 acres, which is 15 per cent above the area estimated at this time last year, the increase being attributed to timely rainfall at the sowing season. The total yield is estimated at 220,000 tons as against 205,000 tons reported at this time last year, or an increase of 7 per cent. The outturn is average or above average on the irrigated lands of all districts and agencies, except Hazara, where it is below normal. The yield on the unirrigated lands is generally poor except in Dera Ismail Khan, but the recent rains have much improved the prospects, and a harvest better than that previously hoped for some time ago may now be expected.

Bengal (0·3 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area sown is estimated at 129,000 acres, which is about 4 per cent less than that reported at this time last year. The total yield is estimated at 40,000 tons, which is the same as reported at this time last year. As reported in the second forecast, the season up to the end of January was generally unfavourable to the crop. The rainfall in February, though helpful, came too late to materially improve the situation. Some slight damage by insect pests has been reported from Nadia and Burdwan. The average outturn for the [illegible] estimated at 81 per cent of the [illegible] 78 per cent last year.

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year, or an increase of nearly 29 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 12,000 tons as against 11,000 tons last year. Absence of rain after the crop was sown affected the yield of unirrigated crops to the extent of reducing it to half the normal. The yield of irrigated crops is expected to be normal.

Ajmer-Merwara (0·1 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area and yield are estimated at 28,000 acres and 10,000 tons as against 12,000 acres and 2,000 tons reported at this time last year.

Central India (9 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area sown is estimated at 3,456,000 acres, as against 2,946,000 acres estimated at this time last year, or an increase of 17 per cent. The total yield is reported to be 850,000 tons, as against 618,000 tons at this time last year, showing an increase of 37 per cent. The condition of the crop is generally reported to be good. Detailed figures * are as follows :—

—	Area (acres)		Yield (tons)	
	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16
Gwalior	1,442,893	1,128,217	411,891	276,049
Indore	432,886	379,936	76,080	62 249
Bhopal	755,737	715,798	192,725	146,840
Bundelkhand	303 515	261 853	61,268	47,456
Baghelkhand	175,777	166,441	36,686	35,209
Malwa	155,591	127,318	25,954	14 896
Southern States	190,489	166,161	39,900	34,967
Total	3,456,378	2,945,719	849,502	617,668

Rajputana (3 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area is estimated at 1,156,000 acres as against 625,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 85 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 263,000 tons, which is about 183 per cent above the estimate made at this time last year. The details are as follows :—

States	Area (acres)		Yield (tons)	
	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16
Bundi	57,865	35,802	4,250	2,000
Tonk	118,536	96,622	20,861	16,661
Kishangarh	8,016	1,228	1,167	274
Jaipur	89,940	46,386	21,698	10,469
Dungarpur	11,071	6,958	5,140	2,228
Partabgarh	22,545	22,395	4,204	2,799
Banswara	22,104	16,102	4,060	2,958
Kushalgarh	3,544	2,020	444	106
Jaisalmer	9,267	83	1,078	10
Marwar	294,670	62,917	61,664	18,294
Bikaner	31,092	806	3,896	100
Sirohi	8,600	3,400	2,060	2,850
Karauli	5,755	3,971	1,718	1,199
Dholpur	16,959	12,140	5,951	3,977
Bharatpur	42,221	28,206	17,761	8,528
Alwar	35,451	20,058	17,155	6,259
Kotah	327,737	223,647	66,801	32,367
Jhalawar	16,595	8,441	5,056	1,918
Mewar	40,000	25,000	14,694	5,510
Shahpura	2,594	1,698	280	167
Total	1,155,565	624,895	262,928	112,687

Hyderabad (2·9 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area is reported to be 1,288,000 acres, as against 1,072,000 acres estimated at this time last year, or an increase of 20 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 128,000 tons which is 58 per cent larger than the estimate made at this time last year. The noticeable increase in production as well as in area is due firstly to the crop being good and secondly to greater care having this year been taken in the preparation of statistics. The details are as follows :—

Districts	Area (acres)		Yield (tons)	
	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16
Aurangabad	318,926	219,990	32,678	28,280
Bir	113,636	80,364	9,893	4,674
Parbhani	221,722	222,660	21,408	11,719
Nander	110,858	110,862	17,398	18,628
Gulbarga	15,356	17,351	3,895	1,630
Raichur	29,964	36,602	1,524	1,941
Usmanabad	78,906	25,666	5,102	1,145
Bidar	35,974	34,695	6,424	1,864
Medak	2,069	2,595	369	157
Mahboobnagar	643	836	62	77
Nizamabad	1,021	476	105	41
Warangal	129	119	21	15
Adilabad	19,053	8,252	2,847	664
Karimnagar	429	472	81	51
Non-Government Estates.	389,128	310,469	26,757	21,627
Total	1,287,931	1,071,633	128,467	81,413

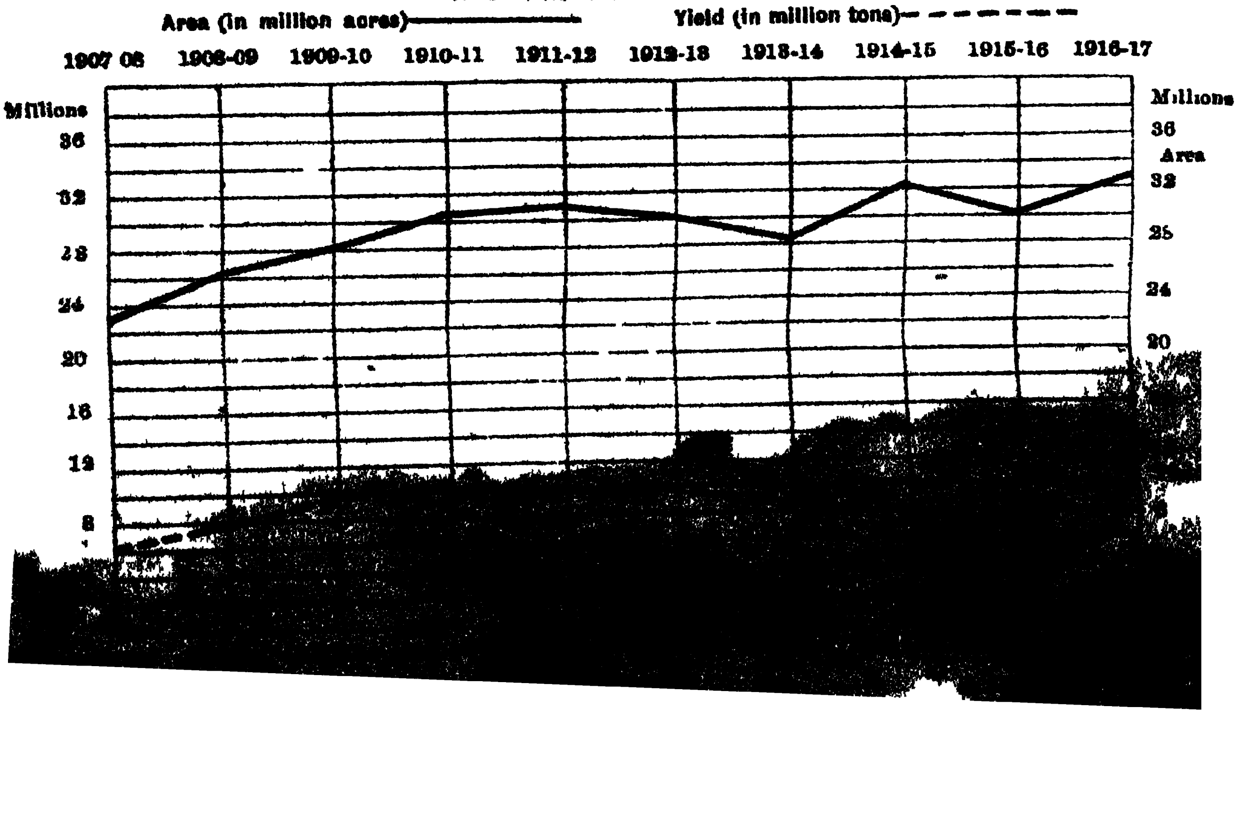
Mysore (0·01 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area and yield are estimated at 4,800 acres and 800 tons as against 4,000 acres and 600 tons last year

Chart.—The chart below illustrates the present estimates of area and yield as compared with the final figures of the preceding nine years :—

* Detailed figures are given for Native States since these details are not otherwise readily available to the trade.

AREA AND YIELD OF WHEAT

Area (in million acres)———— Yield (in million tons)- - - - - -



Exports.—The statement below shows the exports of wheat by sea to foreign countries in each month of the last four years :—

—	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
April	37,200	9,100	10,600	[illegible](a)
May	166,300	24,500	[illegible](a)	2,100
June	260,400	169,000	[illegible](a)	41,200
July	213,500	149,500	137,500(a)	66,600
August	134,700	41,500	47,900(a)	74,200
September	134,900	54,100	[illegible](a)	[illegible],700
October	52,700	60,300	400	130,900
November	46,700	55,000	200	79,000(a)
December	21,700	37,000	300	60,400(a)
January	20,700	25,600	400	[illegible](a)
February	9,700	21,600	1,900(a)	14,500(a)
March	8,700	8,600	900	22,300(a)
Total	1,2[illegible]	708,400	[illegible](a)	[illegible](a)

The Course of Prices.—The following statement shows the wholesale prices of wheat (per maund of 82⅔ lbs) at the end of March, 1917, as compared with those at the corresponding period of 1916 and 1915 :—

Stations	1915			1916			1917		
	Rs	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.
Karachi (white)	5	4	3	3	15	3	4	12	3
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	5	2	0	3	15	0	4	9	0
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 white Pissy)	4	7	7	4	6	9	4	9	10
Lahore	5	0	0	3	9	0	4	3	3
Cawnpore	5	0	0	4	0	0	4	7	0
Nagpur	4	6	7	3	12	10	3	13	2
Patna	5	6	0	4	0	0	4	6	0

Prices of wheat in London at or about the middle of February, 1917, are compared below with quotations at the corresponding period of the preceding two years :—

—	Per	1915		1916		1917	
	lbs.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
English white	504	57	11	60	11	80	6
„ red	504	59	11	60	8	80	6
Gazette average	480	56	0	56	11	76	3
No. 2 Manitoba	480	64	7	69	8	80	6

Freights.—As compared with this time last year wheat freights have increased 941 per cent from the United States Atlantic ports, and 54 per cent from India, as shown below :—

—	March 1917		March 1916		March 1915		[illegible] 1914 ([illegible])	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
United States Atlantic ports to United Kingdom	160	0	17	0	19	[illegible]	2	0
River Plate to United Kingdom	...		256	0	68	9	11	4½
Australia to United Kingdom	...		110	0	...		17	0
Karachi to Liverpool	185	0	120	0	45	0	20	0

Wheat crops in Foreign Countries.—The latest information published by the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, is as follows :—

The area sown in 1916-17 with winter wheat in the United States of America is reported to be 40,073,000 acres, which is 2 per cent over the estimate of 1915-16. In France 10,564,000 acres have been sown with winter wheat in 1916-17, which is 15 per cent below the estimate of 1915-16. In the Argentine the area sown with wheat was 16,082,000 acres, but of this area 5,465,800 acres were not harvested owing to the fact that, apart from the actual crop failure caused by severe drought, the cultivators had frequently used the wheat, while yet green, as fodder for cattle; the total yield is estimated at 2,069,000 tons as against 4,615,000 tons in 1915-16. The estimates for Australia are 11,585,000 acres and 3,976,000 tons as against 11,495,000 acres and 3,822,000 tons in 1915-16.

From unofficial sources it appears that rain and snow have fallen in the winter wheat belt of the United States, and that the dry region, of which Kansas forms the most important part, has had a fall of snow. The crop reports are not particularly good, and the condition is estimated at 80·2 per cent as compared with 85·7 per cent in December last. In Canada the weather still keeps cold, and it is not known when farm work may be resumed. General rains have fallen throughout Australia. This would facilitate ploughing operations and it appears that the new crop will be sown in good time, that is, before the end of May. In France the weather has improved and ploughing resumed. Government are offering very substantial premiums for wheat growing this year, and, in addition, there is an acreage bonus for fields which were not cultivated last year. In Italy an average acreage of wheat has been seeded in the northern part of the country, but in the south and in the islands the acreage is short owing to excessive rainfall. It is hoped that the substantial premiums granted by Government will induce growers to continue sowings on as large a scale as possible, and make good the deficit in autumn sowings.

(a) Including exports on Government account.

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Supplementary Memorandum on the WHEAT CROP for the Fortnight ending the 20th April, 1917.

This is the third of the fortnightly reports on the condition of the Indian wheat crop. Since the publication of the Special Wheat Forecast on the 20th April, revised estimate of area has been received only from the Central Provinces and Berar; the total revised area for all-India now stands at 32,955,000 acres as against 32,962,000 acres, reported in the Special Forecast.

The condition of the crop is generally good. Rainfall during the fortnight was almost general and was accompanied by hail in the Punjab, the Central Provinces, and Delhi. In some districts of the Punjab slight damage has been done, but this has affected quality rather than quantity. The recent rainfall, however, has much improved the prospects in the North-West Frontier Province. Except in the unirrigated tracts in the Punjab and Delhi, where the crop was affected by drought, and in Bengal, where the crop is unimportant, prospects may be said to continue favourable.

Harvesting has been completed in Bombay and is nearing completion in the United Provinces, the Central Provinces, Bihar and Orissa, Bengal, Delhi, and Ajmer-Merwara. It is progressing in the Punjab and Sind, and has only commenced in the North-West Frontier Province. Threshing has commenced in the United Provinces, and also in Delhi, and Ajmer-Merwara. It is in full swing in the Central Provinces and Berar, Bombay, Bihar and Orissa, and Bengal.

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

Punjab.—There has been no change in the estimate of area or of outturn. Light or moderate rain accompanied at places by hail was almost general and has proved beneficial for the late sown crop, and for the crop in the north-west, where harvest begins later than in the rest of the province. Elsewhere rain and hail have done more harm than good to the standing and the harvested crop, and have retarded harvesting operations in some districts. The storm of the 13th and 14th April has done some damage in the Chenab Colony. Harvesting is in progress in the south-east and has commenced elsewhere at or about the middle of April, where it will continue till about the 10th May. The condition and expected yield of the irrigated crop are normal or somewhat below normal, and those of the unirrigated crop below normal or poor. The supply of canal water is now adequate, and the crop is free from disease.

United Provinces.—No change has been reported in the estimate of area or of outturn given in the Special Forecast. The weather during the fortnight has continued unsettled with high winds and showers of rain, but no damage has been done to the crop still standing. Harvesting is now completed except in the western districts. Reports of outturn from districts, where the crop has been threshed out, are satisfactory.

Central Provinces and Berar.—The total area is now estimated at 3,931,000 acres as against 3,938,000 acres reported in the Special Forecast (April 20). The weather was warm and cloudy with local storms, and hail occurred in places; but no serious damage has been caused. Harvesting has been completed in eleven districts, and is in rapid progress elsewhere. Threshing and winnowing operations continue, and the outturn is reported to be satisfactory.

Bombay and Sind—No change has been reported in the estimate of area or of outturn. Harvesting has been completed in the Bombay Presidency, and is in progress in Sind.

Bihar and Orissa.—There has been no change in the estimate of area or of outturn. Harvesting is approaching completion. Threshing is in full swing, and reports of yield are generally satisfactory. No damage to the wheat crop is reported from any abnormal causes.

North-West Frontier Province.—There has been no change in the estimate of area or of outturn. Rain has fallen throughout the province, greatly benefiting the standing crops, especially on the unirrigated areas. The prospects of the crop have, therefore, been much improved. Harvesting has commenced in Dera Ismail Khan, where it is in progress, and will probably be completed by the middle of May, and the yield is expected to be good. Harvesting has not yet been undertaken elsewhere.

Bengal.—No change has been reported in the estimate of area. The weather conditions have not altered the prospects of the crop Harvesting is nearing completion, and is expected to be finished by the end of this month. Threshing is proceeding briskly. The outturn is reported to be somewhat disappointing.

Delhi.—There has been no change in the estimate of area or of outturn. Rainfall during the fortnight has been scanty with no effect. Hail fell in places, but caused no damage. Harvesting of the unirrigated wheat has been finished, and that of the irrigated crop is almost half finished. The yield of the irrigated wheat is expected to be normal and that of the unirrigated crop about half the normal.

Ajmer-Merwara.—No change has been reported in the estimated area or of outturn. There have been light showers in places, but no damage has been caused to the standing crop. Harvesting is expected to be completed by the 25th of this month in Kekri, and by the 10th May in Merwara. Threshing is in progress at places. The yield is reported to be satisfactory.

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No. 12.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. John Sydney Wardlaw Milne of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

No. 13.—A vacancy having occurred in the Indian Legislative Council by reason of the resignation of the Hon'ble Mr. John Sydney Wardlaw Milne, an Additional Member of the

said Council, who represented the Bombay Chamber of Commerce, the Governor General is pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI (*b*) of the Regulations for the Nomination and Election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, to call upon the Bombay Chamber of Commerce to elect, in accordance with the said Regulations, a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy on or before the fifteenth day of June, 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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Simla, the 21st April, 1917.

No. 256.—The HONOURABLE SIR REGINALD HENRY CRADDOCK, K.C.S.I., has resigned his office as an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India, with effect from the 16th April 1917.

No. 257.—A vacancy having occurred in the office of an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India by the resignation of the HONOURABLE SIR REGINALD HENRY CRADDOCK, K.C.S.I., His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been graciously pleased to appoint the HONOURABLE SIR WILLIAM HENRY HOARE VINCENT, KT., to be an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India.

The HONOURABLE SIR WILLIAM VINCENT has, on this day, taken upon himself the execution of his office under the usual salute.

MEDICAL.

The 23rd April, 1917.

No. 57.—In pursuance of section 3 of the Indian Medical Degrees Act, 1916 (VII of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to authorize the institution known as the Bihar and Orissa Medical Examination Board to confer, grant, or issue in British India degrees, diplomas, licenses, certificates or other documents stating or implying that the holder, grantee, or recipient thereof is qualified to practise western medical science.

The 24th April, 1917.

No. 63.—The services of Assistant Surgeon S. N. Mozumdar are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, with effect from the forenoon of the 30th March, 1917.

The 26th April, 1917.

No. 71.—Colonel P. C. H. Strickland, I.M.S., is confirmed in the appointment of Inspector General of Civil Hospitals, Burma, with effect from the 22nd January 1917.

POLICE.

The 25th April, 1917.

No. 189.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel G. R. Row, Indian Army (Retired), are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam for employment with the Assam Military Police, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties.

POLITICAL.

The 26th April, 1917.

No. 1107.—In pursuance of rule 8 of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the provisions of the said rule shall be in force in the Area specified in the schedule annexed hereto.

SCHEDULE.

—	Area.
	The area comprised within the following boundaries :— (*i*) on the north the Bassein Creek ; (*ii*) on the east a line drawn north and south through a point 4 miles east of the easternmost point of Elephanta Island ; (*iii*) on the south, a line drawn east and west through a point 7 miles south of Colaba Tower ; (*iv*) on the west the limit of territorial waters ; and in addition the following detached areas :— (*i*) within a mile radius of the visual signalling station just south-west of Bassein on the north side of the Creek ; (*ii*) within a 1 mile radius of the visual signalling station of Kalhair north-east of Thana ; (*iii*) within 1 mile on either side of the section of the Tansa water pipe line extending for a distance of six miles north-east of Bassein Creek until a tunnel through the hills is reached ; (*iv*) within one mile on either side of the line of communication with Kennery Island, consisting of a submarine cable from the island to the mainland at Alibagh, the road telegraph line from Alibagh to Khopoli *via* Pen, and thence along the telegraph line along the Great Indian Peninsula Railway from Khopoli to Thana.

J. H. DU BOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 23rd April, 1917.

No. 554-I. B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917), as applied to Berar, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rules:—

Short title.

1. These rules may be called the Indian Defence Force (Berar) Rules, 1917.

Definitions.

2. In these Rules, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

III of 1917.

(*a*) "the Act" means the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, as applied to Berar;

(*b*) "the competent military authority" means the General Officer Commanding the 5th (Mhow) Division.

Prescribed military authority under section 3 of the Act.

3. For the purpose of the proviso to section 3 of the Act, the prescribed military authority shall be the General Officer Commanding the 5th (Mhow) Division.

Prescribed authority under sections 9 and 10 of the Act.

4. For the purposes of sections 9 and 10 of the Act, the prescribed authority shall be the competent military authority.

PART I.

EXEMPTION.

Persons who may apply for exemption.

5. An application for exemption from military service shall ordinarily be made by the person claiming to be exempted:

Provided that application may be made—

(*a*) on behalf of a person under 18 years of age, or of unsound mind, by his parent or legal guardian;

(*b*) on behalf of a person employed by any public authority, by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by the chief executive officer of such authority;

(*c*) on behalf of a person employed by any railway administration, by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by the head of such railway administration; and

(*d*) on behalf of any other person, by his employer or by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by such employer.

Applications for exemption.

6. (*1*) An application for exemption under section 11 of the Act shall be in writing and shall state concisely the grounds on which exemption is claimed, and whether permanent or temporary exemption is sought. It shall be signed by the person making the application, and shall be lodged with the District Magistrate of the district in which the person in respect of whom it is made ordinarily resides.

(*2*) The District Magistrate shall forthwith forward every application lodged with him under this rule to the President of the appropriate exemption tribunal constituted under these rules.

Where by inadvertence the application is forwarded to an exemption tribunal, which under these rules is not the appropriate tribunal, it shall be referred forthwith by that tribunal to the appropriate tribunal.

(*3*) Every application for exemption under this rule shall be made within one month from the date on which the person in respect of whom the application is made becomes liable to military service, or from the 28th of April 1917, whichever date is later:

Provided that the appropriate exemption tribunal, where it is satisfied that the person making the application was prevented by any sufficient cause from making such application within the time specified in this rule, may hear and determine the application :

(4) Unless the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, by general or special order otherwise directs, the appropriate exemption tribunal (hereinafter called the exemption tribunal) shall be the tribunal or any one of the tribunals constituted under rule 7 in the area in which the person concerned ordinarily resides, and every application for exemption shall be determined by such tribunal.

(5) In case of doubt the Chief Commissioner shall decide by which exemption tribunal a particular application or class of applications shall be determined.

Exemption tribunals.

7. (1) In every military brigade area there shall be one or more exemption tribunals.

(2) Every such tribunal shall consist of three members, namely :—

(a) A civil officer nominated by the Chief Commissioner, who shall be President :

(b) A military officer nominated by the competent military authority ; and

(c) A non-official European British subject to be nominated by the President :

Provided that if any difficulty arises with respect to the constitution of any tribunal as regards the non-official member thereof, the Chief Commissioner may make any appointment and do anything which appears to him necessary or expedient for the representation on tribunal of non-official European British subjects.

(3) The Chief Commissioner shall frame lists of non-official European British subjects from among whom the President shall from time to time nominate the non-official member of an exemption tribunal. The person so nominated shall be a member of such tribunal for such period as the President may from time to time direct. In nominating members the President shall have regard to the nature of the claims pending before the tribunal :

Provided that no non-official European British subject shall sit as a member of an exemption tribunal, when such tribunal is adjudicating on the application of any person in his employment, or in the employment of the firm or company of which he is a member, agent or servant or on any other application in which he is otherwise personally interested, of which facts the President shall be the sole judge.

(4) The decision of every exemption tribunal shall be in accordance with the opinion of the majority of the members.

(5) The President shall decide all questions which may arise as to points of order of procedure.

(6) A military representative authorized in this behalf by the competent military authority shall have the right to appear as a party to every application heard by the exemption tribunal to whom his name shall be duly notified.

(7) At least seven clear days before the hearing of an application the President shall send to the applicant and to the military representative notice of the time and place at which the application will be heard :

Provided that the President may in his discretion adjourn the hearing of any application to any subsequent day upon giving reasonable notice of that adjournment to the person concerned.

(8) All applications to the exemption tribunal shall be heard in public unless the tribunal in any particular case, due regard being given to the interests of the parties and of any other person concerned in the application, considers that an application or any part of the proceedings thereon should be heard in private. Provided that the exemption tribunal may exclude the parties and the public at any time during the hearing of an application for the purpose of conferring upon any question affecting the decision of the tribunal.

(9) The exemption tribunal shall hear every applicant appearing before it, and shall communicate its decision to the applicant and shall send a copy thereof to the competent military authority, and shall, if necessary, in accordance with such decision, issue under the signature of the President to the person by or in respect of whom the application has been made a certificate of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules.

PART II.

VOLUNTARY ENROLMENT.

Conditions to be satisfied by a person offering himself for enrolment under section 12 of the Act.

8. A person not being a European British subject may offer himself for enrolment for general military service, provided he satisfies the following conditions, namely :—

(1) He must not belong to any class from which the Indian Army is ordinarily recruited.

(2) He must not be a member of a criminal tribe, or a person who at any time has been sentenced to a term of imprisonment or transportation, or has been ordered under the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, to give security for his good behaviour, such sentence or order not having been subsequently reversed or remitted, or the offender pardoned.

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(3) He must not be a member of a menial class.

(4) He must bear a good character.

(5) He must for the time being have attained the age of 18 years but not the age of 30 years.

(6) He must have attained the standard of height, chest measurement and physical fitness required for recruits of the Indian Army.

Procedure.

9. (1) Every person offering himself for enrolment under the provisions of section 12 of the Act shall lodge with the District Magistrate of the district in which he ordinarily resides Form II set out in Schedule I to these rules duly filled in and signed by him.

(2) The District Magistrate shall forward every Form lodged with him under the provisions of sub-rule (1) to the competent military authority, or to such other person as may be appointed in this behalf by the competent military authority.

Enrolment.

10. (1) In the case of every person so offering himself for enrolment, whose offer it is proposed to accept, the competent military authority shall as soon as may be cause a notice to that effect to be served upon him requiring him to attend for medical examination and thereafter for enrolment at such time and place as may be specified therein.

In all other cases notice shall as soon as may be be served on the person offering himself for enrolment stating that his offer is not accepted.

(2) When any such person, having been duly certified as medically fit, attends for enrolment, the enrolling officer shall put to him the questions in Form II set out in Schedule I to these rules, and shall, if necessary, amend the answers entered in the copy of the said Form lodged by such person. Such person shall be required to sign at the foot of the said Form a declaration that the answers given by him are true and that he is willing to fulfil the engagements made.

(3) If the enrolling officer is satisfied that the person desirous of being enrolled understands the questions put to him and consents to the conditions of service, he shall sign a certificate to that effect on the said Form, and such person shall then be deemed to be enrolled under section 12 of the Act.

(4) For the purposes of this rule, the enrolling officer shall be such officer as may be appointed in this behalf by the competent military authority.

Attestation.

11. (1) Every person so enrolled shall be attested in the presence of any one of the following attesting officers :—

(a) a Magistrate ;

(b) an officer commanding a military station ;

(c) an officer commanding a Regular or Territorial Unit; or

(d) an officer commanding an Indian Defence Force Corps.

(2) When any person is to be attested, an oath or affirmation shall be administered to him in one of the Forms specified in Form III set out in Schedule I to these rules, or in such other form to the same purport as the attesting officer ascertains to be in accordance with the religion of the person to be attested or otherwise binding on his conscience.

(3) An entry of the fact that an enrolled person has taken the oath or affirmation directed by this rule shall be endorsed on the copy of Form II signed by him, and shall be authenticated by the signature of the attesting officer.

Manner of quitting a corps or unit.

12. No person enrolled in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act shall quit such corps or unit, unless dismissed by a sentence of court-martial or dismissed or discharged by an order of the Governor General in Council or of the General Officer Commanding the Division.

Persons enrolled under section 12 of the Act to be deemed to be called out from the date of enrolment.

13. Every person enrolled in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act shall be deemed to have been called out for general military service from the date of his being so enrolled.

Penalty for making a false answer at enrolment or attestation.

14. Any person who, having offered himself for enrolment in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act, knowingly makes a false answer to any question put to him at the time of enrolment or attestation, shall be

punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees or with both.

PART III.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

Liability to medical examination.

15. (1) Every person liable to general military service under the Act shall, if required, present himself for medical examination and for that purpose shall comply with the directions of the examining officer.

(2) The competent military authority shall cause at least seven days' notice to be given to any such person of the time and place at which such person is to attend.

(3) If any such person refuses or, without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon such person), neglects to attend at the time and place specified in the notice given to him under sub-rule (2), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to one month, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

(4) The examining officer shall be an officer of the Indian Medical Service or the Royal Army Medical Corps, or a recognised medical practitioner appointed for that purpose by the competent military authority.

Categories of medical fitness.

16. The competent military authority shall cause every person who has been medically examined in accordance with rule 15 to be classified in one of the following categories of medical fitness :—

A.—Fit for active work of a continuous nature as being organically sound, able to march and stand active service conditions, and to see and hear well ;

B.—Fit for active work not requiring prolonged and continuous strain, as being free from serious organic disease, able to march at least five miles, and to see and hear well ;

C.—Fit only for sedentary work ;

D.—Temporarily unfit for service, but likely to become fit for inclusion in category A, B or C within six months ; or

E.—Permanently unfit for any service.

Exemption on medical grounds.

17. (1) Persons who are classified in category D of medical fitness shall be temporarily exempted from general military service and certificates of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules shall be issued to such persons accordingly by the competent military authority.

(2) Persons who are classified in category E of medical fitness shall be permanently exempted from military service, and certificates of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules shall be issued to such persons accordingly by the competent military authority.

Liability to medical re-examination.

18. Where, in accordance with the terms of a certificate of exemption issued under rule 17, any person is required to present himself for further medical examination, the provisions of sub-rules (2) and (3) of rule 15 shall apply.

PART IV.

OBLIGATIONS ON EUROPEAN BRITISH SUBJECTS ENROLLED FOR MILITARY SERVICE.

Duty to report for joining the corps when so required.

19. (1) Every person deemed to be enrolled for military service shall (unless an application for a certificate of exemption has been made by or on behalf of such person and has been not finally disposed of), report himself for the purpose of joining the corps or unit to which he may have been appointed on such date and at such place as he may be required to do by any general or special notice issued in this behalf by or under the orders of a competent military authority.

(2) If any such person refuses or without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon such person), neglects to comply with any directions of a notice issued under sub-rule (1), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

Obligation to serve faithfully and to obey orders.

20. Every person deemed to be enrolled for military service, whether general or local, shall honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and shall go to any place in India, or in the prescribed local area, as the case may be, to which he may be required to go by the orders of a competent authority. Every such person shall observe and obey all commands of any officer set over him.

21. For the purpose of the proviso to section 7 of the Act, the prescribed local area shall be the civil district in which such person ordinarily resides; provided that where the corps or unit to which any person is appointed consists of persons enrolled in more than one civil district, such person may be required to serve anywhere in such districts.

Limits of local military service.

22. Any person deemed to be enrolled for local military service may by general or special order of the Commander-in-Chief in India, be called upon to perform actual military duty within the local area prescribed by these rules.

Calling up for actual military duty persons deemed to be enrolled for local military service.

PART V.

CALLING OUT.

23. Any European British subject who is deemed to be enrolled for general military service may be called out for general military service as follows:—

Manner of calling out persons deemed to be enrolled for general military service.

(a) for service with a corps or unit specially constituted and embodied for general service under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief—by order of the Commander-in-Chief in India;

(b) for service with the corps or unit to which he is appointed on such corps or unit being called out for general military service by the Commander-in-Chief—by order of the Commander-in-Chief in India calling out the corps or unit;

(c) for military duty or for training in camp—by order of the competent military authority.

PART VI.

PUNISHMENTS AND ARREST.

24. Any person deemed to be enrolled for military service who, in circumstances when he is not subject to the Army Act, or to the Indian Army Act, 1911, does any act which is declared by Schedule II to these rules to be an offence against these rules may be tried and punished by a court-martial constituted under these rules.

Offences punishable by court-martial.

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25. A court-martial constituted under these rules may inflict punishment in respect of the offences mentioned in Schedule II to these rules according to the following scale, namely:—

Punishments.

(a) imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months;

(b) dismissal from the Indian Defence Force;

(c) in the case of officers and warrant officers, suspension from rank, pay and allowances for any stated period;

(d) reduction, in the case of a warrant officer, to a lower grade or class (if any) of warrant officer, or, in the case of a non-commissioned officer, to a lower grade or to the ranks;

(e) in the case of officers, warrant officers and non-commissioned officers, forfeiture of seniority of rank;

(f) in the case of a person sentenced to dismissal from the Indian Defence Force, forfeiture of all arrears of pay and allowances and other public money due to him at the time of such dismissal;

(g) stoppages of pay and allowances until any proved loss or damage occasioned by the offence of which he is convicted is made good; or

(h) fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

26. When an officer is sentenced to imprisonment, he shall at the same time be sentenced to dismissal from the Indian Defence Force.

Dismissal.

27. When an officer is sentenced to forfeiture of seniority of rank, he may also be sentenced to receive a reprimand or severe reprimand.

Reprimand or severe reprimand.

28. When a warrant officer, non-commissioned officer or man is sentenced to imprisonment, he may at the same time be sentenced to be discharged with ignominy from the Indian Defence Force.

Discharge with ignominy.

Combination of punishments.

29. A court-martial may award, in addition to or without any one other punishment, any one or more of the punishments specified in clauses (*b*), (*d*), (*f*), (*g*) and (*h*) of rule 24.

Arrest and custody.

30. (*1*) Every person subject to the Act and these rules when charged with any of the offences specified in Schedule II to these rules may be taken into military custody, provided that in every case where any such person remains in military custody for a longer period than eight days without a court-martial for his trial being convened, a special report explaining the necessity for further delay shall be made by his commanding officer to the competent military authority, and a similar report shall be forwarded every eight days until a court-martial is convened or such person is released from military custody.

(*2*) "Military custody" means the putting the offender under arrest or the putting him in confinement.

(*3*) The Commander-in-Chief in India shall prescribe by regulation made under the Act the persons subject to the Act by whom any person also so subject may be ordered into military custody.

(*4*) Whoever commits any person into military custody in accordance with these rules shall deliver, at the time of such committal or within twenty-four hours thereafter, to the commander of the guard into whose custody such person is committed, an account in writing signed by himself of the offence with which the person so committed is charged.

(*5*) The charge made against every person taken into military custody shall without unnecessary delay be investigated by the proper military authority and, as soon as may be, either proceeding shall be taken for punishing the offence or such person shall be released from military custody.

PART VII.

COURTS-MARTIAL.

Courts-martial.

31. For the purposes of these rules there shall be two kinds of courts-martial, namely :—

(*1*) a general court-martial, and

(*2*) a regimental court-martial.

Convening and constitution of general courts-martial.

32. (*1*) A general court-martial may be convened by the Commander-in-Chief in India or by any officer empowered in this behalf by warrant of the Commander-in-Chief in India.

(*2*) A general court-martial shall consist of not less than five officers of His Majesty's Regular or Territorial Forces or of the Indian Defence Force. The President of such Court shall not be below the rank of a Field Officer.

Convening and constitution of regimental courts-martial.

33. (*1*) A regimental court-martial may be convened by the Officer Commanding the corps or unit in which the person accused is for the time being serving.

(*2*) A regimental court-martial shall consist of not less than three officers, of whom two shall ordinarily be officers of the Indian Defence Force.

Powers of courts-martial.

34. (*1*) A general court-martial shall have power to try any person subject to the Act for any of the offences made punishable by rule 24, and to pass any sentence authorised by these rules.

(*2*) A regimental court-martial shall have power to try any person subject to the Act other than an officer for any of the offences made punishable by rule 24, and shall have power to pass sentence of imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month, or fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or both, or any less sentence authorised by these rules.

Procedure for courts-martial.

35. The proceedings of courts-martial convened under these rules shall be conducted according to the laws and customs applicable to courts-martial held under the Army Act, and the said Act and the rules made thereunder shall, so far as may be, apply accordingly.

Finding and sentence invalid without confirmation.

36. No finding or sentence of a court-martial shall be valid except so far as it may be confirmed as provided by these rules.

Power to confirm findings and sentences.

37. (*1*) The findings and sentences of general courts-martial may be confirmed by the Commander-in-Chief in India or by any other officer empowered in this behalf by warrant of the Commander-in-Chief in India.

(*2*) The findings and sentences of regimental courts-martial may be confirmed by the General Officer Commanding the brigade.

38. A confirming officer may, when confirming the sentence of a court-martial, mitigate or remit the punishment thereby awarded, or commute that punishment for any less punishment or punishments to which the offender might have been sentenced by the court-martial, and may if the sentence passed by the court-martial is found for any reason to be invalid, pass a valid sentence, provided that the punishment awarded by the sentence so passed shall not be higher in the scale of punishments than, or in excess of, the punishment awarded by the invalid sentence.

Power to mitigate, remit or commute punishments and to revise invalid sentences.

PART VIII.

EXECUTION OF SENTENCES.

39. (1) Whenever a sentence of rigorous imprisonment is passed under these rules, the Court of the confirming officer may direct that the sentence shall be carried out by detention in military custody.

Detention in military custody.

(2) Whenever a sentence of simple imprisonment is passed under these rules, such sentence shall be carried out by detention in military custody.

40. Sentences of imprisonment passed under these rules, whether directed to be carried out by detention in military custody or not, shall be carried out as in the case of sentences passed in British India under the Army Act on persons subject to that Act.

Execution of sentences of imprisonment.

41. When a sentence of fine is imposed by a court-martial constituted under these rules a copy of such sentence signed and certified by the President of the Court may be sent to the District Magistrate, and in that case such Magistrate shall cause the fine to be recovered in accordance with the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, for the levy of fine as if it was a sentence of fine imposed by such Magistrate.

Execution of sentence of fine.

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PART IX.

SELECTION COMMITTEES.

42. The Chief Commissioner may constitute for any district or group of districts a Selection Committee.

Selection Committees.

43. Every Selection Committee shall consist of-

Constitution of Selection Committees.

(1) a civil officer to be nominated by the Chief Commissioner, who shall be President ;
(2) a military officer to be nominated by the competent military authority ; and
(3) not less than three non-official European British subjects to be nominated by or under the orders of the Chief Commissioner :

Provided that in case of difficulty the Chief Commissioner may make such arrangements as he may consider necessary for the due representation on the Selection Committee of non-official European British subjects.

44. The competent military authority may forward, or cause to be forwarded, to a Selection Committee nominal rolls of all Indian Defence Force corps or units in the area for which such Selection Committee is constituted showing all the men in such corps or units who are enrolled for general military service, and may furnish to such committee a statement of the number of men required from such area for appointment to any corps or unit specially formed under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief in India for general military service. Thereupon the Selection Committee shall examine such nominal rolls, and shall, so far as may be, select from the men whose names appear thereon and who are not exempted from military service the requisite number of men to be assigned to the corps or unit so formed.

Procedure and duties of Selection Committees.

SCHEDULE I.

FORM I.

(*See Rule 7.*)

CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION.

This is to certify that—

(a) ______________________

(b)____ ______________________

(c) of_ ______________________

has been exempted from (d) military service $\frac{\text{absolutely}}{\text{temporarily}}$, on the conditions set out below

Conditions.

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Signature of the President of the Exemption Tribunal.

(a) Name, (b) occupation, (c) postal address, (d) general or local.

FORM II.

(*See Rule 9.*)

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

Enrolment of

No. _______ Name ______________________ as a combatant in the Indian Defence Force.

Questions to be put before enrolment.

1. What is your name?	1. ______
2. What is your father's name?	2. ______
3. What is your religion, class and tribe?	3. ______
4. What is your Village, Thana Parganah / Tahsil and District.	4. Village ______ Thana ______ Parganah / Tahsil ______ District ______
5. What are your educational qualifications?	5. ______
6. Have you ever been imprisoned by the Civil Power?	6. ______
7. Do you now belong to His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army?	7. ______
8. Have you ever served in His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army? If so, state in which and the cause of discharge? (*a*)	8. ______
9. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your former service?	9. ______
10. Are you in receipt of any allowance from Government? If so, on what account?	10. ______
11. Are you willing to be enrolled in the Indian Defence Force?	11. ______
12. Are you willing to go wherever ordered in India by land or sea, and allow no caste usages to interfere with your military duty?	12. ______
13. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?	13. ______
14. Are you willing to serve until discharged in accordance with the following conditions provided His Majesty shall so long require your services? When you have served till the conclusion of the war you will be entittod te receive your discharge with all convenient speed.	14. ______

______________ *Signature of applicant.*

(*a*) If so, the recruit should be asked to produce his Discharge Certificate.

FORM III.

(*See Rule 11.*)

(*Form of Oath.*)

I,   do swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, the King-Emperor, his heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and go wherever I may be ordered in India by land or sea, and that I will observe and obey all commands of any officer set over me even to the peril of my life, so help me God.

(*Form of Affirmation.*)

I,   solemnly affirm that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, the King-Emperor, his heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and go wherever I may be ordered in India by land or sea, and that I will observe and obey all commands of any officer set over me even to the peril of my life.

SCHEDULE II.

(*See Rule 24.*)

Whoever does any of the acts hereinafter specified shall be deemed to have committed an offence against these rules, that is to say—

1. Whoever being on parade or at the time of undergoing military training or of performing actual military duty—

(*a*) strikes, or uses or offers violence to, his superior officer, being in the execution of his office:

(*b*) strikes, or uses or offers any violence to, his superior officer, or uses threatening or insubordinate language to his superior officer:

(*c*) disobeys any lawful command given by his superior officer:

(*d*) neglects to obey any general or garrison or other orders:

(*e*) is in a state of intoxication:

(*f*) being an officer or non-commissioned officer strikes or otherwise ill-treats any person subject to military law who is his subordinate in rank and position:

(*g*) is guilty of any act or omission which is prejudicial to good order and military discipline.

2. Whoever absents himself from his station without leave properly obtained in the manner provided for by regulation, or without sufficient cause overstays leave granted to him:

3. Whoever without sufficient cause fails to appear at the place of parade at the time fixed or, when on parade, without sufficient cause quits the ranks:

4. Whoever without sufficient cause fails to perform the drills, musketry or attendance at camp required of him by regulation:

5. Whoever strikes, or uses or offers violence to, any person whether subject to military law or not in whose custody he is placed, and whether he is or is not his superior officer:

6. Whoever resists an escort whose duty it is to arrest him or to detain him in custody:

7. Whoever being under arrest or detention or otherwise in lawful custody escapes or attempts to escape:

8. Whoever makes away with, or is concerned in making away with, his arms, ammunitions, equipments, instruments, tools, clothing or regimental necessaries, or any horse of which he has charge:

9. Whoever loses by neglect anything mentioned in clause 8:

10. Whoever wilfully injures anything mentioned in clause 8, or any property belonging to Government or to any person subject to military law or to any military mess, band or institution:

11. Whoever ill-treats any horse or other animal used in the public service:

12. Whoever knowingly furnishes a false return or report of the number or state of men under his command or charge, or of any money, arms, ammunitions, clothing, equipments, stores or other property in his charge, or through design or culpable neglect omits or refuses to make or send any return of the matters aforesaid:

13. Whoever when it is his official duty to make a declaration respecting any matter knowingly makes a declaration which is false, and which he either knows or believes to be false, or does not believe to be true:

14. Whoever makes a false accusation against any person subject to military law knowing such accusation to be false:

15. Whoever in making a complaint to his superior officer when he deems himself wronged knowingly makes any false statement affecting the character of any person subject to military law, or knowingly and wilfully suppresses any material fact:

16. Whoever being duly summoned or ordered to attend as a witness before a court-martial intentionally omits to attend, or refuses to be sworn or affirmed, or to answer any question or to produce or deliver up any book, document or other thing which he may have been duly warned or called upon to produce or deliver up:

17. Whoever intentionally offers any insult or causes any interruption or disturbance to, or uses any menacing or disrespectful word, sign or gesture, or is insubordinate or violent in the presence of, a court-martial while sitting :

18. Whoever having been duly sworn or affirmed before any court-martial competent to administer an oath or affirmation makes any statement, which is false and which he either knows or believes to be false, or does not believe to be true :

19. Whoever refuses, or without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon him) neglects to comply with any order calling upon him to perform actual military duty or calling him out for general military service.

Explanation—In this schedule :—

(1) " regulation " means a regulation made by the Commander-in-Chief in India under the Act ;

(2) the expression " superior officer," when used with reference to any person subject to the Act means any person who under the regulations is the superior officer of such person ;

(3) references to persons subject to military law shall be deemed to include references to persons subject to the Act and these rules.

No. 555-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917), as applied to the railway lands situated in the various Native States in which the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces has criminal jurisdiction, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rules :—

Short title.

1. These rules may be called the Indian Defence Force (Central Provinces Railway Lands) Rules, 1917.

Definitions.

2. In these Rules, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(a) " the Act " means the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, as applied to the said lands. III of 1917.

(b) "the competent military authority" means the General Officer Commanding the 5th (Mhow) Division.

Prescribed military authority under section 3 of the Act.

3. For the purpose of the proviso to section 3 of the Act, the prescribed military authority shall be the General Officer Commanding 5th (Mhow) Division

Prescribed authority under sections 9 and 10 of the Act.

4. For the purposes of sections 9 and 10 of the Act, the prescribed authority shall be the competent military authority.

PART I.

EXEMPTION.

Persons who may apply for exemption.

5. An application for exemption from military service shall ordinarily be made by the person claiming to be exempted :

Provided that application may be made—

(a) on behalf of a person under 18 years of age, or of unsound mind, by his parent or legal guardian ;

(b) on behalf of a person employed by any public authority, by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by the chief executive officer of such authority ;

(c) on behalf of a person employed by any railway administration, by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by the head of such railway administration ; and

(d) on behalf of any other person, by his employer or by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by such employer.

Applications for exemption.

6. (1) An application for exemption under section 11 of the Act shall be in writing and shall state concisely the grounds on which exemption is claimed, and whether permanent or temporary exemption is sought. It shall be signed by the person making the application, and shall be lodged with the District Magistrate of the district in which the person in respect of whom it is made ordinarily resides.

(2) The District Magistrate shall forthwith forward every application lodged with him under this rule to the President of the appropriate exemption tribunal constituted under these rules.

Where by inadvertence the application is forwarded to an exemption tribunal, which under these rules is not the appropriate tribunal, it shall be referred forthwith by that tribunal to the appropriate tribunal.

(3) Every application for exemption under this rule shall be made within one month from the date on which the person in respect of whom the application is made becomes liable to military service, or from the 28th of April 1917, whichever date is later :

Provided that the appropriate exemption tribunal, where it is satisfied that the person making the application was prevented by any sufficient cause from making such application within the time specified in this rule, may hear and determine the application.

(4) Unless the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces by general or special order otherwise directs, the appropriate exemption tribunal (hereinafter called the exemption tribunal), shall be the tribunal or any one of the tribunals constituted under rule 7 in the area in which the person concerned ordinarily resides, and every application for exemption shall be determined by such tribunal.

(5) In case of doubt the Chief Commissioner shall decide by which exemption tribunal a particular application or class of applications shall be determined.

Exemption tribunals.

7. (1) In every military brigade area there shall be one or more exemption tribunals.

(2) Every such tribunal shall consist of three members, namely :—

(a) A civil officer nominated by the Chief Commissioner, who shall be President ;

(b) A military officer nominated by the competent military authority ; and

(c) A non-official European British subject to be nominated by the President :

Provided that if any difficulty arises with respect to the constitution of any tribunal as regards the non-official member thereof, the Chief Commissioner may make any appointment and do anything which appears to him necessary or expedient for the representation on tribunals of non-official European British subjects.

(3) The Chief Commissioner shall frame lists of non-official European British subjects from among whom the President shall from time to time nominate the non-official member of an exemption tribunal. The person so nominated shall be a member of such tribunal for such period as the President may from time to time direct. In nominating members the President shall have regard to the nature of the claims pending before the tribunal :

Provided that no non-official European British subject shall sit as a member of an exemption tribunal when such tribunal is adjudicating on the application of any person in his employment, or in the employment of the firm or company of which he is a member, agent or servant, or on any other application in which he is otherwise personally interested, of which facts the President shall be the sole judge.

(4) The decision of every exemption tribunal shall be in accordance with the opinion of the majority of the members.

(5) The President shall decide all questions which may arise as to points of order of procedure.

(6) A military representative authorized in this behalf by the competent military authority shall have the right to appear as a party to every application heard by the exemption tribunal to whom his name shall be duly notified.

(7) At least seven clear days before the hearing of an application the President shall send to the applicant and to the military representative notice of the time and place at which the application will be heard :

Provided that the President may in his discretion adjourn the hearing of any application to any subsequent day upon giving reasonable notice of that adjournment to the person concerned.

(8) All applications to the exemption tribunal shall be heard in public unless the tribunal in any particular case due regard being given to the interests of the parties and of any other person concerned in the application, consider that an application or any part of the proceedings thereon should be heard in private. Provided that the exemption tribunal may exclude the parties and the public at any time during the hearing of an application for the purpose of conferring upon any question affecting the decision of the tribunal.

(9) The exemption tribunals shall hear every applicant appearing before it, and shall communicate its decision to the applicant and shall send a copy thereof to the competent military authority, and shall, if necessary, in accordance with such decision, issue under the signature of the President to the person by or in respect of whom the application has been made a certificate of exemption in Form 1 set out in Schedule 1 to these rules.

PART II

VOLUNTARY ENROLMENT.

Conditions to be satisfied by a person offering himself for enrolment under section 12 of the Act.

8. A person not being a European British subject may offer himself for enrolment for general military service, provided he satisfies the following conditions, namely :—

(1) He must not belong to any class from which the Indian Army is ordinarily recruited.

(2) He must not be a member of a criminal tribe, or a person who at any time has been sentenced to a term of imprisonment or transportation, or has been ordered under the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1898, to give security for his good behaviour, such sentence or order not having been subsequently reversed or remitted, or the offender pardoned. V of 1898.

(3) He must not be a member of a menial class.

(4) He must bear a good character.

(5) He must for the time being have attained the age of 18 years, but not the age of 30 years.

(6) He must have attained the standard of height, chest measurement and physical fitness required for recruits of the Indian Army.

Procedure.

9. (1) Every person offering himself for enrolment under the provisions of section 12 of the Act shall lodge with the District Magistrate of the district in which he ordinarily resides Form II set out in Schedule I to these rules duly filled in and signed by him.

(2) The District Magistrate shall forward every Form lodged with him under the provisions of sub-rule (1) to the competent military authority, or to such other person as may be appointed in this behalf by the competent military authority.

Enrolment.

10. (1) In the case of every person so offering himself for enrolment, whose offer it is proposed to accept, the competent military authority shall as soon as may be cause a notice to that effect to be served upon him requiring him to attend for medical examination and thereafter for enrolment at such time and place as may be specified therein.

In all other cases notice shall, as soon as may be, be served on the person offering himself for enrolment stating that his offer is not accepted.

(2) When any such person, having been duly certified as medically fit, attends for enrolment, the enrolling officer shall put to him the questions in Form II set out in Schedule I to these rules, and shall, if necessary, amend the answers entered in the copy of the said Form lodged by such person. Such person shall be required to sign at the foot of the said Form a declaration that the answers given by him are true and that he is willing to fulfil the engagements made.

(3) If the enrolling officer is statisfied that the person desirous of being enrolled understands the questions put to him and consents to the conditions of service, he shall sign a certificate to that effect on the said Form, and such person shall then be deemed to be enrolled under section 12 of the Act.

(4) For the purposes of this rule, the enrolling officer shall be such officer as may be appointed in this behalf by the competent military authority.

Attestation.

11. (1) Every person so enrolled shall be attested in the presence of any one of the following attesting officers :—

(a) a Magistrate ;

(b) an officer commanding a military station ;

(c) an officer commanding a Regular or Territorial Unit ; or

(d) an officer commanding an Indian Defence Force Corps.

(2) When any person is to be attested, an oath or affirmation shall be administered to him in one of the Forms specified in Form III set out in Schedule I to these rules, or in such other form to the same purport as the attesting officer ascertains to be in accordance with the religion of the person to be attested or otherwise binding on his conscience.

(3) An entry of the fact that an enrolled person has taken the oath or affirmation directed by this rule shall be endorsed on the copy of Form II signed by him, and shall be authenticated by the signature of the attesting officer.

Manner of quitting a corps or unit.

12. No person enrolled in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act shall quit such corps or unit, unless dismissed by a sentence of court-martial or dismissed or discharged by an order of the Governor General in Council or of the General Officer Commanding the Division.

Persons enrolled under section 12 of the Act to be deemed to be called out from the date of enrolment.

13. Every person enrolled in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act shall be deemed to have been called out for general military service from the date of his being so enrolled.

Penalty for making a false answer at enrolment or attestation.

14. Any person who, having offered himself for enrolment in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act, knowingly makes a false answer to any question put to him at the time of enrolment or attestation, shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

PART III.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

Liability to medical examination.

15. (*1*) Every person liable to general military service under the Act shall, if required, present himself for medical examination and for that purpose shall comply with the directions of the examining officer.

(*2*) The competent military authority shall cause at least seven days' notice to be given to any such person of the time and place at which such person is to attend.

(*3*) If any such person refuses, or, without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon such person), neglects to attend at the time and place specified in the notice given to him under sub-rule (2), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to one month, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

(*4*) The examining officer shall be an officer of the Indian Medical Service or the Royal Army Medical Corps, or a recognised medical practitioner appointed for that purpose by the competent military authority.

Categories of medical fitness.

16. The competent military authority shall cause every person who has been medically examined in accordance with rule 15 to be classified in one of the following categories of medical fitness :—

A. Fit for active work of a continuous nature as being organically sound, able to march and stand active service conditions, and to see and hear well ;

B. Fit for active work not requiring prolonged and continuous strain, as being free from serious organic disease, able to march at least five miles, and to see and hear well ;

C. Fit only for sedentary work ;

D. Temporarily unfit for service, but likely to become fit for inclusion in category A B or C within six months ; or

E. Permanently unfit for any service.

Exemption on medical grounds.

17. (*1*) Persons who are classified in category D of medical fitness shall be temporarily exempted from general military service, and certificates of exemption in Form 1 set out in Schedule I to these rules shall be issued to such persons accordingly by the competent military authority.

(*2*) Persons who are classified in category E of medical fitness shall be permanently exempted from military service, and certificates of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules shall be issued to such persons accordingly by the competent military authority.

Liability to medical re-examination.

18. Where, in accordance with the terms of a certificate of exemption issued under rule 17, any person is required to present himself for further medical examination, the provisions of sub-rules (*2*) and (*3*) of rule 15 shall apply.

PART IV.

OBLIGATIONS ON EUROPEAN BRITISH SUBJECTS ENROLLED FOR MILITARY SERVICE.

Duty to report for joining the corps when so required.

19. (*1*) Every person deemed to be enrolled for military service shall (unless an application for a certificate of exemption has been made by or on behalf of such person and has not been finally disposed of), report himself for the purpose of joining the corps or unit to which he may have been appointed on such date and at such place as he may be required to do by any general or special notice issued in this behalf by or under the orders of a competent military authority.

(*2*) If any such person refuses or, without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon such person), neglects to comply with any directions of a notice issued under sub-rule (*1*), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

Obligation to serve faithfully and to obey orders.

20. Every person deemed to be enrolled for military service, whether general or local, shall honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and shall go to any place in India or in the prescribed local area, as the case may be, to which he may be required to go by the orders of a competent authority. Every such person shall observe and obey all commands of any officer set over him.

21. For the purpose of the proviso to section 7 of the Act, the prescribed local area shall be the civil district in which such person ordinarily resides; provided that where the corps or unit to which any person is appointed consists of persons enrolled in more than one civil district, such person may be required to serve anywhere in such districts.

Limits of local military service.

22. Any person deemed to be enrolled for local military service may, by general or special order of the Commander-in-Chief in India, be called upon to perform actual military duty within the local area prescribed by these rules.

Calling up for actual military duty persons deemed to be enrolled for local military service.

PART V.

CALLING OUT.

23. Any European British subject who is deemed to be enrolled for general military service may be called out for general military service as follows :—

Manner of calling out persons deemed to be enrolled for general military service.

(a) for service with a corps or unit specially constituted and embodied for general service under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief—by order of the Commander-in-Chief in India ;

(b) for service with the corps or unit to which he is appointed on such corps or unit being called out for general military service by the Commander-in-Chief—by order of the Commander-in-Chief in India calling out the corps or unit ;

(c) for military duty or for training in camp—by order of the competent military authority.

PART VI.

PUNISHMENTS AND ARREST.

24. Any person deemed to be enrolled for military service who, in circumstances when he is not subject to the Army Act, or to the Indian Army Act, 1911, does any act which is declared by Schedule II to these rules to be an offence against these rules may be tried and punished by a court-martial constituted under these rules.

Offences punishable by courts-martial. VIII of 1911.

25. A court-martial constituted under these rules may inflict punishment in respect of the offences mentioned in Schedule II to these rules according to the following scale, namely :—

Punishments.

(a) imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months ;

(b) dismissal from the Indian Defence Force ;

(c) in the case of officers and warrant officers, suspension from rank, pay and allowances for any stated period ;

(d) reduction, in the case of a warrant officer, to a lower grade or class (if any) of warrant officer, or, in the case of a non-commissioned officer, to a lower grade or to the ranks:

(e) in the case of officers, warrant officers and non-commissioned officers, forfeiture of seniority of rank ;

(f) in the case of a person sentenced to dismissal from the Indian Defence Force, forfeiture of all arrears of pay and allowances and other public money due to him at the time of such dismissal ;

(g) stoppages of pay and allowances until any proved loss or damage occasioned by the offence of which he is convicted is made good ; or

(h) fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Dismissal.

26. When an officer is sentenced to imprisonment, he shall at the same time be sentenced to dismissal from the Indian Defence Force.

Reprimand or severe reprimand.

27. When an officer is sentenced to forfeiture of seniority of rank, he may also be sentenced to receive a reprimand or severe reprimand.

28. When a warrant officer, non-commissioned officer or man is sentenced to imprisonment, he may at the same time be sentenced to be discharged with ignominy from the Indian Defence Force.

Discharge with ignominy.

29. A court-martial may award, in addition to or without any one other punishment, any one or more of the punishments specified in classes (b), (d), (f), (g) and (h) of rule 24.

Combination of punishments.

30. (1) Every person subject to the Act and these rules when charged with any of the offences specified in Schedule II to these rules may be taken into military custody, provided that in every case where any such person remains in military custody for a longer period than eight days without a court-martial for his trial being convened, a special report explaining

Arrest and custody.

the necessity for further delay shall be made by his commanding officer to the competent military authority, and a similar report shall be forwarded every eight days until a court-martial is convened or such person is released from military custody.

(2) "Military custody" means the putting the offender under arrest or the putting him in confinement.

(3) The Commander-in-Chief in India shall prescribe by regulation made under the Act the persons subject to the Act by whom any person also so subject may be ordered into military custody.

(4) Whoever commits any person into military custody in accordance with these rules shall deliver, at the time of such committal or within twenty-four hours thereafter, to the commander of the guard into whose custody such person is committed, an account in writing signed by himself of the offence with which the person so committed is charged.

(5) The charge made against every person taken into military custody shall without unnecessary delay be investigated by the proper military authority and, as soon as may be, either proceeding shall be taken for punishing the offence or such person shall be released from military custody.

PART VII.

COURTS-MARTIAL.

Courts-martial.

31. For the purposes of these rules there shall be two kinds of courts-martial, namely :—

(1) a general court-martial, and

(2) a regimental court-martial.

Convening and constitution of general courts-martial.

32. (1) A general court-martial may be convened by the Commander-in-Chief in India or by any officer empowered in this behalf by warrant of the Commander-in-Chief in India.

(2) A general court-martial shall consist of not less than five officers of His Majesty's Regular or Territorial Forces or of the Indian Defence Force. The President of such Court shall not be below the rank of a Field Officer.

Convening and constitution of regimental courts-martial.

33. (1) A regimental court-martial may be convened by the Officer Commanding the corps or unit in which the person accused is for the time being serving.

(2) A regimental court-martial shall consist of not less than three officers, of whom two shall ordinarily be officers of the Indian Defence Force.

Powers of courts-martial.

34. (1) A general court-martial shall have power to try any person subject to the Act for any of the offences made punishable by rule 24, and to pass any sentence authorised by these rules.

(2) A regimental court-martial shall have power to try any person subject to the Act other than an officer for any of the offences made punishable by rule 24, and shall have power to pass sentence of imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month, or fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or both, or any less sentence authorised by these rules.

Procedure for courts-martial.

35. The proceedings of courts-martial convened under these rules shall be conducted according to the laws and customs applicable to courts-martial held under the Army Act, and the said Act and the rule made thereunder shall, so far as may be, apply accordingly.

Finding and sentence invalid without confirmation.

36. No finding or sentence of a court-martial shall be valid except so far as it may be confirmed as provided by these rules.

Power to confirm findings and sentences.

37. (1) The findings and sentences of general courts-martial may be confirmed by the Commander-in-Chief in India or by any other officer empowered in this behalf by warrant of the Commander-in-Chief in India.

(2) The findings and sentences of regimental courts-martial may be confirmed by the general officer commanding the brigade.

Power to mitigate, remit or commute punishments and to revise invalid sentences.

38. A confirming officer may, when confirming the sentence of a court-martial, mitigate or remit the punishment thereby awarded, or commute that punishment for any less punishment or punishments to which the offender might have been sentenced by the court-martial, and may if the sentence passed by the court-martial is found for any reason to be invalid, pass a valid sentence, provided that the punishment awarded by the sentence so passed shall not be higher in the scale of punishments than, or in excess of, the punishment awarded by the invalid sentence.

PART VIII.

EXECUTION OF SENTENCES.

Detention in military custody.

39. (1) Whenever a sentence of rigorous imprisonment is passed under these rules, the Court or the confirming officer may direct that the sentence shall be carried out by detention in military custody.

(2) Whenever a sentence of simple imprisonment is passed under these rules, such sentence shall be carried out by detention in military custody.

Execution of sentences of imprisonment.

40. Sentences of imprisonment passed under these rules, whether directed to be carried out by detention in military custody or not, shall be carried out as in the case of sentences passed in British India under the Army Act on persons subject to that Act.

Execution of sentence of fine.

41. When a sentence of fine is imposed by a court-martial constituted under these rules, a copy of such sentence signed and certified by the President of the Court may be sent to the District Magistrate, and in that case such Magistrate shall cause the fine to be recovered in accordance with the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, for the levy of fine as if it was a sentence of fine imposed by such Magistrate. V of 1898.

PART IX.

SELECTION COMMITTEES.

Selection Committees.

42. The Chief Commissioner may constitute for any district or group of districts a Selection Committee.

Constitution of Selection Committees.

43. Every Selection Committee shall consist of—

(1) a civil officer to be nominated by the Chief Commissioner, who shall be President;

(2) a military officer to be nominated by the competent military authority; and

(3) not less than three non-official European British subjects to be nominated by or under the orders of the Local Government:

Provided that in case of difficulty the Chief Commissioner may make such arrangements as he may consider necessary for the due representation on the Selection Committee of non-official European British subjects.

Procedure and duties of Selection Committees.

44. The competent military authority may forward, or cause to be forwarded, to a Selection Committee nominal rolls of all Indian Defence Force corps or units in the area for which such Selection Committee is constituted showing all the men in such corps or units who are enrolled for general military service, and may furnish to such Committee a statement of the number of men required from such area for appointment to any corps or unit specially formed under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief in India for general military service. Thereupon the Selection Committee shall examine such nominal rolls, and shall, so far as may be, select from the men whose names appear thereon and who are not exempted from military service the requisite number of men to be assigned to the corps or unit so formed.

SCHEDULE I.

FORM I.

(*See Rule 7.*)

CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION.

This is to certify that—

(a)____________________

(b)____________________

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has been exempted from (d) military service $\frac{\text{absolutely}}{\text{temporarily}}$, on the conditions set out below.

Conditions.

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Signature of the President of the Exemption Tribunal.

(a) Name, (b) occupation, (c) postal address, (d) general or local.

FORM II.

(See Rule 9.)

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

Enrolment of

No.________Name____________________as a combatant in the Indian Defence Force.

Questions to be put before enrolment.

1. What is your name?	1.__________
2. What is your father's name?	2.__________
3. What is your religion, class and tribe?	3.__________
4. What is your Village, Thana, Parganah/Tahsil and District.	4. Village__________ Thana__________ Parganah/Tahsil__________ District__________
5. What are your educational qualifications?	5.__________
6. Have you ever been imprisoned by the Civil Power?	6.__________
7. Do you now belong to His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army?	7.__________
8. Have you ever served in His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army? If so, state in which and the cause of discharge? (a)	8.__________
9. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your former service?	9.__________
10. Are you in receipt of any allowance from Government? If so, on what account?	10.__________
11. Are you willing to be enrolled in the Indian Defence Force?	11.__________
12. Are you willing to go wherever ordered in India by land or sea, and allow no caste usages to interfere with your military duty?	12.__________
13. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?	13.__________
14. Are you willing to serve until discharged in accordance with the following conditions provided His Majesty shall so long require your services? When you have served till the conclusion of the war you will be entitled to receive your discharge with all convenient speed.	14.__________ __________*Signature of applicant.*

(a) If so, the recruit should be asked to produce his Discharge Certificate.

FORM III.

(*See Rule 11.*)

(*Form of Oath.*)

I,   do swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, the King-Emperor, his heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and go wherever I may be ordered in India by land or sea, and that I will observe and obey all commands of any officer set over me even to the peril of my life, so help me God.

(*Form of Affirmation.*)

I,   solemnly affirm that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, the King-Emperor, his heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and go wherever I may be ordered in India by land or sea, and that I will observe and obey all commands of any officer set over me even to the peril of my life.

SCHEDULE II.

(*See Rule 24.*)

Whoever does any of the acts hereinafter specified shall be deemed to have committed an offence against these rules, that is to say—

1. Whoever being on parade or at the time of undergoing military training or of performing actual military duty—

(*a*) strikes, or uses or offers violence to, his superior officer, being in the execution of his office :

(*b*) strikes, or uses or offers any violence to, his superior officer, or uses threatening or insubordinate language to his superior officer :

(*c*) disobeys any lawful command given by his superior officer :

(*d*) neglects to obey any general or garrison or other orders :

(*e*) is in a state of intoxication :

(*f*) being an officer or non-commissioned officer strikes or otherwise ill-treats any person subject to military law who is his subordinate in rank and position :

(*g*) is guilty of any act or omission which is prejudicial to good order and military discipline.

2. Whoever absents himself from his station without leave properly obtained in the manner provided for by regulation, or without sufficient cause overstays leave granted to him :

3. Whoever without sufficient cause fails to appear at the place of parade at the time fixed, or, when on parade, without sufficient cause quits the ranks :

4. Whoever without sufficient cause fails to perform the drills, musketry or attendance at camp required of him by regulation :

5. Whoever strikes, or uses or offers violence to, any person whether subject to military law or not in whose custody he is placed, and whether he is or is not his superior officer :

6. Whoever resists an escort whose duty it is to arrest him or to detain him in custody ;

7. Whoever being under arrest or detention or otherwise in lawful custody escapes or attempts to escape :

8. Whoever makes away with, or is concerned in making away with, his arms, ammunitions, equipments, instruments, tools, clothing or regimental necessaries, or any horse of which he has charge .

9. Whoever loses by neglect anything mentioned in clause 8 :

10. Whoever wilfully injures anything mentioned in clause 8 or any property belonging to Government or to any person subject to military law or to any military mess, band or institution :

11. Whoever ill-treats any horse or other animal used in the public service :

12. Whoever knowingly furnishes a false return or report of the number or state of men under his command or charge, or of any money, arms, ammunitions, clothing equipments, stores or other property in his charge, or through design or culpable neglect omits or refuses to make or send any return of the matters aforesaid :

13. Whoever when it is his official duty to make a declaration respecting any matter knowingly makes a declaration which is false, and which he either knows or believes to be false, or does not believe to be true :

14. Whoever makes a false accusation against any person subject to military law knowing such accusation to be false :

15. Whoever in making a complaint to his superior officer when he deems himself wronged knowingly makes any false statement affecting the character of any person subject to military law, or knowingly and wilfully suppresses any material fact :

16. Whoever being duly summoned or ordered to attend as a witness before a court-martial intentionally omits to attend, or refuses to be sworn or affirmed, or to answer any question or to produce or deliver up any book, document or other thing which he may have been duly warned or called upon to produce or deliver up:

17. Whoever intentionally offers any insult or causes any interruption or disturbance to, or uses any menacing or disrespectful word, sign or gesture, or is insubordinate or violent in the presence of, a court-martial while sitting:

18. Whoever having been duly sworn or affirmed before any court-martial competent to administer an oath or affirmation makes any statement, which is false and which he either knows or believes to be false, or does not believe to be true:

19. Whoever refuses, or without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon him) neglects to comply with any order calling upon him to perform actual military duty or calling him out for general military service.

Explanation—In this Schedule:—

(1) "regulation" means a regulation made by the Commander-in-Chief in India under the Act;

(2) the expression "superior officer" when used with reference to any person subject to the Act, means any person who under the regulations is the superior officer of such person;

(3) references to persons subject to military law shall be deemed to include references to persons subject to the Act and these rules.

No. 556-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917), as applied to the Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following rules:—

Short title.

1. These rules may be called the Indian Defence Force (Hyderabad Residency) Rules, 1917.

Definitions.

2. In these rules, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

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(*a*) "the Act" means the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, as applied to the Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State.

(*b*) "the competent military authority" means the General Officer Commanding the Division, Divisional Area or Independent Brigade within the territorial limits of which a person for the time being resides or is serving as the case may be

Prescribed military authority under section 8 of the Act.

3. For the purpose of the proviso to section 8 of the Act, the prescribed military authority shall be the General Officer Commanding the Brigade.

Prescribed authority under sections 9 and 10 of the Act.

4. For the purpose of sections 9 and 10 of the Act, the prescribed authority shall be the competent military authority.

PART I.

EXEMPTION.

Persons who may apply for exemption.

5. An application for exemption from military service shall ordinarily be made by the person claiming to be exempted:

Provided that application may be made—

(*a*) on behalf of a person under 18 years of age, or of unsound mind, by his parent or legal guardian;

(*b*) on behalf of a person employed by any public authority, by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by the chief executive officer of such authority;

(*c*) on behalf of a person employed by any railway administration, by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by the head of such railway administration; and

(*d*) on behalf of any other person, by his employer or by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by such employer.

Applications for exemption.

6. (1) An application for exemption under section 11 of the Act shall be in writing and shall state concisely the grounds on which exemption is claimed, and whether permanent or temporary exemption is sought. It shall be signed by the person making the application, and shall be lodged with the District Magistrate of the district in which the person in respect of whom it is made ordinarily resides.

(2) The District Magistrate shall forthwith forward every application lodged with him under this rule to the President of the appropriate exemption tribunal constituted under these rules.

Where by inadvertence the application is forwarded to an exemption tribunal, which under these rules is not the appropriate tribunal, it shall be referred forthwith by that tribunal to the appropriate tribunal.

(3) Every application for exemption under this rule shall be made within one month from the date on which the person in respect of whom the application is made becomes liable to military service, or from the 28th of April 1917, whichever date is later :

Provided that the appropriate exemption tribunal, where it is satisfied that the person making the application was prevented by any sufficient cause from making such application within the time specified in this rule, may hear and determine the application.

(4) Unless the Resident of Hyderabad by general or special order otherwise directs, the appropriate exemption tribunal (hereinafter called the exemption tribunal) shall be the tribunal or any one of the tribunals constituted under rule 7 in the area in which the person concerned ordinarily resides, and every application for exemption shall be determined by such tribunal.

(5) In case of doubt the Resident shall decide by which exemption tribunal a particular application or class of applications shall be determined.

Exemption tribunals.

7. (1) In every military brigade area there shall be one or more exemption tribunals.

(2) Every such tribunal shall consist of three members, namely :—

(a) A civil officer nominated by the Resident, who shall be President ;
(b) A military officer nominated by the competent military authority ; and
(c) A non official European British subject to be nominated by the President :

Provided that if any difficulty arises with respect to the constitution of any tribunal as regards the non-official member thereof, the Resident may make any appointment and do anything which appears him necessary or expedient for the representation on tribunals of non-official European British subjects.

(3) The Resident shall frame lists of non-official European British subjects from among whom the President shall from time to time nominate the non-official member of an exemption tribunal. The person so nominated shall be a member of such tribunal for such period as the President may from time to time direct. In nominating members the President shall have regard to the nature of the claims pending before the tribunal :

Provided that no non-official European British subject shall sit as a member of an exemption tribunal, when such tribunal is adjudicating on the application of any person in his employment, or in the employment of the firm or company of which he is a member, agent or servant, or on any other application in which he is otherwise personally interested, of which facts the President shall be the sole judge.

(4) The decision of every exemption tribunal shall be in accordance with the opinion of the majority of the members.

(5) The President shall decide all questions which may arise as to points of order of procedure.

(6) A military representative authorised in this behalf by the competent military authority shall have the right to appear as a party to every application heard by the exemption tribunal to whom his name shall be duly notified.

(7) At least seven clear days before the hearing of an application, the President shall send to the applicant and to the military representative notice of the time and place at which the application will be heard.

Provided that the President may in his discretion adjourn the hearing of any application to any subsequent day upon giving reasonable notice of that adjournment to the person concerned.

(8) All applications to the exemption tribunal shall be heard in public unless the tribunal in any particular case, due regard being given to the interests of the parties and of any other person concerned in the application, considers that an application or any part of the proceedings thereon should be heard in private. Provided that the exemption tribunal may exclude the parties and the public at any time during the hearing of an application for the purpose of conferring upon any question affecting the decision of the tribunal.

(9) The exemption tribunal shall hear every applicant appearing before it, and shall communicate its decision to the applicant, and shall send a copy thereof to the competent military authority, and shall, if necessary, in accordance with such decision, issue under the signature of the President to the person by or in respect of whom the application has been made a certificate of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules.

PART II.

VOLUNTARY ENROLMENT.

Conditions to be satisfied by a person offering himself for enrolment under section 14 of the Act.

8. A person not being a European British subject may offer himself for enrolment for general military service, provided he satisfies the following conditions, namely :—

(1) He must not belong to any class from which the Indian Army is ordinarily recruited.

(2) He must not be a member of a criminal tribe, or a person who at any time has been sentenced to a term of imprisonment or transportation, or has been ordered under the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, to give security for his good behaviour, such sentence or order not having been subsequently reversed or remitted, or the offender pardoned.

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(3) He must not be a member of a menial class.

(4) He must bear a good character.

(5) He must for the time being have attained the age of 18 years but not the age of 30 years.

(6) He must have attained the standard of height, chest measurement and physical fitness required for recruits of the Indian Army.

Procedure.

9. (1) Every person offering himself for enrolment under the provisions of section 12 of the Act shall lodge with the District Magistrate of the district in which he ordinarily resides Form II set out in Schedule I to these rules duly filled in and signed by him.

(2) The District Magistrate shall forward every Form lodged with him under the provisions of sub-rule (1) to the competent military authority, or to such other person as may be appointed in this behalf by the competent military authority.

Enrolment.

10. (*1*) In the case of every person so offering himself for enrolment, whose offer it is proposed to accept, the competent military authority shall, as soon as may be, cause a notice to that effect to be served upon him requiring him to attend for medical examination and thereafter for enrolment at such time and place as may be specified therein.

In all other cases notice shall, as soon as may be, be served on the person offering himself for enrolment stating that his offer is not accepted.

(*2*) When any such person, having been duly certified as medically fit, attends for enrolment, the enrolling officer shall put to him the questions in Form II set out in Schedule I to these rules, and shall, if necessary, amend the answers entered in the copy of the said Form lodged by such person. Such person shall be required to sign at the foot of the said Form a declaration that the answers given by him are true and that he is willing to fulfil the engagements made.

(*3*) If the enrolling officer is satisfied that the person desirous of being enrolled understands the questions put to him and consents to the conditions of service, he shall sign a certificate to that effect on the said Form, and such person shall then be deemed to be enrolled under section 12 of the Act.

(*4*) For the purposes of this rule, the enrolling officer shall be such officer as may be appointed in this behalf by the competent military authority.

Attestation.

11. (*1*) Every person so enrolled shall be attested in the presence of any one of the following attesting officers :—

(*a*) a Magistrate ;

(*b*) an officer commanding a military station ;

(*c*) an officer commanding a Regular or Territorial Unit, or

(*d*) an officer commanding an Indian Defence Force Corps.

(*2*) When any person is to be attested, an oath or affirmation shall be administered to him in one of the Forms specified in Form III set out in Schedule I to these rules, or in such other form to the same purport as the attesting officer ascertains to be in accordance with the religion of the person to be attested or otherwise binding on his conscience.

(*3*) An entry of the fact that an enrolled person has taken the oath or affirmation directed by this rule shall be endorsed on the copy of Form II signed by him, and shall be authenticated by the signature of the attesting officer.

Manner of quitting a corps or unit.

12. No person enrolled in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act shall quit such corps or unit, unless dismissed by a sentence of court-martial or dismissed or discharged by an order of the Governor-General in Council or of the General Officer Commanding the Division.

Persons enrolled under section 12 of the Act to be deemed to be called out from the date of enrolment.

13. Every person enrolled in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act shall be deemed to have been called out for general military service from the date of his being so enrolled.

Penalty for making a false answer at enrolment or attestation.

14. Any person who, having offered himself for enrolment in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act, knowingly makes a false answer to any question put to him at the time of enrolment or attestation, shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

PART III.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

Liability to medical examination.

15. (*1*) Every person liable to general military service under the Act shall, if required, present himself for medical examination and for that purpose shall comply with the directions of the examining officer.

(*2*) The competent military authority shall cause at least seven days' notice to be given to any such person of the time and place at which such person is to attend.

(*3*) If any such person refuses or, without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon such person), neglects to attend at the time and place specified in the notice given to him under sub-rule (2), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to one month, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

(*4*) The examining officer shall be an officer of the Indian Medical Service or the Royal Army Medical Corps, or a recognised medical practitioner appointed for that purpose by the competent military authority.

Categories of medical fitness.

16. The competent military authority shall cause every person who has been medically examined in accordance with rule 15 to be classified in one of the following categories of medical fitness:—

A. Fit for active work of a continuous nature as being organically sound, able to march and stand active service conditions, and to see and hear well;

B. Fit for active work not requiring prolonged and continuous strain, as being free from serious organic disease, able to march at least five miles, and to see and hear well;

C. Fit only for sedentary work;

D. Temporarily unfit for service, but likely to become fit for inclusion in category A. B. or C within six months; or

E. Permanently unfit for any service.

Exemption on medical grounds.

17. (*1*) Persons who are classified in category D of medical fitness shall be temporarily exempted from general military service, and certificates of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules shall be issued to such persons accordingly by the competent military authority.

(*2*) Persons who are classified in category E. of medical fitness shall be permanently exempted from military service, and certificates of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules shall be issued to such persons accordingly by the competent military authority.

Liability to medical re-examination.

18. Where, in accordance with the terms of a certificate of exemption issued under rule 17, any person is required to present himself for further medical examination, the provisions of sub-rules (*2*) and (*3*) of rule 15 shall apply.

PART IV.

OBLIGATIONS ON EUROPEAN BRITISH SUBJECTS ENROLLED FOR MILITARY SERVICE.

Duty to report for joining the corps when so required.

19. (*1*) Every person deemed to be enrolled for military service shall (unless an application for a certificate of exemption has been made by or on behalf of such person and has not been finally disposed of), report himself for the purpose of joining the corps or unit to which he may have been appointed on such date and at such place as he may be required to do by any general or special notice issued in this behalf by or under the orders of a competent military authority.

(*2*) If any such person refuses or, without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon such person), neglects to comply with any directions of a notice issued under sub-rule (1), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

Obligation to serve faithfully and to obey orders.

20. Every person deemed to be enrolled for military service, whether general or local, shall honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and shall go to any place in India or in the prescribed local area, as the case may be, to which he may be required to go by the orders of a competent authority. Every such person shall observe and obey all commands of any officer set over him.

Limits of local military service.

21. For the purpose of the proviso to section 7 of the Act, the prescribed local area shall be the civil district in which such person ordinarily resides; provided that where the corps or unit to which any person is appointed consists of persons enrolled in more than one civil district, such person may be required to serve anywhere in such districts.

Calling up for actual military duty persons deemed to be enrolled for local military service

22 Any person deemed to be enrolled for local military service may, by general or special order of the Commander-in-Chief in India, be called upon to perform actual military duty within the local area prescribed by these rules.

PART V.

CALLING OUT.

Manner of calling out persons deemed to be enrolled for general military service.

23. Any European British subject who is deemed to be enrolled for general military service may be called out for general military service as follows :—

(a) for service with a corps or unit specially constituted and embodied for general service under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief—by order of the Commander-in-Chief in India ;

(b) for service with the corps or unit to which he is appointed on such corps or unit being called out for general military service by the Commander-in-Chief—by order of the Commander-in-Chief in India calling out the corps or unit ;

(c) for military duty or for training in camp—by order of the competent military authority.

PART VI.

PUNISHMENTS AND ARREST.

Offences punishable by courts martial.

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24 Any person deemed to be enrolled for military service who, in circumstances when he is not subject to the Army Act, or to the Indian Army Act, 1911, does any act which is declared by Schedule II to these rules to be an offence against these rules may be tried and punished by a court-martial constituted under these rules.

Punishments

25. A court-martial constituted under these rules may inflict punishment in respect of the offences mentioned in Schedule II to these rules according to the following scale, namely :—

(a) imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months ;

(b) dismissal from the Indian Defence Force ;

(c) in the case of officers and warrant officers, suspension from rank, pay and allowances for any stated period ;

(d) reduction, in the case of a warrant officer, to a lower grade or class (if any) of warrant officer, or, in the case of a non-commissioned officer, to a lower grade or to the ranks ;

(e) in the case of officers, warrant officers and non-commissioned officers, forfeiture of seniority of rank ;

(f) in the case of a person sentenced to dismissal from the Indian Defence Force, forfeiture of all arrears of pay and allowances and other public money due to him at the time of such dismissal ;

(g) stoppages of pay and allowances until any proved loss or damage occasioned by the offence of which he is convicted is made good ; or

(h) fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Dismissal

26. When an officer is sentenced to imprisonment, he shall at the same time be sentenced to dismissal from the Indian Defence Force.

Reprimand or severe reprimand.

27. When an officer is sentenced to forfeiture of seniority of rank, he may also be sentenced to receive a reprimand or severe reprimand.

Discharge with ignominy.

28. When a warrant officer, non-commissioned officer or man is sentenced to imprisonment, he may at the same time be sentenced to be discharged with ignominy from the Indian Defence Force.

Combination of punishments

29. A court-martial may award, in addition to or without any one other punishment, any one or more of the punishments specified in clauses (b), (d), (f), (g) and (h) of rule 24.

Arrest and custody.

30. (1) Every person subject to the Act and these rules when charged with any of the offences specified in Schedule II to these rules may be taken into military custody, provided that in every case where any such person remains in military custody for a longer period than eight days without a court-martial for his trial being convened, a special report explaining the necessity for further delay shall be made by his commanding officer to the competent military

authority, and a similar report shall be forwarded every eight days until a court-martial is convened, or such person is released from military custody.

(2) "Military custody" means the putting the offender under arrest or the putting him in confinement.

(3) The Commander-in-Chief in India shall prescribe by regulation made under the Act the persons subject to the Act by whom any person also so subject may be ordered into military custody.

(4) Whoever commits any person into military custody in accordance with these rules shall deliver, at the time of such committal or within twenty-four hours thereafter, to the commander of the guard into whose custody such person is committed, an account in writing signed by himself of the offence with which the person so committed is charged.

(5) The charge made against every person taken into military custody shall without unnecessary delay be investigated by the proper military authority and, as soon as may be, either proceeding shall be taken for punishing the offence or such person shall be released from military custody.

PART VII.

COURTS-MARTIAL.

Courts-martial.

31. For the purposes of these rules there shall be two kinds of courts-martial, namely—

(1) a general court-martial, and

(2) a regimental court-martial.

Convening and constitution of general courts-martial.

32. (1) A general court-martial may be convened by the Commander-in-Chief in India or by any officer empowered in this behalf by warrant of the Commander-in-Chief in India.

(2) A general court-martial shall consist of not less than five officers of His Majesty's Regular or Territorial Forces or of the Indian Defence Force. The President of such Court shall not be below the rank of a Field Officer.

Convening and constitution of regimental courts-martial.

33. (1) A regimental court-martial may be convened by the Officer Commanding the corps or unit in which the person accused is for the time being serving.

(2) A regimental court-martial shall consist of not less than three officers, of whom two shall ordinarily be officers of the Indian Defence Force.

Powers of courts-martial.

34. (1) A general court-martial shall have power to try any person subject to the Act for any of the offences made punishable by rule 24, and to pass any sentence authorised by these rules.

(2) A regimental court-martial shall have power to try any person subject to the Act other than an officer for any of the offences made punishable by rule 24, and shall have power to pass a sentence of imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month, or fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or both, or any less sentence authorized by these rules.

Procedure for courts-martial.

35. The proceedings of courts-martial convened under these rules shall be conducted according to the laws and customs applicable to courts-martial held under the Army Act, and the said Act and the rules made thereunder shall, so far as may be, apply accordingly.

Finding and sentence invalid without confirmation.

36. No finding or sentence of a court-martial shall be valid except so far as it may be confirmed as provided by these rules.

Power to confirm findings and sentences.

37. (1) The findings and sentences of general courts-martial may be confirmed by the Commander-in-Chief in India or by any other officer empowered in this behalf by warrant of the Commander-in-Chief in India.

(2) The findings and sentences of regimental courts-martial may be confirmed by the General Officer Commanding the brigade.

Power to mitigate, remit or commute punishments and to revise invalid sentences.

38. A confirming officer may, when confirming the sentence of a court-martial, mitigate or remit the punishment thereby awarded, or commute that punishment for any less punishment or punishments to which the offender might have been sentenced by the court-martial, and may, if the sentence passed by the court-martial is found for any reason to be invalid, pass a valid sentence, provided that the punishment awarded by the sentence so passed shall not be higher in the scale of punishments than, or in excess of, the punishment awarded by the invalid sentence.

PART VIII.

EXECUTION OF SENTENCES.

Detention in military custody.

39. (1) Whenever a sentence of rigorous imprisonment is passed under these rules, the Court or the confirming officer may direct that the sentence shall be carried out by detention in military custody.

(2) Whenever a sentence of simple imprisonment is passed under these rules, such sentence shall be carried out by detention in military custody.

Execution of sentences of imprisonment.

40. Sentences of imprisonment passed under those rules, whether directed to be carried out by detention in military custody or not, shall be carried out as in the case of sentences passed in British India under the Army Act on persons subject to that Act.

Execution of sentence of fine.

41. When a sentence of fine is imposed by a court-martial constituted under these rules a copy of such sentence signed and certified by the President of the Court may be sent to the District Magistrate, and in that case such Magistrate shall cause the fine to be recovered in accordance with the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, for the levy of fine as if it was a sentence of fine imposed by such Magistrate.

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PART IX.

SELECTION COMMITTEES.

Selection Committees.

42. The Resident may constitute for any district or group of districts a Selection Committee.

Constitution of Selection Committees.

43. Every Selection Committee shall consist of—

(1) a civil officer to be nominated by the Resident, who shall be President;

(2) a military officer to be nominated by the competent military authority; and

(3) not less than three non-official European British subjects to be nominated by or under the orders of the Resident;

Provided that in case of difficulty the Resident may make such arrangements as he may consider necessary for the due representation on the Selection Committee of non-official European British subjects.

Procedure and duties of Selection Committees.

44. The competent military authority may forward, or cause to be forwarded, to a Selection Committee nominal rolls of all Indian Denfence Force corps or units in the area for which such Selection Committee is constituted showing all the men in such corps or units who are enrolled for general military service, and may furnish to such Committee a statement of the number of men required from such area for appointment to any corps or unit specially formed under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief in India for general military service. Thereupon the Selection Committee shall examine such nominal rolls, and shall, so far as may be, select from the men whose names appear thereon and who are not exempted from military service the requisite number of men to be assigned to the corps or unit so formed.

SCHEDULE I.

FORM I.

(See rule 7.)

CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION.

This is certify that—

(a)————————————

(b)————————————

(c) of————————————

has been exempted from (d) military service $\frac{\text{absolutely}}{\text{temporarily}}$ on the conditions set out below.

Conditions.

Signature of the President of the Exemption Tribunal.

(a) Name, (b) occupation, (c) postal address, (d) general or local.

FORM II.

(See rule 9.)

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

Enrolment of

No.__________Name____________________as a combatant in the Indian Defence Force

Questions to be put before enrolment.

Question	Answer
1. What is your name ?	1.__________
2. What is your Father's name ?	2.__________
3. What is your religion, class and tribe ?	3.__________
4. What is your Village, Thana, Pargannah/Tahsil and District ?	4. Village__________ Thana__________ Pargannah/Tahsil__________ District__________
5 What are your educational qualifications ?	5.__________
6. Have you ever been imprisoned by the Civil Power ?	6.__________
7. Do you now belong to His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army ?	7.__________
8. Have you ever served in His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army ? If so, state in which and the cause of discharge ? (a)	8.__________
9. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your former service ?	9.__________
10. Are you in receipt of any allowance from Government ? If so, on what account ?	10.__________
11. Are you willing to be enrolled in the Indian Defence Force ?	11.__________
12. Are you willing to go wherever ordered in India by land or sea, and allow no caste usages to interfere with your military duty ?	12.__________
13. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated ?	13.__________
14. Are you willing to serve until discharged in accordance with the following conditions provided His Majesty shall so long require your services ? When you have served till the conclusion of the war you will be entitled to receive your discharge with all convenient speed.	14.__________

__________*Signature of applicant.*

(a) If so, the recruit should be asked to produce his Discharge Certificate.

FORM III.

(*See rule 11.*)

(*Form of Oath.*)

I, do swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, the King-Emperor, his heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and go wherever I may be ordered in India by land or sea, and that I will observe and obey all commands of any officer set over me even to the peril of my life, so help me God.

(*Form of affirmation.*)

I, solemnly affirm that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, the King-Emperor, his heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and go wherever I may be ordered in India by land or sea, and that I will observe and obey all commands of any officer set over me even to the peril of my life.

SCHEDULE II.

(*See rule 24.*)

Whoever does any of the acts hereinafter specified shall be deemed to have committed an offence against these rules, that is to say—

1. Whoever being on parade or at the time of undergoing military training or of performing actual military duty—
   (*a*) strikes, or uses or offers violence to, his superior officer, being in the execution of his office:
   (*b*) strikes, or uses or offers any violence to, his superior officer, or uses threatening or insubordinate language to his superior officer:
   (*c*) disobeys any lawful command given by his superior officer:
   (*d*) neglects to obey any general or garrison or other orders:
   (*e*) is in a state of intoxication:
   (*f*) being an officer or non-commissioned officer strikes or otherwise ill-treats any person subject to military law who is his subordinate in rank and position:
   (*g*) is guilty of any act or omission which is prejudicial to good order and military discipline.

2. Whoever absents himself from his station without leave properly obtained in the manner provided for by regulation, or without sufficient cause overstays leave granted to him:

3. Whoever without sufficient cause fails to appear at the place of parade at the time fixed or, when on parade, without sufficient cause quits the ranks:

4. Whoever without sufficient cause fails to perform the drills, musketry or attendance at camp required of him by regulation:

5 Whoever strikes, or uses or offers violence to, any person whether subject to military law or not in whose custody he is placed, and whether he is or is not his superior officer:

6. Whoever resists an escort whose duty it is to arrest him or to detain him in custody:

7. Whoever being under arrest or detention or otherwise in lawful custody escapes or attempts to escape:

8. Whoever makes away with, or is concerned in making away with, his arms, ammunitions, equipments, instruments, tools, clothing or regimental necessaries, or any horse of which he has charge.

9. Whoever loses by neglect anything mentioned in clause 8:

10 Whoever wilfully injures anything mentioned in clause 8, or any property belonging to Government or to any persons subject to military law or to any military mess, band or institution

11. Whoever ill-treats any horse or other animal used in the public service:

12. Whoever knowingly furnishes a false return or report of the number or state of men under his command or charge, or of any money, arms, ammunitions, clothing, equipments, stores or other property in his charge, or through design or culpable neglect omits or refuses to make or send any return of the matters aforesaid:

13. Whoever, when it is his official duty to make a declaration respecting any matter, knowingly makes a declaration which is false, and which he either knows or believes to be false, or does not believe to be true:

14 Whoever makes a false accusation against any person subject to military law knowing such accusation to be false:

15 Whoever in making a complaint to his superior officer when he deems himself wronged knowingly makes any false statement affecting the character of any person subject to military law, or knowingly and wilfully suppresses any material fact:

16. Whoever being duly summoned or ordered to attend as a witness before a court-martial intentionally omits to attend, or refuses to be sworn or affirmed, or to answer any question or to produce or deliver up any book, document or other thing which he may have been duly warned or called upon to produce or deliver up:

17. Whoever intentionally offers any insult or causes any interruption or disturbance to, or uses any menacing or disrespectful word, sign or gesture, or is insubordinate or violent in the presence of, a court-martial while sitting:

18. Whoever having been duly sworn or affirmed before any court-martial competent to administer an oath or affirmation makes any statement, which is false and which he either knows or believes to be false, or does not believe to be true :

19. Whoever refuses, or without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon him) neglects to comply with any order calling upon him to perform actual military duty or calling him out for general military service.

Explanation—In this Schedule :—

(*1*) "regulation" means a regulation made by the Commander-in-Chief in India under the Act ;

(*2*) the expression "superior officer," when used with reference to any person subject to the Act, means any person who under the regulations is the superior officer of such person ;

(*3*) references to persons subject to military law shall be deemed to include references to persons subject to the Act and these rules.

No. 557-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917), as applied to the railway lands in Rajputana and the Abu area, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rules :—

Short title.

1. These Rules may be called the Indian Defence Force (Rajputana Railway lands and the Abu area) Rules, 1917.

Definitions.

2. In these Rules, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(*a*) "the Act" means the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, as applied to the said lands and area ; III of 1917.

(*b*) "the competent military authority" means the General Officer Commanding, 5th (Mhow) Division.

Prescribed military authority under section 3 of the Act.

3. For the purpose of the proviso to section 3 of the Act, the prescribed military authority shall be the General Officer Commanding, 5th (Mhow) Division.

Prescribed authority under sections 9 and 10 of the Act.

4. For the purposes of sections 9 and 10 of the Act, the prescribed authority shall be the competent military authority.

PART I.

EXEMPTION.

Persons who may apply for exemption.

5. An application for exemption from military service shall ordinarily be made by the person claiming to be exempted :

Provided that application may be made—

(*a*) on behalf of a person under 18 years of age, or of unsound mind, by his parent or legal guardian ;

(*b*) on behalf of a person employed by any public authority, by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by the chief executive officer of such authority ;

(*c*) on behalf of a person employed by any railway administration, by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by the head of such railway administration ; and

(*d*) on behalf of any other person, by his employer or by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by such employer.

Applications for exemption.

6. (*1*) An application for exemption under section 11 of the Act shall be in writing and shall state concisely the grounds on which exemption is claimed, and whether permanent or temporary exemption is sought. It shall be signed by the person making the application, and shall be lodged with the District Magistrate of the district in which the person in respect of whom it is made ordinarily resides.

(*2*) The District Magistrate shall forthwith forward every application lodged with him under this rule to the President of the appropriate exemption tribunal constituted under these rules.

Where by inadvertence the application is forwarded to an exemption tribunal, which under these rules is not the appropriate tribunal, it shall be referred forthwith by that tribunal to the appropriate tribunal.

(*3*) Every application for exemption under this rule shall be made within one month from the date on which the person in respect of whom the application is made becomes liable to military service, or from the 28th April 1917, whichever date is later :

Provided that the appropriate exemption tribunal, where it is satisfied that the person making the application was prevented by any sufficient cause from making such application within the time specified in this rule, may hear and determine the application.

(*4*) Unless the Agent to the Governor General in Rajputana by general or special order otherwise directs, the appropriate exemption tribunal (hereinafter called the exemption tribunal) shall be the tribunal or any one of the tribunals, constituted under rule 7 in the area in

which the person concerned ordinarily resides, and every application for exemption shall be determined by such tribunal.

(5) In case of doubt the Agent to the Governor General shall decide by which exemption tribunal a particular application or class of applications shall be determined.

Exemption tribunal.

7. (1) In every military brigade area there shall be one or more exemption tribunals.

(2) Every such tribunal shall consist of three members, namely :—

(a) A civil officer nominated by the Agent to the Governor General, who shall be President;

(b) A military officer nominated by the competent military authority; and

(c) A non-official European British subject to be nominated by the President:

Provided that if any difficulty arises with respect to the constitution of any tribunal as regards the non-official member thereof, the Agent to the Governor General may make any appointment and do anything which appears to him necessary or expedient for the representation on tribunals of non-official European British subjects.

(3) The Agent to the Governor General shall frame lists of non-official European British subjects from among whom the President shall from time to time nominate the non-official member of an exemption tribunal. The person so nominated shall be a member of such tribunal for such period as the President may from time to time direct. In nominating members the President shall have regard to the nature of the claims pending before the tribunal:

Provided that no non-official European British subject shall sit as a member of an exemption tribunal, when such tribunal is adjudicating on the application of any person in his employment, or in the employment of the firm or company of which he is a member, agent or servant, or on any other application in which he is otherwise personally interested, of which fact the President shall be the sole judge.

(4) The decision of every exemption tribunal shall be in accordance with the opinion of the majority of the members.

(5) The President shall decide all questions which may arise as to points of order of procedure.

(6) A military representative authorised in this behalf by the competent military authority shall have the right to appear as a party to every application heard by the exemption tribunal to whom his name shall be duly notified.

(7) At least seven clear days before the hearing of an application the President shall send to the applicant and to the military representative notice of the time and place at which the application will be heard:

Provided that the President may in his discretion adjourn the hearing of any application to any subsequent day upon giving reasonable notice of that adjournment to the person concerned.

(8) All applications to the exemption tribunal shall be heard in public unless the tribunal in any particular case, due regard being given to the interests of the parties and of any other person concerned in the application, considers that an application or any part of the proceedings thereon should be heard in private. Provided that the exemption tribunal may exclude the parties and the public at any time during the hearing of an application for the purpose of conferring upon any question affecting the decision of the tribunal.

(9) The exemption tribunal shall hear every applicant appearing before it, and shall communicate its decision to the applicant and shall send a copy thereof to the competent military authority, and shall, if necessary, in accordance with such decision, issue under the signature of the President to the person by or in respect of whom the application has been made a certificate of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules.

PART II.

VOLUNTARY ENROLMENT.

Conditions to be satisfied by a person offering himself for enrolment under section 12 of the Act.

8. A person not being a European British subject may offer himself for enrolment for general military service, provided he satisfies the following conditions, namely :—

(1) He must not belong to any class from which the Indian Army is ordinarily recruited.

(2) He must not be a member of a criminal tribe, or a person who at any time has been sentenced to a term of imprisonment or transportation, or has been ordered under the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, to give security for his good behaviour, such sentence or order not having been subsequently reversed or remitted, or the offender pardoned.

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(3) He must not be a member of a menial class.

(4) He must bear a good character.

(5) He must for the time being have attained the age of 18 years but not the age of 30 years.

(6) He must have attained the standard of height, chest measurement and physical fitness required for recruits of the Indian Army.

Procedure.

9. (*1*) Every person offering himself for enrolment under the provisions of section 12 of the Act shall lodge with the District Magistrate of the district in which he ordinarily resides Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules duly filled in and signed by him.

(*2*) The District Magistrate shall forward every Form lodged with him under the provisions of sub-rule (1) to the competent military authority, or to such other person as may be appointed in this behalf by the competent military authority.

Enrolment.

10. (*1*) In the case of every person so offering himself for enrolment, whose offer it is proposed to accept, the competent military authority shall, as soon as may be, cause a notice to that effect to be served upon him requiring him to attend for medical examination and thereafter for enrolment at such time and place as may be specified therein.

In all other cases notice shall, as soon as may be, be served on the person offering himself for enrolment stating that his offer is not accepted.

(*2*) When any such person, having been duly certified as medically fit, attends for enrolment, the enrolling officer shall put to him the questions in Form II set out in Schedule I to these rules, and shall, if necessary, amend the answers entered in the copy of the said Form lodged by such person. Such person shall be required to sign at the foot of the said Form a declaration that the answers given by him are true and that he is willing to fulfil the engagements made.

(*3*) If the enrolling officer is satisfied that the person desirous of being enrolled understands the questions put to him and consents to the conditions of service, he shall sign a certificate to that effect on the said Form, and such person shall then be deemed to be enrolled under section 12 of the Act.

(*4*) For the purposes of this rule, the enrolling officer shall be such officer as may be appointed in this behalf by the competent military authority.

Attestation.

11. (*1*) Every person so enrolled shall be attested in the presence of any one of the following attesting officers :—

(*a*) a Magistrate ;
(*b*) an officer commanding a military station ;
(*c*) an officer commanding a Regular or Territorial Unit, or
(*d*) an officer commanding an Indian Defence Force Corps.

(*2*) When any person is to be attested, an oath or affirmation shall be administered to him in one of the Forms specified in Form III set out in Schedule I to these rules, or in such other form to the same purport as the attesting officer ascertains to be in accordance with the religion of the person to be attested or otherwise binding on his conscience.

(*3*) An entry of the fact that an enrolled person has taken the oath or affirmation directed by this rule shall be endorsed on the copy of Form II signed by him, and shall be authenticated by the signature of the attesting officer.

Manner of quitting a corps or unit.

12. No person enrolled in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act shall quit such corps or unit, unless dismissed by a sentence of court-martial or dismissed or discharged by an order of the Governor General in Council or of the General Officer Commanding the Division.

Persons enrolled under section 12 of the Act to be deemed to be called out from the date of enrolment.

13. Every person enrolled in a corps or unit, constituted under section 12 of the Act shall be deemed to have been called out for general military service from the date of his being so enrolled.

Penalty for making a false answer at enrolment or attestation.

14. Any person who, having offered himself for enrolment in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act, knowingly makes a false answer to any question put to him at the time of enrolment or attestation, shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

PART III.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

Liability to medical examination.

15. (*1*) Every person liable to general military service under the Act shall, if required, present himself for medical examination and for that purpose shall comply with the directions of the examining officer.

(*2*) The competent military authority shall cause at least seven days' notice to be given to any such person of the time and place at which such person is to attend.

(*3*) If any such person refuses or, without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon such person), neglects to attend at the time and place specified in the notice given to him under sub-rule (2), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to one month, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

(4) The examining officer shall be an officer of the Indian Medical Service or the Royal Army Medical Corps, or a recognised medical practitioner appointed for that purpose by the competent military authority.

Categories of medical fitness.

16. The competent military authority shall cause every person who has been medically examined in accordance with rule 15 to be classified in one of the following categories of medical fitness:—

A. Fit for active work of a continuous nature as being organically sound, able to march and stand active service conditions, and to see and hear well;
B. Fit for active work not requiring prolonged and continuous strain, as being free from serious organic disease, able to march at least five miles, and to see and hear well;
C. Fit only for sedentary work;
D. Temporarily unfit for service, but likely to become fit for inclusion in category A, B or C within six months; or
E. Permanently unfit for any service.

Exemption on medical grounds.

17. (1) Persons who are classified in category D of medical fitness shall be temporarily exempted from general military service, and certificates of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules shall be issued to such persons accordingly by the competent military authority.

(2) Persons who are classified in category E of medical fitness shall be permanently exempted from military service, and certificates of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules shall be issued to such persons accordingly by the competent military authority.

Liability to medical re-examination.

18. Where, in accordance with the terms of a certificate of exemption issued under rule 17, any person is required to present himself for further medical examination, the provisions of sub-rules (2) and (3) of rule 15 shall apply.

PART IV.

OBLIGATIONS ON EUROPEAN BRITISH SUBJECTS ENROLLED FOR MILITARY SERVICE.

Duty to report for joining the corps when so required.

19. (1) Every person deemed to be enrolled for military service shall (unless an application for a certificate of exemption has been made by or on behalf of such person and has not been finally disposed of), report himself for the purpose of joining the corps or unit to which he may have been appointed on such date and at such place as he may be required to do by any general or special notice issued in this behalf by or under the orders of a competent military authority.

(2) If any such person refuses or, without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon such person), neglects to comply with any directions of a notice issued under sub-rule (1), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

Obligation to serve faithfully and to obey orders.

20. Every person deemed to be enrolled for military service, whether general or local, shall honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and shall go to any place in India or in the prescribed local area, as the case may be, to which he may be required to go by the orders of a competent authority. Every such person shall observe and obey all commands of any officer set over him.

Limits of local military service.

21. For the purpose of the proviso to section 7 of the Act, the prescribed local area shall be the civil district in which such person ordinarily resides; provided that where the corps or unit to which any person is appointed consists of persons enrolled in more than one civil district, such person may be required to serve anywhere in such districts.

Calling up for actual military duty persons deemed to be enrolled for local military service.

22. Any person deemed to be enrolled for local military service may, by general or special order of the Commander-in-Chief in India, be called upon to perform actual military duty within the ocal area prescribed by these rules.

PART V.

CALLING OUT.

Manner of calling out persons deemed to be enrolled for general military service.

23. Any European British subject who is deemed to be enrolled for general military service may be called out for general military service as follows:—

(a) for service with a corps or unit specially constituted and embodied for general service under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief—by order of the Commander-in-Chief in India;

(*b*) for service with the corps or unit to which he is appointed on such corps or unit being called out for general military service by the Commander-in-Chief—by order of the Commander-in-Chief in India calling out the corps or unit;

(*c*) for military duty or for training in camp—by order of the competent military authority.

PART VI.

PUNISHMENTS AND ARREST.

Offences punishable by courts-martial.

24. Any person deemed to be enrolled for military service who in circumstances when he is not subject to the Army Act, or to the Indian Army Act, 1911, does any act which is declared by Schedule II to these rules to be an offence against these rules may be tried and punished by a court-martial constituted under these rules.

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Punishments.

25. A court-martial constituted under these rules may inflict punishment in respect of the offences mentioned in Schedule II to these rules according to the following scale, namely:—

(*a*) imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months;

(*b*) dismissal from the Indian Defence Force;

(*c*) in the case of officers and warrant officers, suspension from rank, pay and allowances for any stated period;

(*d*) reduction, in the case of a warrant officer, to a lower grade or class (if any) of warrant officer, or, in the case of a non-commissioned officer, to a lower grade or to the ranks;

(*e*) in the case of officers, warrant officers and non-commissioned officers, forfeiture of seniority of rank;

(*f*) in the case of a person sentenced to dismissal from the Indian Defence Force, forfeiture of all arrears of pay and allowances and other public money due to him at the time of such dismissal;

(*g*) stoppages of pay and allowances until any proved loss or damage occasioned by the offence of which he is convicted is made good; or

(*h*) fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Dismissal.

26. When an officer is sentenced to imprisonment, he shall at the same time be sentenced to dismissal from the Indian Defence Force.

Reprimand or severe reprimand.

27. When an officer is sentenced to forfeiture of seniority of rank, he may also be sentenced to receive a reprimand or severe reprimand.

Discharge with ignominy.

28. When a warrant officer, non-commissioned officer or man is sentenced to imprisonment, he may at the same time be sentenced to be discharged with ignominy from the Indian Defence Force.

Combination of punishments.

29. A court-martial may award, in addition to or without any one other punishment, any one or more of the punishments specified in clauses (*b*), (*d*), (*f*), (*g*) and (*h*) of rule 24.

Arrest and custody.

30. (*1*) Every person subject to the Act and these rules when charged with any of the offences specified in Schedule II to these rules may be taken into military custody, provided that in every case where any such person remains in military custody for a longer period than eight days without a court-martial for his trial being convened, a special report explaining the necessity for further delay shall be made by his commanding officer to the competent military authority, and a similar report shall be forwarded every eight days until a court-martial is convened, or such person is released from military custody.

(*2*) "Military custody" means the putting the offender under arrest or the putting him in confinement.

(*3*) The Commander-in-Chief in India shall prescribe by regulation made under the Act the persons subject to the Act by whom any person also so subject may be ordered into military custody.

(*4*) Whoever commits any person into military custody in accordance with these rules shall deliver, at the time of such committal or within twenty-four hours thereafter, to the commander of the guard into whose custody such person is committed, an account in writing signed by himself of the offence with which the person so committed is charged.

(*5*) The charge made against every person taken into military custody shall, without unnecessary delay, be investigated by the proper military authority and, as soon as may be, either proceeding shall be taken for punishing the offence or such person shall be released from Military custody.

PART VII.

COURTS-MARTIAL.

Courts-martial.

31. For the purposes of these rules there shall be two kinds of courts-martial, namely :—

(1) a general court-martial, and

(2) a regimental court-martial.

Convening and constitution of general courts-martial

32. (1) A general court-martial may be convened by the Commander-in-Chief in India or by any officer empowered in this behalf by warrant of the Commander-in-Chief in India.

(2) A general court-martial shall consist of not less than five officers of His Majesty's Regular or Territorial Forces or of the Indian Defence Force. The President of such Court shall not be below the rank of a Field Officer.

Convening and constitution of regimental courts-martial.

33. (1) A regimental court-martial may be convened by the Officer Commanding the corps or unit in which the person accused is for the time being serving.

(2) A regimental court-martial shall consist of not less than three officers, of whom two shall ordinarily be officers of the Indian Defence Force.

Powers of courts-martial.

34. (1) A general court-martial shall have power to try any person subject to the Act for any of the offences made punishable by rule 24, and to pass any sentence authorised by these rules.

(2) A regimental court-martial shall have power to try any person subject to the Act other than an officer for any of the offences made punishable by rule 24, and shall have power to pass a sentence of imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month, or fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or both, or any less sentence authorized by these rules.

Procedure for courts-martial.

35. The proceedings of courts-martial convened under these rules shall be conducted according to the laws and customs applicable to courts-martial held under the Army Act, and the said Act and the rules made thereunder shall, so far as may be, apply accordingly.

Finding and sentence invalid without confirmation.

36. No finding or sentence of a court-martial shall be valid except so far as it may be confirmed as provided by these rules.

Powers to confirm findings and sentences.

37. (1) The findings and sentences of general courts-martial may be confirmed by the Commander-in-Chief in India or by any other officer empowered in this behalf by warrant of the Commander-in-Chief in India.

(2) The findings and sentences of regimental courts-martial may be confirmed by the General Officer Commanding the brigade.

Power to mitigate, remit or commute punishments and to revise invalid sentences.

38. A confirming officer may, when confirming the sentence of a court-martial, mitigate or remit the punishment thereby awarded, or commute that punishment for any less punishment or punishments to which the offender might have been sentenced by the court-martial and may if the sentence passed by the court-martial is found for any reason to be invalid, pass a valid sentence, provided that the punishment awarded by the sentence so passed shall not be higher in the scale of punishments than, or in excess of, the punishment awarded by the invalid sentence.

PART VIII.

EXECUTION OF SENTENCES.

Detention in military custody.

39. (1) Whenever a sentence of rigorous imprisonment is passed under these rules, the Court or the confirming officer may direct that the sentence shall be carried out by detention in military custody.

(2) Whenever a sentence of simple imprisonment is passed under these rules, such sentence shall be carried out by detention in military custody.

Execution of sentences of imprisonment.

40. Sentences of imprisonment passed under these rules, whether directed to be carried out by detention in military custody or not, shall be carried out as in the case of sentences passed in British India under the Army Act on persons subject to that Act.

Execution of sentence of fine.

4. When a sentence of fine is imposed by a court-martial constituted under these rules, a copy of such sentence signed and certified by the President of the Court may be sent to the District Magistrate, and in that case such Magistrate shall cause the fine to be recovered in accordance with the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, for the levy of fine as if it was a sentence of fine imposed by such Magistrate. V. of 1898.

PART IX.

SELECTION COMMITTEES.

Selection Committees.

42. The Agent to the Governor General may constitute for any district or group of districts a Selection Committee.

Constitution of Selection Committees.

43. Every Selection Committee shall consist of—

(1) a civil officer to be nominated by the Agent to the Governor General who shall be President;

(2) a military officer to be nominated by the competent military authority; and

(3) not less than three non-official European British subjects to be nominated by or under the orders of the Agent to the Governor General.

Provided that in case of difficulty the Agent to the Governor General may make such arrangements as he may consider necessary for the due representation on the Selection Committee of non-official European British subjects.

Procedure and duties of Selection Committees.

44. The competent military authority may forward, or cause to be forwarded, to a Selection Committee nominal rolls of all Indian Defence Force corps or units in the area for which such Selection Committee is constituted showing all the men in such corps or units who are enrolled for general military service, and may furnish to such Committee a statement of the number of men required from such area for appointment to any corps or unit specially formed under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief in India for general military service. Thereupon the Selection Committee shall examine such nominal rolls, and shall, so far as may be, select from the men whose names appear thereon and who are not exempted from military service the requisite number of men to be assigned to the corps or unit so formed.

SCHEDULE I.

FORM I.

(*See rule 7.*)

CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION.

This is to certify that—

(*a*) ________________________

(*b*) ________________________

(*c*) of ________________________

has been exempted from (*d*) military service $\frac{\text{absolutely}}{\text{temporarily}}$, on

the conditions set out below.

Conditions.

Signature of the President of the Exemption Tribunal.

(*a*) Name, (*b*) occupation, (*c*) postal address, (*d*) general or local.

FORM II.

(See rule 9.)

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

Enrolment of

No.———— Name ———————————— as a combatant in the Indian Defence Force.

Questions to be put before enrolment.

1. What is your name?	1.————
2. What is your father's name?	2.————
3. What is your religion, class and tribe?	3.————
4. What is your Village, Thana, Pargannah/Tahsil and District?	4. Village———— Thana———— Pargannah/Tahsil———— District————
5. What are your educational qualifications?	5.————
6. Have you ever been imprisoned by the Civil Power?	6.————
7. Do you now belong to His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army?	7.————
8. Have you ever served in His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army? If so, state in which and the cause of discharge? (a)	8.————
9. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your former service?	9.————
10. Are you in receipt of any allowance from Government? If so, on what account?	10.————
11. Are you willing to be enrolled in the Indian Defence Force?	11.————
12. Are you willing to go wherever ordered in India by land or sea, and allow no caste usages to interfere with your military duty?	12.————
13. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?	13.————
14. Are you willing to serve until discharged in accordance with the following conditions provided His Majesty shall so long require your services?	14.————

When you have served till the conclusion of the war you will be entitled to receive your discharge with all convenient speed.

———— *Signature of applicant.*

(a) If so, the recruit should be asked to produce his Discharge Certificate.

FORM III.

(*See rule 11.*)

(*Form of Oath.*)

I, do swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, the King-Emperor, his heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and go wherever I may be ordered in India by land or sea, and that I will observe and obey all commands of any officers set over me even to the peril of my life, so help me God.

(*Form of Affirmation.*)

I, solemnly affirm that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, the King-Emperor, his heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and go wherever I may be ordered in India by land or sea, and that I will observe and obey all commands of any officers set over me even to the peril of my life.

SCHEDULE II.

(*See rule 24.*)

Whoever does any of the acts hereinafter specified shall be deemed to have committed an offence against these rules, that is to say—

1. Whoever being on parade or at the time of undergoing military training or of performing actual military duty—

(*a*) strikes, or uses or offers violence to, his superior officer, being in the execution of his office:

(*b*) strikes, or uses or offers any violence to, his superior officer, or uses threatening or insubordinate language to his superior officer:

(*c*) disobeys any lawful command given by his superior officer:

(*d*) neglects to obey any general or garrison or other orders:

(*e*) is in a state of intoxication:

(*f*) being an officer or non-commissioned officer strikes or otherwise ill-treats any person subject to military law who is his subordinate in rank and position:

(*g*) is guilty of any act or omission which is prejudicial to good order and military discipline.

2. Whoever absents himself from his station without leave properly obtained in the manner provided for by regulation, or without sufficient cause overstays leave granted to him:

3. Whoever without sufficient cause fails to appear at the place of parade at the time fixed, or, when on parade, without sufficient cause quits the ranks:

4. Whoever without sufficient cause fails to perform the drills, musketry or attendance at camp required of him by regulation:

5. Whoever strikes, or uses or offers violence to, any person whether subject to military law or not in whose custody he is placed, and whether he is or is not his superior officer:

6. Whoever resists an escort whose duty it is to arrest him or to detain him in custody:

7. Whoever being under arrest or detention or otherwise in lawful custody escapes or attempts to escape:

8. Whoever makes away with, or is concerned in making away with, his arms, ammunitions, equipments, instruments, tools, clothing or regimental necessaries, or any horse of which he has charge:

9. Whoever loses by neglect anything mentioned in clause 8:

10. Whoever wilfully injures anything mentioned in clause 8, or any property belonging to Government or to any person subject to military law or to any military mess, band or institution:

11. Whoever ill-treats any horse or other animal used in the public service:

12. Whoever knowingly furnishes a false return or report of the number or state of men under his command or charge, or of any money, arms, ammunitions, clothing equipments, tores or other property in his charge, or through design or culpable neglect omits or refuses to make or send any return of the matters aforesaid :

13. Whoever when it is his official duty to make a declaration respecting any matter, knowingly makes a declaration which is false, and which he either knows or believes to be false, or does not believe to be true :

14. Whoever makes a false accusation against any person subject to military law knowing such accusation to be false :

15. Whoever in making a complaint to his superior officer when he deems himself wronged knowingly makes any false statement affecting the character of any person subject to military law, or knowingly and wilfully suppresses any material fact :

16. Whoever being duly summoned or ordered to attend as a witness before a court martial intentionally omits to attend, or refuses to be sworn or affirmed, or to answer any question or to produce or deliver up any book, document or other thing which he may have been duly warned or called upon to produce or deliver up :

17. Whoever intentionally offers any insult or causes any interruption or disturbance to, or uses any menacing or disrespectful word, sign or gesture, or is insubordinate or violent in the presence of, a court-martial while sitting :

18. Whoever having been duly sworn or affirmed before any court-martial competent to administer an oath or affirmation makes any statement, which is false and which he either knows or believes to be false, or does not believe to be true :

19. Whoever refuses, or without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon him) neglects to comply with any order calling upon him to perform actual military duty or calling him out for general military service.

Explanation.—In this Schedule—

(1) "regulation" means a regulation made by the Commander-in-Chief in India under the Act ;

(2) the expression "superior officer," when used with reference to any person subject to the Act, means any person who under the regulations is the superior officer of such person ;

(3) references to persons subject to military law shall be deemed to include references to persons subject to the Act and these rules.

The 24th April, 1917.

No. 408-Est.-A.—Mr. H. A. F. Metcalfe, I.C.S., (Punjab) is appointed, on probation, to the Political Department, of the Government of India and is posted temporarily as second Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, North-West Frontier Province, with effect from the 29th March 1917.

No. 410-Est.-A.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Macwatt, Indian Medical Service (Bengal), an Agency Surgeon of the 1st Class, substantive *pro tempore*, and Chief Medical Officer in Rajputana and Civil Surgeon, Ajmer, is appointed temporarily to hold visiting charge of the offices of Residency Surgeon, Jaipur, Agency Surgeon, Kotah and Jhalawar, and Agency Surgeon, Eastern Rajputana States, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 17th November 1916, and until further orders.

No. 417-Est.-A.—Major H. Stewart, C.I.E., of the Political Department, on return from leave, is placed on special duty under the orders of the Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, with effect from the 16th February 1917.

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Government of India

The 26th April, 1917.

No. 449-Est.-A.—Mr. E. M. Sequeira, Treasury Officer, Bushire, is granted privilege leave for 3 months combined with leave on medical certificate for three months under Articles 233 and 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th April 1917.

No 450-Est.-A.—Mr. D. X. Lobo, Head Clerk of the office of His Britannic Majesty's Consul for Arabistan, Mohammerah, is appointed to officiate as Treasury Officer, Bushire, with effect from the 10th April 1917, and until further orders.

No 464-G.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. John Hogg as Acting Consul for Belgium at Rangoon, during the absence of Mr W Macdonald.

A. H GRANT,
Secretary to the Government of India

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 27th April, 1917.

No 430-F.E.—Rai Sahib K. S. Kothandarama Ayyar, Chief Accountant, Class II, office of the Accountant General, Madras, has been granted privilege leave for one month and seven days, with effect from the 11th April 1917.

Mr T Rangaswami Mudaliar, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General Madras, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, Class II, in that office, with effect from the 11th April 1917 and during the absence on leave of Rai Sahib K. S Kothandarama Ayyar.

No 431-F.E.—In notification No. 247-F E, dated the 7th March 1917, published on page 395 of Part I of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 10th March 1917, relating to L. Lahauri Lal *read* "until further orders" for the words "during the absence on leave of Mr. K. M. Abraham" in the last line.

No. 432-F.E.—Mr. M. A. Hafeez, Deputy Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Check Office, Calcutta, has been granted privilege leave for twelve days, with effect from the 10th April 1917.

Mr. P. B. Das has been posted as Deputy Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Check Office, Calcutta, with effect from 10th April 1917 and during the absence on leave of Mr. Hafeez.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

ESTIMATES AND ACCOUNTS.

The 27th April, 1917.

No. 940-F.—*Monthly Preliminary Statement of Receipts and Payments at Civil Treasuries in India.*

March 1917. **Lakhs of Rupees**

	March.		To end of March.		Whole year.	
	1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	1915-1916.	Revised. 1916-1917.	Actuals. 1915-1916.
Civil Revenue.						
Land Revenue (including Land Revenue due to Irrigation) ...	7,55	8,34	36,09	36,03	35,65	35,71
Opium	34	27	4,44	2.74	4,73	2,87
Salt	62	61	7,19	5.46	7,18	5,47
Stamps	77	78	8,48	7,96	8,70	8.15
Excise	1,41	1,31	13,79	12,92	13,72	12,95
Provincial Rates	1	1	5	6	5	6
Customs...	1,31	1,04	12,96	8,79	12,94	8,81
Income Tax	59	28	5,38	2,98	5,19	2,99
Forest	66	50	3,51	3,05	3.47	3,11
Registration	8	8	81	78	81	78
Tributes from Native States	17	24	81	92	91	91
Other Civil Revenue	69	63	5,64	4,43	5,98	4,90
TOTAL CIVIL HEADS ...	14,20	44,09	99,15	86,12	99,33	86,71
Major Irrigation Revenue	18	18	4,06	3,93	4,37	4,10
Other Public Works Ordinary Revenue	5	6	62	60	82	75
TOTAL CIVIL REVENUE (including Ordinary Public Works) ...	14,43	14,33	1,03,83	90.65	1,04,52	91.56
Civil Expenditure.						
Interest on Ordinary Debt and that on Railways and Irrigation Works ...	—37	—48	—5,65	—5,69	—5,60	—6,48
Opium	—1	—1	—1,35	—1,39	—1,52	—1,72
Famine Relief (Civil)	...	—16	—28	—18	—28	—11
Other Civil Expenditure	—4,83	—6,16	—46,01	—45.95	—48,24	—45,92
TOTAL CIVIL HEADS ...	—5,21	—6,81	—53,29	—53,21	—55,64	—54,23
Major Irrigation Working Expenses	—22	—27	—1 91	—2,00	—2,05	—2,06
Buildings and Roads Expenditure	—90	—1,11	—5,70	—6 90	—6.02	—7,08
Famine Relief (Public Works)	—1	—9	—47	—76	—52	—75
Other P. W. Ordinary Expenditure	—20	—17	—1,07	—1,19	—1 16	—1,25
TOTAL CIVIL EXPENDITURE (including Public Works) ...	—6,54	—8,44	—62,44	—64 06	—65 39	—6537
Irrigation Capital Expenditure	—14	—12	—82	—1,14	—87	—1,17
Delhi Capital Expenditure	—3	—2	—36	—18	—37	—48
TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS CAPITAL EXPENDITURE ...	—17	—14	—1,18	—1,62	—1,24	—1,65
Receipts into Civil Treasuries from, and issues from those Treasuries to, the following Non-Civil Departments. The figures comprise Revenue, Expenditure, and Debt and Remittance transactions.						
Posts and Telegraph (Net)	—65	—18	—1,97	—1,26	—99	—1,15
Marine (Net)	—94	—1,00	—11,73	—8,92	—11,61	—8,85
Military Works (Net)	—1,18	—39	—4,87	—1.89	—4,42	—1,83
Military Receipts	+22	+26	+2,82	+2,54	+2,93	+3,18
Military Issues	—7,38	—4,42	—63,49	—35,72	—62,74	—37,16
Railway Receipts.						
East Indian Railway	+78	+83	+8,95	+8,71	+8,93	+59,01
Other Railways	+4,95	+4,90	+58,29	+49,94	+53,79	
TOTAL	+5,73	+5,73	+62,24	+58,65	+62,72	+59,01
Railway Issues.						
East Indian Railway	—44	—41	—5,36	—5.68	—5,25	—36,17
Other Railways	—3,47	—3,04	—39,90	—30,16	+32,57	
TOTAL ...	—3,91	—3,45	—38,26	—35,84	—37,82	—36,17
TOTAL NON-CIVIL DEPARTMENTS.	—8,06	—8,45	—55,19	—22,44	—51,93	—22,97
Civil Debt and Remittance Transactions.						
Permanent Debt and Special Loans (Net + Receipts more,— receipts less than payments)	+5,88	...	+12,61	+,493	+10,79	+4,98
Temporary Loan	—2,25	—3,98	—6,00	—4,50	—6,00	—4,50
Mint Certificates and Bullion Advances (Net as above)	—1,30	—1	+14	+2	—19	+2
Remittance of Gold	...	...	...	...	...	—3,00
Currency Transfers against Silver	+3,28	...	+22,43	...	+22,82	+51
Deposits of District Funds	—27	—35	+13	—50	+9	—59
Loans by Governments	—1	+28	+98	+65	+77	+49
Council Bills paid (including Telegraphic) at Rs. 15 per £ ...	—3,42	+2,42	—12,55	—7,64	—12,88	—7,57
Other Debt Heads	+1,68	+29	+2,11	—6,44	+3,34	—3,00
Sterling bills or Telegraphic Transfers on London	...	...	...	+7,00	...	+7,00
TOTAL DEBT AND REMITTANCE TRANSACTIONS ...	+3,59	—1,35	+19,80	—6,48	+18,74	—5,71
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS AND ISSUES ...	+3,25	+94	+4,82	—3,95	+4,70	—4,14
Opening Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks ...	19,59	17,28	18,02	22,17	18,02	22,17
Closing Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks. ...	22,84	18,22	22,84	18,22	22,72	18,08

J. B. BRUNYATE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 25th April, 1917.

No. 10.—The services of Mr. R. R. Reaks, Secretariat Superintendent, are placed at the disposal of the Indian Munitions Board, with effect from the 30th April 1917.

The 27th April, 1917.

No. 11.—The services of Mr. W. H. Cooper, Assistant Engineer, United Provinces, are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 11th April 1917.

F. C. ROSE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FORESTS.

Simla, the 24th April, 1917.

No. 230-F.-124-1.—The services of Mr. R. S. Troup, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Burma, at present Assistant Inspector General of Forests, are temporarily placed at the disposal of the Indian Munitions Board with effect from the 16th April 1917.

The 26th April, 1917.

No. 240-F.-11-12.—Mian Muhammad Zia-ul-Haq, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, United Provinces, is appointed to be Assistant Instructor at the Forest Research Institute and College, Dehra Dun, with effect from the afternoon of 8th April 1917.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 26th April, 1917.

ORDER.

No. 4633-Spl.—Whereas Messrs. Radcliff and Company, Limited, a company registered under the Indian Companies Act, 1882, and carrying on business as mine owners in Burma, by a contract made in 1914 contracted to supply tungsten to the value of Rs. 30,000 or thereabouts to Messrs. A. Lohmann and Company, metal brokers of Bremen, Germany, a hostile firm within the meaning of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916):

And whereas a portion of the contract remains to be completed:

And whereas it appears to the Governor General in Council that the said contract is injurious to the public interest:

Now therefore in exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the said Act, the Governor General in Council is pleased to determine the said contract.

The 28th April, 1917.

No. 4688-Spl.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the entry "5 Messrs. Wolpert and Company" shall be deleted from the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 6806-W.II, dated the 5th August 1916.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 23rd April, 1917.

No. 4464-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 1695-C.W., dated the 17th February 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.* :—

ADDITIONS.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Argentina-Germanica de Abonos, (Sociedad) Limitada, Callo Peru 1183-1188, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Minino, Juan Patricies 1570, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ribas, Salgado & Company, Diaz Vélez 3701, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Rossi, Francisco, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ruete, Enrique, Agraciada 951, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Sociedad Argentina-Germanica de Abonas, Limitada, Calle Peru 1183-1188, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

BOLIVIA.

Companhia Commercial Mattogrossense & Boliviana Limitada, Puerto Suarez and Guajará-Mirim.
Köhler, E., & Company, Guajará-Mirim.
Mattogrossense & Boliviana, Companhia Commercial, Limitada, Puerto Suarez and Guajará-Mirim.
Pingel, Juan, La Paz.
Wäntig & Muller, Cochabamba.

BRAZIL.

Casa Edison (see Figner, Friedrich).
Companhia Commercial Mattogrossense and Boliviana Limitada, Corumba.
"Cometa" Fabrica de Roupas Brancas, Rua Haddock Lobo 94-96, Rio de Janeiro.
Fabrica de Roupas Brancas "Cometa" Rua Haddock Lobo 94-96, Rio de Janeiro.
Figner, Friedrich (Casa Edison), Rua do Ouvidor 135, Rio de Janeiro.
Lichtenfels-Brandáo, Bernardo, Avenue Centrale 57, Rio de Janeiro.
Mattogrossense and Boliviana, Companhia Commercial, Limitada, Corumba.
Regis, João Deocleciano, Florianopolis.
Slues, Oscar, Santos.
Smith, Charles, Rua Direita 12, Sao Paulo.
Zerrenner, Bülow and Company, Rua Santo Antonio 52, Santos ; and Rua de San Bento. 81, Sao Paulo.

CHILE.

Castillo, Anjel C., Coquimbo.
Dübrock and Company, Punta Arenas.
Foretich, Natalio, Roca 865, Punta Arenas.
Grisar, Max, Valparaiso.
Gunther and Company, Calle O'Higgins 62, Valparaiso.
Heubel, Carlos E., Antofagasta.
Heubel, Herbert, Antofagasta.
Klammer, Guilermo, Valparaiso and Santiago.
Misol and Dübrock, Punta Arenas.
Puebla, Joaquin, Antofagasta.
Sporke & Traeger, Coquimbo.
Wiedmaier, C., Serrano 35, Valparaiso.

COLOMBIA.

Ardilla, Manuel, Tumaco.
Heimann, Max, & Company, Tumaco.
Medina, E., P. O. Box 140, Barransmuilla.

ECUADOR.

Chanange, Gustavo, Guayaquil.
Pimentel, Juan L., Guayaquil.

JAPAN.

Hoene, H., P. O. Box 226, Kobe.
Kawamoto Kiyoji, Yamamoto-dori, 4, Chome, Kobe.
Kuwada (*alias* of Yoshioka Kojiro), 50, Shimo Yamate-dori Itchome, Kobe.
Taylor, Cooper & Company, Kobe.

MOROCCO.

Guessus, Mohammed, Tetuan.

NETHERLANDS.

Algemeene Nederlandsche Chemische Maatschappy, N. V., Kuiperstraat 48-50, Amsterdam.
Borawski, O. W., Groenstraat 56, Roosendal.
Borleffs & Company, Haagscheveer 16, Rotterdam.
Ceuvell, J. L., Hoogte Kadijk 147, Amsterdam.
Daarnhouwer & Company, Raadhuisstraat 46, Amsterdam.
Fischer, J., & Company, Badhuisweg 18, Scheveningen.
Goudsmit, Leo, Heerengracht 109, Amsterdam.
Groenendijk & Garschagen, Koningsplein 1, Amsterdam.
Heidebroek, Hermann, & Company, Boompjes 40A, Rotterdam.
Jordan, L., (Maison Chic), Kalverstraat 117, Amsterdam.
Landy, Ignaz, Fred. Hendriklaan, 34, Scheveningen.
Metz, Heinrich, Groote Draaisteeg 4, Rotterdam.
Vries, J. & N. A. de, Stationsweg 43, Rotterdam.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Arnold, W. O., Medan.
Bangoen Estate (Dolok Mulela), East Coast of Sumatra.
Bangoen Landbouw Maatschappy, Dolok Malela and Pantoean, East Coast of Sumatra.
Borneo Industrie Maatschappy, Bandjermasin.
Brinker H. Den, Samarang and Sourabaya.
Caffin, J., Gorontalo.
Duitsch Indische Cultuur Maatschappy, Sourabaya.
Forrer, Gustav, Tebing Tinggi, Sumatra.
Glückmann, L. G., Sourabaya.
Haan, Louis De, Medan.
Hashimoto Brothers, Sourabaya.
Hoeven, Emil van der, Batavia.
Import Maatschappy De Sourabaya.
Leersum, O. van, Sourabaya.
Limoesnongal Estate, Java (Preanger Regencies).
Loebell, M. c/o Sourabaya Oliefabriek, Sourabaya.
Marihat Sumatra Plantagen Cie., G.m.b.H., Siantar, East Coast of Sumatra.
Moerkerken, L van, c/o Sourabaya Oliefabriek, Sourabaya.
Montage Bureau, Bandoeng.
Muller, Rudolph, Bandoeng.
Nagara Estate, Java (Preanger Regencies).
Pantoean Estate, East Coast of Sumatra.
Priboean Cultuur Syndicaat, East Coast of Sumatra.
Röhrig, F. A. C., Kampement 48, Sourabaya.
Schwenkel, A., Balikpapan.
Soengei Bloetoe Estate, East Coast of Sumatra.
Soe Hoo Sing Handels Maatschappy, Sourabaya.
Still, Otto, Kali Bessar, Batavia.
Technische Bureau de Vlijt, Sourabaya.
Tjikopo Noord Estate, Java (Batavia Regency).
Tjimoelang Estate, Java.
Tjitembong Estate, Java.
Vlijt (De), Technische Bureau, Sourabaya.
Vries, Maison de, Sourabaya.
Weeren, H. van, Sourabaya.
Wolff's Machinefabriek, Sourabaya.
Wolff's Stoomkoffiebranderij, Sourabaya.

NORWAY.

Aaroe, Alb, Aalesund.
Braastad & Company, Toldbodgt. 35, Christiania.

City Magazin, A/S., Kirkegt. 30, Christiania.
Fiskaa Nitrate Works, Christiansand.
Henie, Wilhelm, Prinsensgt. 13, Christiania.
Johannesen, B. H., A./S., Kirkegade 8 and Storg. 2, Christiania.
Korner, H., Skippergatan 15, Christiania.
Lorentzen, W. P., Toldbodgaten 4, Christiania.
Nordiske Grube Kompagni, A./S, Kjobmandsgt. 16, Trondhjem; and Melovar i Senjen.
Ous, Klaus, (of Jacobsen & Braastad), Toldbodg 35, Christiania.
Skollerud, Carl, (of Jacobsen & Braastad), O. Voldgt. 12, Christiania.
Trosvik Slip & Verksted, (Patent Slipway Company), (Einar Stensrud), Brevik.

PARAGUAY.

Société Fran Caise D'Exportation (Sociedad Anonima), Sucesora de José Bell & Company, Asuncion.

SPAIN.

Arrarte, Viuda e Hijos De Casiano de, Calle Somorrostro, Santander.
Ballestero, Antonio H., (S. en C.), Malaga.
Bas, (see Morel Bas, Joaquin).
Bayer, Federico, & Company, Calle Ausias March 14-18, and Calle Bruch 18, Barcelona.
Blay, (see Mas Blay, Antonio).
Bosch, (see Oliver y Bosch, Juan).
Botey, Joaquin, Calle Salmeron 59, Gracia, Barcelona.
Burmester, Julius Wilhelm Gerhard, Travesia del Banco 2, Vigo.
Capmany, Juan, Port Bou.
Colas, Gelatinas y Abonos, Sociedad Anonima Espanola de, Calle Alcala 69 and Calle del Prado 4, Madrid.
Dauphin, Alberto, Seville.
Drogueria Modela, Calle Torrijos 112, Malaga.
Einstein, Bernardo, Principe Alfonso 64, Murcia.
Fraile, Manuel, Calle Princesa 63 and Calle San Hermenegilde 5, Madrid.
Garcia, Arsenio (see Valveroe Garcia, Arsenio).
Gerdtzen, Otto, Calle de Utziaz 16, Vigo; and Gijon.
Gomez, Candido, Ayamonte
Greiner, C. A., E Hijos, San Feliu de Guixols.
Hafner & Wienken, Calle Torrijos 112, Malaga.
Haya, Antonio, Calle Alfonso XII 32, Seville.
Hispano Alemana de Transportes Internacionales, Sociedad, Barcelona.
Industria Electrica, La, Calle Banquillo 28, Madrid; and Barcelona.
Ingles, (or Yngles) Martin, Port Bou.
Mas Blay, Antonio, Calle Montesion 14 and 16, Magdalenas 8 and Calle Fernando 41, Barcelona.
Meyerh of Hermanos y Thomson y Cia., Bruch 19 and Calabria 263, Barcelona.
Morata, Antonio Visconti, (see Visconti Morata, Antonio).
Morel Bas, Joaquin, Calle Valencia 351, Barcelona
Morin, Jules, Paséo Gracia 61, Calle Ausias March 14-18 and Calle Lauria 108, Barcelona.
Oliver y Bosch, Juan, Santa Cruz de Tenerife.
Rubio, Juan, Malaga.
Sales, Angel, Calle Fernando 41, Barcelona.
Sociedad Anonima Española de Colas, Gelatinas y Abonos, Calle Alcala 69 and Calle del Prado 4, Madrid.
Stierlen, Ernesto, Pascual y Genis 26, Valencia.
Valverde Garcia, Arsenio, Calle Diputacion 348, Barcelona.
Visconti Morata, Antonio, Plaza Constitucion 14 and 15, Alicante.
Wolf, Rudolf, Calle Alcalá 52, Madrid.
Yngles (see Ingles, Martin).

SWEDEN.

Kanold Broderna, Chocoladfabrik, Jacobsdahl, Örgryte, Gothenburg.
Lindegren & Rae, A/B., Bredgr. 2, Stockholm.

VENEZUELA.

Amodo, Joaquin, Maracaibo.
Belloso Rossel Hermanos, Maracaibo.
Bozo, Audio, & Company, Maracaibo.
Garcia, C. M., Maracaibo.
Pulgar, J. A. é Hijo, Maracaibo.
Quintero, Ciro, Maracaibo.
Vargas, T. Enrique, Maracaibo.

REMOVALS.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Borowsky and Company, Calle Sgto. Cabral 172, Rosario, Argentina.
Eberson, Otto, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Iglesias, Justo, A., Piedras 338 and Dom. Agraciada 2114, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Muller (or Miller), Frederico, Livestock Importer, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Rueto & Guyer, Montevideo, Uruguay.

BRAZIL.

Cardoso, Victor Mattos. Para.
Nobrega, Sergio Augusto, Joinville, Sta. Catharina; and Sao Francisco do Sul.
Oliva, G. Sao Paulo.

CHILE.

Spoerer, Oscar, & Company, Concepcion.

GREECE.

Frandzis, P., & Fiorentino, G., Vathy, Samos.

JAPAN.

Harada Kakujiro, Kobe.

MOROCCO.

Ankri, Yusef el, Laraiche.
Assayag, Solomon, Laraiche.
Azulay, Solomon David, Alcazar.
Bendayan, Salomon, Laraiche.
Kouira, Drees, Laraiche.

NETHERLANDS.

Aker, P., Andijk.

NORWAY.

Henriksen, G. A., & Company, Ruselokveien 4, Christiania.
Jacobsen & Braastad, Toldbodgt, 35, Christiania; and Aalesund (see Braastad & Company).
Olsen, Kornelius (Smörfabrikken "Victoria"), Bredgt. 10, and Jorenholmsg. 14, Stavanger.
"Victoria" Smörfabrikken (see Olsen Kornelius).
Walther's (Henrik) Farvehandel, Gronlandsleret 46 and 53, Christiania.

PHILLIPPINE ISLANDS.

Merlo, Timeto.

PERU.

Leon, Felix, Pacasmayo.

SWEDEN.

Andersson, S. August, Skeppsbron, 3, Malmö.
Henriksson, Axel, Brunkebergstorg 15, Stockholm.

VARIATIONS.

BOLIVIA.

Schutt, Nicolas (Partner of Morales, Bertram and Company), Sucre.

BRAZIL.

Boschen, Carlos, & Company, Rua Conde de Bomfin 1326, Rio de Janiero.
Marx, W., (*alias* Henrique Oliveira & Company, *alias* "Norbert Hertz" *alias* "Nils Nissen"), Rua da Alfandega 102, Rio de Janeiro.

"Mins Missen" (see W. Marx),

should read

"Nils Nissen" (see W. Marx).

CHILE.

Armstrong, Isaac Enrique, Talcahuano.
Samhaber, Augusto, Valparaiso; and Casilla 619, Calle Merced, 720, Santiago.

DENMARK.

Phonix Agentur (or Phonix Company), Vestervoldgade 11, Copenhagen. (No connection with Phonix A-S., Godthaabsvej 88.)

ECUADOR.

Malheur & Company, Manta,
should read
Mahler, Julio, & Company, Manta.

JAPAN.

Erneko, K., (K. Ernecke), 126, Yamate-cho, Yokohama.
Griebel, P., (P. Greeble), 40, Kobe and P. O. Box 226, Kobe.
Habu & Company, 82, Sakae-machi, 1, Chome, Kobe.
Imada, Takehiro (Imada & Company), 39, Akashi-machi, Kobe.
Kimura, K. Kimura Shoten Shimo-osaki, Tokyo ; 4, Honkawaya-cho, Nibonbashi Tokyo ; and 81, Kyo-machi, Kobe.
Kojiro Yayama, Shimo Yamate-dori, 2, Chome, Kobe,
should read
Yayama Shoten, Ikutamaye, and 50, Shimo-Yamate-dori, 1, Chome, Kobe.
Liesecke, J., 80, Kyo-machi, and 17, Harima-machi, Kobe.
Nakamura Yushutsuten (Nichidoku Shoten), 169, Sannomiya-cho, Itchome, Kobe.

NETHERLANDS.

Fisher, Leon, Belvedereweg 11, Scheveningen.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Vrijberghe de Coningh, A. J., Sourabaya.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Los Helios, Manila,
should read
Helios (Los) Cigar Factory, Isla de Romero 13, Manila.

SPAIN.

Barrau. Teixido, Passoo de Gracia 47, Barcelona,
should read
Barrau (see Teixidó Barrau, Juan).
Teixidó Barrau, Juan, Passeo de Gracia 47, Barcelona.
Soujol, Carlos, Plaza Urquinaona 3, Barcelona.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

International Import and Export Company, 136, South Fourth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. (No connection with International Import and Export, Inc., White Building, Seattle, Washington) or (International Import and Export Company, 310, Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.).

VENEZUELA.

Quinters, Carracciolo, Santa Ana,
should read
Quintero Santana, Caracciolo, San Cristobal.

This Department Notification No. 4157-C. W., dated the 21st April 1917, published at pages 667 to 672 of the Gazette of India of the same date is hereby cancelled.

The 28th April, 1917.

No. 4591-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the export of tanned and partially tanned buffalo (including buffalo calf) hides to the United Kingdom :

Provided that nothing in this Notification shall be deemed to prohibit :—

(*i*) the export of any goods by, or for the use of, the Crown : and

(*ii*) the export of any goods under a license granted by the Chief Customs Officer at the place of export.

EMIGRATION.

The 28th April, 1917.

No. 4589-Spl.—The following draft of a rule which it is proposed, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 116-F. of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 (VI of 1901), as subsequently amended, to substitute for rule 24 of the Assam Labour Board Rules published with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry No. 295-132-C., dated the 20th November 1915, is published, as required by the said section, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby. Any objection or suggestion which may be received before the 4th June 1917, will be duly considered :—

Draft rule.

"24. (1) The cess shall be payable in the following manner :—

Recovery of cess.

(*a*) The cess payable on a garden-sardar shall be deposited by the employer in the local treasury in Assam prior to the countersignature of the certificate of such garden-sardar by the Inspector of Labourers or Magistrate under the provisions of section 59 of the Act, and when the cess has been realised, the said Inspector or Magistrate shall cause an endorsement to be made on the certificate to that effect. The total amount of the cess so deposited in each month shall be remitted by the Deputy Commissioner within the first week of the succeeding month by Remittance Transfer Receipt to the Chairman of the Board. When the cess at the prescribed rate has been deposited in the Treasury in respect of all the garden-sardars whose certificates have been countersigned under section 59 of the Act during the month covered by the remittance, the Deputy Commissioner shall, when making the remittance, furnish the said Chairman with a certificate to that effect. When the cess has not been so deposited in respect of all or any of such garden-sardars, the Deputy Commissioner shall, within the first seven days of the succeeding month, furnish the said Chairman with a list of the garden-sardars in respect of whom the full cess has not been deposited. The names and addresses of the employers of the said Sardars shall also be entered in the said list.

(*b*) The cess payable on every person recruited or engaged as a labourer or assisted to emigrate under Chapter IV or section 91 of the Act shall be payable within the month following that in which such person has been despatched to the labour district from the recruiting district in which he is registered. Where an employer has appointed a local agent, the cess shall be remitted through such local agent to the Chairman of the Board, and where a local agent has not been so appointed, the employer shall remit the sum due as cess direct to the said Chairman.

(2) If default in payment of the cess be made, the Chairman of the Board may :—

(*a*) in the case of a garden-sardar referred to in clause 1 (*a*) of this rule, on receipt of the list of garden-sardars in respect of whom cess has not been paid,

(*b*) in the case of a person recruited or engaged as a labourer or assisted to emigrate under Chapter IV or section 91 of the Act, on the expiry of the month following that in which such person was despatched to the labour district from the recruiting district in which he had been registered,

send a demand by registered letter to the defaulting employer for the amount due, and if, within a period of a month after the postal receipt for the registered letter has reached the Chairman, payment is still in arrears, the Chairman may proceed to recover the amount due by making application under section 215 of the Act to the Magistrate of the District in which the defaulter resides.

(3) In each recruiting district the Superintendent of Emigration shall furnish the Chairman of the Board with a monthly statement showing, in respect of each employer who has not appointed a local agent, the total number of persons recruited or engaged as labourers or assisted to emigrate by such employer during the month to which the return relates, and the number of persons as aforesaid despatched to each estate in the labour districts by each such employer.

(4) It shall be the duty of the Supervisors appointed by the Board, in the course of their inspections of the local agencies within their respective charges, to check the payment of the cess leviable by local agents in respect of the persons recruited or engaged as labourers or assisted to emigrate by garden-sardars working under the supervision of such local agents, and to report the result of such check to the Chairman.

EXPLOSIVES.

The 28th April, 1917.

No. 4555-M.—Commissary and Honorary Captain J. S. Rush, Inspector of Explosives with the Government of India, is granted privilege leave for sixty days, with effect from the 1st June 1917, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Commerce and Industry Department Notification No. 4141-M., dated the 21st April 1917, is hereby cancelled.

INDUSTRIES.

The 28th April, 1917.

No. 4594-I.—The services of Mr. R. D. Bell, I.C.S., Secretary, Indian Industrial Commission, were placed at the disposal of the Indian Munitions Board, with effect from the 17th March 1917.

POST OFFICE.

The 26th April, 1917.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

No. 4635-P. & T.—With reference to the Resolution in this Department No. 4675-4722-51, dated the 26th June 1911, the Government of India are pleased to decide that the following days shall, in future, be observed as Post Office holidays in the Burma Circle in addition to those specified in paragraph 2 thereof, namely:—

Full Moon of Tabaung.

Dewali.

2. In the current year an additional Post Office holiday will be observed in the Burma Circle on the 14th November on account of the Dewali festival.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Government of Burma, the Director General of Posts and Telegraphs, the Home Department, the Burma Chamber of Commerce and the Rangoon Trades Association.

Ordered, also, that a copy be published in the *Gazette of India.*

STORES AND PLANT.

The 26th April, 1917.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

No. 4604-I.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following shall be added to Rule 4 of the rules for the supply of articles for the public service promulgated with the Resolution in this Department No. 5829-5876-11, dated the 24th July 1913, as sub-clause (*l*), the present sub-clause (*l*) being re-numbered as sub-clause (*m*) :—

"(*l*) Cheap articles of common use required in small quantities only."

ORDER.—Ordered that this Resolution be communicated to all Departments of the Government of India, to all Local Governments and Administrations, to the Comptroller and Auditor General, to all Accountants General and

Comptrollers, to the Audit Officer, Delhi, to all Heads of Departments subordinate to this Department, to the Private and Military Secretaries to His Excellency the Viceroy and to the Indian Munitions Board.

Ordered, also, that the Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

TELEGRAPHS.

The 28th April, 1917.

No. 4492-P. & T.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 7 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 (XIII of 1885), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry No. 6975-137 (Telegraphs), dated the 16th September 1909, as subsequently amended, namely :—

In rule 8 after the words "If both the offices of origin and destination are closed, the extra fee shall be two rupees, but if only one of them is closed, one rupee" the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"If a telegram has to pass through an intermediate office which itself is closed, an extra fee of one rupee shall also be payable in respect of that office."

H. F. HOWARD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Simla, the 25th April, 1917.

No. 153.—The Reverend John Godber, M.A., Junior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, and Bishop's Chaplain is granted privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from the 25th March 1917 or the subsequent date on which he availed himself of it.

No. 155.—The Reverend Alan F. Gardiner, M.A., and the Reverend E. Langdale Smith are appointed to be temporary Chaplains on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment. Their services are placed at the disposal of the Government of Madras with effect from the 23rd February 1917.

The 27th April, 1917.

No. 157.—The Reverend J. S. Price is appointed to be a temporary Chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment. His services are placed at the disposal of the Army Department.

No. 159.—The Reverend N. H. Tubbs, a temporary Chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment, relinquished his appointment with effect from the 19th April 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 27th April 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 607.—Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) G. Christian, C.B., D.S.O., British Service, to be temporary Inspector of Infantry. Dated the 28th December 1916.

No. 608.—Lieutenant (temporary Captain) W. H. Hatchard Smith, 1-5th Battalion, The East Surrey Regiment, retains his temporary rank while holding the appointment of temporary Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General. Dated the 9th April 1917.

No. 609.—Lieutenant (temporary Captain) F. L. Engledow, 1-5th Battalion, The Queen's Own Royal (West Kent Regiment), relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain on ceasing to be employed as Brigade Machine Gun Officer. Dated the 20th December 1916.

No. 610.—Second Lieutenant D. Looney, The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the temporary appointment of Brigade Major. Dated the 15th April 1917.

No. 611.—The undermentioned warrant officer to be Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment).

Company Serjeant-Major Richard Wood. Dated 13th April 1917.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 612.—The services of Captain F. G. M. Wigley, 73rd Carnatic Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Resident at Hyderabad for employment as an officiating Assistant Cantonment Magistrate.

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 613.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Cavalry Branch.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Name	Date
Hugh William Craufurd-Lindsay. Henry James Morel.	Dated 17th April 1917.
James Woolley. John Alexander Johnston. Harold Angus Binning.	Dated 18th April 1917.
Wilfrid Flower Jackson. Maurice Neville Meredith. George Mortimer Macdonald. Charles Graham Lowe. Douglas Peter Jardine.	Dated 19th April 1917.
John Hatch Clayton.	Dated 20th April 1917.
George Goodman Horne. Donald Charles Essery Tozer.	Dated 23rd April 1917.

Infantry Branch.

To be Captain.

Henry Benedict Fox. Dated 13th April 1917.

To be Lieutenants.

Name	Date
Lionel Edward Kirwan.	Dated 1st February 1917.
Percy Thomas Rose.	Dated 21st April 1917.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Name	Date
Basil Copleston Allen.	Dated 1st April 1917.
Robert Greenhill Black.	
Francis William Baldock Gore.	Dated 2nd April 1917.
Herbert Charles Barnes.	Dated 3rd April 1917.
Stanley Herbert Bigsby.	Dated 17th April 1917.
Charles Edwin Albert Lancaster.	
Emile Phillips.	
Alexander Macgregor.	
Horace Arthur Rose.	Dated 18th April 1917.
Harry Melville Griffiths.	
Harry Barker Norton.	
Henry William Pipe.	
Simon Christopher Alfred John Pain.	
John Francis Allen Nute.	
Arthur Oscar Collins.	
Lionel Carpenter-Turner.	
George Patrick Davies.	Dated 19th April 1917.
John Walter Longstaffe.	
Ernest John Saunders.	
Leonard Harris.	Dated 20th April 1917.
Edward Stanhope Griffith.	
Charles Joseph Redmond.	
James Stuart Cameron Beaton.	

No. 614.—Charles Gilbert Wodehouse [temporary Second Lieutenant, 10th (Reserve) Battalion, The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment)], to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 20th April 1917, but to rank from the 29th May 1915.

No. 615.—Second Lieutenant Basil Copleston Allen, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while employed as Commandant, Khasi Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st April 1917.

No. 616.—Second Lieutenant Herbert Charles Barnes, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while employed as Commandant, Naga Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 3rd April 1917

No. 617.—Lieutenant Lionel Edward Kirwan, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Commandant, Madras Gardeners Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st February 1917.

No. 618.—Second Lieutenant Robert Greenhill Black, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, Khasi Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st April 1917.

No. 619.—Second Lieutenant Francis William Baldock Gore, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, Naga Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 2nd April 1917.

No. 620.—Second Lieutenant Stanley Herbert Bigsby, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, No. 24 Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 17th April 1917.

No. 621.—Second Lieutenant Harry Melville Griffiths, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, No. 2 United Provinces Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 18th April 1917.

No. 622.—Second Lieutenant Thomas Howlett Quilter, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Commandant, Depôt, No. 9 Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from 16th April 1917.

No. 623.—Second Lieutenant Edgar Cumbo McWilliam, Indian Army Reserve of Officers [temporary Second Lieutenant, 1st Battalion, The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment)], is permitted to relinquish his commission in the Indian Army Reserve of Officers on reversion to the British Service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 2nd April 1917.

No. 624.—Second Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant) Bernard Frank Mathews, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Garrison Engineer, Rawalpindi, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 17th April 1917.

No. 625.—In Army Department Notification No. 415, dated the 21st April 1916, *for* 15th April 1916" *read* "17th January 1916."

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 626.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Second Supplement dated the 1st March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 27th February 1917, pages 2097, 2098, 2099 and 2101.

War Office,
1st March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

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(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl.). 14th Feb. 1917.

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Lt.-Col. W. M. Carpendale, ret. pay, Ind. Army.

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The undermentioned temp. appts. are made at the War Office :—

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Dep. Asst. Mil. Sec.—(Graded for purposes of pay as a D. A. A. G.)—Maj. G. M. Audain, ret. pay, Ind. Army. 4th July 1916.

Staff Capts.—

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Capt. G. S. Brunskill, M.C., Ind. Army. 4th July 1916.

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CAVALRY.

D. Gds.—2nd Lt. G. Briggs is secd. for service with Ind. Army, on probation. 8th Dec. 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

Bt. Lt.-Col. A. H. P. Harrison, Ind. Army, to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst Dir. of Recruiting. 1st Dec. 1916.

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London Gazette dated the 2nd March 1917, pages 2121, 2122, 2124, 2127 and 2128.

War Office,
2nd March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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GENERAL STAFF.

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G. S. Os., 2nd Grade.—Capt. K. Barge, M.C., Ind. Cav. 15th Jan. 1917.

Capt. S. R. Shirley, M.C., Ind. Inf. 30th Jan. 1917.

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The undermentioned temp. appt. is made :—

Asst. Mil. Attaché.—Capt. (temp. Maj.) (now Bt. Maj.) C. J. M. Thornhill, Ind. Army. 16th July 1916.

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CAVALRY.

D. Gds.—Lt. J. H. Sykes is secd. for service with Ind. Army (on prob) 23rd Nov. 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned officers, Ind. Army, to be temp. Lt.-Cols. whilst empld. as Assist. Dirs. of Supplies and Trans. 1st Nov. 1916 :—

Majors—

J. W. Sherrard.

E. G. Hart.

J. E. Home.

T. Timbrell.

Temp. Majors—

E. A. Porch, M.C.

W. Brown.

G. Pearse.

M. S. Hewett.

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The undermentioned to be temp. Lts. on Gen. List for duty with R. F. C. :—

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Lt. A. R. Rattray, from R. Ind. Marine. 15th Feb. 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts., Ind. Army Res. of Off., to be temp. Lts, Gen. List, whilst empld. with R. F. C. 1st Feb. 1917 :—

W. H. Dolphin.

F. O. Baxter.

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Supplement dated the 3rd March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 2nd March 1917, pages 2189, 2190, 2191, 2203, 2204 and 2205.

War Office,

3rd March 1917.

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His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the appointments of the undermentioned officers to be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

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Maj. James Blair Keogh, Lrs., Ind. Army.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. Although his horse was shot under him and he himself wounded, he remained in command, and by his personal example and skilful handling of his detachment extricated it with slight loss, whilst inflicting considerable punishment on an enemy force ten times his strength.

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His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Military Cross on the undermentioned officers and warrant officers, in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

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Ressaidar Jai Singh, Ind. Army, attd. M Gun Sqdn.

For conspicuous gallantry in action. He volunteered to relieve a machine gun which was unable to fire owing to heavy enemy shelling. During the whole six days he kept his gun in action, and sent back valuable reports to Headquarters. He has previously done fine work.

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With reference to the announcement of the award of the Distinguished Conduct Medals in the Honours Supplement to the London Gazette, dated 1st February 1917, the following are the acts of gallantry for which the decorations have been awarded :—

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35910 Staff-Sjt. J. C. Dunning, R.H.A., U L, Ind. Army.

For conspicuous devotion to duty. He has carried out his work with marked energy and zeal throughout the operations, and has at all times set a fine example.

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The following corrections are made in London Gazette announcements of various dates :—

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1st February 1917.

For Capt. Edward St George Kirke, R E, attd. Ind. Army, *read* Capt. Edwards St. George Kirke, R.E., attd. Ind. Army.

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Second Supplement dated the 3rd March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 2nd March 1917, pages 2207, 2208, 2209, 2210, 2211 and 2212.

War Office,
3rd March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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INFANTRY.

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R. Muns. Fus.—Capt. B. S. James to remain secd for service with Ind. Army (on prob). 1st Dec. 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned to be acting Lts. :—

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2nd Lt. Gordon Buswell, Ind. Army Res. of Off. 4th Mar. 1917.

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Service Battalions.

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Temp. Maj A. D. Reid (Lt., ret. Ind. Army) to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. a Bn. 15 Jan. 1917.

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Maj D. G Robinson, D.S.O. (Ind. A.), to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. a Bn. 12 Jan. 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

Maj H. E. Porter (ret. pay, Ind. Army), late temp. Lt.-Col. comdg. a Bn., S. Wales Bord., is granted the hon. rank of Lt -Col. 7 July 1916.

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Maj. A. C. Gabbett (ret., Ind. Army), late temp. Lt -Col., comdg. a Bn., E. Lan. R. is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. 17 Oct. 1916.

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London Gazette dated the 6th March 1917, pages 2256 and 2260.

War Office,
6th March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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ATTACHED TO HD. QRS. UNITS.

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Base Comdt.—(Graded for purposes of pay as an A. A. G.).—Col G. F. N. Tinley, C.B., C.M.G., Ind Army. 28th Jan. 1915.

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MEMORANDA.

The grant of the temp. rank of Lt -Col. to the undermentioned Majors, notified in the Gazettes of 27th Apr. 1915, 28th May 1915, and 16th June 1916, is antedated to the dates noted against their names :—

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(Now Lt.-Col) G. R. Cassels, Ind. Army. 1st Apr. 1915.

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(Now Bt. Col.) (temp. Brig -Gen.) H. J. P. Browne, Ind. Army 1st Apr. 1915.

(Now Bt. Col) H. A. V. Cummins, Ind. Army 27th Dec. 1914

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(Now Lt.-Col.) C. A. F. Hocken, Ind. Army. 3rd Mar. 1915.

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W. O. Grant, Ind. Army. 27th Oct. 1914.

E. M. Taylor, Ind. Army. 20th Nov. 1914.

C. R. Bradshaw, Ind Army. 24th Sept. 1915.

Maj. (now Lt.-Col.) G. R. Cassels, Ind. Army, to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst empld. as a G. S. O., 1st Grade. 23rd Sept. 1914.

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PROMOTIONS.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.

No. 627.—The undermentioned officer to be acting Major :—

Temporary Captain L. Arneil, 79th Battery, Royal Field Artillery. Dated 10th April 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 628.—Army Department Notification No. 538, dated the 13th April 1917, so far as it relates to the promotion of Major H. T. Skinner, D.S.O., 29th Punjabis, with effect from the 23rd November 1916 is hereby cancelled.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 629.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Subadar-Major Attar Singh, *Sardar Bahadur*, I.O.M., 47th Sikhs. Dated 1st April 1917.

No. 630.—The following promotions are made :—

8th Cavalry.

Kot-Dafadar Bakhshi Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st March 1917 ; and to be seconded.

9th Hodson's Horse.

Ressaidars Prem Singh and Tek Singh to be Risaldars, Jemadars Nadir Ali Khan (11th King Edward's Own Lancers, Probyn's Horse) and Harditt Singh to be Ressaidars, with effect from the 14th November 1916, Jemadars Harbaud Singh and Malak Muhammad Hayat Khan to be Ressaidars, with effect from the 1st February 1917, Kot-Dafadars Muhammad Khan and Fateh Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 14th November 1916 and Dafadars Fauja Singh (10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers, Hodson's Horse) and Hira Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

30th Lancers (Gordon's Horse).

Kot-Dafadar Makhan Lal to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st February 1917 ; to complete the establishment

27th Mountain Battery.

Jemadar Wazir Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Bhan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st December 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners.

Naik Krishnasami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

No. 7 (Divisional Signal) Company.

Jemadar Mehr Bakhsh to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Puran Singh (No. 31 Divisional Signal Company) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.

Jemadars Simbhu Singh and Bhura Singh to be Subadars and Havildar-Major Sultan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st February 1917 ; to complete the establishment

29th Punjabis.

Jemadar Ran Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 13th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

30th Punjabis.

Jemadars Lal Singh and Allah Ditta (I) to be Subadars, with effect from the 1st December 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

37th Dogras.

Havildar Gopala to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

42nd Deoli Regiment.

Subadar Chanda to be Subadar-Major, Jemadar Zorawar Singh to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Rup Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st April 1917 ; *vice* Kana transferred to the pension establishment.

Havildar Paip Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

47th Sikhs.

Havildars Dewa Singh and Vir Singh, 35th Sikhs, to be Jemadars, with effect from the 20th January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

62nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Jaman Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 9th January 1917, but to rank for seniority without pay and allowances from the 21st January 1916 and Jemadar Jahandad Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 19th January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

81st Pioneers.

Subadar Madras Venkatachalam Permaul to be Subadar-Major and Jemadar Maduraimuttu to be Subadar, with effect from the 18th February 1917 ; *vice* Somayya, *Bahadur,* transferred to the pension establishment.

82nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Ghulam Khan to be Subadar and Havildar Ali Asghar to be Jemadar, with effect from the 7th February 1917, but the latter to rank for seniority without pay and allowances from the 1st December 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

92nd Punjabis.

Havildar Fateh Muhammad (72nd Punjabis) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th December 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

93rd Burma Infantry.

Jemadar Imam Din (46th Punjabis) to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Prem Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th January 1917, but the latter to rank for seniority without pay and allowances from the 14th July 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

95th Russell's Infantry.

Jemadar Mehdi Hasan to be Subadar, with effect from the 11th November 1914 ; to complete the establishment.

129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.

Jemadar Sardar Shah (127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry) to be Subadar, with effect from the 2nd January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Havildar Dila Sing Gurung to be Jemadar, with effect from the 4th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles.

Colour-Havildars Dhanman Rai and Hastabir Limbu to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's) (Infantry), 2nd Battalion.

No. 631.—The date of the promotion of Jemadar Ranbir Thapa (2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles, Frontier Force) and Havildars Ranbahadur Gurung and Parsad Gurung (2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles, Frontier Force) is the 12th January 1917 and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 310, dated the 2nd March 1917.

No. 632.—The following promotions are made :—

4th Cavalry.

Kot-Dafadar Abdul Ghafar Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).

Ressaidar Mahbub Khan to be Risaldar and Jemadar Farzand Ali to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 14th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

26th King George's Own Light Cavalry.

Kot-Dafadar-Major Ganga Pershad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 13th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

27th Light Cavalry.

Jemadar Ahmad Khan to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 1st March 1917, Kot-Dafadar Sirdar Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st January 1917, Kot-Dafadars Bhur Singh, Fazal Khan and Ranchor Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st March 1917; to complete the establishment.

No. 16 (Divisional Signal) Company.

Jemadar Allah Rakkha Khan, I. O. M.,* [No. 3 (Divisional Signal) Company], to be Subadar, with effect from the 8th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

5th Labour Corps.

Havildar Ganesh Singh (63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd March 1917; to complete the establishment.

22nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Ahmad Din to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Kalu Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th October 1916, and Havildar Labh Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

33rd Punjabis.

Havildar Lal Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 5th December 1916; to complete the establishment.

3rd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles.

Jemadar Teg Sing Kaphola to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Par Sing Rawat to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th November 1916; to complete the establishment.

75th Carnatic Infantry.

Jemadar Ibrahim Beg to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Abdul Alim to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd March 1917; *vice* Sayyid Padshah, transferred to the pension establishment.

Colour-Havildar Nayanar Pillai to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd March 1917; *vice* Krishnasami, transferred to the pension establishment.

Colour-Havildar Krishnasami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st April 1917; to complete the establishment.

92nd Punjabis.

Colour-Havildars Mahbub Alam and Inder Singh and Havildar Khuda Yar to be Jemadars, with effect from the 23rd February 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, The 101st Grenadiers.

Jemadars Nur Khan, Wazir Khan and Rahim Khan to be Subadars, Colour-Havildar Ahmad Din, Havildars Muhammad Alum, Khaju Khan and Manawar Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 3rd February 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, The 101st Grenadiers.

Jemadars Maula Bakhsh Khan, Alla Ditta Khan, Ramajirao Kadam, Kondaji Ghanwat and Sultan Khan to be Subadars, Colour-Havildars Shah Sawar, Shah Nawaz and Jiwan Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 3rd February 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Reserve Battalion (Mahrattas).

Jemadar Muhammad Ibrahim to be Subadar, Havildar-Major Sadashio Parab, Havildars Talib Shah and Baburao Jadhao to be Jemadars, with effect from the 28th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

Havildars Kharak Sing Rana and Kaman Sing Gurung to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st March 1917; *vice* Balbir Thapa and Lilambar Thapa transferred to the pension establishment.

2nd Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadars Baghir Gharti, Nawal Sing Rana, Balbir Thapa and Parja Gurung to be Subadars, Havildars Dhanbar Gurung, Man Sing Basnet, Chame Thapa, Dalbir Gurung and Dhanbir Thapa to be Jemadars, with effect from the 3rd February 1917; to complete the establishment.

3rd Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

Subadar Hari Sing Burathoki to be Subadar-Major, Jemadars Karna Sing Thapa, Hari Baran Rana and Jaman Sing Rai (Assam Military Police) to be Subadars, Havildars Damar Sing Gurung, Mohanlal Gurung, Man Sing Rana, Guman Sing Gurung and Jabarbahadur Gurung (Assam Military Police) to be Jemadars, with effect from the 3rd February 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Parshad Thapa to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st April 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Pirthibir Burathoki to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st January 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadar Bharat Sing Bhandari to be Subadar and Havildar Shamsher Thapa to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st January 1917; to complete the establishment.

3rd Reserve Battalion, Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadar Bhadrabir Thapa and Bombahadur Gurung to be Subadars, Havildars Hastbir Thapa and Khimu Kana to be Jemadars, with effect from the 6th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

DISMISSALS AND REMOVALS.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 633.—Under the provisions of paragraph 10, Appendix III, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the Governor-General in Council directs that, subject to His Majesty's approval, the services of Second Lieutenant John Samuel Chisnell Eagan, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, shall be dispensed with; with effect from the 28th April 1917.

RETENTIONS.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

No. 634.—Commissary and Honorary Captain Henry Graveson is retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 2nd April 1917, until further orders, and will be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 635.—The date from which the retirement of Lieutenant-Colonel Morton Stevens, Indian Army, has effect is the 1st March 1917, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 355, dated the 9th March 1917.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 636.—Colonel Donald St. John Dundas Grant, M.B., Bengal, Supernumerary, is permitted to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 14th March 1917.

REWARDS.

No. 637.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the promotion of Jemadar Habib-ur-Rahman, *Khan Sahib*, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse), to Ressaidar, supernumerary to establishment, as a special case, in recognition of the good services rendered by this Indian officer. Dated 4th April 1917.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 638.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotion in, and admissions to, the Order of British India for distinguished service in the field :—

To the 1st Class with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

Lieutenant-Colonel Haiderali Khan, *Bahadur*, Imperial Service Troops.

To the 2nd Class with the title of "Bahadur."

Lieutenant-Colonel Baldev Singh, Imperial Service Troops.
Major Nihal Singh, *Sardar*, Imperial Service Troops.
Major Abdul Karim Khan, Imperial Service Troops.
Lieutenant Kallan Singh, Imperial Service Troops.
Major Durga Datt Mahey, attached Imperial Service Troops.

The above appointments will be supernumerary to the authorised establishment.

CANTONMENTS.

REGULATIONS.

No. 639.—The following draft of a notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by section 24 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910) is published, as required by section 25, sub-section (1) of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is given that the draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor General in Council on or after the 27th May 1917.

Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date fixed aforesaid will be considered by the Governor General in Council.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 24 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Cantonment Code, 1912, namely :—

In sub-section (1) of section 2 of the said Code—

(1) *For* clause (*c*) the following shall be *substituted*, namely :—

"(*c*) 'Brigade' means any area allotted to one of the Brigades into which the Army in India is for the time being divided but does not include an independent Brigade."

(2) *For* clause (*c*) (*c*) the following shall be *substituted*, namely :—

"(*d*) 'Division' means any area allotted to one of the Divisions into which the Army in India is for the time being divided and includes an independent Brigade."

(3) Clause (*g*) is hereby cancelled

(4) Clauses (*d*), (*e*) and (*f*) shall be relettered (*e*), (*f*) and (*g*).

No. 640.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 18 (1) of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that in every cantonment in British India in which a water-tax is for the time being imposed under sections 15, sub-section (*i*) clause (*a*) of the said Act, all Soldiers' Homes or Institutes, which are recognised as such by the Officer Commanding the Division or Independent Brigade, shall be exempt from the payment of the said tax.

JUDICIAL.

No. 641.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, published with the notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department, No. 86, dated the 9th December 1915, namely :—

1. For rule 11A of the said rules, the following rules shall be substituted, namely :—

Power to require particulars of certain articles.

11A. (1) The Governor General in Council or any officer of Government authorised by him in this behalf may, by order in writing, require any person engaged in the production, manufacture, purchase, sale, distribution, transport, storage or shipment of any product, article or thing which can in the opinion of the Governor General in Council, be utilised in connection with the prosecution of the present war to give such particulars as to his business to such authority and within such time as may be specified in the order.

(2) Orders may be made under sub-rule (1) in respect of any class of persons, and in respect of any class of product, article or thing and the particulars required may amongst others include particulars as to machinery, working of plant, output, labour force, wages, cost of production or manufacture, sources of supply, sales, deliveries, shipments, stock in hand, purchases and prices.

(3) If any person fails to comply with any order made under sub-rule (1) or with any requirement made thereunder, he shall be deemed to have contravened these rules.

(4) Any authority having power to make an order under sub-rule (1) may, for the purpose of testing the accuracy of any particulars furnished in accordance with the provisions of sub-rule (1), or of obtaining particulars in a case where an order under that sub-rule has not in the opinion of such authority been sufficiently complied with, empower by general or special order any person to enter and search any place in which such person has reason to believe that any product, article or thing referred to in sub-rule (1) is produced, manufactured, kept or stored, and to take such measures as such person thinks necessary for ascertaining and recording accurate and sufficient information with regard to any such product, article or thing.

(5) If any person, except as authorised by the authority under whose orders the information was obtained, discloses or makes use of any information obtained in accordance with the provisions of this rule, he shall be deemed to have contravened these rules.

Power to take possession of certain articles.

11AA. (1) Where, in the opinion of the Governor General in Council, any product, article or thing or class of product, article or thing can be utilised in connection with the prosecution of the present war, the Governor General in Council or any officer of Government authorised by him in this behalf may, by order in writing, require the owner or person in charge of such product, article or thing, to place the same at the disposal of the Governor General in Council at such time and place as may be specified in the order, and the Governor General in Council may dispose of and use the same in such manner as he may consider necessary or expedient.

(2) Where in accordance with an order made in exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (1), any product, article or thing has been placed at the disposal of the Governor General in Council, the Governor General in Council shall pay to the owner thereof such compensation for any loss immediately attributable to such order and for any services rendered or expenditure incurred in complying therewith as in default of agreement may be decided to be just and reasonable having regard to the circumstances of the case, by the arbitration of a person having expert knowledge of matters such as that in dispute to be nominated in this behalf by the Governor General in Council and such decision shall be final.

(3) If the owner or any person in charge of any product, article or thing disobeys or neglects to comply with any order made in the exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (1), such owner or person shall be deemed to have contravened these rules, and the authority making the order may forthwith take possession of the product, article or thing specified in the order and may dispose of and use the same in such manner as he may consider necessary or expedient.

(4) If, after an order has been made under sub-rule (1), any person in charge of any product, article or thing specified in such order (without the consent of the authority making the order) sells, removes or secretes the same or any part thereof or deals with it in any way contrary to any conditions imposed in any licence, permit or order, that may have been granted in respect thereof, he shall be deemed to have contravened these rules.

2. For rule 11D of the said rules, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

Utilization of any mine, quarry, mineral deposit, industrial concern or business for war purposes.

11D. (1) Where in the opinion of the Governor General in Council any mine, quarry, mineral deposit, industrial concern or business can be utilised in connection with the present war, the Governor General in Council may by order in writing, require the owner or person in charge of such mine, quarry, mineral deposit, industrial concern or business :—

(a) to place at the disposal of the Governor General in Council at such time and place, as may be specified in the order, the mine, quarry, mineral deposit, industrial concern or business together with all buildings, works and plant connected therewith, or any part thereof which may be specified in the order, and the Governor General in Council may, for and during the continuance of the Act, dispose of the mine, quarry, mineral deposit, industrial concern or business in such manner as he may consider necessary or expedient ; or

(b) to place the Governor General in Council in control of the mine, quarry, mineral deposit, industrial concern or business as from the date of the order or from any later date mentioned in the order, and with effect from such date the owner, agent and manager of every such mine, quarry, mineral deposit, industrial concern or business, and every officer thereof, and where the owner of the same is a company, every director of the company, shall comply with the directions of the Governor General in Council or of any officer of Government authorised by him in this behalf as to the management and user of the mine, quarry, industrial concern or business ;

(c) in the case of any industrial concern or business which manufactures or produces or can manufacture or produce or carries out, or can carry out any operation or process required in the manufacture, production, renovation or repair of any product, article or thing which can in the opinion of the Governor General in Council be, utilised in connection with the prosecution of the present war, to carry on the work thereof in accordance with such directions as he may from time to time receive from the Governor General in Council or any officer of Government authorised by him in this behalf.

(2) Where any order made in the exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (1) has been complied with, the Governor General in Council shall pay to the owner of such mine, quarry, mineral deposit, industrial concern or business such compensation for any loss immediately attributable to such order and for any services rendered or expenses incurred in complying therewith as, in default of agreement, may be decided to be just and reasonable, having regard to the circumstances of the case, by the arbitration of a person having expert knowledge of matters such as that in dispute, to be nominated in this behalf by the Governor General in Council, and such decision shall be final.

(3) If any person disobeys or neglects to comply with any order made or direction given in exercise of the power conferred by or under sub-rule (1) he shall be deemed to have contravened these rules and the authority making the order or giving the direction may take such action as he thinks necessary to give effect to the same, and, in particular may, in the case of an order under clause (a) take possession, or in the case of an order under clause (b) assume control, of the mine, quarry, mineral deposit, industrial concern or business.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Chota Nagpur Light Horse.

No. 642.—Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Charles Stoelke Vaughan, I.M.S., to be Medical Officer, *vice* R. H. Maddox, I.M.S., seconded. Dated the 30th January 1916.

Madras Artillery Volunteers, "The Duke's Own."

No. 643.—Harold Douglas Wilkie to be Second Lieutenant to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st March 1917.

Rangoon Port Defence Volunteers.

No. 644.—In Army Department Notification No. 1141, dated the 22nd September 1916, for "Cecil Haywood Brakspear" read "Cecil Hayward Brakspear."

1st Punjab Volunteer Rifles.

No. 645.—Second Lieutenant Edwin Haward to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 2nd January 1917.

Lucknow Volunteer Rifles.

No. 646.—Lieutenant Burleigh Arthur English to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 30th September 1915.

Second Lieutenant William Henry Hammond to be Lieutenant, *vice* B. A. English, promoted. Dated the 30th September 1915.

Albert Edward Press Perry to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 647.—Harding Neville Parker to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

Great Indian Peninsula Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps

No. 648.—Captain (Honorary Major) John Charles Dodgson Raper, V.D., resigns his commission and is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated the 17th February 1917.

Captain (Honorary Major) Julius Preston Mackeson, V.D., resigns his commission. Dated the 15th March 1917.

Rangoon Volunteer Rifles

No. 649.—Second Lieutenant Albert Ernest Bellars to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 8th January 1917.

Second Lieutenant James Muir to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy Dated the 12th January 1917.

Second Lieutenant Arthur Harry Manliffe Barrington to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 12th January 1917.

William Bennett to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* A E Bellars, promoted Dated the 8th January 1917.

Harold Arrowsmith Brown to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* J. Muir, promoted. Dated the 12th January 1917.

John Campbell to be Second Lieutenant to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 15th January 1917.

Burma Railways Volunteer Corps.

No. 650.—Lieutenant Noel De Courcy Hardwick, seconded, to be Captain with seniority next below Captain G. S. Darby, and to remain seconded. Dated the 29th March 1915.

Second Lieutenant Edward Henry Aikman, seconded, to be Lieutenant, with seniority next below Lieutenant G. W D Beaman, and to remain seconded. Dated the 6th November 1915.

Second Lieutenant Martin Hunter Hailes, seconded, to be Lieutenant, with seniority next below Lieutenant J. H. Rickie, and to remain seconded Dated the 26th July 1916.

Second Lieutenant George Gordon Tayle Toller, seconded, to be Lieutenant, with seniority next below Lieutenant M. H. Hailes, and to remain seconded. Dated the 26th July 1916.

Second Lieutenant John Edward Maurice Rowland, seconded, to be Lieutenant, with seniority next below Lieutenant G. G. T. Toller, and to remain seconded. Dated the 26th July 1916.

Second Lieutenant Donald Harry Ferguson, M.C., seconded, to be Lieutenant with seniority next below Lieutenant N. Murray, and to remain seconded. Dated the 5th September 1916.

Honorary Captain and Paymaster Reginald Herbert Hardy to be Lieutenant with seniority next below Lieutenant C. B. Bell. Dated the 14th December 1916.

Sind Volunteer Rifles.

No. 651.—Lieutenant Francis Guy Travers is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst performing the duties of Adjutant of the Corps. Dated the 14th March 1917.

Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Rifles.

No. 652.—John Frederick Dinwoodie to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st February 1917.

Arthur Reginald Stuart to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 4th February 1917.

Thornton Elliot Crighton to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 5th February 1917.

Henry Edwin Judd to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 7th February 1917.

Augustus Fritz Wilson to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 8th February 1917.

John Carlyle Ellis to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 10th February 1917.

(*Army Department Notification No. 458, dated the 23rd March 1917, is hereby cancelled.*

Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles.

No 653.—Lieutenant George Harley Newcombe, seconded, to be Captain with seniority next below Captain R. Rance, and to remain seconded. Dated the 17th February 1916.

Lieutenant John Matthew Blackwood Stuart, seconded, to be Captain with seniority next below Captain B. B. Scott, and to remain seconded. Dated the 5th October 1916.

Lieutenant Peter Hughes, seconded, to be Captain with seniority next below Captain J. M. B. Stuart, and to remain seconded. Dated the 5th October 1916.

Second Lieutenant Roy Douglas Burne, seconded, to be Lieutenant with seniority next below Lieutenant C. B. Smales, and to remain seconded. Dated the 8th February 1915.

Second Lieutenant Robert Edward Alderman, seconded, to be Lieutenant with seniority next below Lieutenant R. D. Burne, and to remain seconded. Dated the 26th April 1915.

East Coast Volunteer Rifles.

No. 654.—Second Lieutenant John Charles Fowler to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 16th March 1917.

Second Lieutenant Alexander Lachlan Maclean Moodie to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 16th March 1917.

Assam-Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 655.—Major Arthur Mowbray Berkeley, V.D., seconded, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Aden Volunteer Rifles.

No 656.—Harold Berridge to be Commandant with the rank of Major, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 20th March 1917.

Thomas Williamson McLachlan to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 20th March 1917.

James Betts Grey to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 20th March 1917.

Cyril Eric Leman to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 20th March 1917.

Henry Zoro Rycroft to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 20th March 1917.

Henry Stephens Lofting to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 20th March 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 27th April 1917.

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given :—

First.—That information has been received by me of the death of the officer named and described in the subjoined table.

Secondly.—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name in the same table.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of surplus.	REMARKS.
					Rs. A. P.	
Captain E. B. M. Bulkley.	2nd Battalion, The King's Regiment.	Peshawar ...	18th November 1916.	Intestate ...	1,288 3 11	Administrator-General, Punjab.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 27th April 1917.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 21.—Engineer R. E. C. Bolton, D.S.O., Royal Indian Marine, is promoted to the grade of Chief Engineer on Rs. 400 per mensem, *vice* Chief Engineer (Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) H. Robertson, Royal Indian Marine, seconded; with effect from the 10th December 1916.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 21st April, 1917.

No. 488-E.-17.—Mr. C. A. Rayneau is appointed an Assistant Coal Superintendent, with effect from the 12th October 1916.

No. 495-E.-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 276-E., dated the 20th March 1917, Mr. U. C. Sandys, District Traffic Superintendent, North Western Railway, in class II, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Traffic Manager in class I of that Establishment, with effect from the 24th February 1917 and until further orders.

The 23rd April, 1917.

No. 201-R-17.—Lala Balak Nath, Superintendent, 2nd grade, Railway Department (Railway Board) is granted privilege leave for one month and sixteen days combined with furlough for 1 year, 3 months and 6 days under Articles 233, 246 and 388 (*b*), Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 18th November 1916.

Railway Board's Notification No. 345-R., dated 20th December 1916, is cancelled.

The 26th April, 1917.

No. 432-E-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 059-E., dated the 1st March 1917, the Hon'ble Mr. G. C. Godfrey, Agent, Bengal Nagpur Railway, is with the approval of His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, appointed as a temporary Member of the Railway Board, *vice* Mr. A. R. Aderson, C.I.E.

The 27th April, 1917.

No. 169-E.-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 169-2-E, dated the 13th April 1917, Mr. G. Richards, Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, *s. p. t.*, and Engineer-in-Chief, Mysore and West Coast Railway Survey, is appointed to officiate as Chief Engineer with the Railway Board, with effect from the 24th April 1917, and until further orders.

No. 468-E.-17.—Mr. E. Lane, Transportation Inspector, Eastern Bengal Railway, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Traffic Superintendent, with effect from the 11th April 1917, and until further orders

No. 537-E.-17.—Mr. N. A. Todd, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent, in class II of that Establishment, with effect from the 11th April 1917, and until further orders.

No. 538-E.-17.—Mr. G C. Blaker, Transhipment Foreman, Eastern Bengal Railway, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Traffic Superintendent of that Railway, with effect from the 12th April 1917, and until further orders.

No. 539-E.-17.—Mr. Mathra Das, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent, in class II of that Establishment with effect from the 12th March 1917, and during the absence of Mr. C. O. S. Sleaf, District Traffic Superintendent, on privilege leave.

No. 539-2-E.-17.—Mr. H. N. Parker, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, officiated as a District Traffic Superintendent, in class II of that Establishment, from the 5th to the 19th March 1917, inclusive.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.
PLAGUE.

Simla, the 27th April, 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 21st April 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI ...	...	. . . .	...	...
Bombay Presidency and Sind	Northern	Bombay City	105	92
		Ahmedabad City	11	8
		Ahmedabad District	9	2
		Surat Town and Port	34	29
		Surat District	10	8
		Thana District	40	39
	Central	Ahmednagar District	33	27
		East Khandesh District	249*	124*
		West Khandesh District	50	42
		Poona Town	1	1
		Poona District	30	27
		Nasik District	60	47
		Satara District	345	237
		Sholapur Town	1	1
		Sholapur District	89	85
	Southern	Bankot Port	...	1
		Ratnagiri Port	16	11
		Ratnagiri District	10	10
		Belgaum District	148	110
		Dharwar District	185	99
		Kanara District	9	4
		Bijapur District	60	47
	Sind	Karachi Town and Port	107	1.2
		Karachi District	3	1

* For two weeks.

The following additions should be made in the returns noted below :—

7th April 1917—Nawabshah District 1 case, 2 deaths.
14th „ „ Hyderabad Town and Port 127 cases, 107 deaths.
Hyderabad District „ „ 3 „ 3 „
Thar and Parkar District " 1 case nil „
Aden Port 14 cases 7 „

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind	Political Charges	Baroda State	18	6
		Mangrol Port	3	1
		Kathiawar Agency	24	16
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	199	132
		Savanur State	1	1
		Surat Agency	1	1
		Bijapur Agency	7	4
		Satara Agency	34	27
		Akalkot State	28	16
		TOTAL	1,920	1,418
Madras Presidency	...	Anantapur District	14	10
		Bellary District	26 (a)	23 (a)
		Chittoor District	17	4
		Coimbatore District	12 (b)	9 (a)
		Mangalore Port	6	4
		South Canara District	3 (c)	1 (a)
		Salem District	21 (a)	14
		North Arcot District	44 (b)	23
		TOTAL	143	88
Bengal Presidency	Burdwan	Hooghly District	...	1
		Howrah Town	1	1
	Presidency.	24-Parganas District	3*	3*
		Calcutta	5	4
		TOTAL	9	9
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	Patna City	* 49	34
		Patna District	225	170
		Gaya City	9	9
		Gaya District	28	19
		Shahabad District	215	181
	Tirhut	Saran District	541	535
		Muzaffarpur District	231	296
		Darbhanga City	8	7
		Darbhanga District	210	184

(a) One imported. (b) Two imported. (c) Three imported.
* 1 imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	148	132
		Bhagalpur City	28	19
		Bhagalpur District	42	33
		TOTAL	1,734	1,549
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut...	Saharanpur City	2	4
		Saharanpur District	17	14
		Muzaffarnagar District	36	28
	Agra ..	Agra District	1	1
		Mainpuri District	19	16
		Etah District	9	8
	Rohilkhand	Bareilly District	14	4
		Bijnor District	18	19
		Budaun District	19	19
		Moradabad District	47	45
		Pilibhit District	53	54
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City	38	31
		Farrukhabad District	45	20
		Etawah District	3	3
		Cawnpore City	32	33
		Cawnpore District	114	114
		Fatehpur District	72	66
		Allahabad City	12	12
		Allahabad District	251	235
	Jhansi ...	Jalaun District	93	61
	Benares	Benares City	5	...
		Benares District	24	18
		Mirzapur City	21	16
		Mirzapur District	1	1
		Jaunpur District	336	270
		Ghazipur District	476	498
		Ballia District	292	260

In the return for the week ending 14th April 1917, *add* the following :—
Agra District 1 case, 1 death.
Fatehpur District 124 cases, 108 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
UNITED PROVINCES	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur City	...	8
		Gorakhpur District	327	200
		Basti District	263	238
		Azamgarh District	428	425
	Lucknow	Lucknow City	25	15
		Unao District	422	207
		Rae Bareli District	129	121
		Sitapur District	156	96
		Hardoi District	37	34
		Kheri District	4	3
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	73	22
		Gonda District	90	68
		Bahraich District	2	2
		Sultanpur District	41	37
		Partabgarh District	89	82
		Bara Banki District	48	45
		TOTAL	4,188	3,455
PUNJAB	Ambala	Karnal District	6	6
		Ambala District	131	97
	Jullundur	Jullundur District	52	14
		Ludhiana District	31	15
	Lahore	Lahore City	20	13
		Lahore District	42	28
		Amritsar District	23	7
		Gurdaspur District	31	25
		Gujranwala District	29	24

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District	5	1
		Shahpur District	21	...
		Jhelum District	34	21
		Rawalpindi District	41	19
	Multan ...	Lyallpur District	6	1
	Native States	Jind State	6	4
		Patiala State	22	22
		TOTAL	500	207
BURMA	Pegu ...	Rangoon Town	31	31
		Insein District	4	4
		Hanthawaddy District	9	8
		Tharrawaddy District	1	1
		Pegu District	2	1
		Prome District	1	1
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	16	13
		Bassein District	2	2
		Henzada District	10	10
		Myaungmya District	7	7
		Maubin District	2	2
		Pyapon District	11	9
	Tenasserim	Moulmein Town	9	9
		Amherst District	2	2
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town	1	1
		Bhamo District	[illegible]	...

In the return for the week ending 14th April 1917, the following corrections should be made:—
Myaungmya District 6 cases for 36 cases.
Minbu District *nil* death for 1 death.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BURMA	Meiktila	Myingyan District	1	...
		TOTAL	110	101
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur...	Nagpur District	66	87
		Bhandara District	32	20
		Wardha District	15	8
		Balaghat District	38	22
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town and Cantonment	9	6
		Jubbulpore District	150	86
		Saugor District	7	7
		Seoni District	42	26
		Mandla District	32	20
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District	25	25
		Nimar District	38	21
		Narsinghpur District	37	28
		Chhindwara District	15	16
	Chhatisgarh	Raipur District	11	13
		Bilaspur District	31	25
	Berar ...	Amraoti District	134	106
		Yeotmal District	48	32
		Akola District	151	97
		Buldana District	91	51
		TOTAL	972	646
ASSAM ...	...	......	...	...
COORG ...	...	......	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	7	4
		Bangalore City	1	1
		Bangalore District	11	6
		Mysore District	12	8
		Hassan District	3	4
		Kadur District	4	2
		Shimoga District	9	6
		Chitaldroog District	2	1
		Tumkur District	5	2
		Kolar District	29	27
		TOTAL	83	61
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	25	16
		Bir District	63	56
		Parbhani District	37	34
		Nander District	145	112
		Gulbarga District	303	253
		Raichur District	19	18
		Usmanabad District	18	15
		Bidar District	16	20
		Medak District	29	29
		Mahbubnagar District	8	12
		Nalgonda District	54	43
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	4	2
		Atrafibalda Sarfikhas District	7	5
		Warangal District	2	2
		TOTAL	732 (a)	617 (a)

(a) From the 9th to the 15th April 1917.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore City	9	1
		Indore State	52	34
		Dhar State	2	...
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	93	76
		Gwalior Residency	1	1
		Mhow Cantonment	1	1
		Dewas State (Senior Branch)	2	2
		TOTAL	160 (a)	115 (a)
RAJPUTANA	...	Ajmer City	281	190
		Ajmer District	35	31
		Alwar State	32	21
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State	55	54
		Bharatpur State	13	9
		Mewar State	20	15
		Tonk State	1	1
		Kishangarh State	6	3
		Jaipur State	20	18
		TOTAL	463	342
N.-W.F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	22	10
		TOTAL	22	10
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	10,986	8,703

(a) For the week ending 14th April 1917.

The following corrections should be made in the returns noted below :—

31st March 1917—Hyderabad City and Suburbs 30 cases for 20 cases.

7th April 1917—Raichur District 47 deaths for 77 deaths.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 26th April 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. Weather was disturbed over northwest India during the greater part of the week owing to the advance from the west of two depressions of the winter type. The first of these gave rise to widespread rainfall, chiefly in the submontane districts of the Punjab and of the United Provinces, and to snowfall in Kashmir and the Simla hills. The second disturbance was comparatively feeble and was giving light rainfall along the frontier and the north Punjab towards the end of the week. Rainfall due to ordinary hot weather actions occurred in northeast India, and there were sporadic showers in the Peninsula. In Burma and the central parts of the country the weather was practically dry throughout.

2. *Burma*.—No rain fell beyond a light shower at Akyab.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Rainfall was nearly general in Assam on the 20th and in Bengal on the 20th and 22nd. Local falls occurred in Bihar and Orissa.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Local rain was reported from the United Provinces during the earlier part of the week. There was no rain in Central India and only two light falls occurred in the Central Provinces.

Northwest India.—Nearly general rain fell in the North and East Punjab on the 19th and local rain during the next two days. In Rajputana rainfall occurred locally, while in the North-West Frontier Province it was confined to the hills. Light snow fell in Kashmir, and there were a few falls of rain in Baluchistan and the southwest Punjab.

The Peninsula.—Nearly general rain was recorded in Hyderabad on the 24th and local rain in Mysore and the north Madras coast on the 23rd.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall were reported as follows :—

April 19th. Gauhati 2·10", Hissar 0·78" and Bikaner 0·38".

" 20th. Gauhati 1·38", Cox's Bazar 2·47", Chittagong 3·02", Narayanganj 2·20", Barisal 1·13", Mymensingh 1·60", Bogra 1·55", Agra 0·52", Mussooree 2·94", Chakrata 1·90", Simla 1·52" and Jaipur 0·39".

" 21st. Mukteswar 0·89", Hissar 0·52", Ambala 0·71", Ludhiana 0·57" and Sonamarg 0·59".

" 22nd. Narayanganj 1·47", Barisal 2·11", Jessore 1·28" and Cuttack 0·93".

" 23rd. Dibrugarh 1·02" and Bangalore 1·04".

" 24th. Parbhani 0·60".

" 25th. Murree 0·87" and Parachinar 0·85".

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent or more in excess in Bengal, Orissa, the United Provinces West, the Punjab East and North and Rajputana West, and was normal or within 20 per cent of it in Assam, Chota Nagpur, Bihar, the United Provinces East, the Punjab Southwest, Baluchistan, Rajputana East and Hyderabad North. No rain usually falls at this time of year in Sind and Gujarat, but in all the other divisions rainfall was 20 per cent or more in defect.

The rainfall from 1st December to date is 20 per cent or more in defect in Bihar, Chota Nagpur, the Punjab, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana East, Central India East, Malabar, Madras Southeast and the Madras Coast North. It differs by less than 20 per cent. from the normal in the Bay Islands, Assam, Bengal, the United Provinces and the Bombay Deccan, and is 20 per cent or more in excess elsewhere.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 26th April 1917.			Rainfall data from 1st December 1916 to 26th April 1917.				
							Percentage departure from normal.	
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
Bay Islands	0	1·1	—1·1	10·2	11·5	—1·3	—11	—2
Lower Burma	0	0·7	—0·7	4·2	3·4	+0·8	+24	+56
Upper Burma	0	0·4	—0·4	2·8	2·3	+0·5	+22	+47
Assam	1·8	2·2	—0·4	14·1	14·2	—0·1	—1	+3
Bengal	1·5	1·0	+0·5	5·2	5·5	—0·3	—5	—18
Orissa	0·6	0·3	+0·3	5·6	4·2	+1·4	+33	+28
Chota Nagpur	0·3	0·3	0	2·8	4·4	—1·6	—36	—39
Bihar	0·2	0·2	0	1·6	2·3	—0·7	—30	—33
United Provinces, East	0·1	0·1	0	2·6	2·2	+0·4	+18	+19
United Provinces, West	0·5	0·1	+0·4	2·9	3·6	—0·7	—19	—31
Punjab, East and North	0·8	0·1	+0·7	2·9	5·1	—2·2	—43	—58
Punjab, South-West	0·1	0·1	0	1·2	2·7	—1·5	—56	—58
Kashmir	0·6	0·8	—0·2	7·4	14·4	—7·0	—49	—50
N.-W. Frontier Province	0	0·2	—0·2	2·2	5·2	—3·0	—58	—56
Baluchistan	0·1	0·1	0	4·4	6·2	—1·8	—29	—30
Sind	0	0	0	0·7	1·1	—0·4	—36	—36
Rajputana, West	0·3	0	+0·3	1·3	0·8	+0·5	+63	+25
Rajputana, East	0·1	0·1	0	0·7	1·1	—0·4	—36	—40
Gujarat	0	0	0	0·4	0·2	+0·2	+100	+100
Central India, West	0	0·1	—0·1	1·1	0·7	+0·4	+57	+83
Central India, East	0	0·1	—0·1	1·5	2·3	—0·8	—35	—32
Berar	0	0·1	—0·1	3·3	1·9	+1·4	+74	+83
Central Provinces, West	0	0·1	—0·1	3·1	2·1	+1·0	+48	+55
Central Provinces, East	0	0·3	—0·3	4·8	3·5	+1·3	+37	+50
Konkan	0	0·2	—0·2	1·6	0·4	+1·2	+300	+700
Bombay Deccan	0	0·2	—0·2	1·1	1·0	+0·1	+10	+37
Hyderabad, North	0·3	0·3	0	2·3	1·9	+0·4	+21	+25
Hyderabad, South	0·1	0·6	—0·5	4·1	2·2	+1·9	+86	+150
Mysore	0·3	0·6	—0·3	2·9	2·3	+0·6	+26	+53
Malabar	0	1·2	—1·2	4·1	6·5	—2·4	—37	—23
Madras, South-East	0	0·4	—0·4	4·8	8·0	—3·2	—40	—37
Madras Deccan	0	0·2	—0·2	2·5	1·2	+1·3	+108	+150
Madras Coast, North	0·1	0·2	—0·1	1·8	3·5	—1·7	—49	—48

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director-General of Observatories.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

SIMLA;
Dated the 25th April 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 21st April 1917.

Burma.—Twenty-six districts report light to moderate rain. In six districts the fall exceeded an inch. Agricultural operations for spring and summer rice continue in Upper Burma. Harvesting of miscellaneous crops is proceeding normally. The condition of the standing crops is satisfactory. Cattle are generally healthy. The price of unhusked rice at Rangoon remained stationary at Rs. 107 per hundred baskets and is normal. The market for white rice is dull.

Assam.—The weather is seasonable. Light to moderate rain fell in all districts but more rain is wanted in Goalpara and in the Garo Hills. Plucking and manufacture of tea in places and ploughing for and sowing of autumn and winter rice and jute are in progress. Prospects of tea are fair to good and those of spring rice good. Cattle disease is reported from three districts. The price of common rice is practically unchanged.

Bengal.—There has been heavy rain accompanied by hail and storm in the Chittagong division and in parts of the Dacca division causing damage to the standing crops and retarding agricultural operations in some cases Elsewhere the fall was generally light to moderate. On the whole the rainfall has been beneficial. More rain is still wanted in some places. Preparations for the sowing of jute and autumn paddy are proceeding and sowings have commenced in places. Planting of sugarcane has been nearly finished. Harvesting of summer paddy has commenced in some places. The outturn is generally reported to be satisfactory. Cattle disease exists in thirteen districts. The average price of common rice has fallen slightly as compared with that of the previous week.

Bihar and Orissa.—Light rain was fairly general in Bihar and Chota Nagpur. It was scattered in Orissa. Harvesting of spring crops has been nearly completed. Threshing is in progress. Preparation of lands for the next season's crops is going on. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has risen in two districts, fallen in one and remained stationary in the remaining districts, as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from ten districts. The number of persons on test works in Puri and Singhbhum was 2,333 and 1,323 respectively. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—Rain has fallen in several districts. Standing crops have been damaged slightly by hail and rain in a few places. Threshing and winnowing of spring crops hoeing and irrigation of sugarcane and weighment of opium continue. Sowing of indigo and cotton has commenced. Prospects are good. The condition of agricultural stock is satisfactory and very little cattle disease exists. Fodder and water are sufficient. Markets are adequately stocked. Prices tend to fall.

Punjab.—Light or moderate rain accompanied at places by hail was general. It was fairly heavy in parts of a few southeastern districts. The rain and hail have damaged the standing and harvested crops slightly in most districts. The condition of standing irrigated wheat and other crops is generally average and of unirrigated crops below average. Spring crops are being harvested. The yield is normal or somewhat below normal on irrigated and below normal or poor on unirrigated areas. Sowings of extra spring crops, sugarcane and cotton continue and are below normal to normal. Cattle are generally healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are generally sufficient. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices are generally stationary and range between normal and warning rates. Price of wheat :—Lahore and Rawalpindi 9, Lyallpur 9½ and Ambala and Ferozepore 10 seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—Slight rain fell in certain districts. The weather is moderate. Standing irrigated and unirrigated crops are generally average. Pressing of sugarcane has been concluded. Harvesting of spring crops is proceeding in some districts with outturn average. Sowing of extra spring and of certain autumn crops is proceeding. The condition of cattle and the public health are generally good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices of food stuffs are high. The price of wheat in Peshawar was 9½ and in Dera Ismail Khan 9⅝ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8 to 12 and maize from 13 to 25 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is below average. There is no cattle disease. Fodder is insufficient in certain places.

Kashmir.—The rainfall during the week was good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Standing crops are in good condition. Cattle are generally healthy. Prices are normal.

Rajputana.—During the week light showers were fairly general. The weather is moderate. Harvesting of spring crops is approaching completion. Threshing and winnowing have commenced. Standing crops are generally in good condition except in Alwar and Bharatpur where some damage from hail-storms is reported. Agricultural stock is generally healthy except in parts of Dungarpur where cattle disease is still prevalent. Water and fodder are ample. Prices continue to fall.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was partial in Gwalior. Spring crops are being harvested and threshed. Lands are being prepared for autumn crops in Indore and in the Southern States. Standing crops are in good condition and their probable outturn is good. Agricultural stock is in good condition except for some cattle disease. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are high in Bhopal, are normal in Baghelkhand, have slightly fallen in Gwalior and are steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather has been clear and hot with occasional clouds, but the nights and the mornings are still cool. Reaping, threshing and winnowing of spring crops are in full swing. The condition and yield of crops are generally satisfactory. There is no deficiency of fodder or water anywhere Cattle are in good condition. The price of wheat is falling sharply and that of gram continues to show a downward tendency.

Feudatory States.—Harvesting of spring crops continues.

Bombay.—Slight rain fell during the week in parts of Sind, Ahmedabad, Kaira, the Panch Mahals, Cutch and Rewa Kantha. Standing crops are thriving. Harvesting continues. Picking of cotton is progressing in Gujarat, West Khandesh, Satara, the Karnatak, Rewa Kantha and Kolhapur. Lands are being prepared for autumn sowings. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Thar and Parkar, Kaira and the Panch Mahals. Prices of food grains are fluctuating slightly. They have risen in four and fallen in seven districts.

Hyderabad.—No rain fell during the week. Harvesting of spring crops is almost over. The late rice crop is in fair to good condition and is being harvested. Lands are being prepared for the next season's sowings. Cattle disease prevails in 8 talukas. Prices of grains are almost constant. Coarse rice is selling at 7½ and white *juar* at 14 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city The highest price of *juar* in districts is 8 seers per rupee in Warangal and the lowest 21 seers per rupee in Raichur and Usmanabad.

Mysore.—Rainfall practically *nil*. Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of the harvested sugarcane, paddy and *ragi* is fair. Ploughing operations and sowings of paddy, sugarcane and *ragi* are in progress in parts. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 36 cents. Prices of food grains are slightly lower. The public health is fair. Cattle disease is subsiding. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was light in the Vizagapatam littoral, Godavari, Kistna, Nellore, South Arcot, Salem, Coimbatore, Trichinopoly, Madura, Ramnad, Tinnevelly, Malabar and the Nilgiris and *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally except in one taluka of one district where they have been slightly damaged by March rain and in parts of two other districts where they are withering or require rain Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water supply is insufficient in parts of Godavari, Bellary, Anantapur, Nellore, South Arcot, South Kanara and the central and southern parts except Tinnevelly and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is insufficient in four districts and in parts of eleven others. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

Nepal :—*Report for the quarter ending 15th April 1917.*—The rainfall in the Nepal Valley during the period was 1·30 inches against 2·11 inches for the corresponding period of last year.

January and February 1917.—The second crop of potatoes and winter vegetables was sown.

March 1917.—In the Terai the spring crops consisting of wheat, barley, gram, etc., were harvested but owing to want of rain the outturn was below the average.

April 1917.—Fields are being prepared for the sowing of early rice and Indian corn in the valley. Red pepper is being sown and the second crop of potatoes is being dug up in some places. The wheat and barley crops in the hills and in the Nepal Valley have suffered to some extent from a recent fall of hail, and the outturn is expected to be poor for want of rain. The market is fairly stocked, but prices are higher than in the corresponding period of last year. The health of live stock is reported to be good.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

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FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 21-S.I.

Simla, the 1st May, 1917.

His Excellency the Grand Master of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India is pleased to announce that His Imperial Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been graciously pleased to make the following appointment to the said Order :—

To be a Knight Grand Commander.

SIR THOMAS DAVID, BARON CARMICHAEL OF SKIRLING, G.C.I.E., K.C.M.G. Dated the 30th April 1917.

By Order of the Grand Master,

J. B. WOOD.

Secy. to the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

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Simla, the 30th April, 1917.

No. 77.—Major G. Tate, M B., I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, Simla (East), is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 1st February 1917.

No. 78—Lieutenant-Colonel Sir James Roberts, Kt., C.I.E., M.B., F.R.C.S., I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, Simla (West), officiated as Civil Surgeon, Simla (East), in addition to his other duties, during the absence on leave of Major G. Tate, M.B., I.M.S.

The 2nd May, 1917.

No. 83.—Civil Assistant Surgeon Babu Nani Lal Pan, M.B. (Cal.), is appointed temporarily to be Professor of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties, *vice* Babu Lalit Mohan Banarji, F.R.C.S., (Eng.)

J. H. DuBOULAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 30th April, 1917.

No. 469-Est.-A.—Lieutenant P. L. Haswell, 7th Rajputs, was appointed to be Cantonment Magistrate of the Cantonment of Baroda, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 6th April 1917.

No. 470-Est.-A.—Captain R. M. Greig, 2-42nd Deoli Regiment, is appointed to be Cantonment Magistrate of the Cantonment of Baroda, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 11th April 1917.

The 2nd May, 1917.

No. 491-Est.-A.—Doctor C. H. Elmes is appointed temporarily to be Residency Surgeon in Kashmir, with effect from the 1st April 1917, and until further orders.

No. 647-I C.—In consequence of the misconduct of Makhdum Karm Husain, of the Muzaffargarh District, in the Punjab, he is hereby deprived of the title of Khan Sahib, which was conferred on him, as a personal distinction, in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 12-I., dated the 1st January 1896.

The 3rd May, 1917.

No. 658-I. B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3510-I. B., dated the 3rd November 1913, as subsequently amended, applying certain enactments to Berar, namely :—

1. In the first schedule, after entry No. 114, the following shall be inserted, namely :—

115. The Central Provinces Courts Act, 1917 (C. P. Act No. I of 1917).

(*1*) Section 3 shall be re-numbered as sub-section (*1*) of Section 3 and the following sub-sections shall be added, namely :—

" (*2*) The Court of the Judicial Commissioner may exercise in any part of the Central Provinces any jurisdiction conferred upon it by this Act or by any other enactment for the time being in force in Berar.

" (*3*) Where, on the application of any enactment of the Governor General in Council to Berar, words signifying the Court of the Resident have been substituted for an expression signifying a High Court in British India, those words shall, after the commencement of this Act and subject to the provisions thereof be construed to mean the Court of the Judicial Commissioner.",

(*2*) Sections 4, 5, 11 and 32 and the schedule shall be omitted.

(*3*) For the words and figures " Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887 ", wherever they occur in the Act, the words and figures " Berar Small Cause Courts Law, 1905 " shall be substituted.

(*4*) In sub-section (*1*) of section 12 after the words " Courts of the Central Provinces ", wherever they occur, the words " or of Berar " shall be inserted.

(*5*) In section 15, the words " the Province " shall be construed as meaning the Central Provinces and Berar.

2. In the second schedule, the following shall be inserted in their appropriate places in chronological order, namely :—

Home Department No. 921, dated the 16th June 1905 ... The whole.
Foreign Department No. 911-I.B., dated the 13th May 1910 ... The whole.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 3rd May, 1917.

No. 486-Accts.—The following promotions of officers of the Military Accounts Department are made, with effect from the 1st April 1917, to fill existing vacancies :—

Name.	From	To
Lieutenant-Colonel R. E. Carr-Hall ...	Military Accountant, 2nd class and Military Accountant, 1st class, sub *pro tem.*	Military Accountant, 1st class.
Major A. W. Daldy	Military Accountant, 3rd class and Military Accountant, 2nd class, sub *pro tem.*	Military Accountant, 2nd class.
Major H. C. Szczepanski	Military Accountant, 4th class and Military Accountant, 3rd class, sub *pro tem.*	Military Accountant, 3rd class.
Major G. W. Ross, D.S.O.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Bt. Lieutenant-Colonel H. N. F. MacDonnell.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Major H. R. Von Donop Hardinge ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

No. 487-Accts.—Major A. G. Murray, Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class and Military Accountant, 4th class, sub *pro tem*, Military Accounts Department, is promoted substantively to the grade of Military Accountant, 4th class, with effect from the 15th April 1917.

The 4th May, 1917.

No. 476-F. E.—Mr. D. N. Dutt has been posted as Deputy Accountant General, Bengal, with effect from the 24th April 1917.

Mr. H. Denning, I.C.S., Deputy Accountant General, Bengal, has been granted privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from the 25th April 1917.

No. 477-F. E.—Mr N. Vijayaraghavan, Deputy Accountant General, United Provinces, has been granted combined leave for 6 months consisting of privilege leave for two months and eleven days and furlough for the remaining period, with effect from the 10th April 1917.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

STAMPS.

The 4th May, 1917.

No. 997-F.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 (*a*) of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), the Governor General in Council is pleased to remit the duty chargeable under the said Act on the instruments hereinafter described, namely :—

Agreements to refer to arbitration claims against Government in respect of the taking up of river-craft in Mesopotamia and awards made in virtue of such agreements.

J. B. BRUNYATE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 30th April, 1917.

No. 12.—Lala Kirpa Shankar Varma, Sub Engineer, 3rd grade, and Honorary Assistant Engineer, United Provinces, is appointed to the Provincial Service of the Engineer Branch of the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer, and is posted to the United Provinces.

F. C. ROSE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATION.

METEOROLOGY.

Simla, the 1st May, 1917.

No. 424.—The services of Dr. G. C. Simpson, F.R.S., Imperial Meteorologist, Simla, are placed at the disposal of the Indian Munitions Board, with effect from the forenoon of the 25th April 1917 and until further orders.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 5th May, 1917.

No. 4746-Spl.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) of Section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to order the winding up of the business carried on by the Hollandia Rice Milling Company, Rangoon, a hostile firm within the meaning of the Act; and in pursuance of Rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (Winding up) Order, 1916, he is also pleased to direct that all proceedings in the winding up of the said business be transferred to the Government of Burma.

No. 4961-Spl.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) of Section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to order the winding up of the business of Messrs. Wutow Guttmann and Company, a hostile firm within the meaning of the said Act; and in pursuance of Rule 4 of the Enemy Trading (Winding up) Order, 1916, he is also pleased to direct that all proceedings connected with the winding up of the said business be transferred to the Government of Bengal.

CUSTOMS.

The 5th May, 1917.

No. 4904-C. W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the entry "Kee, E. H., Bangkok" shall be deleted from the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2981-C.W., dated the 24th March 1917.

No. 4921-C. W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 66-C.W.D., dated the 13th January 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

Additions.

Adair, Graham & Co.
American Asiatic Trading Co. of San Francisco.
Atwood, Paul, H. Dr.
Baring, E.
Bena, G. A.
Bonigno Crespi, Societa' Anonima.
Benjiman, D. H.
British and Foreign Marine Insurance Co., Ltd.
Eagle, J. S. & C. K.
Express Cigarette Co.
Guardian Assurance Co., Ltd.
Guzdar, Dhun H.
Hudson & Co., Ningpo.
Jemadar Buddha Singh (Sikh Gurdwara).
Kalachund & Co.
London and Lancashire Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.
Macleod, N. Dr.
Overseas Trading Company of California.
Palatine Insurance Co., Ltd.
Royal Exchange Assurance Corporation.
Sea Insurance Co., Ltd.
Sikh Gurdwara (Jemadar Buddha Singh).
Sumitomo Bank, Ltd.
Sumitomo Yoko.
Societa Commissionaria di Esportazione.
Standard Marine Insurance Co., Ltd.
Tientsin Lighter Co., Ltd.

Alterations.

Abo Yoko	should read	Abe Kobei.
Chandless, R. H. & Co.	" "	Chandless & Co., Inc.
International Export Co.	" "	International Export Co. (Kiangsu) Ltd.
Mitsui Bussan Kaisha (Mitsui & Co.)	" "	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha Ltd. (Mitsui & Co. Ltd. in Europe & America).
Pottinger & Paton	" "	Pottinger & Co.
Scotson, Jas (Stewart & Co.)	" "	Scotson, Jas. (Mackenzie Stewart & Co), Manchester, Ltd.
Viloudaki, Hiscock & Co.	" "	Viloudaki & Co.

Removal.

Yunnanfu Electric Light Co.

No. 5041-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in supersession of this Department Notification No. 1695-C.W., dated the 17th February 1917, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the import of all goods from and the export of all goods to any of the trading concerns mentioned in the annexed schedule:

Provided that nothing in this Notification shall apply to goods imported or exported under a general license granted under the authority of "The Trading with the enemy (Statutory List) Proclamation, 1915, No. 3" or any other power vested in His Majesty or by the Governor General in Council.

SCHEDULE.

AFRICA.

LIBERIA.

Ahlften, V.
Birkenheuer, W.
Bremer Kolonial Handelsgesellschaft.
Busch, A.
Castelvi, Manuel.
Comercio, Espanol.
Decker, I.
Deutsche Liberia Bank.
Deutsche Sudamerikanische Telegraphen-gesellschaft, A.G.
Dinkela, H.
Exposite, Felix.
Freeman, T., & Company.
Freeman, D. (or T.).
Freeman, D. D.
Gaede, W.
Gebhardt, Richard.
Gonzalez, Justo.
Gumera, Salvador Serra.
Hansen, C.
Harmon, S. H., Junior.
Heyn, E.
Hoffmann, Jul.
Huber, Oscar.
Jager, Ed. C.
Jantzen, C. F. W.
Klinge, Alberico, J.
Koch, N.
Kroell, K.
Kuhrmann, Carl.
Labe, H.
Lange, P.
Maier, Eugen.
Medicke, W.
Monrovia Trading Company.
Muller, Max.
Munch, N.
Peinate, Augustin.
Petersen, W.
Preuss, E.
Quickenstedt, H.
Richter, N.
Robins, G. B.
Roggenbau, H.
Schaumburg, R.
Scholls, J.
Seifer, A.
Thorade, K.
Tobeck, Louis.
Uckert, Richard.
Vagts, Arthur.
Valle, Arsenio.
Victor & Huber.
Vormeyer, H. Walter
Wagner, E.
West, J. W.
Wiebers, V.
Wiechers & Helm.
Woermann, A.
Wursburg, W.
Zschorper, M.

MOROCCO.

Abekhzel, Aaron, Laraiche.
†Abitbol, Moses, & Sons (Abitbol, Joseph M., Samuel M., Rafael M.), Laraiche.
Allal Ben [illegible]rahim Ben Hima, Tangier.
Amarti, Mohamed Ben Drees el, Laraiche.
Arrevalo, A., Tangier.
Auni, Ahmed el, Laraiche.
Aztot, Abdeslam, Laraiche.
Aztot, Fedol Ben Mohamed, Laraiche.
Aztot, Siddek Ben Ahmed, Laraiche.
Baghar, Dris el, Alcazar.
Bakkali, El Avashi el, Arzila.
Bakkali, Mohamed, Tetuan.
Bakkali, Si Abdellah El, Tetuan.
Belghiti, Abderaham, Tangier.
Belghiti, Hadj Mohammed, Tangier.
Benarrosh, Brahim, Laraiche.
Benmergui, Vidal E., Tetuan.
Bessam, Oolad, Laraiche.
Botbol, Sentob Haim, Laraiche.
Boumeghait, Hadj Mohammed, Tangier.
Bukhari, Hossein Abdeslam el, Tetuan.
Cadosh, Mesod, Laraiche.
Calduch Gila, F., Tangier.
Cohen, S. & J. (Cohen, Simon J., Joseph J., Scialom J., Jacob S.), Laraiche.
Cohen, Simon D. (Cohen, Simon D., Jacob S.), Laraiche.
Dukali, Hadj Ben Maati el Hayani, Laraiche.
Dukali, Hamed Ben Fekik, Alcazar.
Dukali, Nokhtar Ben el Maati, Laraiche.
Eljarrat, Jacob (Eljarrat, Amram J., Judah J., Meir J.), Alcazar.
Eljarrat, Judah, Alcazar.
Gelool, Mohamed Ben Abdel Krim Ben, Alcazar.
Glaser, Dr. Tetuan.
Guerrero, Carlos Massa, Tangier.
Guessus, Mohammed, Tetuan.
Gumpert, Antonio, Tangier.
Gumpert, Francisco, Tangier.
Gumpert, Luis, Tangier.
Gumpert, Manuel, Tangier.
Hababi, Mohammed el, Laraiche.
Hadj, Ali Ben el, Arzila.
Haessner & Company, Tangier.
Harrack, Abdeslam el, Alcazar.
Hashmi, Hamed Ben el, Arzila.
Hashmi, Mohamed Ben el, Arzila.
Hashmi, Si Hamed el, Tetuan.
Hisu, Mohamed Ben, Arzila.
Hossein, Mohamed el, Laraiche.
H'sissen Selam (Abdeselam), el, Alcazar
Huss, Reichardt, Arzila.
Hussein, Ben el Hadj el Jemili, Alcazar.
Jahn & Toledano, Tangier and Laraiche.
Kell, J., & Company, Laraiche.
Kuhlmann, Alfred, Laraiche.
Lauffer, E., Tangier.
Lebady, Mohamed, Tetuan.
Maaroufi, Hadj Mohamed el, Laraiche.
Mannesmann Brothers, Tangier.
Marakko, Mannesmann & Company, Tangier.
Maury, Jose, Laraiche.
Meier, Max, Tangier.
Mesbahi, Mohamed el Kasri, Alcazar.
Mokhtar, Mohamed, Arzila.
Mokhtar, Ulad, Arzila.
Mora, Juan, Laraiche.

† NOTE.—The name of the firm with which trading is prohibited by the Order of 29th of February, 1916, is Mos[illegible] Abitbol and Sons, Laraiche. The firm of M. Abitbol et Fils Aine (Comptoir) Commercial Francais de l'Afrique [illegible] [illegible] not been placed on the Statutory List, and trading with that firm is n[illegible]

Mora, Ricardo, Laraiche.
Moryusef, Joseph & Yahia, Laraiche.
Mudden, Mohamed el, Tetuan.
Mzamzi, Mohamed el, Laraiche.
Nolting, Fritz, Laraiche.
Ostermayer, Walther, Laraiche.
Oushihi, Abdelrahman el, Alcazar.
Ragonez, Abraham, Laraiche.
Renchausen, A., & Company, Laraiche.
Rohner, Friedrich, Laraiche.
Rohner, Werner, Laraiche.
Sabbah, Mesod, Laraiche.
Sabbah, Simon, Laraiche.
Sager & Woerner, Laraiche.
Salama, Mokhluf, Laraiche.
Sananes, Samuel A., Tangier.
Schiller & Company, Tangier.
Schumacher, Otto, Tetuan.
Sherti, Mohamed, Tetuan.
Sherti, Mohamed Ben el, Arzila.
Simoni, Mesod, Laraiche.
Soussi, Hadj Mailoud el, Laraiche.
Soussi, Hossein el, Laraiche.
Steinkampf, Heinrich, Alcazar.
Tarnow, Max L., & Company, Tetuan.
Tazzi, Abdel Wahab, Laraiche.
Thum, R. Laraiche.
Tordjman, Haim (Jaime) V., Tangier.
Villalta, Arcadio, Arzila.
Villa Valentino, Tangier.
Wedele, Johan, Tetuan.
Zailachi, Abdeslam el Amri, Laraiche.
Zapatero, O., Tetuan.
Zegari, Hamed, Laraiche.
Zegari, Taib, Laraiche.
Zimmermann, Alcazar.
Ziyani, El Mokhtar, Laraiche.
Zwartfeld W., Laraiche.

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

Becker, E., Beira.
Behrens, H., Lourenço Marques.
Bosselmann, C., Beira.
Bredenkamp, Lourenço Marques.
Breyde, Johan.
Bruckmann, Lourenço Marques.
Christophides, Christo, Porto Amelia.
Cruz, Alipio, Francesco.
Dencks, Alexander, Lourenço Marques.
Deuss, Ludwig, & Company, Chinde, Tete, and Quelimane.
Deuss, Paul.
Deutsche Ost-Afrika Gesellschaft.
Deutsche Ost-Afrika Linie.
Felgenhauer (alias Ferguson), I. C., Lourenço Marques.
Fellman, H., Quelimane.
Ferguson, I. C. (alias Felgenhauer), Lourenço Marques.
Frankel Jacob, Lourenço Marques.
Fuchs, Lourenço Marques.
Goncalves, Paulino, Fontesville.
Grethkop, H., Lourenço Marques.
Haberer & Company.
Herz & Schaberg.
Hueffer, A., Quelimane.
Hoffman, Hugo, Lourenço Marques.
Hoffman, Oswald.
Houben, Walter, Beira.
Hupfer, Beira.
Jung Lenz & Company.
Koch, J. H., Lourenço Marques.
Krutzfeldt, H. G., Lourenço Marques.
Kunsti, T., Ibo.
Limbrock, H., Tete.
Linder, F., Ibo.
Loeffelbein, F., Lourenço Marques.
Marcus & Harting.
Neider, P., & Company, Ibo.
Niedner, Paul, Palma ; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Oldenburg, E., Palma ; Ibo and Porto Amelia
Orenstein-Arthur Koppel, Limited.
Ost Africa (Deutsche) Gesellschaft.
Ost Africa (Deutsche) Linie.
Pechner, H., Beira.
Petersen, R. H., Quelimane.
Philippi, William, & Company.
Piel, Albert, Lourenço Marques.
Porst, Kurt., Lourenço Marques.
Ragchand Premchand, Mozambique.
Ressmann, I., Lourenço Marques.
Reuter, Dr., Lourenço Marques.
Rewald, Martin, Lourenço Marques.
Reys Frenandez & Baptista.
Ribeiro, Antonio Franciso, Beira.
Rolfes, Herman, Lourenço Marques.
Rolfes, Karl, Lourenço Marques.
Rolfes, Nebel & Company, Lourenço Marques.
Rosendorf, Lourenço Marques.
Sambado, Antonio Marques, Mozambique ; Santa Maria ; Palma ; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Schnutz, H., Tete.
Schreiber, Beira.
Siemsen T., Beira.
Springhorn, C., Lourenço Marques.
Steyn, Kuhn, Lourenço Marques.
Stuben & Company.
Stuhldreier, Palma ; Ibo and Porto Amelia.
Uebel, Beira.
Vogel, W. Lourenço Marques.
Vogler, W., Sena.
Wandschneider, Theodor, Lourenço Marques.
Wiese, Carl, Lourenço Marques.
Woernher, Fritz, Inhambane.
Woernher, Rudolf, Inhambane.

PORTUGUESE WEST AFRICA, PORTUGUESE GUINEA, FERNANDO PO AND RIO MUNI.

Iniqo, Alfonso, Rio Muni.
Karsten, Friedrich, Bambadinca.
Lieb, Eugen, Santa Isabel and San Carles.
Mansnetter, Bolama.
Moritz, E. H. & Company, Santa Isabel.
Rolf, Luis, Bissao.
Schwartz, Hans, Geba.
Seifert, Paul, Bolama.
Titzck, Rudolf, Bissao Chinde ; Bambadinca Geba Paffata ; Cacheo and Farim.
Voss, Hans, Farim.
Woermann Linie, Fernando Po.

AMERICA.

ALL COUNTRIES IN CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA.

German Coal Depôt. (Compañia Alemana de Carbon, or Deutsches Kohlen Depôt.)
Hardt, Engelbert, & Company.
Hardt, E. and W., & Company.
Mannesmann, Sociedad Tubos, Limitada.
Sociedad Tubos, Mannesmann, Limitada
Staudt & Company.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Aachen and München Insurance Company, Calle Cangallo 319, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Aders, Alberto, & Company, Buenos Aires.
Adhemar, Maison L., (see Kundig & Company).
Adler Las, Calle Mejico 937, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Agencia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line), Argentina.
Allgemeine Electricitäts Gesellschaft (Compania Sudamericana de Electricidad), Calle Alsina 434, Buenos Aires, and all branches in Argentina and Uruguay.
Argentina Germanica de Abonos, sociedad Limitada, Calle Peru 1183-1188, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Argentine Real Estate & Finance Corporation, Limited, Calle Alsina 902, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Arnold, H., Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Aust, Alfonso, Calle San Martin 345 & Calle Suarez 1921, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Austro-American Steamship Company, Calle San Martin 470, Buenos Aires, and all branches in Argentina and Uruguay.
Balzer, Carlos, Calle Cangallo 417, Buenos Aires.
Banco Aleman Transatlantico, (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Banco Germanico de la America del Sud (Deutsche Sud-Amerikansche Bank.)
Barbagelata, R., Calle Defensa 375, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Barbe, Anaclets, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Barth, Eugenio, & Company, Calle Uruguay, 757, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Bauer, P., and Company, Calle Piedras 122, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bayer, Federico, & Company, Rivadavia 2263, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bechtel, Kurtz & Company, Calle Tucuman 1575, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Behr & Ott, Calle Defensa 435, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bentos, Jose S., Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Berger, Curt, & Company, Call 25 de Mayo 382-392; Calle Corientes 344, and Colon 1384, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bernard Hermanos, Calle Cangallo 315, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
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Boeker & Company, Calle Maipu 463, Buenos Aires, and all branches in Argentina.
Bottini, Oscar, Calle Cerro Largo 851, Montevideo, Uruguay; and Argentina.
Brauss, Mahn & Company, Calle Reconquista 80, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Calle Cerrito 407, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Brolund, Ricardo, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Bromberg & Company, Calle Moreno 401, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Buch, A., & Company, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Buddensieg, Juan, Calle Cangallo 845, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bunge, Ernesto A., & Born, J., B. Mitre 226, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bustamante, Miguel, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Cadenas, Enrique, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Callejas, J., Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Camartino, Luis, Calle 25 de Mayo 179, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Canto, Roberto, (c/o Staudt & Company).
Carrasco, A., Tacuari 483, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
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Cassini & Company, Calle Cangallo 840, Buenos Aires and Rosario, Argentina.
Castagnet & Company, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Castillo y Morales, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Cattaneo, Constantino, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Cevini, Luis, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
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Clausen & Company, Calle Misiones 83, corner of Piedras 193, 201 and 450 Montevideo, Uruguay.
Compañia Alemana de Depositos de Carbon.
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Cruz Alta, Ingenio Azucarero Germano Argentino, Tucuman, Argentina.
Daniel, Bruno, & Company, Paseo Colon 464-68, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Defesche, Juan, Calle Moreno, 508, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Delcampo, Carlos, Montevideo, Uruguay.
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Deutsches Kohlen Depôt. (See Compañia Alemana de Depositos de Carbon.)
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Ellerhost, Fernando (of "La Germano Argentina").
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Franke, Otto, & Company, Calle Bolivar 161, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Fuhrmann (H.) & Company, Paseo Colon 1102-1128; Calle Maipu 39 and Calle Peru 1182, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Funck, Ph., & Company, Calle Upsallata 756 and 1056, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
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Garcia Ramos, José, Calle Guayabo 166, Montevideo, Uruguay.
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Hoffmann & Stocker, Calle Moreno 443, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Horn & Company, San Martin 201, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hosmann, Julio, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Juthmann, Ricardo, Montevideo, Uruguay.
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Koerting Brothers, Calle Bolivar 292, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
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Lahusen & Company, Casilla 51; Calle Defensa 542, and P. Mendoza 3457, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and C. Orillas del Plata 927, Montevideo, Uruguay.
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Moller & Company, Calle Bartolome Mitre 722, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Monje, Fernandez, Puerto Deseado, Patagonia Argentina.
Muller Hermanos, San Julian, Patagonia, Argentina.
North German Lloyd.
Olach & Ohlmstede, San Martin 452, Rosario, Argentina.
Orenstein & Koppel, Argentina
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Osten & Company, Calle Rondeau 303, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Oster, Jorge (of Sociedad Financiera é Industrial Sud Americana).
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Portena Tug Company, Argentina.
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Rabe, Otto (Partner of Rabe, Walder & Company).
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Rhodius & Company, Casilla 224, and Rivadavia 842, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ribas, Salgado & Company, Diaz Vélez 3701, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Rocco, F., & Company, Cerro Largo 521 and Calle Paraguay 1968, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Roehrs, E., & Company, Calle San Martin 195 and Calle Agraciada 2412, Buenos Aires Argentina.
Rossi, Francisco, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Ruete, Enrique, Agraciada 951, Montevideo, Uruguay.
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Sanjines, Dionysio, Montevideo, Uruguay.
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Sociedad Financiera é Industrial Sud Americana, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Sociedad Tubos Mannesmann Limitada, Calle Defensa 383, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
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Stahringer, Guillermo (Partner of Guillermo Stahringer & Company).
Staudt & Company, B. Mitre 665-9, Avenida Montes de Oca 1599, and Calle General Hornos 1720, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Uruguay.
Steffens & Nolle, A. G, Calle Cangallo 499, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Stern, Ricardo, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Sternberg, H., Junior, & Company, Calle Cangallo 840, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Stigler, Agence, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Stofen, Schnack, Müller & Company, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Stremmler, Carlos, Calle Corrientes 423, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
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Strothbaum, Guillermo (Partner of Clausen and Company), Uruguay.
Stubenrauch & Company, Puerto Deseado, Patagonia, Argentina.
Sturzenegger, Alfredo & Jorge, Calle Sarandi 366, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Sudamericana (Compaania) de Electricidd (see Allgemeine Electricitats Gesellschaft).
Szulc & Raedler, Calle Florida 1430, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Torviso, B., & Company, Calle General Mitre 643, Rosario, Argentina.
Ures, Alfredo, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Vasquez, Pablo, Calle Salsipuedes 231, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Velasquez, Pedro, Uruguay.
Vilmar, Rimpler Company, Defensa 569—571, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wagenknecht, E., & Company, 25 de Agosto 422 (formerly of Cerro Largo 791), Montevideo, Uruguay.
Walder, Enrique (Partner of Rabe, Walder & Company), Uruguay.
Wayss and Freytag, Calle Moreno 508, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Weil Hermanos & Company, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wentzky, R. Von, Calle Corrientes 685, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Weygand and Zum Felde, Calle Peru 1034, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wirth & Schiebeck, Calle Sarmiento 372, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wolff & Schorr, Buenos Aires, and Calle Cordoba 1100, Rosario, Argentina.
Wolff, Buchholz & Company, Calle 25 de Mayo 179, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wulff, Otto, Calle Peru 362; Calle Terrero 109, and Rivadavia 6245, Buenos Aires, Argentina

BOLIVIA.

Albrecht, C., & Company, La Paz.
Arnold & Company, Santa Cruz de la Sierre and Riveralta.
Bacovich, Marcos, Oruro.
Banco Aleman Transatlantico (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank)
Barber, Alfred W., & Company, Cochabamba
Bickenbach & Company Oruro
Blau, Stephen, La Paz.
" Botica Alemana," Oruro.
Burgoa Teran, Arturo, Oruro.
Callenius Gustavo, La Paz
" Cerveceria Calacala " (see Heimberto Hinze & Company).
Colsman, Boehme & Company, La Paz and Oruro.
Companhia Commercial Mattogrossense & Boliviana Limitada, Puerto Suarez and Guajara-Mirim
Danelsberg & Company, La Paz
Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank (See Banco Aleman Transatlantico).
Diaz Hijos y Cia., Sucre & Potosi
Dohrmann, Dabse & Company, Oruro and Potosi.
Elsner, Juan, & Company, Santa Cruz.
" El Tigre," La Paz.
Emmel Hermanos, La Paz.
Enss & Webber, La Paz.
Eulert, F. G., La Paz.
Franco, José, La Paz.
Fricke, Jerman, & Company, Oruro.
Freudenthal Hermanos, La Paz.
Fuss, Alfredo (of Hirschmann & Company), La Paz.
" Gallo, El," La Paz.
Gundlach, C. F., Oruro.
Günther, Ernest, Sorata.
Gunther, Pablo, Oruro.
Hardt, E. & W., & Company, La Paz; Sucre, Oruro and Cochabamba.
Harrison & Bottiger, La Paz.
Hinke, Gustave, & Company, La Paz and Oruro.
Hinze, Heimberto, & Company, Oruro.
Hirschmann & Company, La Paz and Oruro.
Joerges & Company, Calle Oruro, Potosi.
Kohler E. & Company Guajara- Mirim.
Krüger, R., & Company, Cochabamba.
" La Mariposa," La Paz.
Lazcano, Alejandro, Sucre.
Martins, F., & Company, La Paz.

Mattogrossense & Boliviana, Companhia Commercial Limitada. Puerto Suarez and Gujara-Mirim.
Moerch, Bauer & Company, Sucre & Potosi.
Morales, Bertram & Company, Cochabamba, Potosi and Sucre.
Morales, José, Cochabamba.
Nolte, E., & Company, La Paz.
Pingel, Juan, La Paz.
Quidde & Gatermann, Cochabamba and Sucre.
Reinecke, Findel & Company, Oruro.
Schluter & Company, Oruro.
Schmidt, Otto. & Company, Cochabamba.
Schubert, H. G., Oruro.
Schutte, Nicolas (Partner of Morales, Bertram & Company), Sucre.
Schweitzer, Félipe, Santa Cruz.
Seiler, Emil, Sucre.
Staudt & Company, Villa Montes, River Pilcomayo.
Stofen, Schnack, Muller & Company, Santa Cruz.
Villalabos, Moises J., La Paz.
Wantig & Muller, Cochabamba.
Zeller, Villinger & Company, Santa Cruz, Trinidad and Yacuiba.

BRAZIL.

Achim & Company, Joinville, Sta. Catharina.
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Alsacienne (Société) de Plantations en Brésil, Tapaná and Santarém, Calcual Grande.
Andrade, Marcelino, Santos.
Andrade Pinto, Ernesto, Bahia.
AO Cylindro, Porto Alegre.
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Arp & Company, Rua do Ouvidor 102, and Rua Coronel Moreira Cesar 102, Rio de Janeiro.
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Bahlmann, John, Rua Sachet 83, Rio de Janeiro.
Banco Aleman Transatlantico (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Banco Germanico de la America del Sud (Deutsche Sud-Amerikanische Bank).
Bandeira, Luis, Rio de Janeiro.
Barza & Company, Rua Marques de Deus 8, Pernambuco.
Bauer, Walter F., Rua General Camara 88, Rio de Janeiro; and Recife, Pernambuco.
Bayer, Federico, & Company, Travessa Seata Rita, 22-24, Rio de Janeiro.
Beck, Ernesto, & Company, Florianopolis.
Behrensdorff (Viuva de F.) & Company, Rua Voluntarios da Patria, Porto Alegre; and Pelotas
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Bezold, Otto, Ceara.
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Hasenclever & Company, Rio de Janeiro; Rua L. Badaro 70, Sao Paulo.
Haupt & Company, Rua da Alfandega 60 and Rua Boa Vista 25, Rio de Janeiro.
Heise, Hugo, & Company, Rua Florencio de Abreu, Sao Paulo & Santos.
Hermanny, Louis, & Company, Rua Gonçalves Dias 54 & 57, & Aveaida Rio Branco 126, Rio de Janeiro.
Hobbing, Englebert, Marechal Floriano 62, Porto Alegre.
Hoepcke, Carl, & Company, Florianopolis, Santa Catharina.
Hoepcke, Empreza, Florianopolis, Santa Catharina.
Hoffman, Rudolf, W. H., Para.
Hoffmeister, Witte & Company, Rua das Princezas 20, Bahia.
Hoff, Von, Tapaná and Santarém, Calcual Grande.
Holdum, Maxim, Caixa 35, Manaos.
Holzborn, Ernesto, Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Huland, Oscar, & Company, Ceará.
Israel, Simon, & Company, Rua General Camara 23, Rio de Janeiro.
Jannowitzer, Wahle & Company, Rua de Candelaria 49; San Pedro 34, Rio de Janeiro; and Sao Paulo.
Jantoch, Aurelio, & Company, Corumba.
Jordan Gerken & Company, Sao Francisco do Sul.
Kaufmann, J., Rua F. de Abreu 15, Sao Paulo.
Kopinsky, Joseph, Rua Sao Paulo 52, Rio de Janeiro.
Krahe & Company, Rua dos Andradas 497, Porto Alegre.
Krause Irmaos & Company (Krause Brothers), Rua da San Antonio 17, Belem, Para; Rua Lobo D'Almada 9, Manaos; Rua Primeiro de Marco 6, Pernambuco; and Maranhao.
Krieger, Emilio P., Rua dos Andradas 443, Porto Alegre.
Kroncke & Company, Parahyba do Norte.
Kuehlen, Otto, Para.

Lallement, J. L., Rio Trapiche Caixa 343, Rio de Janeiro.
Landy, Carlos von, Rua Barao do Triumpho 35A, Pernambuco.
Laves de Moraes, José, Sao Paulo.
Leal, Athanasio, Sao Francisco do Sul.
Leite de Fonseca, A., Rua Sao Bento 5, Rio de Janeiro.
Lemcke, Carlos, & Company, Porto Alegre.
Lemcke, Henrique, Rua Libero Badaro 25, Sao Paulo.
Lesinski & Company, Rua Voluntarios da Patria 401, Porto Alegre.
Lichtenfels-Bernardo, (alias Brandao) Avenue Centrale 57, Rio de Janeiro.
Lima, Luzio Horacio (Berringer & Company), Para.
Lind, Von der, & Company, Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Linhares, Antonio P., Para.
Lobo, M., Manaos.
Lohner, F. A., Rua Riachuella 87, Rio de Janeiro.
Lohse, Para.
Louro Linhares, Florianopolis.
Luckhaus & Company, Rua General Camara 67, Rio de Janeiro.
Ludwig e Irmaos, Ruo dos Andradas, Porto Alegre.
Machado, Mello & Company Rio de Janeiro.
Magnus, James, & Company, Rua Sao Pedro 96, Rio de Janeiro.
Mannesmann Limited, Sociedad Tubos, Rua do Rosario 64, Rio de Janeiro.
Marx, W. (alias Henrique Oliveira & Company, alias "Norbert Hertz" alias "Nils Nissen"), Rua da Alfandega 102, Rio de Janeiro.
Mattheis & Company, Rua General Camara 69-71, Rio de Janeiro.
Mattogrossense & Boliviana, Companhia Commercial, Limitada, Corumba.
Mattos, Alberto, Rua dos Ourives 54, Rio de Janeiro.
Melcher, Conrado, & Company Rua Sao Bento 40, Sao Paulo.
Metzler, Hugo, Porto Alegre.
Meyer Irmaos & Company, Rua Sete de Setembro 165, Porto Alegre.
Miranda, Agenor, Rua Senador Nabuco, 19, Rio de Janeiro.
Moeller, H. Theo., Rua Voluntarios da Patria 32, Porto Alegre.
Moll, Francisco, Rio Grande do Sul.
Monteiro, J. A., & Company, Rua de Candelaria 49, Rio de Janeiro.
Monteiro Santos & Company, Sao Paulo.
Moreira, Julio Cesar (Moreira de Carvalho), Rua General Camara 1; and Praia Icarahy 21, Rio de Janeiro.
Muller, Paul and Company, (late Muller, Costa & Company), Rua da Alfandega 90, Rio de Janeiro.
Naschold, Ricardo, & Company, Rua Henrique Dias 57, Sao Paulo.
"Nils Nissen" (see Marx W.)
"Norbert Hertz" (see Marx W.).
Noronha, Carlos de, Rua General Camara 22, Rio de Janeiro.
Nossack & Company, Rua Frei Gaspar 22, Santos.
Odeon, Fabrica de Discos (G. Cohn), Boulevard 28 de Setembro 36-56, Rio de Janeiro.
Officina Velhote Silva, Para.
Ohl, Paul (Partner of Saligmann & Company), Para.
Ohliger & Company, Manaos.
Oliveira, Eduardo, Santos.
Oliveira, Henrique & Company (see W. Marx)
Ornstein & Company, Rua Sao Pedro 9, Rio de Janeiro.
Ostermeyer, Frederico, Rua de Quitanda 63 and 175, Rio de Janeiro.
Ottens, K. J., Bahia.
Overbeck, W., Rua das Princezas, Bahia.
Pereira, Alfredo Martins, Manaos.
Pereira, E., & Company, Rio de Janeiro.
Peters, W., Rua Municipal 148-150, Manaos.
Petersen, Adolf, & Company, Rua do Apollo 36, Pernambuco.
Pintsch (Julius) Aktiengesellschaft, Rua Sao Pedro 9, Rio de Janeiro.
Pohlman & Company, Pernambuco and Maceio.
Portella Filho, Hemengildo, Rua Marquez Olinda 4, Pernambuco.
Pralow & Company, Para and Manaos.
Prejawa & Company, Rua da Alfandega 70, Rio de Janeiro.
Regis, Joao Deocleciano, Florianopolis.
Reinhardt, Cesar, Becco do Rosario, Porto Alegre.
Reiniger, Schmitt & Company, Rua 7, de Setembro 118, Porto Alegre.
Reisch, Felix, Manaos.
Ribeirao Pires, Companhia Industrial De, Sao Bernardo.
Ribeiro Chaves, Gualtero, Para.
Ribeiro, Trajano (Jordan Gerken & Company), Sao Francisco do Sul.
Rieckmann & Company, Rua Boa Vista 42, Sao Paulo.
Rombauer & Company. Rua Visconde de Inhauma 84, Rio de Janeiro.
Rothschild & Company, Rua 15 de Novembro 31, Sao Paulo.
Runes & Bark, Largo Monte Alegre 6, Santos.
Schaible & Kanitz, Rua Jose Bonifacio 40, Sao Paulo; Rua Sao Pedro 52, Rio de Janeiro.
Schar, Ernest, Pernambuco.
Schlee, Philip, Manaos.
Schlick Alfredo, & Company, Rua da Assemblea 14; Rua Quitanda 47, Rio de Janeiro.
Schmidt & Company, Rua Sao Bento 60, Sao Paulo.
Schmidt, Trost & Company. Rua Santo Antonio 5, Santos; Rua Alvares Penteado and Caixa 153, Sao Paulo.
Schneider, Carl, Rua do Principe, Joinville, Sta. Catharina
Schoenn, Roberto, & Company, Rua Quitanda 147. Rio de Janeiro.
Scholz, Waldemar, Manaos.
Schroeter & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro, Porto Alegre.
Schroeter, J., Porto Alegre.
Schumann & Company, Para.
Schwartz, Eduardo, Joinville, Sta. Catharina.
Seligmann & Company, Para.
Semper & Company, Manaos.
Sergenicht, Conrado, Rua Triumpho 10, Sao Paulo.
Siemens-Schuckert Werke, Rio de Janeiro; Bahia; Porto Alegre and Sao Paulo.
Silva, Antonio Carlos De, Caixa 105, Sao Paulo.
Silva (Da) Domingos & Company, Rua Sao Bento 28A, Sao Paulo.

Simoes, Angelino, & Company, Rio de Janeiro.
Simon, Feliciano, Corumba.
Simonek & Moreira, Ruo do Bon Jesus 20, Pernambuco.
Sinjen, M., & Company, Novo Friburgo, Rio de Janeiro.
Sinner, Alfredo, Rio de Janeiro and Santos.
Slues, Oscar, Santos.
Smith, Charles, Rua Direita 12, Sao Panlo.
Smith, Kessler & Panke (Casa Kosmos), Rua Direita 12, Sao Paulo and Santos.
Sociedad Anonyma Armazens Andresen, Manaos.
Sociedad Anonyma "Deutsche Tageblatt," Rio de Janeiro.
Sociedad Tubos Mannesmann Limited, Rua do Rosario 64, Rio de Janeiro.
Solheiro, Luiz (partner of Fonseca & Company), Para.
Souza, João Silveira de, Joinville.
Sperb, Carlos Albino, & Company, Rua 7 de Setembro 159, Porto Alegre.
Steinberg Meyer & Company, Avenida Rio Branco 65, Rio de Janeiro, and Sao Paulo.
Steiner, Pedro Maurico, Para.
Steinman, Emilo A., Manaos.
Stender & Company, Bahia.
Stock, Emilio, Joinville, Sta. Catharina.
Stofen, Schnack, Müller & Company, Corumba.
Stoky, Jorgo F., Rua Christovao Colombo 18, Rio de Janeiro.
Stoltz, Hermann, & Company, Avenida Central 65-74 (Rio Branco 66-74), Rio de Janeiro; Praca da Republica, Santos; Rua Alvares Penteado 12, Sao Paulo and Pernambuco.
Strassberger, E., & Company, Manaos.
Stupakoff & Company, Rua Sao Bento 7, Sao Paulo.
Suerdieck & Company, Rue das Princezas, Bahia.
Sul-Americana de Electricidade (Companhia) A.E.G., Rua do Hospicio 59, Rio de Janeiro.
Tapanã Plantations Company, Tápáná, near Para.
Trinks, Pater, & Company, Rua do Santo 38,, Santos.
Trommel, A., & Company, Prasma Tells 11, Santos; Rua Alvares Penteado, Sao Paulo.
Turnauer & Machado, Rua 13 de Maio, Rio de Janeiro.
Urban, Eugen, & Company, Rua Conselheiro Saraiva 30, Rio de Janeiro; Rua Santo Antonio 63, Santos.
Vargas, Arape Ferreira, Rio de Janeiro.
Velhote Silva, Officina, Para.
Vieira de Mello, Francisco, Bahia.
Vieira, Luiz, Rio de Janeiro.
Vieria, Francisco Salles, Manaos.
Voelcker, Luis, & Company, Porto Alegre.
Wachtel, Marxen & Company, Rio Grande do Sul.
Wagner, Schadlich & Company (Casa Allema), Santos and Sao Paulo.
Warnecke, Hermann, & Company, Rua Direita 9, Sao Paulo.
Weissflog Brothers, Rua Libero Badaro 70, Sao Paulo.
Weissflog, Alfredo, (of Weissflog Brothers), Rua Moranhão 21; Sao Paulo.
Weissflog, Otto (of Weissflog Brothers) Avanida Paulista 112, Sao Paulo.
Weiszflog, Max, Sao Paulo.
Werner, Hilpert & Company, Rua da Alfandega 99-101, 104 and 108, Rio de Janeiro.
Westphalen Bach & Company, Rua Cons, Saraiva, Bahia.
Wiedeman & Gins, Rua do Commercio, Porto Alegre.
Wille, Theodor, & Company, Sao Paulo; Rio de Janeiro and Santos.
Wöbcken (Adolpho) & Krebs, Rua da Quitanda 147, Rio de Janeiro.
Woebcke, Gustav, Porto Alegre.
Wolff, Eric, Pernambuco.
Zerrenner, Bulow & Company, Rua Santo Antonio 52, Santos; and Rua de Son Bento 81, Sao Paulo.

CHILE.

Agencia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line).
Aguilar, Rudolf, Talcahuano.
Allgemeine Elektrisitats Gesellschaft, Santiago and Valparaiso.
Alvarez, José Reinaldo, Coquimbo.
Arevalo, Manuel, Coquimbo and Avenida Brasil 169, Valparaiso.
Armstrong, Isaac Enrique, Talcahuano.
Arrigoriage, Saturnino, Valparaiso and Santiago.
Banco Aleman Transatlantico, (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
Banco de Chile y Alemania, (Bank, für Chile und Deutschland), Antofagasta; Santiago; Valparaiso; Concepcion; Temuco & Valdivia.
Banco Germanico de la America del Sud, (Deutsche Sud Amerikanische Bank).
Barrios, Francisco Iquique.
Bayer, Federico, & Company, Casilla 1267, Santiago.
Bayro, Guillermo, Antofagasta.
Becker, A. & F., & Company, Concepcion and Bandera 615, Santiago.
Benitez, Armando, Casilla 572, Santiago.
Bermudez, Guillermo, Calle Esmeralda 85, Valparaiso.
Blackadder, Guillermo, Iquique.
Blech Wegener, T. A., Santiago and Valparaiso.
Bonder, Victor, Concepcion.
Brenner, Jorge, Iquique.
Cabezas, A., & Company, Antofagasta.
Canelo, Nemesio, (of Gildemeister & Company), Iquique.
Carrasco, Justiniano (Timmermann & Company), Valparaiso and Santiago.
Carstens, F., & Company, Concepcion, San Francisco, Valdivia and Temuco.
Castillo, Anjel C., Coquimbo.
Chaparra, Luis A., Iquique.
Chassin Trubert, Julio, Coquimbo.
Ciangarotti, Luis A., Valparaiso.
Compania Maritima Alemana, Valparaiso.
Compania Salitrera Alemana, Taltal.
Compania Salitrera H.B. Sloman & Company.
Constancia, Campania Salitres, Iquique,
Constandie Riadi, E. & S., Santiago.
Contreras, Pablo, Calle Esmeraldas 85, Valparaiso.
Curtze, Walter, Korner 1086, Punta Arenas.
Daube & Company, Prat 12, Valparaiso; Merced 798, Santiago; Arana 530, Concepcion; Latorre-Baquedano and Antofagasta.
Dauelsberg & Company, Antofagasta.
Derpich & Sobrino, Mejillones.

Deutsche Sud-Amerikanische Bank (see Banco Germanico de la America del Sud).
Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank (see Banco Aleman Transatlantico).
Dubrock & Company, Punta Arenas.
Escobar, Josè Ignacio, Calle Santa Domingo 1372, Santiago
Faerber, Gustav, Valparaiso.
Föslch, H., & Company, Casill. 16A, Valparaiso
Fonck & Company, Calle Brasail 126, Valparaiso & Calle Puente 571, Santiago
Foretich, Natalio, Roca 865, Punta Arenas.
Gildemeister & Company.
Giron, Basilio, and Company, Arica.
Gleisner, Mauricio & Company, Santiago; Valparaiso and Talcahuano.
Grisar, Max, Valparaiso.
Grootboff, A. & O., Iquique.
Gunther and Company, Calle O'Higgins 62, Valparaiso.
Guttmann & Maurer, Correa Casilla 85 and Calle Moneda 1065, Santiago; and Valdivia.
Hagnauer & Company, Blanco 132, Valparaiso.
Hardt, E. and W., & Company.
Howlizeek, O., Valparaiso.
Hepp & Becker, Talcuhuano.
Herrera, Eduardo, Taltal.
Heubel, Carlos E., Antofagasta.
Heubel, Herbert, Antofagasta.
Hinsch & Company, Valparaiso.
Hubenbecker, Teodoro, Bandera 86, Santiago.
Hucke Hermanos, Valparaiso.
Inojosa, Maximo, Concepcion.
Jacobsen, Luis, Concepcion & Coronel.
Kirsinger, R. Weinreich (late Kirsinger & Company), Esmeralda 85, Valparaiso.
Klammer, Guillermo, Valparaiso and Santiago.
Kosmos Steamship Line, (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").
Koster & Wyneken, Calle Lincoyan 427, Concepcion and Coronel.
Lange & Company, Casilla 953, Valparaiso and Concepcion.
Länger, Federico, Calle Estada 142, & Casilla 607, Santiago,
Lillo, Guillermo, Antofagasta.
Lopez Loayza, Alfredo, Iquique.
Luck, Winkelhagen & Company, Valparaiso.
Manns, Ernesto, Pl. Munoz Gamero, Punta Arenas.
Misol and Dubrock, Punta Arenas.
Muller, Erwin, Iquique.
Neckelmann & Company, Valparaiso.
Nissen, Fischer & Company, Santiago and Concepcion.
Paarman & Krebs, Valparaiso.
Paez, Carlos, Valparaiso.
Pinnau, Carlos, & Company, Suere 295, Antofagasta.
Plesch, Julio, B. Arana 281, Concepcion.
Puebla, Joaquin, Antofagasta.
Rabenalt & Schmidtsdorf, Iquique.
Reitze, Leopold, & Company, Valparaiso.
Saavedra, Pedro (of F. Carstens & Company).
Salpeterwerke Gildemeister Aktien Gesellschaft.
Samhaber, Augusto, Valparaiso, and Casilla 619, Calle Merced 720, Santiagò.
Schacht & Wyneken, Valparaiso and Coronel.
Schacht, Guillermo (partner of Schacht & Wyneken), Valparaiso and Coronel.
Schmidt & Wehrhahn, Valparaiso.
Schulz, Ricardo, and Company, Coquimbo, Concepcion, and Valparaiso.
Siemens Schückert Limited, Blanco 366, Valparaiso; and Santiago.
Sloman, H. B., & Company, Tocopilla and Valparaiso.
Smith, Charles Dudley (of A. & O. Groothoff), Iquique.
Smits & Assler, Talca.
Smits Brothers, Santiago.
Sombrereria Alemana ā Jorge Brenner, Iquique.
Soria, Isidoro, Santiago.
Sporke and Traeger, Coquimbo.
Stanke, Alberto, San Antonio 186, Santiago; and Talca, Concepcion and Valparaiso.
Stubenrauch & Company, Punta Arenas.
Stubenrauch, R., Punta Arenas.
Sylvester, Hirsch, Huerfanos 975, Santiago.
Timmermann & Company, Valparaiso and Santiago.
Trede, H., Punta Arenas.
Trillo, Victor, Antofagasta.
Umlauff, Ehni, & Company, Calle Estado 378 Santiago.
Ureta, Oscar, Punta Arenas.
Valdes, Julio. R., Iquique.
Vega, Luis S., Iquique.
Visscher, Alejandro, Hijo & Company, Iquique and Arica.
Vorwerk & Company, Prat 231-239, Valparaiso.
Wagner, Klein & Company, Valparaiso and Santiago.
Weber & Company, Santiago, Valparaiso and Concepcion.
Weisser Hermanos, Casilla 871, Antofagasta.
Wiedmaier, C., Serrano 35, Valparaiso.

COLOMBIA.

Acero, Delfin, Cucuta.
Agencia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line).
Añez, Julio A., & Company, Cucuta.
Ardilla, Manuel, Tumaco.
Banco Aleman-Antioqueño.
Beck, Roberto, Bogota.
Beckmann & Company, Cucuta.
Berne, O., & Company, Barranquilla.
Böhmer & Linzen, Cali & Pasto,
Borné, A., Medellin & Manizales.
Botica Alemana.
Breuer, Möller & Company, Barranquilla; Cucuta (and all branches).
Breymann, Wilhelm von, & Company, Cali.
Cortissoz, Correa & Company, (Credito Mercantil), Barranquilla.
Credito Mercantill (see Cortissoz, Correa & Company).
Dissel (Van) Rode & Company, Cucuta.
Empresa Hanseatica, Barranquilla.
Fehrmann, G., & Company, Apartado 140, Barranquilla.
Fuhrhop, Fritz, & Company, Barranquilla.
Garcia, J., Barranquilla.
Gieseken, Ludwig, & Company. Barranquilla.
Hanseatica, Empreza, Barranquilla.
Heimann, Max, & Company, Tumaco.
Hoz, P. de la, Barranquilla.
Illers, Juan D., Barranquilla.
Isaac Hermanos, Honda, Girardot, Ibaque and Circasia.
Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").

Lindemeyer, Heinrich, (Partner of Empresa Hanseatica).
Loos, Pablo, Cartagena.
Medina, E., P. O. Box 140, Barranquilla.
Muñoz, Cali.
Nobmann & Company, Barranquilla.
Ramirez, Luis Alberto, Bucaramanga.
Sanclemente, Ismael, Buenaventura and Cali.
Stegmann, Arthur, (widow of) (Partner of Empresa Hanseatica).
Steinvorth & Company, Cucuta.
Strauss, Georg, & Company, Barranquilla.
Vasquez, Martin, (of Empresa Hanseatica).
Volkmann, Gustav, Bucaramanga.
Wiese, F., (Partner of Empresa Hanseatica).
Willson Cook, W., Cucuta.

CUBA.

Brendes, J. F., & Company, Calle Cuba 64, Havana.
Eppinger Alberto, Teniente Rey 61, Havana.
Heilbut & Company, Calle San Ignacio 54, Havana.
Michaelsen & Prasse. Obrapia 18, Havana.
Paetzold, M., & Company, Havana.
Seeler, Pi & Company, Obrapia 16, Havana.
Tillman, M., & Company, Havana.
Toennies H., Havana.
Upmann, H., & Company, Amargura 1, and Mercaderes 34, Havana.

ECUADOR.

Agencia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line).
Balda, Manuel Angel, Bahia de Caráquez (not connected with Manuel Aurelio Balda, Portoviejo).
Balda, Pedro A., Guayaquil.
Bartels, Carlos, & Company, Bahia de Caráquez.
Bartels, Carlos, (partner of Carlos Bartels & Company), Bahia de Caráquez.
Bartels, Guillermo (partner of Carlos Bartels & Company), Bahia de Caráquez.
Becdach, Harmanos, Quito and Guayaquil.
Becdach, Kamal (patner of Becdach Hermanos), Quito and Guayaquil.
Becdach, Rene (partner of Becdach Hermanos), Quito and Guayaquil.
Behreint, Frederick, Manta and Bahia de Caráquez.
Borchert, W., (partner of Jeremias & Borchert), Guayaquil.
Brauer, Leopold M., Quito.
Bucram, M., (or Bucaram), Quito, (not J. E. Bucaram y Hermanos, Guayaquil).
Bunge, Julio, (partner of Guillermo Kaiser), Guayaquil.
Burau, Juan, Manta.
*Cassinelli & Company, Guayaquil.
Cattan Hermanos, Quito.
Chanange, Gustavo, Guayaquil.
Dassum, Mustafa, Guayaquil.
Dehmlow, Alfred, (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Delgado, Simon, Guayaquil.
Delius, A. H , Quito.

* NOTE.—The name of the firm with which trading is prohibited by the Order of the 18th July, 1916, is Cassinell's & Company, Guayaquil. The firm of Cassinelli Hermanos y Compania of Malecón 1811, 1812 & 1813, Guayaquil, has not been placed on the Statutory List, and trading with that firm is not prohibited.

Dierks, Hugo, (partner of Otte & Company), Bahia de Caráquez.
Donner & Blackett, Manta and Porto Viejo.
Donner, Roberto, (partner of Donner & Blackett), Manta and Porto Viejo.
Duve, Federico, (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Esmeradas Handels Gesellschaft.
Flemming & Schnabel, Bahia de Caráquez.
Flemming, George, Bahia de Caráquez.
Gleschen, Carlos, (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft, Manta Branch).
Grim, Juan, (partner of Adolfo Poppe), Guayaquil.
Grimmer, Karl, (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Haas, Max, (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft, Esmeraldas Branch).
Harnack, H., (of Tagua Handels Gessellschaft, Bahia de Caráquez Branch).
Hermann, Wilhelm, Quito.
Hinnaoui Hermanos, Avenida 2A 320, Guayaquil.
Hinnaoui, Arif (or Aref), (partner of Hinnaoui Hermanos), Guayaquil.
Hinnaoui, Azat (or Azzet), (partner of Hinnaoui Hermanos), Guayaquil.
Hinnaoui, Fuad, (partner of Hinnaoui Hermanos), Guayaquil.
Hinnaouih, Bachir, Quito.
Jaime, Enrique T., Esmeraldas.
Jeremias & Borchert, Avenida Tercera 612, Guayaquil.
Jeremias, L., (partner of Jeremias & Borchert), Avenida Tercera 614, Guayaquil.
Jungnickel & Loose, Guayaquil.
Jungnickel, W., (partner of Jungnickel & Loose) Guayaquil.
Kaiser, Guillermo, Calle Octava 121 ; Pichincha 125, and Avenida Segundo 118, Guayaquil.
Koppel, Samuel, Avenida Tercera 1101 and 1103, Guayaquil.
Kosmos Steamship Line (Agencia Maritima "Kosmos").
Kruger & Company, Avenida Segunda 400—402, Calle 11A 118 and 120, and Pichincha 400, Guayaquil.
Kruger, Juan H., (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Kugelman, Ferd., Bahia de Caráquez.
Loose, (partner of Jungnickel & Loose), Guayaquil.
Lopez, Romulo G., Guayaquil.
Lüders, Carlos W., Cordoba 506, Guayaquil.
Mahler, Julio, & Company, Manta.
Maydoub (or Madub) & Ramadan, Ambato.
Maydoub (or Madub) Amin, (partner of Maydoub & Ramadan), Ambato.
Miketa, Rodolfo, (partner of Otto & Company), Bahia de Caráquez.
Minerva Aerated Water Company.
Moller, Herman, (partner of Rickert & Company), Guayaquil.
Muller, Jorge, Quito.
Murillo, José, Guayaquil.
Orenstein & Koppel.
Otte & Company, Bahia de Caráquez.
Otte, Carlos, & Company, Manta.
Patrel, J., & Hermanos, Bahia de Caráquez.
Patrel, Juan, (partner of J. Patrel & Hermanos), Bahia de Caráquez.
Patrel, Luis, (partner of J. Patrel & Hermanos), Bahia de Caráquez.

Pimentel, Juan L., Guayaquil.
Plaza, Cesar, Bahia de Caráquez.
Poppe, Adolfo, Guayaquil.
Rahim, Abdul, Quito.
Ramadan, T. (partner of Maydoub & Ramadan), Quito and Guayaquil.
Reimers, Edgar, Quito.
Rickert, Carlos, (partner of Rickert Company), Guayaquil.
Rickert, Edward, (partner of Rickert & Company), Guayaquil.
Rickert, Enrique, (partner of Rickert & Company), Guayaquil.
Rickert & Company, Guayaquil.
Rischanek, Max, (partner of Kruger & Company), Guayaquil.
Robinson, Plartarco H., Guayaquil.
Ruperti, Emilio, Jipijapa.
Santander, Jose, Guayaquil.
Schnabel, A., (partner of Flemming & Schnabel), Bahia de Caráquez.
Schroeter, Wilhelm, Quito.
Tagua HandelsGesellschaft, M.B.H., All branches
Tijon, Julie, Esmeraldas.
Tresselt, W., (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft. Bahia de Caráquez Branch).
Urban, Gustavo, (partner of Carlos Luders), Guayaquil.
Uscocovich, Gregorio, Bahia de Caráquez.
Voelcker, Carlos, Manta and Bahia de Caráquez.
Webber, Carlos, Quito
Yauch, Theodore, (of Tagua Handels Gesellschaft. Esmeraldas Branch).
Zambrano, Carlos, Bahia de Caráquez.
Zedeno, Julio, Bahia de Caráquez.
Zohrer, Adolfo, Guayaquil.

PARAGUAY.

Americano, Bazaar (see Bazaar Americano).
Armeria (La) Alemana (see Otto Zinnert).
Bazaar Americano (Sociedad Introductora S.A.), Palma 199, Asuncion.
Bell, Josè, & Company, Asuncion.
Berg, Ricardo (Ferreteria Universal), Palma Esq. Ayola, Asuncion.
Ferreteria Alemana (see Honsberg, Spier & Company).
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Honsberg, Spier & Company (Ferreteria Alemana), Asuncion.
Huttemann, Hermann, Convencion 12, Asuncion.
Klug & Mares, Estrella 435, Asuncion.
Minner, Alfredo, & Company, Libertad Esq. Iturbe, Asuncion.
Rein, Friedrich, 15 de Agosto 171, Asuncion.
Société Francaise D'Exportation (sociedad Anonima), Sucesora De Jose Bell & Company, Asuncion.
Staudt & Company.
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Agěncia Maritima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line).
Arana, Eduardo, Mollendo.
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Baigorria, Luis F., Chiclayo.
Banco Aleman Transatlantico (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank).
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Casa Grande Zuckerplantagen Actien Gesellschaft, Trujillo.
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Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank (see Banco Aleman Transatlantico).
Dolmann & Einfeldt, Lima.
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Emmel Hermanos, Arequipa, Cuzco.
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Gildemeister, Siegfried, (of Gildemeister & Company), Trujillo and Lima.
Gorbitz & Company, Chiclayo and Lima.
Grillo, Adam, Chiclayo and Lima.
Gulda, F., & Company, Lima.
Hardt, Engelbert, & Company.
Hardt, E. and W., & Company.
Hassler & Michaelson, Trujillo.
Herklotz, A., Lima.
Hilbck, F., & Company, Piura.
Hilbck, Kuntze & Company, Cajamarca, Chiclayo and Pacasmayo.
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Moreno, David G., Lima.
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Sociedad Industrial Infantas Limited, Lima.
Sociedad Tubos Mannesmann Limitada, Lima.
Soto, Bernadi, Iquitos.
Strassberger, E., & Company, Iquitos.
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Umlauff, B., Lima.
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Vela, Daniel.
Vidaurrazaga., Eduard, Trujillo.
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Weiss, Carlos, & Company, San Pedro III, Lima; and Callao.
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Afanador, Doctor J. E. Sanchez, Ciudah Bolivar.
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Becker, George, Caracas.
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Akino Kunizo 154, Yokahama.
Arai Tatsuji, 7 Nakayamate-dori, 5 Chome, Kobe
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Becker & Company, 89B Yamashita cho, Yokohama; 31A Akashimachi, Kobe; and 14 Hamacho, Nichome, Nihonbashi, Tokyo.
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Berg, Werner, 4 Shichome Nakayamatedori, Kobe.
Bergmann & Company, 154, Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; and 40 Akashimachi, Kobe.
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Boeddinghans, C. E. 4 Deshima. Nagasaki.
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Carlowitz & Company, 124 Higashi-machi, Kobe, 11 Isogami-dori, 5 Nichome, Kobe.
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ChinaExport, Import and Bank Company, Kobe, and Yokohama.
Chu Sheang Dong, Chemulpo, Korea.
Club Concordia, 117 Itomachi, Kobe.
Club Germenia. 235 Yokohama.
Delacamp & Company, 121 Higashi-machi, Kobe.
Delacamp, Piper & Company 202 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 70 Kyomachi, Kobe.
Deutsche Apotheke (Kobe Dispensary), 16 Narima machi, Kobe.
Deutsch Asiatische Bank, 180A Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 25 Kyomachi, Kobe.
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Geiser & Gilbert, Limited Surugadaishita, Tokyo.
Griebel, P., (P. Greeble), 40, Kobe and P. O. Box 226, Kobe.
Gutmann, E., Yayesucho, Itchome. Tokyo.

Habu & Company, 82, Sakae-machi, 1, Chome, Kobe.
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Hoffman, F., Kobe.
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Ikeda Tokuzo, 12 Kaigandori, Kobe.
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Japan Export Company (*see* Rohde & Company).
Japan Trading Company (*see* Van Nierop).
Japan Herald, P.O. Box 279, Yokohama
Kalle & Company, Kobe.
Kato Shoten, 91 Kitamachi, Kobe.
Kawamoto Kiyoji Yamamoto-dori, 4, Chome, Kobe.
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Kimura, K., Shimo-Osaki, Tokyo.
Kimura Shoten, 4 Honkawaya-cho, Nihonbashi, Tokyo and 81, Kyomachi, Kobe.
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Leybold, Shokwan,L., 25 Himonocho Nihonbashi-ku, Tokyo; 29 Nishi Hommachi, Mo.
Liesecke, J., 80 Kyomachi and 17, Harimamachi Kobe.
Meier & Company, A., 24 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 68 Kyomachi, Kobe.
Munster, B., 23 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Nakamura Yushutsuten, (Nichdoku Shoten) 169 Sannomiya-cho, Itchome, Kobe.
Nigo Shoten, 154, Yokohama.
Normal Dispensary, 77D Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Oestmann & Company, A., 196 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 47, Kobe.
Oldenburg, E., 49 Harimamachi, Kobe.
Pieper & Thomas, 202 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; and 24 Teppo-cho, Nihonbashi, Tokyo.
Pietzker, W., 45 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 17 Mayemachi, Kobe.
Ramseger & Company, 17 Mayemachi, Kobe.
Raspe & Company, M., 91 Kitamachi, Kobe; 18A Tsukiji, Tokyo.
Ratjen, Rud, 122 Aoyama, Minamimachi, Rokuchome, Tokyo.
Reimers, Otto, & Company, 198 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Retz, F., 214 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Retz, F., & Company, 214 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Ritter, W., P. O. Box 234, Yokohama.
Rohde & Company, Carl, (Japan Export Company), 70A Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 104 Yedo-machi, Kobe.
Romisch, Leo, 33 Tsukiji, Tokyo.
Sakakibara, Yokichi, 5 Kobikicho, Itchome, Kyobashiku, Tokyo.
Sasga Shokai, Giuza, Tokyo.
Sawada & Company, 40, Akashimachi, Kobe.
Schmidt, Scharff & Company, R., 52 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Schmidt Shoten, 1 Yayesucho, Itchome, Kojimachi, Tokyo.
Schramm & Company, Paul, 21 Yurakucho, Itchome, Kojimachi, Tokyo, and Ono Hamabedori, Kobe.
Schuchardt & Schutte, 1 Yurakucho, Itchome, Kojimachi-ku, Tokyo.
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Siemens Schückert Denki Kabushiki Kaisha, 65 Bojima Hamadori, Osaka; 48 Akashi-cho Tsukiji, Tokyo; 130 Tsutsui-cho, Kobe; Moji and Dairen.
Simon Evers & Company, 25 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 101 Yedomachi, Kobe.
Sugimoto Boyeki Gomei Kaisha, 160A., Yokohama.
Takashiro Arazo, Isogamidori, Kobe.
Takeo Yamaguchi, 834 Nishi Tobemachi, Yokohama.
Tanigawa Masajiro, 12 Kaigandori, Kobe.
Taylor, Cooper & Company, Kobe.
Terauchi Shokai, 40 Akashimachi Kobe.
Ukita Yasumasa, 70 Yamashila-cho, Yokohama.
Van Nierop's, Ed. L., Japan Trading Company, 39 Akashimachi, Kobe; and 153 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Vehling & Company, 93 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Vogt, Dr. Carl, 67 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Weinberger & Company, C., 46 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 76B Kyomachi, Kobe.
Wilckens, A., 45 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama.
Winckler & Company, 256 Yamashita-cho, Yokohama; 100 Yedomachi, Kobe; 2 Minami Konyamachi, Tokyo; and 9 Shumokumachi, Sanchome, Nagoya.
Wolf, Hans, 81 Nakamachi, Kobe.
Wolter, Carl, & Company, Honmachi, Chemulpo, Korea.
Wong Ching Hung, Chemulpo Korea.
Yayama Shoten, Ikutamaye, and 50, Shimoyamate-dori, 1-Chome, Kobe.
Yoshioka Kojiro, 40, Akashimachi, Kobe.
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Aequator, Mijnbouw Maatschappy, Sumatra.
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Antonijs, Karel, Sourabaya.
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Assahan Syndicat Gesellschaft, Medan and Palembang.
Austria, Export Maatschappy, Bandoeng.
Bakker, W. J., Sourabaya.
Bakx, A., Belawan, Sumatra.
Bangoen Estate (Dolok Malela), East Coast of Sumatra.
Bangoen Landbouw Maatschappy, Dolok, Malela & Pantoean, East Coast of Sumatra.
Barmer Export Gesellschaft Batavia.
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Beek, N. Van, Samarang.
Beerman, W., Sibolga, Sumatra.
Behn Meyer, H. M., & Company, Batavia and Sourabaya.

Bercowicz, Boris, Sourabaya.
Biedermann, & Company, Samarang and Sourabaya.
Bierman, E., Macassar.
Boenisari, Plantagen Gesellschaft, Batavia.
Borneo Import & Export Company, Dutch Borneo and Batavia.
Borneo Industrie Maatschappy, Bandjermasin.
Braunschweigsche Maschinenbauanstalt, Sourabaya.
Breitfeld, Danek & Company, Sourabaya.
Brinker, H. Den, Samarang and Sourabaya.
Caffin, J , Gorontalo.
Continental Tyre & Rubber Company, Sourabaya
Corne, W., Macassar.
Cultuur Maatschappy, Montaja, Batavia.
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Cultuur Maatschappy "Soekabiroes."
Cultuur Maatschappy "Soengei Langka," Batavia.
Cultuur Maastchappy Tji-Karang.
Cultuur Maatschappy "Tjikopo-Zuid."
Cultuur Maatschappy Wangoen Wattie.
Diehn, August, Medan and Palembang, Sumatra; and Java.
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Drukkerij Ameet Favenier, Sourabaya.
Duitsch Indische Cultuur Maatschappy, Sourabaya.
Eckstein, P., Medan and Palembang.
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Elten, Van, Medan.
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Erdmann & Sielcken, Samarang, Batavia, and Sourabaya.
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Export Maatschappy Austria, Bandoeng.
Filamont, Engelen & Company, Menado and Celebes.
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Forsyth, Douglas, Batavia.
Garlich, O. E., Bandoeng, Java.
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Giesbers & Rosenkrantz, Sourabaya.
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Gummi Fabriek Harburg-Wien, Sourabaya.
Gumprich and Strauss, Batavia.
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Harburg-Wien, Gummi Fabriek, Sourabaya.
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Import Maatschappy, De, Sourabaya.
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"Juliana," Thee Distributie Maatschappy, Batavia.
Kehding, F., Medan and Palembang.
Keil, K. E., Buitenzorg.
Kielich, W., Batavia.
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Kölner Handelsgesellschaft, Sourabaya.
Koning, Carel A., and Company, Medan.
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Ledeboer, W. B., and Company, Macassar, Menado, and Gorontalo.
Leersum, O. van, Sourabaya.
Leezenberg, P., Medan.
Liebenschütz and Company, Samarang and Sourabaya.
Liem Bie Kiang, Bandjermasin.
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Limbangan Industrie, Maatschappy, Batavia.
Limoesnongal Estate, Java (Preanger Regencies)
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Magazyn de Vilijt, Bandoeng, Java.
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Neglasari, Plantagen Gesellschaft, Bandoeng.
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Orenstein and Koppel, Sourabaya.
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Siemens & Halske, Allgemeine Gesellschaft, Sourabaya.
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Soengei Bloetoe Estate, East Coast of Sumatra.
"Soekabiroes," Cultuur Maatschappy.
Soenda, Import Maatschappy, Samarang.
"Soengei Langka," Cultuur Maatschappy, Batavia.
Soesboom, Jan, Palmenlaan 45, Sourabaya.
Sourabaya Oliefabriek, Sourabaya.
Spier, F C., Sourabaya.
Still, Otto, Kali Bessar, Batavia.
Straits und Sunda Syndikat, Batavia.
Stroer, Ch. N, and Cie., Sourabaya.
Tabak Maatschappy Krikilan, Djember.
Taenzer, E., & Company, Cheribon.
Tan Kok Tae & Zoonen, Menado, Celebes.
Tan Soen Tjiang, Macassar.
Technische Bureau De Vlijt, Sourabaya.
Technische Bureau Gebr. Altmann, Bandoeng.
Technische Bureau Behn Meyer & Company, Sourabaya.
Thee Distributie Maatschappy "Juliana", Batavia.
Thee-Plantagen Gesellschaft, Tjiémas Bandoeng.
Thesing, Leo, Sourabaya.
Thio Tjin Tong & Company, Menado.
Tjikopo Noord Estate, Java (Batavia Regency.)
Tjiémas, Thee-Plantagen Gesellschaft, Bandoeng.
Tjiganitri, Plantagen Gesellschaft, Batavia.
Tji-Karang, Cultuur Maatschappy.
"Tjikopo-Zuid," Cultuur Maatschappy.
Tjimoelang Estate, Java.
Tjitembong Estate, Java.
Tropical, Machine en Rijwielfabriek, Samarang.
Valk, G.H., Macassar.
Van Den Berg (A. F.), & Company, Handel Maatschappy, Batavia.
Van Het Land Semplak, Maatschappy Tot Exploitatie, Batavia.
Van Rhee, Macassar; Menado and Gorontalo.
Verdouw, J. C., Macassar.
Vlielander Hein & Company, Batavia.
Viefhaus, E. F. W., Samarang.
Vlijt (De) Technische Bureau, Sourabaya.
Vlijt, Magazyn de, Bandoeng, Java.
Vries, Maison De, Sourabaya.
Vrijberghe de Coningh A.J., Sourabaya.
Vroman, S., Batavia & Sourabaya.
Vuyk, M. W., Embong Plosso 7, Sourabaya.
Wagner, Hans, Sourabaya.
Wangoen Wattie, Cultuur Maatschappy.
Weeren, H. Van, Sourabaya.
Weissberg, S. (Magazyn de Vlijt), Bandoeng, Java.
Wirbatz, Otto, (or Wirbatz & Company), Sourabaya.
Wolf & Petschek, Sourabaya and Samarang.
Wolff's Machinefabriek, Sourabaya.
Wolff's Stoomkoffiebranderij, Sourabaya.
Wytman, A., Medan, Sumatra.
Zande, J. Van der, Palme Laan 37, Sourabaya.
Zikel & Company, Import Maatschappy, Samarang and Bandoeng.

PERSIA.

Abdul Rahim Arab.
Abramiantz & Company, Lalezar, Tehran.
Agha Muhammad Yusuf Khabbez Beglaroff, Kazvin.
Agha Muhammad Ismail Isfahani, Meshed.
Baue, Tehran.
Bonati (Schwerin), Tehran.
Carnik Khan Dalguidjan, Tehran.
Derisi, Mohammed Ali, Borasjun, Bushire.
Eger Brothers, Meshed.
Farbwerke, vorm Meister, Lucius & Brunig, Ispahan.
Fars Company, Shiraz.
Haim, Ezra, Hamadan.
Haji Abbas Arab, Ispahan.
Haji Ahmedagha Teheranji, Tehran.
Haji Amin, Ispahan.
Haji Amin-ut-Tujjar Brothers, Ispahan.
Haji Goulam Hussein, Sons of, Resht.
Haji Mihammed Ibrahim (Mulik-ut-Tujjar), Ispahan.
Haji Mohamed Ibrahim, Tehran.

Haji Muhammad Reza, Ispahan.

Haji Muhammad Ibraham Tehrani Sakkon, Tehran.

Haji Muhammad Welinkani, Kerman.

Haji Saleh Arab, Successors of, *viz*—Haji Amin, Haji Mohammed Reza and Zafar, Ispahan.

Hanemoglou, Resht.

Herold, M., Meshed.

Hoffman, Meshed.

Hosseinyeh, Magasin, Tehran.

Ismaloff, (Georges & Jean), Kazvin.

Kazeruni, Mirza Ali, Borasjun, Bushire.

Maison, Hollandaise (Prins, C.F.), Tehran.

Malik-ut-Tujjar (Haji Muhammed Ibrahim), Ispahan.

Meister, Lucius & Brunig, (*see* Farbwerke).

Meshedi, Ismail Salmasi, Kerman.

Meshedi, Goulam Ali, Resht.

Minassiantz, A., Tehran.

Muhammad Mehdi Samsar Isfaman.

Muhammad Saleh, Resht.

Mustafa Husseini, Tehran.

Papadopoulo, Hariles, Resht.

Persische Teppiche A/G., Ispahan.

Prins, C.F. (Maison Hollandaise), Tehran.

Pugin.

Roever, Wilhelm, Shiraz.

Seskiel Nawi, Tehran.

Shebarek, Georges, Tehran.

Société du Tombac, Ispahan.

Tchallis, Demetri, Resht.

Tchallis, Leandros, Resht.

Tehallis, Sotiri, Resht.

Tombac (du) Société, Ispahan.

Wassmuss.

Wonckhaus & Company, Bushire.

Yavash Ochli, Resht.

Zafar, Ispahan.

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Andersen-Hvam, C. Julius (Nordisk Kolonial Company) Langelinieskuret 40, Frihavnen, Copenhagen.

Anglo-Russian Trading Company, Dron. Tværg 3, Copenhagen.

Anita Produce Company A/S., Sofievej 2, Copenhagen.

Apothekernes Laboratorium Droge Kemikalieforretning A/S., Kronprinsensg. 1, Copenhagen.

Atlantisk Handelsselskab (Atlantic Trading Company), Vestre Boulevard 9, Copenhagen.

Bach, Jorgen, Carl Ploughs Vej 5, Copenhagen.

Baltisk Bouillontaerniugfabrik, Henrik Steffensvej 8, Copenhagen.

Beldring and Company, Vodroffsplads 2, and Vestre Boulevard 47, Copenhagen.

Berlau & Nielsen, Heimdahlsgade, Copenhagen.

Biehl, G., Tordenskjolgade 22, Copenhagen.

Bohm, J. M., Stettin Spedition (Manager, Aage Larsen) Ny. Toldbodgade 37, Copenhagen.

Bonne, C. Riis, Linoleum Company, Limited, Kronprinsensgade 6, Copenhagen.

Brennabor-Werke, (Gebr. Reichstein), Tordenskjoldsg, 3, and Christian IX's Gade 3-5 Copenhagen.

Brix-Hansen & Company, Amaliegade 36, Copenhagen.

Carstensen, Ph., Frederiksholm Kanal 4, Copenhagen.

Centralbanegaardens Chocolade-Kiosk A/S., Kroprinsensg. 1, and Centralbanegaarden, Vesterbrog, 3, Copenhagen.

Christensen & Thogersen, Gronningen, 1, Copenhagen.

Continental Caoutchouc & Guttapercha Company, Amaliegade 28, Copenhagen.

Continental Handels & Transit Aktieselskab, Vimmelskaftet 42, Copenhagen.

Copenhagen Coal & Coke Company (Kjobenhavns Kul and Koks Kompagni A/S.), Islands Brygge 22, Copenhagen.

Copenhagen's Fiskepolse Fabrik, Jernbane Alle 13, Vanlose (formerly of Viktoriagade 3, Copenhagen).

Dansk Russisk Handelsselskab, Skt. Marcus Sidealle 2, Copenhagen.

Danske Actieselskab Continentale, Amaliegade 28, Copenhagen.

Danske Fedtimport Kompagni, Vestergade 11, Copenhagen.

Danske Kaffekompagni A/S., Det, Kronprinsensg. 1, Copenhagen.

Dellheim, Sigmund, A/S., Amaliegade 6, Copenhagen.

Droge & Kemikalieforretning A/S., Apothekernes Laboratorium, Kronprinsensg. 1, Copenhagen.

Eisendrath, Société Anonyme, (Managing Director W. J. Scheidt), Kronprinsensg. 1, Copenhagen.

Enna, Carl, Nytorv 13, Copenhagen.

Eschricht, Svend, Classensg. 40 and Skindergade 24, Copenhagen.
Export & Importforretningen (Trojel & Meyer), Vestkai, Frihavnen, Copenhagen.
Gad, Th. Clausen, Havnegade 45; Vesterbrogade 12; and Frederiksberg Allé 19A, iii., Copenhagen.
General Import and Export Company, Mikkel Bryggersgade 18, (formerly of Frederiksholm Kanal 4,) Copenhagen.
Germansk Handels Kompagni, Longangsstr. 16, Copenhagen.
Goldstück Hainze & Company, S. Annæpl. 16, Copenhagen.
Grauballe, Christian, Frederiksberggade 32, and Bredgade 45, Copenhagen.
Hansen, Valdemar, & Company, Classensg. 40 and Skindergade 24, Copenhagen.
Harskind, Emil, Falkonerallé 61, Copenhagen (to be distinguished from Emil Herskind, Vesterbrogade 106).
Haubroe, L., & Company A/S., Holbergsgade, 8, Copenhagen.
Haug, Carl, Kjobmagergade 28, Copenhagen.
Hellerie, Max, & Company, Reverdilsgade 5, Copenhagen
Henius, Emil, Vestervoldgade 31; Gronningen 15; Bernstorffsgade 21, (formerly of Christian IX.'s Gade), Copenhagen.
Henriques, R. Jr., Hôjbroplads 9, Copenhagen.
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Hommel, Valdemar, Hestemollestraede 6, Copenhagen.
Interchange Limited (Manager E. U. Landgraff), Holbergsgade 3, Copenhagen.
Jacobsen, Jacob, Nyhavn 31, Copenhagen.
Jelstrup, H., Studiestraede 49, and Krystalgade 46, Copenhagen.
Jensen, Albert, Kalvebod Brygge 2, Copenhagen.
Jensen & Fode, Ny. Vestergade 7, Copenhagen.
Jensen & Hoeck, Amaliegade 36, Copenhagen.
Jensen, Carl, Hejreveji, Copenhagen.
Jensen, Chr. Ruge, Aalborg.
Jeppesen, K. T., Princesse Meries Allé 17, (formerly of Jernbanegade 4, and Vodrofsplads 13), Copenhagen.
Jorgensen, J. A., & Company, Romersgade 15, Copenhagen; and Sonderg 17/19, Odense.
Keil, Otto, Vesterbrogade 28, Copenhagen.
Kjobenhavns Kul & Koks Kompagni A/S (Copenhagen Coal and Coke Company), Islands Brygge 22, Copenhagen.
Kongelige Militaer & Vajsenhus Apothek, Kjobmagergade, Copenhagen.
Kraeft, Walter, Norregade 7, Copenhagen.
Krebs, Carl, Kongens Nytorv, 6, Copenhagen.
Kuhnert, Rasmus, Jorcks Pass and Vimmelskftet 42, Copenhagen.
Landgraff, E. U., B. W., or E. M., (of Interchange Limited A/S.), Holbergsgade 3, Copenhagen.
Larsen's, Aage (*see* J. M. Bohm Stettim Spedition).
Lassen's, Carl, Filial, International Speditionsforretning, Amaliegade 37, Copenhagen.
Linoleum, A./S., Kolding.
Lorenzen's, Christian N., Eftf., Gammel Kongevej 23, Copenhagen.
Lykkeberg, Peter Rudolf, Teglgaardstr. 5, Copenhagen.
Matthiesen, C., Vesterbrogade 35, and Strandvejen 90, Klampenborg, Copenhagen.
Militaer Apothek, Kjobmagergade, Cnopenageh.
Moller & Seiersen, Kronprinsensg. 1, Copenhagen
Moritz, Carl G., Vesterbrogade 20, and Frederiksberg Alle 19, Copenhagen.
Mortensen, Orla, Nykjobing, Falster.
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Nordisk Kolonial Company A/S., Frihavnen, Copenhagen.
Nordisk Kommissions Kompagni Radaustraede 11, Copenhagen.
Nordisk Vareimport, Griffenfeldtsgade 8, Copenhagen.
Norstrand, Carl, Kongens Nytorv 6, Copenhagen.
Osterbro's Patent Scirieco Kaffebranderi Limited, Magstr. 6, Copenhagen.
Petersen, Jens, Skindergade 31, Copenhagen.
Petersen, P. Carl, Holmens Kanal 9, Copenhagen.
Phonix Agenfur (or Phonix Company) Vestervoldgade 11, Copenhagen, (No connection with Phonix A/S., Godthaabsvej 88).
Produkt Import (Skandinavisk) Company, Skindergade 31, Copenhagen.
Rassmussen, Alf., and Company, Martinsv. 9; Vestre Boulevard 9, Copenhagen.
Regulaer A/S., Kronprinsensg. 1, Copenhagen.
Reiniger, Gebbert & Schall A/S., Nybrogade 32, Copenhagen.
Rothapfel, Max, Ostbanegaarden 19, Copenhagen.
Rudholt, Rasmus, Tordenskjoldsgade 17, Copenhagen.
Sachs, Ignace, Palads Hotel, Copenhagen.
Sand, Hilmar & Company, Nygade 3, Copenhagen.
Scandinavian British Syndicate, Islands Brygge 21, and Holmens Kanal 5, Copenhagen.
Schacke, Julius, Knabrostraede 1, Copenhagen.
Schaltz, K. A., Frederiksholm Kanal 4, Copenhagen.
Scharling, Emil, Norrebrog, 140, Copenhagen.
Scheidt, W. J., (*see* Société Anonyme Eisendrath).
Schimmelpfeng W., Auskunftei, Vestergade 13, Copenhagen.
Seelk, Alfred, strandv. 118, Vimmelskaftet, 42, and Borsen, Copenhagen.
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Société Anonyme Eisendrath (Managing Director W. J. Scheidt), Kronprinsensg. 1, Copenhagen.
Stern-Handfuss, S., Niels Juelsgade 11, Copenhagen.
Storm, Jorgen, Jernbanestations Plads, Hjorring.
Streit, Carl, Aalborg & Esbjerg.
Thygesen, Aage, Kompagniestraede 22, Copenhagen.
Trojel & Meyer, Kronprinsensg. 1 & 3 Copenhagen.
Trojel, Hans, (*see* Vesterbros Farve & Materialhandel).
Union Special Maskin Kompagni Kjobenhavn Limited, Kjobmagergade 28, Copenhagen.
Vajsenhus Apotheket, Kjobmagergade, Copenhagen.
Vesterbros Farve & Materialhandel (Hans Trojel), Vesterbrog. 73A, Copenhagen.

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Winkel & Wondt, Borsen 7, Copenhagen.

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Achaia Wine Company (Société Vinicole Allemande), Gutland, Patras.
Akif, Hassan, & Company, Salonika.
Anatoli Insurance Company, The, Athens.
Antovitch, Pierre, Chios.
Assael, Peppo, Allatini Han, Salonika.
Asseo, Jacob, Yildiz Han 11, Salonika.
Barouh, Solomon & Levi, Volo.
Baumann, Hermann, Rue Osakaloff 31, Athens.
Baumann & Beckmann, Pl. Dimokratirion, Athens.
Bayona, Auguste, Salonika.
Beck, Karl, 13 Rue de l' Université, Athens.
Bensussan, N., Piræus.
Bloch, Eugene, Piræus.
Brazzafoli, Domenico, Syra.
Callimasiotis, Dimitrios, Piræus.
Charamis, Panayiotis, Piræus.
Cohen, Mordoh & Company, Kasmindji Han, Salonika.
Cohen, Simando, Piræus.
Coundourakis, Georges J., Candia, Crete.
Damalas, Pavlos (Paul), Piræus.
Dumas, Constantine, Calamata.
Daniolos Fréres, Andros.
Defner & Edelmann, Athens.
Dimitrelias, John, Vathy, Samos.
Entreprises Commerciales (d'), Société Anonyme, Kolokotronis Street, Piræus.
Export Society, Piræus.
Fabrique de Tabacs et Cigarettes Macedoniennes, Salonika.
Farkouh, Constantine, Salonika.
Farkouh, George, Salonika and Athens.
Farkouh, Hadzi Daoud, Salonika and Athens.
Fels & Company, Corfu.
Fenyves, Philip, Teldji Han 18, Salonika.
Galanis & Goldstein & Hadjiandreou, Samos.
Gattegno, Samuel Daniel, Missir Tcharchi 42, Salonika.
Goldstein, Albert Samos.
Gottlich, Martin, Candia.
Gromann, George, Athens.
Hampartchoumian, Aram, Athens.
Hamparzum, Aram, (Aram Hampartchoumian), Athens.
Harr, Gustave, St. Theodore Square, Athens.
Hasson & Recanati, Emniyet Han, Salonika.
Hassurakis, A., Syra.
Heidmann, Hans, Salonika.
Herzog, M. L., & Company, Salonika.
Hoffmann, Alfred, Piræus.
International Magnesit Werken, Gereka ri, Eubœa.
Jenny & Vock (Fridolin Jenny; Emil Vock), Rua Franquo, Salonika.
Jenny, Fridolin (*see* Jenny & Vock).
Kloebe, Karl, & Company, Athens.
Kloebe, Friedrich, (of Karl Kloebe & Company), Athens.
Kloebe, Karl, (of Karl Kloebe & Company), Athens.
Koeing, I. & H. & Company, Athens.
Kouremetis, Michael, Athens and Calymnos.
Kouremetis, Pandelis, Athens and Calymnos.
Kruger, Max., Canea, Crete.
Kruger, Richard, G., Canea, Crete.
Lianos, C., Freres, Piræus.
Lianos, Soulakas & Goumas, Piræus.
Lochner, Hermann, Patras.
Lochner, Max, Patras.
Lucas & Company, Patras.
Macedoniennes, Fabrique de Tabacs et Cigarettes, Salonika.
Margaritis, J. Piræus.
Maroulis, Alexander & Company, Salonika.
Mayer & Company, Salonika.
Mazzino, A. G., Syra.
Mehmed Baldji Fréres, Aelion Han, Salonika.
Miceli, E. & C. B. Xanthos, 20, place de la, Liberté, Athens.
Michaelides & Milch, Panghion Hotel, Athens and Piræus.
Moretti, Louis, Zante.
Muller, Carl, Ferdinand, Rue Apollo 37, Athens.
Muller, Karl, Patras.
Ornstein, Dr. Otto, Chios.
Palaiologas, George, Patras.
Papatheodorou, Athanasios (see Alexandre Zachariou & Company).
Pfister & Assael, (Rudolph Von Pfister & peppo Assael), Allatini Han, Salonika.
Pfister, Rudolph Von (see Pfister & Assael).
Procopiou, Patras.
Recanati, Fils de Joseph, Sibi Gumruk Han, Salonika.
Recanati, H. J., and Company, Sibi Gumruk Han, Salonika.
Rossini, Alexander (*alias* Rosalini), Odos Vasilissa Olga 162A, Salonika and Porto Lagos.
Savopoulos Sfyris & Company, Rue Notara 67, Piræus.
Schachtel & Jacobson, Salonika.
Scheffel, Helmuth, Volo.
Schenker & Company, Salonika.
Schewend, August, Candia, Crete.
Seefelder & Company (Hans & Michel), Salonika.
Senegalia, A., Patras.
Société Anonyme d'Entreprises Commerciales, Kolokotronis Street, Piræus.
Société Vinicole Allemande (*see* Achaia Wine Company).
Spiedel & Company, Island of Thassos and Suja, Crete.
Stein's Oriental Stores Limited, Salonika.
Stoltenhof & Lucas, Patras.
Stuermer, Max, Candia, Crete.
Stringos, George, Piræus.
Tiring, Victor, & Fréres, Salonika.
Vock, Emil (*see* Jenny & Vock).
Wein, Jacob, Canea.
Yannoukakis, Nicholas, Piræus.
Zachariou, Alexandre (*see* Alexandre Zachariou & Company).
Zachariou, Alexandre, & Company, (Alexandre Zachariou & Athanasios Papatheodorou), 54 Stadium Street, Athens.
Zachariou, John, Rethymo, Crete.
Zachariou, Peter, & Son, Rethymo, Crete.
Zahn, Henry, Calamata.
Zirini Brothers (John, Basil & George Zirini), Xanthi.

ICELAND AND FÄROE ISLANDS.

Arnason, Jón, Vesturgota, Reykjavik.
Braun, Rich, N., Reykjavik, Iceland.
Brauns, Verslun, Reykjavik, Iceland.

Kristoferson, Magnus, Hverfisgota, Reykjavik.
Krossanes Oil and Guano Factory, Krossanes, Iceland.
Obenhaupt, A., Templarasund 5, Reykjavik, Iceland.
Runolfsson, Olafur, Hverfisgota, Reykjavik.
Thomson, H. Th. A., Reykjavik, Iceland, and Thorshavn, Färoe Islands.
Thordarsson, Svein, Hverfisgota, Reykjavik.

NETHERLANDS.

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Algemeene Nederlandsche Chemische Maatschappy, N V, Kuiperstraat 48-50, Amsterdam.
Allgemeine Electricitats Gesellschaft, Install. Bur., Keizersgracht 70, Amsterdam.
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American Bicycle Company, Prinsengracht 657, Amsterdam.
American Importing Company, (M. Kattenburg), Keizersgracht 197, Amsterdam.
Amsterdam Import Kantoor, Koningsplein 14, Amsterdam.
Amsterdumsche Gaoutchouc Compagnie, Leidschester 47, Amsterdam.
Anthraciet Handelsvereeniging, Boompjes 70, Rotterdam.
Asbestos (Nederlandsche) Maatschappy, N.V., Willemskade 19, Rotterdam.
Astereth, Friedr., Maaskade 132, Rotterdam.
Automobiel Maatschappy "Zuid Holland", Gouschesingel 6, Rotterdam.
Bacher, August, Sons. Wijnraven Z.Z. 108, Rotterdnm.
Bakker, S. W., Ymuiden.
Bankinstelling, Holland" N. V. (see "Holland" Bankinstelling).
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Beit & Company, Prins Hendrikkade 66 67, Amsterdam.
Bella, M. de la, 2 e Jan van der Heydenstraat 2, Amsterdam.
Berger & Wirth, Spuistraat 46, Amsterdam.
Berger, Henri, (*see* Drukkerij N.V.)
"Bergleute," Transport Kontor Voorschoterlaan 84, Rotterdam.
Bergsma, Agentuur & Commissiehandel Reguliersgracht 28, Amsterdam.
"B. E. Sons," Graaf Florisstraat 7, Amsterdam.
Beuningen, D. G, van, Maliebaan 8, Utrecht.
Binneveld & Schellen, Boompjes 40B; Pickstraat 63B, Rotterdam.
"Bleekertje (Het)," Zeeppoederfabriek, (*see* J. H. Wigleven).
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Böcker, L., & Company. Postbus 78; Boompjes 30A, Rotterdam.
Boest Gips and Van Der Leye, Rijnhaven Z. Z. 20, Rotterdam.
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Borleffs & Company, Haagscheveer 16, Rotterdam.
Borner, G. A. A, Nicolas Witsenkade 30, Amsterdam.
Bosnak, Herman, Frans van Mierisstraat 31, Amsterdam.
Bosnak, Michel, Nieuwe Heerengracht 151, Amsterdam.
Brands, Th. E., Rokin 68, Amsterdam.
Brasch & Rothenstein, Heerengr. 320, Amsterdam Boompjes 40A, Rotterdam and Flushing.
Bremner, P. H. Kerkstraat 307, Amsterdam.
Bruijn, P. C. de, Raadhuisstraat 4, Amsterdam.
Buck, Geo., Junior, Rotterdam.
Buitenlandsche Handels Maatschappy, (Foreign Trading Company), Haagsche Veer 35, Rotterdam.
Bunge & Company, Vygendam 2-6, Amsterdam.
Caan and Heumann, Daendelstraat 13 The Hague.
Calkoen & Company, Rokin 92-96, Amsterdam.
Catz Gebroeders, Coolsingel 51-53, and Nieuwehaven 141, Rotterdam; and Kloveniersburgwal 31, Amsterdam.
Ceuvell, J. L., Hoogte Kadijk 147, Amsterdam.
Chirurgische Instrumentenfabriek N. V., (Voorheen Loth & Stöpler), Trans 1, Utrecht.
Coal Trading Association (see Steenkolen Handelsvereeniging).
Cohen, Felix, Leuvehaven 86A, Rotterdam.
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Cohn, Gustav. (Holland & America Import & Export Company), Het Witte Huis, Rotterdam.
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Daarnhouwer & Company, Raadhuisstraat 46, Amsterdam.
"De Chinees," Thee Maatschappy, Ged. Binnenrotte 30, Rotterdam.
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"De Schie," Olie & Vetfabriek, N. V., Westerkade 6, Schiedam.
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Deutsche Vereinigte Schuhmaschinenfabriek, Boschveldweg, S'Hertogenbosch.
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Docter Gebrs. Beverwijk Mills, Beverwijk.
Dreibholz and Company, Gebrs., Kostverlorenvaart 44 and Kruislaan, Watergraafsmeer, Amsterdam; and Rotterdam
Driel's (van) Stoomboot en Transport Oudeen, Maaskade O. Z. 114, Rotterdam.
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Winkel & Wondt, Borsen 7, Copenhagen.

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Assael, Peppo, Allatini Han, Salonika.
Asseo, Jacob, Yildiz Han 11, Salonika.
Barouh, Solomon & Levi, Volo.
Baumann, Hermann, Rue Osakaloff 31, Athens.
Baumann & Beckmann, Pl. Dimokratirion, Athens.
Bayona, Auguste, Salonika.
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Exportadora Frutera Tarraconense, Tarragona.
Fabrica de Lámparas de Filamento Metalico, Sociedad Anonima, Peseo de Santa Maria de la Cabeza, Madrid.
Falkenstein, Felix, Calle Colegiata 13, Madrid.
Faust & Kammann, Ronda de la Universidad 16, Barcelona.
Feliu y Adaro, Paseo de Colon 8, Barcelona.
Ferrer, José Ballester (*see* José Ballester, Hijo).
Ferrer (Ricardo) Sociedad Anonima, Calle Mendez Nunez 8, Barcelona.
Feu Hermanos, Ayamonte; Huelva & Lepe.
Feustel, Otto, Consejo de Ciento 322, Barcelona.
Figueras, Manuel, Tarragona.
Fliedner, Jorge, Madrid.
Frade, Francisco, Madrid.
Fraga, Enrique, Corunna.
Fraile, Manuel, Calle Princesa 63 and Calle San Hermenegilde 5, Madrid.
Freudenthal, Gustaf, Calledel Coso, Zaragoza.
Fuchs, Siegfried, Villa Alemana, Malaga.
Gallegos y Arnosa, José Luis, Seville.
Gans, Richard, Princesa 63, Madrid.
Garcia (*see* Coca, Joaquin Garcia).
Garcia, Arsenio (*see* Velveroe Garcia, Arsenio).
Garcia, Fernando Ruiz (*see* Ruiz Garcia).
Garridó & Otte, Pasaje de la Alhambra 1, and Imperial 2, Madrid.
Garzon (*see* M. Garrigan Lorente).
Gaswerk Company, Santa Cruz, Tenerife.
German Cable Company, Tenerife.
Gerdtzen, Otto, Calle de Utziaz 16, Vigo; and Gijon.
Gresch wind (or Gschwind), Federico Plaza de Bilbas 2 Madrid.
Gil, Juan, Paseo, de Colon 19, & Chatelar 9, Seville.

Gimenez y Martinez, Pedro, Dormitorio San Francisco 13, Barcelona.
Giminez, Manuel, Romers (see Romers Giri Buez, Manuel).
Gomez, Candido, Ayamonte.
Goncalves, Francisco, Las Palmas and Tenerife.
Goncalves Hermanos, Las Palmas and Tenerife.
Gonzalez, Alonzo Julio, Alameda de Mazarredo 1, Bilbao.
Gottschalk Hermanos, Calle Bailen 27, Barcelona.
Götz, Anton, Hotel Moderno, Tuy.
Greiner, C. A., É Hijos, San Feliu de Guixols.
Grösch, Federico, Calle Corcega, Barcelona.
Grube, Werner (sucesor de D. C. Nordmann), Calle Conde de Benomar 11, Seville.
Guerrero Bueno, Manuel, Malaga.
Gutierrez, Leopoldo, Mendizabel 47, Madrid.
Gutkind, Felix, Trinidad Grund 7, Malaga.
Hafner & Wienken, Calle Torrijos 112, Malaga.
Hamm, Luis S., Rambla de Cataluna 35, Barcelona.
Hanne, Antoine, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Hartmann & Company, Madrid, Calle Cortes 591, Barcelona ; Valencia & Seville.
Hartmann, Pablo, Calle Cortes, 591, Barcelona ; Madrid, Valencia and Seville.
Haya, Antonio, Calle Alfonso XII 32, Sevile.
Heinsdorf & Lemcke, Atocha 4, and Alameda de Colón 6, Malaga.
Heise, Georg, Calle Pópulo 24, Prãl Der Seville.
Hengsternberg, Hermann, Sevleli
Herberg, Viuda de Federico, Rosellón 194 and Calle Claris 54, Barcelona.
Hering, Agencia Maritima, Dormitorio, San Francisco 7, Barcelona.
Hernandez, Juan Castro, Santa Cruz, Tenerife.
Herrero, Blas, Frigiliana Province, of Malaga.
Herrero, Navas, Blas, (*see* Blas Herrero).
Heusch, Hugo & Company, Calle Diputacion 112-118, Barcelona ; and Palma Mallorca.
Heyser (*see* Mond y Heyser, Julio).
Hielscher, Adolfo, Calle Zorrilla 31, Madrid.
Hinderer, Carlos, Madrid.
Hispano Alemana De Transportes Internacionales, Sociedad, Barcelona
Hispano (La) Alemana, Viladomat 83, Barcelona.
Homs Cartana, Zacarias, Fuencarral 55, Madrid.
Hoppe, Carlos, & Company, Alameda de Mazarredo 1, Bilbao ; and Calle Muelle 17, Santander.
Hoppe, Carlos y Sylvi, Alameda de Mazarredo 1, Bilbao.
Ideal Galleys, Corunna.
Industria Electrica, La, Calle Banquillo 28, Madrid ; and Barcelona.
Industria Español de Perlas Imitación, Calle Diputacion 87, 91, 108 & 110, Barcelona.
Industrias Forb, Sociedad Anonima, Calle Lauria 104 and Calle Valencia 293, Barcelona.
Ingles, (or Yngles) Martin, Port Bou.
Jaenicke, Alejandro, Calle Santa Rosa 4, Gijon.
Jannides, Temistocles, Calle General Menacho 9, Cadiz.
Kahlert, Alberto, Seville.
Kalle & Company, Trafalgar 37, Barcelona.
Kalle Kniesling, Guillermo, Trafalgar 37, Barcelona.
Kaupp, Ernesto, S. en C., Calle Cortes 498, Barcelona.
Knappe, Carlos, Calle Alcalá 38, Madrid.

Kniesling (*see* Kalle Kniesling).
Koehler, Guillermo, Esparteros 1 and Plaza del Cordon 1, Madrid.
Koppel, Arturo, Carrera San Jeronimo, Madrid.
Korting, Sociedad Anon. Española, Plaza Palacio 11, Barcelona ; and Valencia.
Lafuente, Francisco, Malaga.
Lafuente, Ricardo, Malaga.
Lainez, Hijos de Evelio, Cadiz.
Laugen & Company, Paseo de Gracia 73 ; Calle Diputacion 258, Barcelona ; and Hortaleza 17, Madrid.
Larrea, Antonio (*see* Schad (Ernesto y Larrea Antonio)).
Larrinaga y Bilbao. Plazuela S. Nicholas 2, Bilbao.
Laschütza, Oscar, Vigo.
Lecube, Juan, Bilbao.
Lehmann & Company, Consejo de Ciento 153, Barcelona.
Lenze, Carlos, Calle Colón 13, Valencia.
Lengo, Arturo, Almeria, Garrucha, Malaga and Aguilas.
Lenher, Amande, Alicante.
Leonhardt, E., & Company, Trafalgar 23, Barcelona.
Leopold, Guillermo, Caputxas 4 and Plegamans 3, Barcelona.
Lewin, Benito, Apartado 210, Bilbao ; and Chalet Urguyo, Las Arenas.
Libreria Nacional y Extranjera, Caballero de Gracia 60, Madrid.
Libreria Nacional y Extranjera, Rambla Cataluña 72, Barcelona.
Linan, Antonio Ruiz, Lagunillas 30, Malaga.
Linhoff, Carlos (sucesores de Cross & Linhoff), Malaga.
Lluch y Cia, Paseo de Gracia 51, Barcelona.
Loeck, Walter, Bilbao.
Loewenstein, Benito, Seville.
Lohr, Maximilio, Tenerife.
Lopez & Company, Malaga.
Lopez, German, Malaga.
Lopez, Guerra, Manuel, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Lopez. José, Calle Diputacion 112-118 & Bruch, 49, Barcelona.
Lopez, Josefa, Calle Conde de Benomar 11, Seville.
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Malaga Dried Fruit Company, Malaga.
Manau, Mariano, Barcelona.
Marra & Company, Malaga.
Marten, Martin, Calle Adriano 38, Seville & Calle Cortes 604, Barcelona.
Martin, Juan Gonzales, Calle Cabello 2, Malaga.
Martinez (*see* Pedro Gimenez y Martinez).
Mas Blay, Antonio, Calle Montesion 14 and 16, magdalenas 8 and Calle Fernando 41 Barcelona.
Medem, Otto, Calle Bailen 2, Barcelona; Calle A. Calderon 15, and Calle Atazazanas 15, Valencia ; Alicante ; Bilbao and Malaga.
Medina, Domingo, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
" Mentidero," Madrid.
Meyer, Carlos, Cadiz.
Meyer y Bacharach, Calle Serrano y Grao, and Calle Colón 36, Valencia ; and Malaga.
Meyerhof Hermanos y Thomson y Cia., Bruct 19 and Calabria 263, Barcelona.
Minguez, Basilio, Carthagena.

Minguez, Julio, Carthagena.
Mittelstrass, Otto, Las Palmas.
Molina, Diego, Alicante.
Mond y Heyser, Julio (late Mond & Werner). Aniceto Saenz 11, Arrayan 25 and San Luis 42, Seville.
Monguio y Scharlau, Calle Aragon 219, Barcelona.
Montanola, Antonio, Tarragona.
Morata, Antonio Visconti, (*see* Visconti Morata Antonio).
Morati, Francisco Visconti (*see* Visconti Morati)
Morel Bas, Joaquin, Calle Valencia 351, Barcelona.
Morin, Jules, Paséo Gracia 61, Calle Ausias March 14-18, and Calle Lauria 108, Barcelona.
Moritz, E. H., Calle Consejo de Ciento 325, Barcelona.
Mulder, Enrique, Vigo.
Muller, Alejandro, y Cia., Calle Buenos Aires 6, Barcelona.
Muller, Alfred, Palma, de Mallorca.
Muller de Goupille, J., Tarragona.
Muller Hermanos, Aviñó 20 and Fernando 32, Barcelona.
Muller, Hugo, Seville.
Muller, William, Seville.
Murillo, Marcelino, Bilbao.
Navarro, Bernardo. Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Neufville (de), Sucesor de J., Santa Teresa 8 and 10 Barcelona.
Nordmann, D C, (sucesor Werner Grube) (*see* Grube, Werner).
Norregaard, Luis, Tarragona.
Nunez (*see* Pedro Cejudo-Nunez).
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Orenstein & Koppel—Arthur Koppel—Sociedad Anonima, Rambla de Santa Maria 13, Barcelona, and all branches in Spain.
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Perlas Imitación, Industria Español de, Calle Diputacion 81, 91, 108 and 110, Barcelona.
Perseverancia(La), Oxide Factory (*see* Bonitz Hermanos)
Pfeil, Emil, Calle Obispo Lago 37, Tuy.
Pfluger, Johan, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Pflugger, Karl, Las Palmas.
Polster y Buch, Calle Cuarte 134-136, Valencia.
Postius (*see* Algarra y Postius).
Prats, Alberto, Carrera de la Estacion, Caceres.
" Provincia La." Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Pumarino Valdes, Eduardo de las Alas, Malaga
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Ramirez, Antonio, Trinidad Grund 7, Malaga, (Transport Agent)
Ramirez y Compania, Calle Aragon, Barcelona.
Rautzenberg, Guillermo, Calle Marqués de Cubas, Madrid.
Reder, Gustav, Calle Zorrilla 23, Madrid.
Rein & Company, Malaga.
Ribot, Miguel, Plaza de la Merced, 2 segundo, Barcelona.
Ries & Company, Colón 72, Valencia.
Ries, Isidor, Colón 72. Valencia.
Rissmann, Federico O., Calle Lauria 104 and Calle Valencia 293, Barcelona.
Rodriguez, Adolpho Hielscher, Calle Zorrilla 31, Madrid.
Rojas, Claudio, Santa Cruz, Tenerife.
Romeo, Joaquin, Ramla Santa Monica 13, Barcelona.
Romero Gimeney, Manuel, Calle de Nicolas Maria Rivero, 8, Madrid ; and Barcelona.
Roock, Jorge, Hurtado de Amézaga 12, and Fueros 2, Bilbao.
Rose, Louis, Hotel España, Calle Mayor, Madrid.
Roseno & Company, Calle Monte Esquinza 10, Madrid.
Rosenow, Hermann, Monte Esquinza 10, Madrid.
Roth, Richard, Consejo de Ciento 313, Barcelona.
Rubio, Juan, Malaga.
Rubli, Paul, Madrid.
Rüggeberg, Federico, Ausias March 14-18, Barcelona.
Ruiz Garcia, Farnando, Infantas 1, Santander.
Ruprecht, Federico, Rambla Cataluña 45 and Calle Cortes 587, Barcelona.
Saenz, Manuel Domingo, Calle de San Francisco Malaga.
Saggese Antonio, Palma and Binisalem (Majorca)
Saggese (Felipe) y Hermanos, Palma and Binisalem (Majorca).
Saggese Hermanos de Binisalem y de Palma, Palma, Balearic Islands.
Sahagun y Beardro, Federico, Isaac Peral 16, Cadiz.
Salavert (*see* Cano Salavert).
Sales, Angel, Calle Fernando 41, Barcelona.
Sanchez, Eduardo, Malaga.
San José Cano, Luis, S. en C., Rambla Santa Monica 14, Barcelona.
Schad (Ernesto) y Larrea (Antonio), Calle Ercilla 12, Bilbao.
Schaefer, Dr. E., Pasaje de la Paz 10 bis, Barcelona.
Schimmelpfeng's Information Agency, Madrid ; and Ronda de la Universidad 17, Barcelona.
Schlayer, Felix (Sucesor de Alberto Ahles & Company), Alcalá 46, Madrid ; Paseo de aduana 15 and 17, Barcelona.
Schutte, Alfred H., & Company, Calle Lauria 18, Barcelona, and Calle Luchana 1, Bilbao.
Segalerva, Rafael Baquera, Malaga.
Serra, Joaquin, Plaza Hurinera, Reus ; and Plaza Olozaga, Tarragona.
Serra, Juan, Tarragona.
Serra, Pedro Pares, Calle Alcala 46, Madrid.
Serrano, Augustin, and Cia, Malaga.
Siderurgia y Maquinaria Extranjera, Calle Martinez Cubells 10, Valencia.
Siemens & Halske, Barquillo 28 and Orellana 4, Madrid.
Siemens Schückert Industria Electrica, Barcelona ; Madrid ond Valencia.
Siemens, Enrique, & Company, Las Palmas.
" Siglo Futuro (El)," Madrid.
Sociedad Anonima Española de colas, Gelatinas y Abonos, Calle Alcala 69 and Calle del Prado. 4, Madrid.
Sociedad Anónima Fabrica de Lámparas de Filamento Metalico, Paseo de Santa Maria de la Cabeza, Madrid.
Sociedad Vinicola, Tarragona.
Soler y Trias, Francisco, Calle Gasometro 12, Barcelona.

Soria & Company, Grao de Valencia.
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Specht (of Deutsche Sudamerikanische Telegraphen Gesellschaft or German Cable Company) Santa Cruz de Tenerife.
Stierlen, Ernesto, Pascual y Genis 26, Valencia.
Suarez, Bernardo, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Tannenbaum, Juan, Cármen 24, Madrid.
Tapias, José, Tarragona.
Teickner (or Teikner), Máximo, Mercado del Ensauche 5, Bilbao; Barcelona and Valencia.
Teixido Barrau, Juan, Passeo de Gracia 47, Barcelona.
Teschendorff, Steiner & Company, Travessa S. Vincente and Calle Peaña 25, Grao de Valencia.
Thomson-Houston Iberica (*see* Allgmeine Electricitäts Gesellschaft).
Thonet Hermanos, Madrid.
Torrens, Alberto, Mariana Pineda 5, Madrid.
"Tradicionalista, El," Grand Canary.
Traumann, Enrique, Madrid.
Trias (*see* Francesco Soler y Trias).
"Tribuna," Madrid.
Uhthoff, Ludolfo, Calle San Pedro 16, Cadiz.
Ungebaner, Rudolf, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Union de Destiladores de Esencias de España Socieded Anonima, Malaga.
Valdes (*see* Pumarino Valdes, Eduardo de las Alas).
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Vinicola, Sociedad, Tarragona.
Viscont Morata, Antonio Plaza Constitucion 14 and 15, Alicante.
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Vogt, Conrad, Santa Cruz, Tenerif.
Waekounigg, Wilhelm, Bilbao.
Weinhagen, Gustave, & Company, Calle de Napoles 107, Barcelona.
Weinstein, Martin, Calle Montalbàn 7, Madrid.
Welsch, Richard, Plaza de Cataluna, 19, Barcelona.
Wertheim, Carlos, Calle Avino 9, Barcelona.
White, Luis, Benicarlo and Tarragona.
Wimmer, J., & Company (Hans, Johannes, & Max Wimmer), Puerta del Sol 6, Madrid.
Winter, Emilio, Calle General Menacho 9, Cadiz.
Wittmack, Otto, & Company, Carmen 21, Malaga.
Woermann Line, Las Palmas.
Wolf, Rudolt, Calle Alcala 52, Madrid.
Yngles (*see* Ingles, Martin).

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Allgemeine Electrictäts Gesellschaft, Karduansmakareg 9, Stockholm.
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Almquist, Carl, Ystad.
Alpen, H., Magasinskvarte 3A, Gothenburg.
Andersson, Axel, Torneä.
Andersson, Leopold, Fjällgatan 6, Gothenburg.
Andersson & Lindberg (A/B), Stora Badhusgatan 6 Gothenburg.
Andrén, Axel, Stora Nygatan 7, & Packhusplatsen 2 Hertzia, Gothenburg.
Apoteket Kronan, Korsgaten 3, Gothenburg.
Appelbom, Nils (of P. L. Engstam (A./B.,)), Drottningg. 81, Stockholm.
Aquist, Ernst ("Oscaria" Skofabriken of Stockholm, &c.), Örebro.
Arnberg, Rich. M. (of Tom A/B.), St. Pauli Kyrkog. 12, Malmö.
Artberg, Eskil, Birgerjarlsgatan 6, Stockholm.
Arvum (A/B), V. Hamng 14, Gothenburg.
Aspegren, Rich., Stortorget 3, Malmö.
Bagges Import Agentur, O., Hamngt. 50B Gothenburg.
Beijers, John, Skofabrik (A/B), Flemminggatan 59, and Kronobergsg. 9, Stockholm.
Berg, Victor, Malmtorgsg. 5, Stockholm.
Bergman & Company, Birgerjarlsgaten 15, Stockholm.
Berne, O., & Company 5, Promenaden 57, Malmo.
Bernström, Gustaf, Korsgatan 3, Gothenburg.
Bexelius, Henrik, G., la Kungsholmsbrog. 27, and Valling 42, Stockholm.
Biehl, G., Malmö.
Blomquist, Olof, & Company, Oscarshamn.
Böhm (A/B), J.M., Skeppsbron 40, Stockholm.
Bojsen, C. V., S. Hamngatan 59, Gothenburg.
Bojsen, Sture, Föreningsgatan 52, Malmö.
Brattström, Johann, Kungsholms Hamnplan 7, Stockholm.
Burchard, Adolf, Drottningg. 4, and Strandvägen 29, Stockholm.
Christiernin, C., Vasag 15-17, Stockholm.
Dahlström, Otto, Bredgr. 2, Stockholm
Daumichen, Max, Stockholm.
Deijenberg, Carl, Sodra Vagen 30, Gothenburg.
Dressfalls Grufvor Och Malmförädlings verk (A/B), Rosenbad 2, Stockholm.
Edstrand Brothers, Jorgen Knockg. 2 and Skeppsbron, Malmö.
Edström, Simon, Skeppsbron 11, Malmö.
Ekner, Albin, Surbrunnsgatan 6, Gothenburg.
Engeström & Jaeppelt, Per Weijersg 1, Malmö; and Gothenburg.
Engstam, P. L. (A/B), Drottningg. 81, Stockholm.
Fallenius, & Lefflers (A/B), V. Hamngatan 5, Gothenburg, and all branches in Sweden.
Forstners, C. E., Paraplyfabrik (A/B.), G.; la Kungsholmsbrog. 34, Stockholm.
Fraenckel, Moritz, & Company, Gothenburg.
Fredriksson, G., (of P. L. Engstam (A/B.)), Drottningg. 81, Stockholm.
Fridafors Fabriks (A/B), Fridafors.
Frykberg's, J. E., Handels A/B, Badstugatan 12, Stockholm.
Gleitsman, E. T., Trälleborg.
Goldstück, Hainze & Company, Drottningg. 5, Gothenburg.
Gotthardt, Herman, Jörgen Kocksg. 4, Malmö.
Grafford, J., Katarinavägen 11, Stockholm.
Gredt, Paul, Stockholm and Malmö.
Hammar, John, & Company, Wahrendorffsg. 6 (formerly of Vasagatan 6), Stockholm.
Hamren, J. S., (of P. L. Engstam (A/B)), Drottningg. 81, Stockholm.
Hansen's, M., Fabriker (A/B), Arsenalsgat. 3, Stockholm.
Hanson, Wilhelm, & Company, Vasagatan 6, Stockholm.
Hansson, Elof, Packhuspl. 2, Gothenburg; and Stockholm.
Harbeck, Doctor Ernst, Partille, Gothenburg.

Harmsen, Wilhelm, (A/B), Vasag 15-17, Stockholm.
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Hud & Skinnaffären, Svenska (James Meyer), Pildamsvagen 2B & Rosenlundsgatan 9, Malmö.
Humbert, Hermann, Artillerigatan 6, Stockholm.
Jaeppelt & Son, Malmö.
Jäger, Wilhelm, Stadsgarden 8, Stockholm.
Japanska Magazinet, Birgerjarlsgatan 6, Stockholm.
Johannsen, Nikolai, Skeppsbron. 18, Stockholm.
Johnson, Eric R., Kommendörsg. 17, Stockholm.
Jonsson & Krafft, V., Hamngt. 14, Gothenburg.
Jonsson's Klas., Eft., Kyrkogatan 20, Gothenburg
Kanold Broderna, Chocoladfabrik, Jacobsdahl, Orgryte, Gothenburg.
Klingener, E., Packhuspl. 2, Gothenburg.
Klippans Chromläder Fabriks (A/B), Klippan near Malmö.
Kronan, Apoteket, Korgsgaten 3, Gothenburg.
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Lagerlöf's, Sam., Maskinbyra, Centralpalatset, Stockholm.
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Levin. Sigismund, Landskrona.
Limämmesfabriken Komanditbolag, Svenska, (Franz Meyer & Company), Landskrona.
Lindegren & Rae, (A/B)., Bredgr. 2, Stockholm.
Linden & Lindström, Gothenburg.
Lublin & Company (A/B), St. Vattug. 9, Stockholm.
Malmö Korkfabriks (A/B.), Friisg. 6. Malmö.
Malmo Kylvarubolag Ishuset, St. Nyg 83, Malmö.
Malmö Yllefabriks (A/B), St. Nyg. 50, Malmö.
Melin, Peder and Company, N. Hamng. 6, Gothenburg ; and Malmö.
Meyer, Franz, & Company (*see* Svenska Limämmes fabriken Komanditbolag).
Meyer, James (*see* Svenska Hud & Skinnaffaren.
Meyerson. Joseph Norrlandsgatan 16, Stockholm
Moritz, Julius, A/B., S. Hamngatan 19, Gothenburg.
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Nordiske Gummifabrik (A/B.), Trälle borg.
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Rondorf, Conrad, Norrtullsg. 55, Stockholm.
Rudeberg, A., Drottningatan 11, Stockholm.
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Sahlberg, Th., & Company, Kaptensgatan 15, Stockholm.
Schaub & Company (A/B), Lindvägen, Stockholm.
Schimmelpfeng (W.) Auskunftei, Fredsgatan 2, Stockholm.
Schipmann, Heinrich (A/B), Bredgr. 2, Stockholm.
Schlåsberg, Henning & Company, Lansdkrona.
Schmitz, August, Stora Nyg. 50 and Malmborgsg. 7, Malmö.
Schuchardt & Schütte's Filial Vasagatan 24 Stockholm.
Seiden, H., Vallingatan 37, Stockholm.
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Specialjärn (A/B), Kungsholmsgatan 14 (formerly of Kungsgatan 56), Stockholm ; and Gothenburg.
" Standard " Industri (A/B.), Gustav Adolfs Torg 15, Stockholm.
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Svenska Limämmesfabriken Komanditbolag, Franz Meyer & Company, Landskrona.
Svensson, C. V., & Company (A/B), Exercisgatan 16. Malmö.
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Tidningskontoret, Jorden Rundt, (see Rundt, Jorden.)
Tom (A/B), Malmö.
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Wennersten & Klingerberg, Kungsgatan 56, Stockhlom.
Westerberg, Joseph, Stort 4, Malmö.
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CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 5th May, 1917.

No. 4850-C. W.—On his return from leave on the forenoon of the 19th April 1917, Mr. T. H. Potts, an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, was posted to the Bombay Presidency.

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GENERAL.

The 5th May, 1917.

No. 4986-G.—MR. C. E. LOW, C.I.E., I.C.S., has resumed charge of the office of Secretary to the Government of India in this Department, with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd May 1917.

A. H. LEY,

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 4988-G.—The services of the Hon'ble Mr. H. F. Howard, C.I.E., I.C.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Finance Department, with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd May 1917.

GEOLOGY AND MINERALS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 5th May, 1917.

No. 5035-M.—Mr. N. D. Daru, Assistant Superintendent, Geological Survey of India, is granted such privilege leave as may be due to him on the 30th April 1917, in combination with furlough on medical certificate of such duration as may bring the combined period of absence up to twelve months.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 5th May, 1917.

No. 4991-C. W.—The following Royal Proclamations are published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE R.I.—

WHEREAS by Section 43 of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by Proclamation :

AND WHEREAS by Proclamations dated the 30th November, 1915, and the 15th February and 10th March, 1916, and entitled the Machine Tools (Prohibition of Import) Proclamation, 1915, the prohibition of Import (Paper, Tobacco, Furniture, Woods and Stones) Proclamation, 1916, and the prohibition of Import (Canned, Bottled, Dried and Preserved Fruits) Proclamation, 1916, respectively, and by Proclamations dated the 21st March, 30th March, 10th May, 1st June, 27th June, 28th July, 18th August, 3rd October, 16th November, and 5th December and 22nd December, 1916, and entitled Prohibition of Import Proclamations, 1916, and numbered 3 to 13 respectively, and by a Proclamation dated the 23rd February, 1917, and entitled the Prohibition of Import (No. 14) Proclamation, 1917, the importation of certain goods has been prohibited accordingly :

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that the said Proclamations should be revoked, and a Proclamation consolidating the same, with amendments and additions, substituted in their place :

NOW, THEREFORE, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, to issue this Our Royal Proclamation declaring, and it is hereby declared, that the above-mentioned Proclamations be and the same are hereby revoked :

AND We have further thought fit, by and with the advice aforesaid, and in virtue and in exercise of the powers aforesaid, further to declare, and it is hereby declared, as follows :—

As from and after the date hereof the importation into the United Kingdom of the following goods is hereby prohibited, *viz.* :—

Aerated, mineral and table waters.

Aluminium, manufactures of.

Aluminium powder.
Antimony ware.
Apparel, not waterproofed.
Art, works of.
Automatic machines for the retail sale of any article.
Baskets and basketware.
Baths of metal.
Beer.
Birds, live, including quail but excluding other poultry and game.
Bladders, casings and sausage skins.
Bone, horn, ivory, and celluloid, manufactures of.
Books, printed, and other printed matter including printed posters and daily, weekly and other periodical publications imported otherwise than in single copies through the post.
Boots and shoes of leather.
Brooms and brushes.
Bulbs, flower roots, plants, trees and shrubs.
Carpet sweepers.
Cash registers.
Cement.
Chinaware, earthenware, and pottery.
Clocks and parts thereof.
Cloisonné wares.
Cocoa, preparations of.
Cocoa, raw.
Coffee.
Cotton yarn, cotton piece-goods, cotton hosiery, cotton lace, and cotton manufactures of all kinds.
Curios.
Cutlery.
Diatomite or infusorial earth.
Embroidery and needlework.
Fancy goods, known as Paris goods.
Fatty acids.
Feathers, ornamental, and down.
Fire extinguishers.
Flowers, artificial.
Flowers, fresh.
Fruit (canned, bottled, dried and preserved), except currants.
Fruit, raw of all descriptions (except lemons and bitter oranges), and almonds and nuts used as fruit.
Furniture, manufactured joinery, and other wood manufactures.
Glass and manufactures of glass.
Gloves.
Gold, manufactured or unmanufactured, including gold coin and articles consisting partly of or containing gold (except gold consigned for delivery at, and sale to, the Bank of England).
Guns, carbines and rifles of all kinds.
Hardware and hollow-ware.
Hats and bonnets.
Hides, wet and dry.
Hops.
Horns and hoofs.
Ice.
Incandescent gas mantles.
Ivory, vegetable.
Jewellery of all descriptions.
Jute, raw.
Lawn mowers.
Lacquered wares.
Leather, dressed and undressed, and manufactures of leather other than belting.
Linen, yarns and manufactures of.
Lobsters, canned.
Machine tools and parts thereof, excluding small tools.
Machinery, agricultural and dairy.
Matches.
Mats and matting.
Mops.
Moss litter.
Motor cars, chassis, motor cycles, and parts and accessories of motor cars and motor cycles (other than tyres).

Musical instruments (including gramophones and pianolas and other similar instruments) and accessories and component parts and records therefor.
Oilcloth.
Painters' colours and pigments.
Paper and cardboard (including strawboard, pasteboard, millboard, and wood-pulp-board) and manufactures of paper and cardboard.
Paper, materials for the manufacture of, including wood-pulp, esparto grass, and linen and cotton rags.
Perfumery and toilet preparations.
Photographic apparatus.
Pictures, prints, engravings, photographs and maps.
Plated and gilt wares.
Revolvers and pistols.
Salmon, canned.
Salt.
Sewing machines.
Silk and artificial silk, manufactures of, not including yarns.
Silver, manufactures of, other than silver watches and silver watch cases.
Skins and furs, manufactures of.
Soap.
Soya beans.
Spirits and strong waters, of all kinds.
Stereoscopes.
Stones and slates.
Stoves and ranges.
Straw envelopes for bottles.
Straw plaiting.
Sugar, articles and preparations containing, used for food (except condensed milk).
Tanning extracts, the following, *viz.* :—Chestnut, quebracho, hemlock, oak and mangrove extracts.
Tea.
Tobacco, unmanufactured and manufactured (including cigars and cigarettes).
Tomatoes.
Toys, games and playing cards.
Typewriters.
Vacuum cleaners
Vegetables, canned, bottled, dried and preserved, and pickles.
Wine.
Wood and timber of all kinds, hewn, sawn or split, planed or dressed.
Woollen and worsted manufactures of all kinds except yarns.
Wingers and mangles.
Yeast.

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (Consolidation and Amendment) Proclamation, 1917.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Thirtieth day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the Seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

FOR PROHIBITING THE IMPORTATION INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM, EXCEPT UNDER LICENCE OF ALL FOREIGN COINS OTHER THAN GOLD AND SILVER COINS.

GEORGE R. I.—

WHEREAS by Section two of the Customs Amendment Act, 1886, We are empowered from time to time to make and when made to revoke a Proclamation prohibiting the importation into Our United Kingdom of such coins coined in a foreign country as are in that behalf specified in such Proclamation:

AND WHEREAS by Our Proclamation made the twenty-fifth day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, We did prohibit the importation into our United Kingdom of all coins coined in any foreign country other than gold or silver coins :

And whereas it is expedient that Our said Proclamation should be revoked, and that the importation into the United Kingdom of such coins coined in a foreign country as are hereinafter specified should be prohibited :

Now, THEREFORE, we, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct and ordain as follows :—

1. Subject as hereinafter provided, all coins coined in any foreign country other than gold or silver coins are prohibited to be imported into Our United Kingdom :

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that the foregoing prohibition shall not extend to any coins which are imported under and in compliance with the terms of any special or general licence issued by the Minister of Munitions.

2. Our said Proclamation of the twenty-fifth day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, is hereby revoked.

3. This Proclamation shall not affect the provisions of the prohibition of Import (Consolidation and Amendment) Proclamation, 1917.

4. This Proclamation may be cited as "The Foreign Coins (Importation Prohibition) Proclamation, 1917," and shall come into operation on the Thirtieth day of March, 1917.

Given at our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Thirtieth day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 4994-C.W.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL.

The 30th day of March, 1917.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars.

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :—

(C) Anchors and chain cables ;
(B) Binnacles ;
(C) Boots and shoes, other than heavy boots for men ;
(B) Boots, heavy for men ;
Chemicals, etc., the following :—
(C) Citric acid ;
(C) Lead, white.
Tanning extracts, the following :—
(A) Chestnut extract ;
(A) Oakwood extract ;

(A) Valex ;
(A) Valonia ;
(B) Other extracts and substances for use in tanning ;
(B) Compasses for ships, and component parts thereof ;
(B) Electros for printing purposes, composed of lead, antimony or copper ;
(C) Gloves made wholly or partly of leather ;
Insulating materials, the following :—
(C) Lead, oxides of ;
(A) Jute padding ;
Leather and leather goods of the following descriptions :—
(C) Chamois, glacé, kid, morocco, persians, roans, and seal-leathers ;
(B) Leather belting, hydraulic leather, pump leather and picking bands ;
(C) Leather, bookbinding ;
(C) Leather, enamelled, jappaned or varnished ;
(A) Leather, sole ;
(B) Leather suitable for military clothing ;
(A) Leather suitable for saddlery, harness or military boots ;
(C) Leather suitable for textile machinery, except leather belting and picking bands ;
(C) Leather, not otherwise prohibited ;
Metals and ores, the following :—
(B) Lead (except pig lead , alloys of lead, solder containing lead, and manufactures of lead or its alloys, not otherwise prohibited ;
(A) Lead, pig ;
(B) Nautical instruments ;
(B) Quercitron bark extract ;
(C) Rattans ;
Shipbuilding materials, the following :—
(C) Diesel and other internal combustion engines for marine propulsion, and component parts of such engines ;
(C) Iron and steel castings and forgings for hulls and machinery of ships ;
(C) Sectional materials for shipbuilding ;
(C) Ships' auxiliary machinery.

(2) That the following headings should be added :—
(A) Anchors and chain cables ;
(A) Binnacles ;
(A) Boots and shoes with soles or uppers of leather ;
(C) Boots and shoes, not otherwise prohibited ;
Chemicals, etc., the following :—
(C) Aloes ;
(B) Barium peroxide ;
(C) Cascara sagrada ;
(B) Citric acid ;
(B) Hydrogen peroxide ;
(C) Jalap ;
(A) Lead compounds, and mixtures containing lead compounds ;
(C) Rhubarb (medicinal) ;
(C) Senega ;
(A) Compasses for ships, and component parts thereof ;
(B) Gloves made wholly or partly of leather ;
(B) Jute padding ;
Leather and leather goods of the following descriptions :—
(A) Leather ;
(B) Leather belting, hydraulic leather, pump leather and leather manufactures suitable for textile machinery ;
Metals and ores, the following :—
(A) Lead, lead alloys, and manufactures of lead or of lead alloys ;
(A) Nautical instruments ;
(A) Needles for boot-making machines ;
Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man :—
(C) Chicory ;
(A) Rattans ;
Shipbuilding materials, the following :—
(A) Engines for use on board ship (including Diesel and other internal combustion engines for marine propulsion) and component parts of such engines ;
(A) Iron and steel castings and forgings for hulls and machinery of ships ;
(A) Machinery for steam ships and component parts thereof ;
(A) Sectional materials for shipbuilding ;

(A) Ships' auxiliary machinery;
(A) Ships' telegraphs and component parts thereof;
(A) Steering gear and component parts thereof;
(A) Tanning extracts and substances for use in tanning;
(A) Winches;
(A) Windlasses.

NOW, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 5th May, 1917.

No. 4947-P. & T.—Mr. G. R. Clarke, I C.S., Postmaster-General, 1st grade, was permitted to return to duty and to assume charge of the Bengal and Assam Circle on the forenoon of the 9th April 1917. The unexpired portion of his furlough is cancelled from that date.

2. The following reversions in the grades of Postmasters-General are ordered with effect from the 9th April 1917 :—

Mr. H. A. Sams, I.C.S., to revert to the 2nd grade ;
Mr. H. S. H. Pilkington, M.V.O., to revert to the 3rd grade ;
Mr. H. L. Duncan to revert as Deputy Postmaster-General, 1st grade.

3. Mr. J. Monteath, I.C.S., is appointed to officiate as Postmaster-General, 4th grade, Madras, with effect from the 9th April 1917 and until further orders. He officiated as Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, Madras, up to and including the 8th April 1917.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Simla, the 2nd May, 1917.

No. 163.—The Reverend Norman Edwin Marshall, M. A., has been appointed to be a chaplain on probation on the Bengal (Nagpur) Ecclesiastical Establishment to fill an existing vacancy which occurred on the 8th April 1917.

The 4th May, 1917.

No. 166.—The Reverend Arthur Cecil Pietroni Rigg, M. A., and the Reverend Arthur Hardwicke Broughton, M. A., have been appointed to be chaplains on probation on the Bengal (Lucknow) Ecclesiastical Establishment to fill existing vacancies.

No. 168.—The Reverend Frank Hope Scott, M. A, is appointed to be a temporary Chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment. His services are placed at the disposal of the Army Department.

GENERAL.

The 4th May, 1917.

No. 317.—Mr. H. S. Heysham, late Superintendent of the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, Government of India, is re-employed in the Department of Education for a period of one year with effect from the 1st May 1917 as the Officer-in-Charge of the weeding operations at the Government of India Secretariat Offices at Calcutta.

SANITARY.

The 4th May, 1917.

No. 193.—Whereas the Jharia Coal-field is threatened with an outbreak of the dangerous epidemic diseases known as cholera and small-pox, the Governor General in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 2, sub-section (3), of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), is pleased to direct that all the powers conferred by the said Act may be exercised to prevent the outbreak of cholera and small-pox or the spread thereof, by the Government of Bihar and Orissa with regard to the territories administered by that Government.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 4th May 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 657.—Major-General Sir M. J. Tighe, K.C.M.G., C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army, to be temporary Inspector of Infantry. Dated 24th April 1917.

No. 658.—Major G. B. A. Rind, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the temporary appointment of Assistant Adjutant General. Dated 8th February 1917.

No. 659.—Major N. C. Bannatyne, 128th Pioneers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the temporary appointment of Assistant Adjutant General. Dated 8th April 1917.

No. 660.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer to be Second-Lieutenant subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.

Staff-Serjeant Farrell Michael Phillip Higgins, Military Works Services. Dated 22nd April 1917.

No. 661.—The following correction is made to Army Department Notification No. 516, dated the 13th April 1917 :—

For "2nd February 1917" against the name of Second Lieutenant H. C. Prior, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, *read* "1st February 1917."

No. 662.—The undermentioned officers relinquish the temporary rank of Captain on ceasing to be employed as Brigade Machine Gun Officers :—

Second Lieutenant (temporary Captain) B. Ruffell, 93rd Burma Infantry, attached 72nd Punjabis. Dated 22nd February 1917.

Second Lieutenant (temporary Captain) W. L. Moss, 1-4th Battalion, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment). Dated 19th March 1917.

No. 663.—In Army Department Notification No. 575, dated the 20th April 1917, under the heading General Staff Officers, 1st Grade, *delete* the name of Lieutenant-Colonel A. Le G. Jacob, C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

No. 664.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 464, dated the 30th March 1917, Captain T. Moss, 30th Punjabis, appointed Assistant Secretary sub *pro tem*, *vice* Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) A. Shairp, C. M. G., with effect from the 1st May 1917.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 665.—Consequent on the retirement of Lieut.-Colonel M. Stevens, Indian Army, the following appointment is made, with effect from the 1st March 1917 :—

Captain F. G. M. Wigley, 73rd Carnatic Infantry, to be Assistant Cantonment Magistrate, sub *pro tem*.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 666.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants, with effect from the dates specified :—

Gulam Ali Miri	2nd December 1916.
Dinkar Narayan Varde	8th December 1916.
George Albert Hildreth	11th December 1916.
Amrita Nath Banerji	13th December 1916.
Khanderao Krishnarao Dhairyawan	18th December 1916.
Jatindranath Mukerji	20th December 1916.
Jal Dinshawji Daruwalla	23rd December 1916.
Kanayalal Naraindas Sonpar	8th January 1917.
Narayan Raghanath Satpute	10th January 1917.
Vasant Dinanath Madgavkar	29th January 1917.
Vinayak Raghunath Nagarkar	31st January 1917.
John Michael Guilfoyle	5th February 1917.
Ashutosh Das	7th February 1917.
Ranjit Sen	7th February 1917.
Manuel Miranda	2nd March 1917.

PERSONAL STAFF.

No. 667.—The Viceroy and Governor General has been pleased to make the following appointment on His Excellency's Personal Staff, with effect from the 1st April 1917 :—

To be Aide-de-Camp.

Lieutenant J. A. Denny, Grenadier Guards, Special Reserve, *vice* 2nd Lieutenant W. A. Browne, 1-4th Battalion, (The Duke of Edinburgh's) Wiltshire Regiment, resigned.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 668.—The following cadets from the Officer Cadet Unit, Sialkot, are appointed Second Lieutenants on probation, subject to His Majesty's approval, dated April 28th, 1917:—

George Crosby Smith.
George Heneage Dickinson.
Hugh Whittington Darnley-Smith.
Gilbert Darnley-Smith.
James Clarence Crook.
Charles William Weedon.
Joseph Dominic Francis West.
Harold Oldham.
James Davidson Fraser.
Ernest Cyril Norton.
Gilbert Herbert Collins.
Arthur Edward Procter.
Thomas Alfred Pitt.
Harold William Bennett.
Tom Cooper.
Frederick Rowland.
Douglas Lenton Staniland.
Frederick Charles Wood.
Edward Benito Clemente.
Reginald Hayward.
John Henry Larner.
Josiah Oakley.
Kenneth Edward Wright.
William Poyntz Bush.
Wilfrid Vaughan Davies.
Francis Herbert Silvester.
William James Kirkby Ware.
John Welch Blower.
Geoffrey Noel Martin.
James Percival Smith.
Percy Edwin Read.
Frank Hammond Etheridge.
Frank Revell.
Dunstan Charles Leeke-Roe.
Charles Frederick House.
John William Thomas Colsey.
John Lindley Godley.
John Coleman Smith.
Reginald Severne Ford.
Donald Henry Vittle.
William Walter Attwood.
Frank Eardley Martin.
William Baines Southwell.
Stanley Albert Hector.
Cecil Lionel James Garrard.
Charles William Truelove.
Gerald Arthur Paxton.
Cyril Arthur Francis.
George Eric Orchard.
Dudley Keen Coomber.
William George Lane.
Thomas Edward Hughes Bird.
Alfred Thomas Houghton.
Walter George Andrew Pannell.
Frederick John Townsend.
Arthur Sutton-Jones.
Harry Raymond Palmer.
Hughfred Thomas Appleton.
Cecil Gordon Crockwell.
John Baker.
John Darneley.
Maurice Ernest Hayes.
Richard Stanley Harrison.
Clement Gascoigne Parker.
David Thomson.
Pierson Vivian Curtis.
Raymond Drinkall.
Alfred George Buck.
Thomas William Tiffen.
Walter Maxwell.
Oliver Durant Gibbings.
Thomas Rigby Graham.
George Muckle Bristow.
John Boustead Saint.
Thomas Ellis Bateman.
Arthur Thomas Nicholson.
Francis Rendell.
Reginald Frank White.
Herbert William Walls.
Albert Prince.
Vincent Percy Feathers.
Lewis Alfred Moseley.
Raymond Leslie Grainger.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 669.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Cavalry Branch.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Name	Date
Harold Brian Cunningham Hill.	Dated 24th April 1917.
Henry Bernard Turle.	Dated 24th April 1917.
Hugh Clarke.	Dated 26th April 1917.
Henry William Hawkeswood.	Dated 26th April 1917.
Victor Charles Alexander Munckton.	Dated 27th April 1917.

Infantry Branch.

To be Captain.

William Douglas Bruce Watt. Dated 21st April 1917.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Valentine Brewer. Dated 10th April 1917.
Edmund Holt. Dated 21st April 1917.

Kenneth Selby Waters.	Dated 26th April 1917.
Sydney George Elles City. Edwin Abraham Faulconer.	} Dated 27th April 1917.
Canon Richmond Savege.	Dated 28th April 1917.

No. 670.—Second Lieutenant Horace Arthur Rose, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while employed as Commandant, No. 2 United Provinces Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 18th April 1917.

No. 671.—Second Lieutenant Harry Barker Norton, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, No. 1 United Provinces Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 18th April 1917.

No. 672.—Second Lieutenant Norman Walker, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant No. 25 Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 19th April 1917.

No. 673.—Second Lieutenant Harold Arthur Wilkinson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant, 2nd Battalion, 67th Punjabis, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 18th November 1915.

No. 674—Second Lieutenant R. H. N. Baxter, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of temporary Railway Transport Officer. Dated 22nd February 1917.

No. 675.—Second Lieutenant N. G. E. Hussey, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the temporary appointment of Railway Transport Officer. Dated 23rd April 1917.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 676.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Third Supplement dated the 8th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 6th March 1917, pages 2351, 2352 and 2353.

War Office,
8th March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

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Service Battalions.

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Yorks L. I.

Major C. A. Milward (Indian Army) to be acting Lieut.-Colonel whilst Commanding a Battalion, 4th October 1916.

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INFANTRY.

Training Reserve.

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Lieut.-Colonel A. H. Williams (Indian Army) vacates the command of a Battalion, 24th February 1917.

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Supplement dated the 9th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 9th March 1917, pages 2445, 2446, 2448, 2449 and 2450.

War Office,
9th March 1917.

The following are among the Decorations and medals awarded by the Allied Powers at various dates to the British Forces for distinguished services rendered during the course of the campaign:—

His Majesty the King has given unrestricted permission in all cases to wear the Decorations and medals in question.

Decorations conferred by

THE PRESIDENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

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Croix de Guerre.

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Second Lieutenant Horace Martin Capon, Ledger, Indian Army Reserve, attached French Seaplane Squadron. (October 28th, 1915.)

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Decorations conferred by Field-Marshal

HIS IMPERIAL MAJESTY THE EMPEROR OF RUSSIA.

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Order of St. Vladimir, 3rd Class.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred William Fortescue Knox, Rifles, Indian Army. (September 30th, 1916.)

Order of St. Anne, 2nd Class.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred William Fortescue Knox, Rifles, Indian Army. (September 30th, 1916.)

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Decorations and Medals conferred by

H. M. THE KING OF SERBIA.

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Order of the White Eagle, 4th Class.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Frederick Chenevix-Trench, C.I.E., retired, Indian Army.

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Order of the White Eagle, 5th Class.

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Major Leonard Sueton Hirsch Smithers, Infantry, Indian Army. (August 22nd, 1916.)

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Decorations conferred by

H. H. THE SULTAN OF EGYPT.

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Order of the Nile, 2nd Class.

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Major-General Alexander Wallace, C.B., Indian Army.
Major-General William Arthur Watson, C.B., C.I.E., Indian Army.

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Order of the Nile, 3rd Class.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Skipton Hill Climo, C.B., D.S.O., Punjabis, Indian Army.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Stamnus Geoghegan, C.B., Indian Army.

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Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Harry Davis Watson, C.M.G., C.I.E., M.V.O., Indian Army.

Order of the Nile, 4th Class.

Captain Abdul Sattar, Patiala Imperial Service Infantry.
Lieutenant-Colonel William Frank Bainbridge, C.M.G., D.S.O., Indian Army.

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Captain and Brevet Major Tarn Pritchard Bassett, D.S.O., Royal Engineers, attached Indian Army.

Colonel Guy Hudleston Boisragon, V.C., Indian Army.

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Captain Arthur John Herbert Chope, D.S.O., Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Levenax Haldane, C.M.G., Gurkha Rifles, Indian Army.

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Major Mahomed Azmatullah Khan, Hyderabad Lancers.

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Captain Harry Ben Le Despencer Tree, Infantry, Indian Army.
Lieutenant Christopher John Radcliffe Turner, Sikhs, Indian Army.

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Subadar Zulficar Ali, Alwar Imperial Service Infantry.

NOTE.—The above-mentioned Decorations and Medals have not been received by the War Office for distribution.

Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, or men who have not yet received the decoration of which the award appears in this Gazette should communicate with the Military Secretary, Foreign Decorations Section, 14, Albemarle Street, W.

Fourth Supplement dated the 12th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 9th March 1917, page 2465.

War Office,
12th March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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ATTACHED TO HD. QR. UNITS.

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Brig.-Majors—

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15th February 1917.

Maj. L. S. H. Smithers, Ind. Army.

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War Office,
12th March 1917.

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His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve of the appointments of the undermentioned Officers to be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the Field :—

* * * *

Capt. John Dymoke Scale, Ind. Army.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He rode out beyond the rearguard until nearly surrounded by the enemy in order to convince the retreating troops that further delay was dangerous. Then, later, although the rearguard had retired, he stuck to his post until his work was completed.

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His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to confer the Military Cross on the undermentioned Officers in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the Field :—

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2nd Lt. Terence Conrad Thorn, I. A. R. O.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty, when he went out under very heavy rifle and machine gun fire and carried into safety a man who had been severely wounded.

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His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to award the Meritorious Service Medal to the undermentioned Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men, in recognition of valuable services rendered with the Armies in the field during the present war.

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Staff Sjt. A. E. Ashton, Ind. Misc. List.

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Staff Sjt. H. Cooke, Ind. Misc. List.

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His Majesty the KING-EMPEROR has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned Rewards to Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men of the Indian Army for gallantry and devotion to duty in the field. The date of award is specified after each name :—

Awarded the Second Class of the Indian Order of Merit.

841 Hav. Atta Ullah, Kashmir Rif. 21st Nov. 1916.
Subadar Bhagwan Singh, Jind I.S. Infy. 21st Nov. 1916.
Jemadar Bishan Singh, Lrs., Ind. Army, attd. Mach. Gun Sqdn. 18th Jan. 1917.
Subadar Chanda, Kohat Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.
Sub-Asst. Surg Daulat Singh, Ind. Sub. Med. Dept. 2nd Jan. 1917.
1267 Hav. Khoda Bakhsh, Coke's Rif. 21st Nov. 1916.
704 Gnr. Hav. Bhan Singh, Mtn. Bty. 21st Nov. 1916.
2775 Gnr. Naik Bir Singh, Jacob's Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.
1151 L/Naik Devi Singh, Kashmir Rif. 21st Nov. 1916.
3004 Actg. L/Dafadar Dharam Singh, Jat. Lrs., Ind. Army, attd. Mach. Gun Sqdn. 29th Dec. 1916.
1157 Sepoy Hafiz Ali, Kashmir Rif. 21st Nov. 1916.
2786 Dafadar Hajee Ahmed, Jacob's Horse, Ind. Army, attd. Mach. Gun Sqdn. 29th Dec. 1916.
1125 Dvr. Hav. Indar Singh, Jacob's Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.
129 L/Hav. Man Bir, Kashmir Rif. (I.S. Troops). 27th Oct. 1916.
Jemadar Muhammad Bakhsh, Jacob's Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.
1467 Sepoy Rahim Ali, Kashmir Rif. 21st Nov. 1916.
831 L/Naik Saif Ali, Mil. Police, attd. Rif. 10th Aug. 1916.
Subadar Sher Baz, Mtn. Bty. 21st Nov. 1916.
664 Havildar Budhiman Limbie, Gurkha Rif. 26th Dec. 1916.

Awarded the Indian Distinguished Service Medal.

4891 L/Naik Ami Chand, Infy. attd. Sig. Co. 21st Nov. 1916.
Subadar Azizuddin Khan, Light Infy. 21st Nov. 1916.
Jemadar Bambahadur, Kashmir Rif. 21st Nov. 1916.
571 Dvr. Bhola Singh, Kohat Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.
1342 Sepoy Boota Khan, Baluchis. 21st Nov. 1916.
4079 Sepoy Chamel Singh, Pathans. 21st Nov. 1916.
2334 Dafadar Darayo Singh, Lrs. Ind. Army. 29th Dec. 1916.
367 Sapper Faju, S. & M. 21st Nov. 1916.
2839 Gnr Naik Gajjan Singh, Jacob's Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.

376 Gnr. Hav. Gazan Singh, Kohat Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.
1927 Hav. Ghulam Haider, Jind I. S. Infy. 21st Nov. 1916.
2455 Hav. Maj. Ghulam Mohamed, Jacob's Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.
4060 L/Naik Gulaba, Punjabis. 21st Nov. 1916.
82 Hav. Harku, Kashmir Rif. 21st Nov 1916.
Sub-Inspr. (Graded as Subadar) Hari Persad, Ind. Tel. Co. 21st Nov. 1916.
Subadar Hem Singh. Jacob's Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.
970 L/Naik Imam Din, Ind. Mtn. Bty. 21st Nov. 1916.
694 L/Naik Indru, Kashmir Rif. 21st Nov. 1916.
247 Dvr. Hav. Jahan Dad, Ind. Mtn. Bty. 21st Nov. 1916.
74 Pte. Lalbahadur Jugmohan Singh, S. A. Ind. Bearer Co. 21st Nov. 1916.
Jemadar Khan Ahmed, Burma Mil Police, attd. Baluchis. 21st Nov. 1916.
337 Sepoy Lal Khan, Baluchis. 21st Nov. 1916.
1354 Qr. Mr. Hav. Liakat Ali, Jacob's Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.
2673 L/Dafadar Mohamed Hafiz, Lrs., Ind. Army, attd. Mach. Gun Sqdn. 29th Dec. 1916.
273 Sepoy Mangtu, Punjabis. 21st Nov. 1916.
1340 L/Naik Mansha Ram, Punj., attd. Sig. Co. 21st Nov. 1916.
799 Sepoy Mirza Khan, Baluchis. 21st Nov. 1916.
2529 Hav Mohamed Hussain, Infy., attd. I.F.A. 21st Nov. 1916.
2718 Sepoy Mohamed Jafar Khan, Pathans. 21st Nov. 1916.
382 L/Naik Mohamed Sadio, S. & M. 21st Nov. 1916.
667 Dvr. Narain Singh, Kohat Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.
4675 Sepoy Puran Singh, Punjabis. 21st Nov. 1916.
2579 Sepoy Rahimdad Khan, Light Infy. 21st Nov. 1916.
Hav. (now Jemadar) Rajah, Kohat Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.
1138 Gnr. Rajwali, Mtn. Bty. 21st Nov. 1916.
163 L/Naik Ram Singh, Lrs. attd. Sig. Co. 21st Nov. 1916.
726 Dvr. Sarwar Khan, Kohat Mtn. Bty. 2nd Jan. 1917.
4297 Sepoy Sultan Bakhsh, Baluchis. 21st Nov. 1916.
1303 L/Naik Surat Singh, Punjabis, attd. Sig. Co. 21st Nov. 1916.
1195 Naik Turai, Rif. 21st Nov. 1916.
561 L/Naik Fateh Ali, Mtn. Bty. 9th Dec. 1916.
412 Gnr. Narain Singh, Mtn. Bty. 9th Dec. 1916.
471 Hav. Sant Singh, Mtn. Bty. 9th Dec. 1916.
1597 Naik Umbras Khan, Rif. 21st Nov. 1916.
1984 Rfm. Randhoj Rai, Gurkha Rif. 26th Dec. 1916.
3059 Sepoy Narinsan Singh, Punjabis. 26th Dec. 1916.
3143 Sepoy Kishen Singh, Punjabis. 26th Dec. 1916.
372 Dufadar Kaim Din, Lrs., Ind. Army, 5th Jan. 1917.

Corrections to Third Supplement, dated 1st January 1917, to the *London Gazette* dated 29th December 1916.

Awarded the Second Class of the Indian Order of Merit.

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For No. 3192 L/Dafadar Mutthra Singh, Cav., *read* No. 3192 L/Dafadar Mathar Singh, Cav., attd. Deccan Horse.
For No. 1392 Sowar Julab Singh, Jodhpur Imp. Serv. Lrs., *read* No. 1392 Sowar Gulab Singh, Jodhpur Imp. Serv. Lrs.
For No. 3636 Dafadar Harditt Singh, Jacob's Horse, *read* No. 3036 Dafadar Hardit Singh, Jacob's Horse.

Awarded the Indian Distinguished Service Medal.

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For No. 340 Salutri Major Ghulam Mahrub, Cav., *read* No. 340 Salutri Sayed Ghulam Mahbub, Deccan Horse.
For No. 2949 Dafadar Gulbar Khan, Lrs., *read* No. 2947 Dafadar Gulbar Khan, Lrs.
For Ressaidar Abdul Latf Khan, Lrs., *read* Ressaidar Abdul Latif Khan, Lrs.
For No. 4155 Hav. Taja Khan, Lrs., attd., R. Horse Art., *read* No. 4155 Tarja Khan, R. H. A.; attd. Lrs.

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For No 3562 Dafadar Talip Singh Cav., *read* No. 3562 Dafadar Dalip Singh, Scinde Horse, attd., Jacob's Horse.
For No 615 Kot Dafadar Sahes Singh, Cav., *read* No. 615 Kote Dafadar Sahiv Singh, Jacob's Horse.

For No. 777 Jemadar Kehar Singh, Lrs, *read* No. 777 Jemadar Kesri Singh, Alwar Lrs

For No. 4404 Ward Orderly Devi Dyal, Infy., attd. Cav., Fld. Amb., *read* No. 4484 Ward Orderly Devi Dyal, Punjabis, attd. Cav., Fld. Amb

For No. 4207 Hav. Fateh Ali, Infy, attd. Cav, Fld. Amb., *read* No. 4287 Hav. Fateh Ali, Punjabis, attd, Cav Fld. Amb.

For No. 3974 L/Dafadar Allah-ud-din Khan, Cav., *read* 3974 L/Dafadar Allah-ud-din Khan, Cav.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 677.—The undermentioned officers retain their temporary rank on alteration in posting :—

Royal Field Artillery Territorial Force.

Temporary Lieutenant A. A. H. Phillips, attached 4th Battery, Royal Field Artillery. Dated 4th March 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant R. B. Wilson, attached 79th Battery, Royal Field Artillery. Dated the 27th March 1917.

No. 678.—The undermentioned officers to be acting Majors :—

Royal Garrison Artillery.

Captain R. H. Clarke, No. 6 Mountain Battery. Dated 22nd February 1917.
Captain H. E. Fooks, No. 3 Mountain Battery. Dated 22nd February 1917.
Captain H. F. Francis, No. 1 Mountain Battery. Dated 22nd February 1917.
Captain F. H. Scovil, No. 9 Mountain Battery. Dated 9th March 1917.

No. 679.—The undermentioned officer to be acting Major :—

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.

Temporary Captain O. Cavenagh, 69th Battery, Royal Field Artillery. Dated 18th April 1917.

No. 680.—The undermentioned officer reverts to his permanent rank of Captain on alteration in posting:—

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.

Captain (acting Major) D. Scott, "W" Battery, Royal Horse Artillery. Dated 18th April 1917.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 681.—Consequent on the retirement of Lieutenant-Colonel M. Stevens, Indian Army, the following promotion is made with effect from the 1st March 1917 :—

Captain H. B. Tucker, 98th Infantry, Assistant Cantonment Magistrate, sub. *pro tem.* to be Assistant Cantonment Magistrate, substantive.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 682.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified, but not to carry pay and allowances prior to the 1st of September 1916 :—

Captains to be Majors.

4th May 1916.

Sydney Buxton Pope, D.S.O., 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).

8th May 1916.

Roger Cochrane Wilson, M.C., 114th Mahrattas.

19th June 1916.

Edgar David Galbraith, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).

27th June 1916.

John William Henry Darby Tyndall, 5th Light Infantry.

26th September 1916.

Thomas Burrell Skinner, 64th Pioneers.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

5th September 1915.

Francis Harold Courtenay Armstrong, 67th Punjabis.

No. 683.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Captains to be Majors.

6th April 1917.

Hugh Berkeley Frederick Wilcox, 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry).
Henry Herbert McGann, 69th Punjabis.

23rd April 1917.

Oliver Laurence Ruck, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Charles Raymond Strathearn Bradley, 4th Cavalry.

No. 684.—In Army Department Notification No. 499, dated the 6th April 1917, *after* the words "prior to 1st September 1916" *add* "except in the cases of those officers who were promoted substantively as Major or Captain prior to that date, under paragraph 318, Army Regulations, India, Volume II."

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 685.—The following promotions or antedate of promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified, but not to carry pay and allowances prior to 1st September 1916:—

CAVALRY BRANCH.

Lieutenant to be Captain.

1st September 1915.

Alexander Huntley Gordon.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

1st September 1915.

Colin Dunlop Donald.

8th September 1915.

John Dunamace Heaton-Armstrong.

15th September 1915.

Marcus Hamilton Raiks.
Duncan Flower Cunningham-Reid. (Since deceased.)

10th October 1915.

Robert Charles Hillman Padfield.

30th October 1915.

John Howard Carpenter.

13th November 1915.

Arthur Glynne Lewis.
Frederick Charles Guthrie.

20th November 1915.

Leonard Alfred Glasspoole.
Frederick Arthur Lacey.
Philip Sydney Bayty, M. C.
David Edward Thomas.
Arthur Penrose Selwyn. (Since deceased).
James McAuslan MacKenzie.
Frank Reginald Hallowell-Carew. (Since resigned).

27th November 1915.

Frederick Hemsted. (Since resigned.)
Noel Henry Franklin Hammett.

28th November 1915.

Vivian Godwin Robert.

4th December 1915.

Richard Joseph Innes.
Wellesley St. George Ashe.
Reginald Lousada Barrow.
George Stewart Manisty. (Since retired).
Joseph Charles Stewart. (Since deceased).
Nicholas Howard Thomas Homer.

11th December 1915.

Henry James Leigh Fremlin.

15th December 1915.

Alfred Gordon Defries.

16th December 1915.

John Trench Turner.

18th December 1915.

Clarence Henry Quentin McConnell.
Vivian Norman ffolliott Powell.
Thomas Reginald Livesay.
Patrick Gerald Fitzroy Prunty. (Since deceased).

24th December 1915.

Evelyn Manfred Shelverton.
George Tusco Vivian Peppe.
Thomas Carmichael.
Edward Lawrence Murphy.
Basil Llewhellyn.
Francis Fenwick.
Jeffrey Hugh Summers Allen.

31st December 1915.

Richard Allen Gray. (Since resigned).

8th January 1916.

Charles Cecil Morgan. (Since deceased).
Victor Wallace Smith.
Norman Oswald Cyril Marsh.
Albert Edward MacAuley Audsley.
Hilary Gilbert Allum.
Edward Francis Marriott.

22nd January 1916.

Allan James Harvey-Hurst.
Louis Patrick Gagliardy.
Benjamin William Richards.

27th January 1916.

Norman Paterson Tucker.

5th February 1916.

James Alan Ewart.
Newton Streatfield.
John Henry Harrold.
Edward Charles Davenport.
Phillip Charriol.

12th February 1916.

Charles St. John Ives.
Eric Ray Burton.
John Edward Gately.
Lancelot Doudney Rust.
John Du Pré Denning.

18th February 1916.

John Robertson Abercrombie.
Frederick Garnett Webster.

26th February 1916.

James Alexander Brown.

1st March 1916.

Henry Dandys Mccredy McEntire.

5th March 1916.

Stanley William Parmer.
Gordon James Turnbull Walsh.
Vaughan Lascelles Wynyard-Wright.
Purefoy Colles Mangin.

19th March 1916.

Philip Price Stuart.
Reginald Percy Nugent Swayne.
Malcolm Theodore Lysaught Newington.
John Stuart Thompson.
James Ferris Maxwell.
William Bensley Cotton.

23rd March 1916.

William Alexander Kynoch Christie.

26th March 1916.

Richard Cresswell Bayldon.

2nd April 1916.

Henry Sidney Boyd.
Joseph Cornelius Jerome O'Connor.

9th April 1916.

Charles Gordon Deacon.

16th April 1916.

Harry Rivett Cecil Guise.
Thomas Joseph Kelly.

19th April 1916.

Leonard Seymour Lambert Dacres.

20th April 1916.

John Seymour Eyton.

23rd April 1916.

John Robert Lloyd Shee.
Charles Morden Collett.

30th April 1916.

Geoffrey Theodore Garrett.
Andrew Brooks Knowles. (Since deceased).
John Myddleton Ashcroft.
Percy Henry Carpenter.
Alexander Bell Duncan. (Since deceased).
Jeremiah Joseph Durack.

7th May 1916.

Hubert Cecil Jones.
Alan Frederick Fremantle.
Roderick Augustus O'Connor.
Marmaduke Wilfred Reed.
George Dixon.
Charles Frederick Grant.

14th May 1916.

Richard Dunn Willis.
Arthur Edward Frances Wood.
Charles Edward Milner.
Bruno Wolfgang Wahl. (Since deceased).

21st May 1916.

Vaughan Augustus Herbert.

28th May 1916.

Arthur Francis Dickson.

29th May 1916.

Victor William Murray.
Thomas Seth Apcar.

4th June 1916.

Joseph O'Connor Fitzpatrick.
Bernard Harper Wiles.

11th June 1916.

William Fred Sargisson.

18th June 1916.

Hugh Gordon Muschamp.

23rd June 1916.

John Alexander Nash.

25th June 1916.

Lancelot Kaye Machatti Powell.

2nd July 1916.

Claude Pemberton Wilkinson Lloyd.

11th July 1916.

John Herbert Paterson.

13th July 1916.

Leonard Jasper Peck.

17th July 1916.

Edward Cecil Frederick Moore.

21st July 1916.

Hugh de Vere Gosselin.

23rd July 1916.

Douglas Edwin Smith.
George Wilson.
John Bullen Case.

30th July 1916.

Charles Hugh McBrien.
Archibald Hugh Symonds.
Harold Clement Evennett.

6th August 1916.

Gordon Porter Cable.

7th August 1916.

James Hay Graham Knox.

16th August 1916.

Cecil Dudley Stewart May Arrindell.

20th August 1916.

Thomas Francis Johnson.
William Kinloch.
John Richardson Blackwood.
William Day Lovell.
Alfred Ernest Parr.

25th August 1916.

Edward Clement Danby.

3rd September 1916.

Archibald Miles Holme Russell.

14th September 1916.

Arthur Basil Williams.

16th September 1916.

Archibald Douglas Coldham Forbes.

20th September 1916.

James Harold Williams.

23rd September 1916.

Henry Charles Bell.

29th September 1916.

Charles Oliver Calcott Reilly.

2nd October 1916.

Charles Robert Williamson Griffith.
John Francis Blakiston.

7th October 1916.

Milbourne Edward Coombs.

8th October 1916.

Robert Edward Swanzy.
Julius Paul Jonothan Elmes.

13th October 1916.

James Morton Wilson.

17th October 1916.

James Henry Riley Irving.

18th October 1916.

Cuthbert Eustace Connop Cox.

4th November 1916.

Morgan Rostron D'Arcy.

11th November 1916.

Harry James Uridge.

12th November 1916.

John Scambler Owden.

13th November 1916.

Malcolm Haynes Smith.

26th November 1916.

Sydney Edward Munden.

27th November 1916.

Michael John Murray.

2nd December 1916.

George Arthur Canning Hearsey.

4th December 1916.

Albert Pike.
Llewellyn John Morris.
George Thomas More Parker.

11th December 1916.

Frank Henry Pegge.

13th December 1916.

John Marshall.

31st December 1916.

Edward Laurence Gavaghan.

27th January 1917.

Cyril Arthur Stanton.

12th February 1917.

Richard Leonard Percy Wells.
Colin Campbell Gulliland.
Eric John Ashton Macmillan.

19th February 1917.

Pierre Trevor Onraet.

20th February 1917.

Frederick John Foxlee.
Leon Victor Pont.

1st March 1917.

Robert George Cazalet.

4th March 1917.

George Howitt Rothera.
Arthur Kirke Smith.

10th March 1917.

Lionel Douglas William Hearsey.

22nd March 1917.

Errick Wilks.

30th March 1917.

Robert Vivian Gove.
Gerald Agnew Small.
Patrick Sheels Hargreaves.

5th April 1917.

Horace Baggalay Reiss.

10th April 1917.

Francis Augustine Borissow.

13th April 1917.

Edwin Alexander McManus.

19th April 1917.

William Oscar Sherwood.
Stephen Harold Mann.

24th April 1917.

Montgomery Alexander Larymore.

27th April 1917.

William Arthur Rose.

29th April 1917.

Alexander Norman FitzGerald Moore.

Infantry Branch

Captains to be Majors.

1st September 1915.

William Charles Walmer Miller.
Archibald Henry Morin, V.D.
Ernest Marinus Proes.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

1st September 1915.

Charles Cornwallis Cheesney. (Since deceased.)
Crosier Fullerton Tofts.
George Reginald Graham Huddleston.
James Campbell Mitchell. (Since deceased.)
Pelham Stewart Corbould.
Henry Holroyd Tayler.
Joseph O'Brien.

2nd August 1916.

Clifford William Ernest Arbuthnot.

4th October 1916.

William Ryland Moore Bennet.

14th October 1916.

Leonard Gyde Hudson Heaven.

1st November 1916.

Norman Leopold Inkson.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

1st September 1915.

Shirley Samuel Hodson.
Charles James Frank Walter Daniels.
Finlay Graeme Steuart.
John Humphrey.
Robert Francis Mudie.
Edward Herbert Keeling.
John Patrick Doyle.

2nd September 1915.

Herbert Grendon Powers.

4th September 1915.

Harold Hans Marshall Spink.

6th September 1915.

Hugh Fitzherbert Bloxham.
Wilfred Harold Swift.
William Leonard Pollard Willison.

18th September 1915.

Cecil Ernest Thomas.

24th September 1915.

Basil St. John Smith.

26th September 1915.

Roland Maund D'Ombrain. (Since deceased.)

29th September 1915.

William Henry Haddon Chambers Brodie.

3rd October 1915.

William Rupert Hay.
Charles Richard DeCourcy Peele.

7th October 1915.

John Gatehouse. (Since deceased.)

9th October 1915.

Hurbert Drayton Sellick.
Melville Grey-Smith.
Hubert James Marlowe Flaxman.
Arthur Stanleus Holmes.

15th October 1915.

Charles Edwin Lindsay Anderson.

16th October 1915.

Edward Cameron Ker.
William Henry Richard Clifford.
Eustace Alberic Macnee.

23rd October 1915.

Edward Edelston.

26th October 1915.

Tom Walters Venn.

28th October 1915.

Peter Germanus Westmacott.

30th October 1915.

St. John Alfred Shelverton.
Michael Joseph MacDermott.
John Mackay.
Robert Dunham Tibbs. (Since deceased.)
Cyril Walter Wallace. (Since deceased.)
John Cadogan Powell-Price.
Bertram Hayfield.
Frederic Auber Menzies, M. C.
Frank Herbert Jones.

1st November 1915.

George Alexander

6th November 1915.

Walter Donald Churcher.
Terence Guy L'Estrange Grant.
Claude Albany Keatinge.

10th November 1915.

Ernest Arthur Midgley.

13th November 1915.

Leslie Arthur Bennett.
John Charles Gammon.
William Malcolm Campbell Marshall.
William Cuerdon Galloway.
Herbert George Lock.
Joseph Stanley Culverwell.
Henry Malkin Hance, D.S.O , M.C.
Robert Henry Dundas Bolton.
Percival Farncio Purves.
Kenneth deBerniers Smart. (Since resigned.)
Dinis Mahon Turner.
Walter Aloysius Doyle Kelly.
George Frederick Welch.
Noel Eric Arnott.
Herbert Parsons.
Edward Claude lePatourel, M.C.
Arnold Roy Ubsdell.
Edward Charles S' John Ronaldson.
Robert Lamb.
David Craik.
Arthur Frederick Joseph.

20th November 1915.

Eland Curnow.
Beverley Carthew Covell.
Albert Brookes.
Keith Wilfred Robert O'Reilly.
Percy Scamander Clarke.
Frank Balcombe Jones.
Herbert Edwin Giles.
Sidney Thomas Gray.
Charles George Barker.
Edward Batten.
Edward Henry Aikman.
Duncan Grant MacGillivray.
Roderick Spicer Russel Porter. (Since deceased.)
William Septimus Goldsmith.
Evan Bertram Charles Preston.
William Hull Miles.
Walter Ogilvy. (Since resigned.)
Ian Macbeth Orr.
Hubert Dudley Stearne.
Archie McFadyen.
John Horace Cardew.
Howard Stedman.
John Hamilton O'Donoghue. (Since deceased.)
Albert Victor Rooth.
Frank Coutts Hendry, M. C.
Alfred Fisk-Aldis.
Bernard Hastings Eiloart.
John Francis Davies.
Hugh Fitz-Maurice Galvin.
Leo Evelyn Galvin.
Douglas Gordon Wright.
Stanley Melville Wright.
Lionel Collins.
William Sutherland Thatcher.
Percy Fisher Durand, M. C. (Since retired.)
Maurice Conry O'Brien
Hugh Ingle Halliday.
George Norman Nicklin.
Charles Algernon Gordon.
William David Lucas Marshall.
Harold Birch. (Since deceased.)
John Augustus Hamilton Bampton.
Reginald Maurice Jonas.

22nd November 1915.

Thomas Domenic Nugent.

24th November 1915.

Alfred Lyon Hill, M. C.

27th November 1915.

George Douglas Pechell. (Since deceased.)
Cyril Maton Durnford.
Arthur Percival Stone.
Thomas Llewellyn Marshall Fuge.
Harold Arthur Wilkinson.
Knightley Holler Coxe.
Walter Douglas Gillon.
Donald Owen O'Reilly.
Kenneth Bain Wilson. (Since deceased.)
Norman Arthur Shove.
Terence Seymour Connor. (Since resigned.)
Norman Cameron Wimbush.
Horace John Lloyd Evans.
Alexander Francis Dobbs.
Edward Percy Venables.
Charles Aldis. (Since deceased.)
George Herbert Tredaway.
Herbert Ewart Winn.
Fritz Metcalf Ruff. (Since resigned.)
Douglas Sinclair Shaw.
Charles Frisch. (Since deceased.)
Arthur Villeneuve Nicolle.
John Caldwell Allan.
George Gordon Taylor Toller.
George Montagu Goodall.
Matthew White Hailey.
John Francis Halford-Watkins.
Sydney Seymour Angelo.
Fergus Patrick O'Connor.
Ernest Leslie Duxbury.
Ronald Wilson Bampton.
Horace Lincoln Cyril McConnell.
Gerald Victor Fitzpatrick.
Francis Barclay.

29th November 1915.

Stanley Lewin Nathan.
Edwin Jacob.

4th December 1915.

Richard Martin Treloar.
Huyshe Arthur Bradshaw. (Since deceased.)
Ernest John Green.
Daniel Vincent McCallum.
Frank Leonard Woledge.
Henry Maurye Banon.
Cecil Olcher Feddon.
Edward Parnell Widdicombe.
Homer Clarence Beck.
Frederick Helm.
George Lewis Field.
George Wilson Muirhead. (Since deceased.)
Burney Henry May.
Leslie Bell Syer.
George Herbert Elsworth. (Since deceased.)
Edward Stephen Hearn.
Wilfred James Crocker.
George Wishart.
Samuel Grant Mellis Smith. (Since deceased.)
Eric Wilfred Waite.
Noel DeCourcy Hardwick.
Morton Hollinshed Crawford Stuart. (Since deceased.)
Roy Douglas Burne.
Geoffrey Thompson. (Since deceased.)
Francis Carey Head.
Herbert George Head. (Since deceased.)
Walter Herbert Mayes. (Since deceased.)
John Pomeray Dalley.
William Hamish Chalmers. (Since deceased.)
Norman Lincoln.
George Tresilian Pender.
William Blake.
William Mowbray. (Since deceased.)
Chetwode Percy Evall.
Horace Justin Dillon Flynn.
Hugh Lionel Bartholomew.
Sydney Elston Grundy.
Cedric Robert Kyffun Crosfield.

5th December 1915.

Harvey Patrick Beatty.

11th December 1915.

Harold Sinclair Higgin.
Thomas Griffin.
Colin Edward Dunlop. (Since deceased.)
Douglas Gregory Smyth-Osbourne.
Alfred Edmund Lowrie.
Patrick Joseph Roche.
Arthur Edward Powell.
John Richard Milligan.
Robert Mair, M. C.
Alfred Butler Cross.
James Wilson Herbert Benson.
Guy St. George Higginson.
Roderick Lewis O'Connor.
Frederick William Sprott. (Since deceased.)
Percy William Walpole.

15th December 1915.

Crichton Ivan Fleming Maynard.
Bernard Frank Matthews.
William Ernest Cedric Tilley.

16th December 1915.

Donald Russell Martin Yates.

18th December 1915.

Douglas Aylward.
Rowley Stuart Thomson.
Robert Lyons Cuscaden.
Evelyn Digby Donne Jarrad.
Henry Neville Irwin.
Douglas Hodson Barnes.
Arthur William Thomas. (Since deceased.)
Arthur Henry Boyl Walling.
Robert Norman Dymoke Broad.
John Marcus Matthews.
Harold Anthony Dubois.
Edward Melville Walker.
Ferdinand Hastings Faithfull.
Cedric William Ashburton Dunning.
Alexis George Ashburton Dunning.

18th December 1915.

Reginald Maurice Searle Barton.
Thomas Oates Halliday Bates. (Since deceased.)
Arthur Richard Waddams.
Henry Lawrence Hill.
Walter Thomas Pigot.
Charles Philip Cornish.
Leonard Fenton Duncan.
Edward Power Johnson.
Saden Williams Biden.
Terence Conrad Thorn.
James Grant Duncan.
Allan Beacon Aitkin.
Howard Low Kerr.

24th December 1915.

Cuthbert Evans Hughes.
Stanley Paterson Bond. (Since resigned.)
George Phillip Horst. (Since deceased.)
John Hugh Copeland.
Bruce Eglington Seton. (Since deceased.)
Maurice Burke.
Herbert Valentine Geary, M. C.
Walter Henry Field.
Adrian Horatius Erskine Lindop.
Francis James Brandon.
Hubert Mears.
Joseph Albert de Rosse.
Harold Leefe Robinson. (Since deceased.)
Gilbert Petre Cooke.
Malcolm Morham. (Since deceased.
Michael Ramsay Watson.
Robert Harold Stewart.
Ewan Mitchell Milne.
Christopher William Hayne.
Alexander Slater.
Edwin Horton Stonehewer.
Henry Courtney Bracher.
James Hughes.
Henry Grounds Piggford.

30th December 1915.

Robert Rex Berney Falcon.

31st December 1915.

Herbert William Morgan.
Seymour Fortescue Hassel Griffin.
Albert Charles Gladstone.
Lawrence Ellison Hill.
Francis Kingdon Ward.

3rd January 1916.

Francis Hinton Edwards.

8th January 1916.

Cyril Vincent Heron-Jones, M. C.
Richard Henry Stevens.
Gilbert Noel Rogers.
James Norman Taylor.
Arthur Thomas Taylor.
Sidney Henry Harman.
John Moriarty.
Leslie Bradley. (Since deceased.)
Alfred Galvin.
Percy Charles Peacock. (Since deceased.)
Fremlin Stedman.
George Ernest Crosby Flynn.
Ernest Bertram Nelson. (Since deceased.)
Frank James Salberg.
Charles Hunnybun.
James William Eric Jameison.
Henry Thomas Wishart Bousfield.
Denis Riley.
Mathew Laurance Corley Smith.

14th January 1916.

Harry Chambers Toller. (Since resigned.)
Gerald Adams.
David Mitchell Baker.
Henry Edward Raymond Barker.
Philip Francis Beard Bayly, M. C.
Robert Gofts Bolster.
Cecil Bright. (Since deceased.)
Donald Seafield Buchanan.
Anthony James Bagot Chester, M. C.
Henry Cecil Flemming Clayton-Cowell.
Hugh Guy Daniel Clutterbuck. (Since deceased.)
Willoughby Levinge Stapleton Gwatkin. (Since retired.)
Arthur Hadden. (Since deceased.)
Norman Noel Hearsey.
Jeoffrey Harry Rolls Hoare. (Since retired.)
Charles Michael Horsfall.
Harold Gordon Inglis, M. C.
Eric Johnson.
George Johnstone Knowles.
Charles Philip Lawrence. (Since deceased.)
Arthur Leslie-Moore.
William Harper Lowry. (Since deceased.)
Alexander Nelson Lushington.
William Waddon Martyn.
Alan William Fenwick Mills.
Fredrick Mardies Mitchell.
Colin Maesmore Morris.
Fred Feirson Newbury. (Since deceased.)
John William Nicholas.
Valentine Frank Cane Peto.
John Fredrick Arthur Postance.
Charles Henry Kerr Phillips.
William Watt Phillips.
Reginald Trelawny Thornton.
Arthur James Medlicott Reeves.
Charles Edward William Reith.
Donald Gillies Reyburn.
Philip James Rolt.
Curtis Wilson Folliott Scott.
Reginald Dempsey Thompson.
Hugh Canefield Underhill. (Since deceased.)
Alexander Francis Wemyss, M. C.
Gilbert Henry Whitfield. (Since deceased.)
Douglas Allix Wilkinson.
Fred Oscar Baxter, M. C. (Since deceased)
Kenneth Lawson Williams.

15th January 1916.

Robert Cecil Stables.
James Walter Rowland.
George Hamilton Ogilvie.
Harold Maitland Haslehust.

16th January 1916.

William Ernest Collingwood Kendle.

17th January 1916.

Herbert Henry Campbell-Shaw.

18th January 1916.

Sydney Arthur Huss.

20th January 1916.

David Patrick Copeland.

22nd January 1916.

Arthur George Woosnam.
Charles Lachmere Mapp.
Gordon Cedric Lorrayne-Wadley.
Philip Myles McSwiny.
Arthur Patrick Algar.
Reginald George Cavell.
James Hugh Barbour Berry Hart.
John Alexander Rogerson.
Edwin France.
John Pitt Davies.

26th January 1916.

The Honourable Alexander Henry Louis Hardinge.

29th January 1916.

Charles William Belcher. (Since retired.)
John Sendal Wood. (Since deceased.)
Charles Francis Whitaker.
Charles Clarence Crimmin.
George Hermann Raschen.
Arthur Cyril Greenfield.
Reynolds Lament Lecky.
Thomas James Grey Stewart Walters.
Basil James Magnus.
Donald Eric Reid.
Frederick William George Keatinge, M. C.

3rd February 1916.

Robert Henry Pollaco.

5th February 1916.

William Alexander Lovat-Fraser.
Alec Cecil deClermont.
Isaac Egbert Keely.
John Fitzgerald Lee.
Edward Christopher McNevin Garrett.
Frederick James Wilson. (Since deceased.)
Harold Leslie Rennison.
James Dykes Aitkenhead.
Noel Cuthbert Turner. (Since deceased.)
Donald Campbell. (Since resigned.)
Harry Coghill Watson Bishop.
Harold Charles Rossiter Hill.
Gordon Buswell.
Carleton Napier Simpson.
Robert Aliok Robertson.
Robert Thorburn.
Percy Tidswell Adams.
Augustus Robert Petley Price.
Francis John Gardiner. (Since deceased.)
Alfred John Hadden.
Aubrey Matthew Clark.
Leo Forey Ford.
Frederick Michael Daley.
Reginald Hockey.

10th February 1916.

Frank William Osborne.
Glen Owen Gilbert Hussey.

12th February 1916.

Ernest William Hollands.
Leslie Donald Modget.
Herbert Browne.
Charles Ernest Meredith Browne.
Lawrence Hayes.
Frederick Gordon Lechler. (Since deceased.)
Graham Payne Farley.
Arthur George Cecil Fane.
John Snodgrass.
Eric Worwick. (Since resigned.)
Howard Leonard Perch.
Norman Basset Hart.
Joseph King Martyn.
John Stewart Falconer Hodson.
Gerald Robert Smith.
Norman Robert Shortt.
Alan Edward Scarth.
George John Mead. (Since deceased.)
John Frederick Barnard Harvey.
William Morgan Gimson.
Neville Leander Angelo.
Oswald Cox.
Philip Gordon Ogilvie.
John Lowndes Dacre-Tyler.
Alexander Maitland.

17th February 1916.

Arthur John St. Leger Hansard.

18th February 1916.

John Woodburn Semphill Gordon.
Walter Douglas Montgomery Clarke.
Richard Ewsters Fitz-Symons Bampton.
Ronald Wilkinson.
Harry Stewart Dempster.
John Hearn.
Thomas Sandford Jervis.
Archibald John McLellan.
Howard Vivian Rix.
William John Sorby.
Ely Harry Morbey.
James Logan Muir.
Cyril Dudley McClumpha.
James Arthur Mulgrue.
Ian Alister MacDonald Weathrall.
John Such.
John Borlase.
Henry Benjamin Bennett.
George Duncan Scott.
John Hunter Manley. (Since deceased.)
Richard Walter Cloete.
Guy Duncan Campbell Beaver.

19th February 1916.

Humphrey Halsey Wiles.

26th February 1916.

Terence Carroll Wilson.
Harold Frederick Dawn. (Since deceased.)
Arthur Nyton Peckham.
William Greenwood Hastings Templeton.
Robert Logan Craig-Adams.
James Wensley Gray.
Henry John Lawrence Phillips
Clement Elliot.
Albert Bryant Cullen.

28th February 1916.

Sidney Lionel Marwood.

4th March 1916.

Paul Henry Mangin.

5th March 1916.

William Reginald Boyes.
Thomas Pryor.
Martyn Ralph Knight Jerram.
Ernest William Cornish Wace.
Clifford Fredrick Scott Ruffle.
Henry Blakeman Graveston.
Arthur Roland Price.
Philip Charles Stowell.
Fulbert Audley Archdale.
Charles Christie Arthur Hobbs.
Archibald John O'Connor.
George Hales.
James Joseph Salt.
George Frederick Elliott.
Frederick Charles Bright.
Dennis George Whigham-Teasdale.
William Gilbert Lyon Gilbert.
Edward Grainger Wallace.
Charles Edward Jefferis.
Norman Stanley McGowan. (Since retired.)
Ralph Leslie Smith. (Since deceased.)
Oswald John Pryor.
John Grant Duncan.
Harold Grinnol Gearing.
Charles Dennis Fennell.

12th March 1916.

Anthony St. George Lyster.
Hugh Southern.
John William McDermott.
Walter Scott.
Francis Archibald Farquharson.
Gerald Linton Watkis. (Since retired.)
Octavius Gelhard Kiernander.
Gerald Noel Storrs.
Frank Moyle Shuttleworth Field.
Joseph Scruby.
Alfred Victor Cooper.
Philip William Craker.
William Hoare Hatchell Young.
Marcar Sheridan Gregory.
Russel Beaumont Woakes
Basil Moody.

18th March 1916.

Dudley Stuart-Prince.

19th March 1916.

George Christopher Stowell.
Laurence Anderson Sturrock.
Richard Kingsley Yeld.
George Theodore Gill.
Alexander Anson Gardiner. (Since deceased.)
Frederick Owen Townsend.
Montague Clements Garden Watling.
Arthur Trevor John Owen.
Robert Thomas Stuart Sneyd.
Malcolm Innes Lewis Smith.
Harry Watkins.
William Arthur Avenel Evans.
William Reginald Ransford.
James Patrick Wood. (Since deceased.)
Jack Maurice Heaney-Reeves. (Since resigned.)
Harold Douglas Creedy.
Thomas Coutts Dugund.
Eric Whitmore Fisher.

20th March 1916.

Kenneth Harvey Preston.

22nd March 1916.

Arthur William Fagan.

24th March 1916.

Thomas Zachary Dodson Babington.

25th March 1916.

Joseph Richard Denzil Rogers.
Edward William Lambert.

26th March 1916.

Wilfred Ridout Wills.
Ainsley Marshall Rendall Montagu.
William Drummond Moylan.
Colin Grant Crawford.
Laurence Myers. (Since deceased.)
Leslie Francis Powell.
Robert Hugh Neville Baxter.
John Brown Reid.

30th March 1916.

Charles Albert John Ward.

2nd April 1916.

Frank Fraser Haigh.
Richard Harper.
John Maitland Salusbury-Trelawny.
Francis Edward Noel Faithfull.
Charles Herbert Cooper.
John Lewis Sale.
Thomas Pearce.
William Joseph Ward.
Charles William Tandy Green.
Leslie Fowler Souter.
William George Cornwall Laurie. (Since deceased.)
George Wright Norton Rose.
Timothy Patrick Moriarty O'Callaghan.
Charles Stewart Cunningham. (Since deceased.)
Robert Henry Crisp.
George Hubert Allanson.
Edward Henry Wilsey. (Since deceased.)

3rd April 1916.

Henry John Darling.

9th April 1916.

Reginald Conduit Riley.
Philip Howard Rice.
John Humphrey Wise
Ralph Neild.
Reginald Croksey Burton. (Since deceased.)
Malcolm Percy Richard Denny.
Fredric George Bevis.
Gilbert Allan Henry Anscombe. (Since deceased.)
Edward Dawson Atkinson.
John McClintock Clive.

14th April 1916.

Frederick Wernham Gerrard.

15th April 1916.

Kenneth Lionel Frederick Armitage.

19th April 1916.

Cecil Marmaduke Picthall.
John Claude Luke Morris.

23rd April 1916.

George Rackstraw.
Claud William Austice Prideaux.
George Gregory Hills.
Arthur Morton Stanley Burn. (Since deceased.)
Charles Alexander Grant.
Charles Holditch Bristow.
Frederick Hale Puckle.
John Matthew Blackwood Stuart.
Philip Robert Higgs.
Donald Bevan Sothers.
Arnell Richard Pollard.
Maurice Peter Mawe Greany.
Leslie Nansawan Brown.
Charles Alfred Snow.
Richard Denis Blandy.
Theodore William Godwin Davis.
Basil Churton Taylor.
Frederick Arthur Stratton. (Since deceased.)
Donald Leslie Duncan. (Since resigned.)
Robert Clayton Jones.
Dermott Egan Wyer.
Hugh Terrell.

24th April 1916.

Robert Cecil Milward.

26th April 1916.

Henry St. John Mungavin.

28th April 1916.

Lewis Eric Macgregor.

30th April 1916.

Charles Edward Fieldsand.
Robert Hamilton.
William Charles Nelson Shilstone.
John Roger Gregory.
William Constantine Barnes.
Sheldon Arthur Steward Bunting.
Arthur Winfield Nightingale.
Henry Patrick Tabor.
Alexander William Learmond.
Robert Ecklin Marriott.
William Alexander Knyvett.
Francis Sidney Sheridan.
Austin George Birt.
Lewis John Macdonald.
George Howlett Tipper.

6th May 1916.

Eustace Marmion Ferrers Nicholson.

7th May 1916.

Keith Cantlie.
Harold Tunmer Humfress.
Maurice Thorp.

7th May 1916.

John Alexander Stewart.
Henry Joseph Twynam.
Christian Bingley Patterson. (Since deceased.)
Henry George Alington. (Since deceased.)
Francis Dewar.
Archibald Eastmond.
James Donald. (Since deceased.)
John Hugh Walton.
Herbert James Thomson.
Hugh Farrar Northcote. (Since deceased.)
Harold Graham.
Frank Victor Rushforth.

14th May 1916.

Colin Robert White.
Herbert William Dundas Wilson.
John Charles Barrack.
Ian Pendlebury Macdonald.
Herman Joseph Walmesly.
Ernest Alfred Glanville.
Richard Bryan Gildea.
Percy Raymond Leigh-Bennet.
Alexander MacLeod Robertson.
Cecil Herbert Windsor Clifford.
George Stanley Vaughan Paterson.
Eric Henry Neville Gill.
Edwin Hall Pascoe.
William Herbert Carter.
Lancelot Joseph Hicks.
Alexander Howett Worster.
Hugh Trotter.
Alfred Charles John Baldwin.

15th May 1916.

Hamish Frank Dempster.

20th May 1916.

Edward Nunn.

21st May 1916.

Rosslyn James Dilyell Richardson.
Horace Futcher Ward. (Since retired.)

21st May 1916.

Charles Kenneth Rhodes.
Sephen Deniel Gladstone.
Henry Noel George Inglis.
Leonard George Burgess. (Since deceased.)
Edwin Dickens.
Charles Henry Wilson.

23rd May 1916.

Wilfred Holton Pike.
Charles Dennis Balding.

25th May 1916.

Douglas Gray Hurlbatt. (Since resigned.)

28th May 1916.

Alexander Richard Nicholson.
George Henry Knowland.
Arthur Robert Sinclair Hayne.
Stanley Fuller Creper.
Charles Mackay Keddie.
James Tate.
Edric Charles Abbott-Young.
Arthur Green Mumford. (Since deceased.)
Henry Guy Ellcock Pilgrim.
Matthew Robson.

1st June 1916.

William Aird Smith.

2nd June 1916.

David Tullis Dunn.

3rd June 1916.

George William Hoggan.

4th June 1916.

George Conrad Spring.

11th June 1916.

Ralph Lilley Turner.
John Alfred Goepel.
Fletcher Cecil Macdonald Cruickshank.

14th June 1916.

Andrew Stuart Burnett.

18th June 1916.

Patrick Francis Bourke Hickey.
Albert John Moone.
Arthur Colemen Flower.
Lorraine Errol Jahans.
Alfred John Flude Millar.
Harold Fitzhardinge Berkeley.
Felix Carr Davies.
Philip Ralph Clements Williamson.
Henry Robert Harrop.
Allan Darrell Hickie.
Robert McCombe.
Basil Francis Tresham.
Edmund William Arthur Price.
Hugh McPherson.
Robert Joseph Wilkinson.

25th June 1916.

Geoffrey D'Olier Maclear.

30th June 1916.

Gordon Herbert Ramsay Halland.

1st July 1916.

James Lee-Warner.
Frederick James Ashton.

5th July 1916.

Reay Chouler.

8th July 1916.

William Edward Flewett.

9th July 1916.

John Walsh.
Robert Allison Lawson.
Charles Richard Stedman.
Leonard Burton Fitz-Gibbon.
Cecil Bernard Sexton.
Guy Aveline Thrupp.
Montague Powell Thomas.
Frank Ernest Rivers Calvert.
Randolph Maurice Wyatt.
Albert Victor Nash.
John Southgate Youngman.
Arthur Edgar Watson Robinson.
Carteret John Kempson.
Harold Wright Arnott. (Since retired.)
Arthur Charles Austin.
John Arthur Copleston Kiddle, M.C.
Basil Garnham Davy.
Victor Florian Hillier.
Arthur William Blanford, M.C.
Edward Albert Sitzler.
Allen Fitz-Gerald Fitz-Gibbon.
Allen Richard Simpson.
John Gwatkin Steel.
Leo Jerome Fitzpatrick.
Henry Goudie Dickson. (Since deceased.)
Reginald Brooke Holding Webb. (Since deceased.)

12th July 1916.

Harold Christie.

14th July 1916.

William James Berry.

15th July 1916.

Randal Casson.

16th July 1916.

Edward Philip Harrison.
Edward Hugh Bent Norrish.

20th July 1916.

William Alexander Macleod Ferguson.
Harold Easdon Eric Cragoe.
Aubrey Walter Harris.
Arthur John Mahoney.
John Hope Fawcett.
Noel Hepworth.
Gordon Wallace Cox.
Oscar Wright.
Frederick George French.
William George Sauders.
Harman Thorne.

20th July 1916.

Norman Alfred Hocken.
Henry Raymond Dawe.
Leslie Northcott Reed.
Leslie Horace William Crookwell.
Ernest Alfred Doubt.
Alfred James Hannah.
James Alfred Harrison.
Sidney Bucklee Hauser.
Celred William Bateman.
James Howard Stable.
Walter Ingles Skillitor.
Alfred Edwin Pottle.
Frederick William Nichols.
Edward Lionel Young.
William Thomas Andrews. (Since deceased.)
Crawford Napier Heathcote.
Ralph Leicester Isaacs.
Henry Horace Granger.
John Denys Drew.
Reginald Coplestone Eastmond.
Reginald Charles Penniger.
Bernard Arnold Colman.
Albert Evelyn King Teviot-Kerr.

22nd July 1916.

Percy Robert Solly.
Brian Allen.
Gustavus Edward Husedred Yonge.
Denzil Robert Marchant.

24th July 1916.

William Henry Abel.

25th July 1916.

Walter Hammerton Marley.
Kenneth Horton.
John Russell Charles Vernon Leir.
Reginald Howard Lynes.
Robert Cecil Ryder.
Joseph Cyril March.
Nevil Sherbrooke Lawrence.

26th July 1916.

Thomas Page Cook.
Arthur Hamilton Gordon Campbell.
William Hay Morrison. (Since retired.)
Frederick Charles Roberts.
Crevelli Shelton Agar.
Wilfred Ernest Hobday.
John Frederick Shaw.

28th July 1916.

Arthur Cuthbert Stone. (Since deceased.)

29th July 1916.

Philip Leycester Hardman.
Arthur Reginald Nye.
Harold West Pain.

30th July 1916.

Charles Sidney Hitchins.
Tyrell Churton Orgill.
Barry Wilkie Murdock. (Since deceased.)
Cecil Roderick Cave.
James Connell Ritter.
Alan Eugene Cecil McGavin.
Douglas Eric Augier.
Harold George Dennehy.
Leslie Bell.
Leonard Francis McCarthy Murphy.
John Izat.
Frank Ritchie Price Todd.
Arthur Macdonald McLean.
Donald Guthrie Robinson.
Davis Jackson McGeorge.
Thomas Bradley Cuninghame.
Maurice Gaskell Sykes.

31st July 1916.

Reginald Andrew Haysom.

2nd August 1916.

Frank Oswald Harris.
Thomas Fleming.

4th August 1916.

Arthur Jules Dash.

6th August 1916.

David Middleton Stewart.
Albert Johnstone Peake.
Montagu Hamer Ravenhill.
Edward James Keevil Garthwaite.
Wentworth William Thompson Moore.

7th August 1916.

Wilfred Philip Oddie.
Norman Stuart Crawford.
Douglas Selby Warren.
Dulcy Maurice Newitt.
Reginald Mitchell Banks.
Stephen Henry Kearsey.

13th August 1916.

Arthur John Olorenshaw.

14th August 1916.

Thomas Edington Furneaux.
Walter Ethelbert James.

18th August 1916.

Gerald Penn Simkins
Herbert James Nichols.

21st August 1916.

Guy Vyvyan Austice Prideaux.

24th August 1916.

Stuart Leslie Matthews.
Wilfred Joyce.

27th August 1916.

Leonard Clive Pearson.
Hampden Sanders.

28th August 1916.

Roland Ashley-Smith.

31st August 1916.

Stanley Herbert Oatway.
Henry Edwin Thomas Crocker.

3rd September 1916.

Louis Victor Webb. (Since deceased)
William Graham Milne.
Edward Herbert Brockes.

5th September 1916.

Guy Rooker

6th September 1916.

Fred John Hennel.

8th September 1916.

James Ramsay Davidson.
Frederick Mervyn Hosking.
Lewis Gordon Jonas.
Percival Frederick Toogood. (Since deceased.)
Norval Unsworth.
Victor Joseph Paterson Fleming.
Robert Grant.
Sydney Thomas Hensman Munsey.
Neville Bailey Tapsell.
William John Arbuthnot. (Since deceased.)
Stanley Greig.
Bertrand Charles Hosking.
Patrick Michael O'Riordan.
John William Bream.
Alfred Thomas Duncan Anderson.
John Cyril Kingsley Swan.
Cecil John Hathaway.
Kenneth Minshall Robathan.
James Frederick Donohue Jeffreys.
John Bertram Wilkinson.
Arthur Lister-Jackson.
Noel Gerald Brudenell Kirwan.
Roi Linton Curtis.
Owen Edward Jones.
Charles Turner.
Christopher Gardner Thompson.
Thomas Oswald Corrin.

9th September 1916.

Charles Alfred Leonard Williams.

10th September 1916.

John Andrew Durnan.

12th September 1916.

Ralph Branton Day.

15th September 1916.

Frederick Arthur Reginald Riviere Rea.

18th September 1916.

George Henry Bruce Kerr.
Henry Paterson.

21st September 1916.

John Hosken Christopher. (Since deceased)
Joseph Wilson Rowell.

22nd September 1916.

Edwin Blamey Fox.
Lewis Edyvean Morgan.
William Henry Butcher.

25th September 1916.

Phillip Joseph Sellier.
John Elias Nanfan Webb.

29th September 1916.

Colin Scott Moncrieff Finlayson.

30th September 1916.

Samuel William Steane.

1st October 1916.

Maurice Kevin O'Gorman.
Hugh Peter Lansdale Ruthven.
Cyril Thomas Casling.
Thomas Beesley McGuire.
Frederic Browell Fisher.
Norman Walter Wale.
Reginald William Barton Wright.
William Milburne.
Leslie Hope Butterfield.
Henry Harry Francis Macdonald Tyler.
Guy Wallace Breithaupt.
Ronald William Holmes Smith.
Charles Le Geyt Poingdestre.
Donald Malcolm Francis Chisholm.
Bernard Moore Blakeston. (Since deceased.)
John Aiton Bell.
Frank Roxburgh Hawkes.
Andrew Donald.
Roland Victor Norris.
Eric Charles Priestley.
Gerald Hallam Cooke.

7th October 1916.

Frank Seymour Harrison.
William Sydney Baker.
Stanley John Vessey.

12th October 1916.

William James O'Grady.

15th October 1916.

Clement Erwin Simon.
Alfred Murphy.

16th October 1916.

William Jameson Thompson.

17th October 1916.

Ernest Louis Crawford.

18th October 1916.

Ernest William Tomlinson.

19th October 1916.

Harold Ranyard Cox.

21st October 1916.

John Bell Centeno.

22nd October 1916.

Alexander Arthur Richard Cope.
William Maurice Browning.
Albert Croad.

23rd October 1916.

George Donald Newman Bartlett.
Darold Oakes Crowther.

25th October 1916.

Charles Cecil Courtney Lewis.
Edgar Cyril Walters.

27th October 1916.

Charles Eustace Rooke. (Since resigned.)

28th October 1916.

Henry Guy Cooper.
William Thomas Hughes. (Since deceased.)

29th October 1916.

George John Lucas Stovin. (Since deceased.)
Cecil William Chater.
Percy Harold Galvin.
Henry Carlos Prior.

29th October 1916.

Robert Edwin Russell.
John Goodfellow Marshall.
Felix Henry Hirst.
George Byron.
Harry Tierney.
Edward Kenneth Macgregor Godfrey.
Thorn Edward Campbell.
Arthur Everard Murray.
Geoffrey Neithorpe Simeon.
Guy Doncaster.
Andrew Taylor Davies.
Stanley Harvey Melville Smith.
Richard Road MacFadden.
George Chappell Minnitt.
William Aeneas Hall.
Ellice Ezra.

30th October 1916.

Roland Maurice Marks.

8th November 1916.

Osmond Herbert Eliot.
Sydney James Stanbury.

11th November 1916.

George Shallow.
Albert Bernard Carter.

16th November 1916.

Frederic Williamson.

21st November 1916.

Walter Henry Nicholson.

24th November 1916.

Bruce Hyde Cates.

30th November 1916.

Frank Walshaw.
William Charles Theo Harman.

1st December 1916.

Gordon Oswald Down.
Alexander Drysdale Young.
James Anthony Mole.

1st December 1916.

Harold Cedric Crawford Lindsay.
James Rennie Izat.
Cyril Walter Cousins.
Arthur Guy Noble.
Dermott Crawford Sydney-Smith.
Frank Young.
Norman George Bateman.
Gavan John Cowan.
Basil Hardress Humphrys.
Alfred James Findlay.
Edward Charles Partridge.
Malcolm Tudor Graham.
Cuthbert George Milford Mackarness.
William George Barron.
Norman Bernard Lawford.
Kenneth Maxwell Ross.

2nd December 1916.

Bertram Lionel Harvey.

3rd December 1916.

Neil Donovan Granville O'Toole.
Horace Percival Conyers Brown.

4th December 1916.

Henry Agar Clark.
Geoffrey Loughman.

10th December 1916.

William Greenfield Money.
Reginald Ffolliott Hasluck.

14th December 1916.

Edmund James Patrick Hogan.

15th December 1916.

Terence Moran.
Colin Neil Boddington Smart.

16th December 1916.

James Macfie.
Frank Currie Lewis, C.I.E.

28th December 1916.

John Thwaite Harker.

30th December 1916.

William Hamilton Ritchie.
Reginald Malcolm Ellis Brady.
Augustine Franks Ryan.

1st January 1917.

Francis Howard Hebberd.
Arthur Ernest Mould.
John Garry. (Since deceased.)
James McLean Wilson.
Ernest Graves.
Robert Arthur Douglas Elliot.
William Roy Stone Morley.
William Gerald Morris.
George Herbert Neil Pepper.
Edward Michael St. George Daintith.
Frederick Alexander Pawson.
Walter Thomas Read.
Edmund Louis Cecil Hasell-Wright.
James Stanley Tilley.
Francis William Steward.
Farquhar Donald Mackinnon.
Cecil Percy Winckler.
Joseph Ignatius Nugent Lentaigne.
Charles Hodding.
Fred Banister.
Reginald Geoffrey Torrens.
Alan George Grant.
George Stewart White Ross.
John Aymas Thorpe.
Herbert George Clark.

12th January 1917.

Richard Waterfield.

13th January 1917.

Edward Charles Cousins.

14th January 1917.

Stanley Erroll Aubrey Mumford.

18th January 1917.

Maurice Joseph Determes.

20th January 1917.

Wilfred Herbert Dolphin.

22nd January 1917.

Gerald St. Clair Lee.

26th January 1917.

Francis Gorden Lowe.

27th January 1917.

George Douglas Mackay.
Patrick Anselm Kelly.
Terence Francis Hely.
Edward John Fitzpatrick.
Lancelot Young Bazett.
Cecil Philip Gouldsbury.
Wilfred Pearse Cliff.
Richard Frederick Roberts.
Richard James Hadwin Fell.
Herbert Windham Matheson Fraser.
Cyril Herbert Evans.
Jack Arthur Greenwood.
William Martin Leftwich.
Hugh Cuthbert Seymour.
James Halero Johnston.
Ebenezer Fraser.
Cecil Graham Perdue.
Edgar Cecil Channell.

29th January 1917.

John Taber Latter.

4th February 1917.

Courtney Kavanagh.

10th February 1917.

William Albert Harwood.
Francis Robert Bailey.

15th February 1917.

Leslie Neeve Flatt.
Alister Morrison.

20th February 1917.

Horace Stanley Morris.
Edward Powell Coffey.
Charles Edward Seidle.
William McLean.
Cecil Herbert Frank Logan Lake.
Charles Thistlethwayth Welman Dunsmure.
Thomas Ernest Dawson.
Gordon Henry Archibald Goldberg.
Herbert Jasper Bell.
Maurice James Murray.
George Brown Mould.
Philip Henry Spernon Tozer.
Arthur Douglas Marshall.
John Mervyn Young.
Dennis Patrick O'Brien.
Harold Vienna Higby.
Anthony Godfrey Littledale.
Robert Stanley Murphy.

20th February 1917.

Clarance Burran Preece.
Percy Hawksworth.
Hugh Edgar Basil Priestley.
John Henry Griffie-Williams.
John Cyprian Pearce.
Charles William Blythe Normand.

21st February 1917.

James Arthur Dooley.

22nd February 1917.

Frank Norris Punchard.

24th February 1917.

Thomas Ian Sutherland Mackay.

26th February 1917.

Lindsay Hassell Rodwell.

28th February 1917.

Reginald Lloyd Herbert.

1st March 1917.

John Maurice Russell.
Alfred Hubert Paice.

4th March 1917.

Paul Joseph Patrick.

8th March 1917.

George Weston Clements.
David Griffiths Parry.

11th March 1917.

Hugh Lavalan Banon.

15th March 1917.

Charles Alfred Waddingham.
Charles Francis Blayney Moggridge.

17th March 1917.

Frederick Cyril Heathcote.

18th March 1917.

Edward Donovan.

20th March 1917.

Cecil Rae.
Martin Rosse. (Since deceased).
Nathan Coleman Myers.
Ernest Hale Dunkley.
Arthur James Moore.
Frederic Brewse Hartnell.

25th March 1917.

Eustace Meredith Rice.
Hugh Gabriel Stokes.
Herbert Raymond Modget.
Maurice Patrick O'Leary.
Alan Harold Henry Duffus.
James Mollison Wilson.
Tom Lawson Noble.
Richard Alphonsus Delahunty.
William Edward Gustave Bender.
George Makins Smith.
Joseph Cresswell Kelly.
John Stewart Dawson.
Maurice White.
Clifford Arthur Sheridan Templeton.
Hugh McAndrew Baikie.
Clive Noble Rich.
Leonard John Powis.
Edward Hopkins.

26th March 1917.

Hubert Faucett Milford.
Aubrey Cecil Percy.

29th March 1917.

Clement William Chapman.
Robert Samuel Dudley.

30th March 1917.

George William Irwin.

2nd April 1917.

Edward Michael Kempe.

3rd April 1917.

Ronald Victor Hitchcock.

8th April 1917.

Herbert Griffiths.

14th April 1917.

Robert Campbell Stevenson.
Herbert Frederick Steuart Butt-Gow.

15th April 1917.

Ian Grant.

19th April 1917.

John Cahill Byrne.

21st April 1917.

Maurice Browne.

24th April 1917.

Edgar George Splane.

25th April 1917.

Claude John Ainslie.

28th April 1917.

Herbert John Chater Turner.
Davis Paris Proctor.
Henry Stewart Jackson.
Duguid Crichton Barckley.
Francis Allen.

29th April 1917.

James Ogilvie Rennie.

Indian Army Reserve Officers attached to the Supply and Transport Corps.

Captain to be Major.

1st September 1915.

Malcolm Stuart Scott O'Connor.

Lieutenant to be Captain.

25th April 1917.

Otho Algernon Travers.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

23rd October 1915.

John Hamilton Courtenay Gayer.

30th October 1915.

Albert Richards.
Frank William Hurst.
Hugh Crawford.
Herbert Guy Dunning.
Edward Philip Keeling.
Frederick George Butcher.
Arthur Clifford Earp.

3rd November 1915.

Edmund Risley Hearn.

6th November 1915.

Mathew Leo Brien Patrick O'Dea.

13th November 1915.

John Basil Brotherton.

20th November 1915.

Ivor Hurst.
George Edward Ingram.
John Collingwood Horwood.
Arthur Davies.
Tom Gillespie Ker.

27th November 1915.

Eric John Hart Jacobson.
John Henry Cumberlege.
Walter Stanley Duke.
Cyril Hugh McDermott.
Andrew Allan.
John de-Courcy Pook.
Charles Boswell Willson.
Arthur Bernard Cardozo Mildmay.
Arthur Havelock Hugh Fraser.

4th December 1915.

Lauchlan Toremore Macdonald.
Frederick Julian Siedle.
Harold Kenneth Head.
Hugh Rahere Panckridge.

18th December 1915.

Douglas Lillington Jenkins.

Wilfred Percival Rogers.

24th December 1915.

William Atkinson.
Arthur Henry Fawcett.
Niall Austin McGurk.
Guy Charles Geo Smyth.
Edward Arthur Nesbitt.

Augustin Mellish.
Herbery Manley.
Eric Gordon Baxter.
Ralph Lester.
Robert Bruce. (Since Deceased).

31st December 1915.

Herbert Charles Flashman.
Roland Veitch Baird.

Gerald Rossi Ashton.

8th January 1916.

Gerald Maltby.
Charles Cyrus Armitage.
Owen Watson.

William Charles Spowart.
Julles Robert Rayneau.

14th January 1916.

Reginald George Wreford.

15th January 1916.

Cyril Aloysius Lesmond.

22nd January 1916.

Hugh Ashby Burton.
Eustace Arthur Rouch.

Ranulph Francis Bowles.

29th January 1916.

Alfred Brooke Webb.

4th February 1916.

Arthur Skeels Cattell.

5th February 1916.

Howard Jackson.

John Elliott Viney.

8th February 1916.

James Reginald Stevens.

10th February 1916.

Humphrey Tanner.

1[illegible]th February 1916.

Robert Cecil Gardiner.
Howard Bell.

Geoffrey Nares Rawlings.

18th February 1916.

Thomas Reubon Spiller.
Walter Frederick Lutter.

Walter Leedham.

5th March 1916.

Gilbert Keatinge.

20th March 1916.

Eric Ernest DeBrath.

26th March 1916.

George William Harris.

2nd April 1916.

Clement Baldry Hardwicke.
Lindsay Ross Ogg. (Since deceased.)
Woodford Wright Sherlock.

Gerald Harper.
Arthur Warren Mercer.
George Symington Cameron.

9th April 1916.

James Ballantine Gibb.

16th April 1916.

Eric Mossop Ashton.
Colin Robert Baillie Murray.

George Hale Puckle.

17th April 1916.

Lionel Stanhope Fortescue.

23rd April 1916.

Albert Percy Joynson West.

25th April 1916.

Reginald Trevor Jenkin.

30th April 1916.

Ernest Burdsall Martin.

14th May 1916.

Henry Danvers Potters.

11th June 1916.

Michael Oldfield Angelo.

18th June 1916.

Reginald Newland Dawes Smith.
Oswald Aubrey Harman.
Victor Paul Wainwright.
Walter Percy Hales.
Hugh John Fraser.

1st July 1916.

Elliott Wallace Frederick Townsend Daunt.

9th July 1916.

Louis Frederick Lerway Day.
Charles McMullen Pearson.

12th July 1916.

Cyril Arthur Mileham.

30th July 1916.

Martin Zobel.
George Jamieson.

2nd August 1916.

Arthur Basil George.

6th August 1916.

Charles Howland.

12th August 1916.

Allan Stafford Thornewill.

13th August 1916.

Claude Pickering Harris.

27th August 1916.

Vivian Douglas Cove.
Arthur Gordon Evans.

28th August 1916.

James Stanislaus Thompson.

8th September 1916.

Oliver Frederick Thomas Ernest Abrahall.

9th September 1916.

Hugh Frederick Masters.

24th September 1916.

Alan Robert Thomas.
George Graham Brewin.
Alexander Cunningham Hope

1st October 1916.

Ralph Eugene Smith.

7th October 1916.

Henry Ruxton Corfield.

12th October 1916.

Charles Edward Simmons.
William Joseph Considine.
Arthur Gerald Whitamore.

15th October 1916.

Frederick Philip Boxer.

16th October 1916.

Robert Montford Michaelson Yeates.

29th October 1916.

Charles Frederic Grant Quilter.

5th November 1916.

Geoffrey Francis Dixon.

6th November 1916.

Sutherland Robert Macdonald.
Gerald Graves Bradley.

21st November 1916.

Vernon Sampson Smith.
James Allen Fletcher.

1st December 1916.

Thomas David.
James Sutherland McColl

6th December 1916.

William McWhinnie.

23rd December 1916.

Charles Herbert Baldry. | William Francis Harding.

1st January 1917.

Percival Michael Julius Feilmann.

14th January 1917.

Terence Ryan Ross. | Tristram de Carne Croft

15th January 1917.

Richard Luskey Hambly.

24th January 1917.

Harold Stanley Kent.

25th January 1917.

Edmund Robertson Page.

27th January 1917.

Douglas Hugh Harrison.

8th February 1917.

John Arthur Hewer.

12th February 1917.

Ralph Claiborne Dixon.

15th February 1917.

Bernard Nathan Thompson.

19th February 1917.

Leo Breslauer.

20th February 1917.

Frank Hubert Perrin. | Joseph Crane Austin.

28th February 1917.

Gerald Mackintosh. | David James Harrison.

8th March 1917.

John Francis Worsley Boden.

14th March 1917.

John Davidson.

25th March 1917.

Donald George Hill. | Alfred Henry Robert Holmes.

28th March 1917.

Donald Frederick Marshall.

1st April 1917.

Charles Ernest Fellowes Manson.

14th April 1917.

Noel Theodor Barwell Turner.

17th April 1917.

Albert Williams.
Ernest Arthur Fisk.
Donald Roy MacGregor.
George Bispham.
Wilfred Leonard Macleod Niorses.
William Johnson Cole.
Alexander Robertson McCorquodale.
Rupert Sampson Gilbert.
John William Hope.

17th April 1917.

William Stuart Jackson Boyd.
Robert Lukyn Williams.
Edward Montgomery Ricketts.

28th April 1917.

Percy Frederick McRoberts.

29th April 1917.

Alfred Edward Marriott.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 686—The undermentioned 3rd class Assistant Surgeon having completed five years' service in that class and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd class Assistant Surgeon with effect from the 27th February 1917.

Percy Thorpe.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 687.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on the undermentioned Indian officers :—

Subadar-Major Harnam Singh, *Sardar Bahadur*, Burma Military Police. Dated 30th June 1916

Subadar-Major Amar Singh, *Sardar Bahadur, Rai Bahadur*, I.O.M., Burma Military Police (Aide-de-Camp to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor of Burma). Dated 31st August 1916

Subadar-Major Bhairo Singh, *Sardar Bahadur*, I O.M., 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment). Dated 18th December 1916

No. 688.—The following promotions are made .—

4th Cavalry.

Dafadar Karam Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd March 1917, to complete the establishment.

15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis)

Dafadar Bhan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 20th March 1917; and to remain seconded.

27th Light Cavalry.

Kot-Dafadar Lakpat Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th October 1916, to complete the establishment.

1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.

Jemadar Nand Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st April 1917; to complete the establishment.

"Z" Divisional (Signal) Company.

Jemadar Nagina Singh (11th King Edward's Own Lancers, Probyn's Horse) to be Subadar, with effect from the 23rd December 1916; to complete the establishment.

4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.

Havildar Gopal Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st April 1917; to complete the establishment.

10th Jats.

Jemadar Khubi Ram to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Dani to be Jemadar, with effect from the 7th March 1917, Havildars Ramji Lal, Sudhan and Shiuchand to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st April 1917; to complete the establishment.

15th Ludhiana Sikhs.

Subadar Lachhman Singh to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 1st April 1917; *vice* Naurang Singh transferred to the pension establishment.

27th Punjabis

Havildar Mustafa to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th June 1916; to complete the establishment.

44th Merwara Infantry.

Jemadar Lala to be Subadar, with effect from the 23rd January 1917 and Jemadar Moti to be Subadar, with effect from the 7th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Hardit Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Wazir Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th April 1917; *vice* Anokh Singh, transferred to the pension establishment.

58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).

Havildars Diwana, Fazal Dad and Udham Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 26th January 1916; to complete the establishment.

81st Pioneers.

Colour-Havildar Ghulam Mohuyid-din to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th February 1917, Havildar Zainulabdin and Havildar-Major Francis to be Jemadars, with effect from the 6th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

112th Infantry.

Havidar Agdi Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

The Delhi Regiment.

Havildar-Major Sultan Muhammad Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

No. 689.—In Army Department Notification No. 390, dated the 16th March 1917, under 1st Battalion, 123rd Outram's Rifles, *for* " Khonkal Ram " *read* " Dhonkal Ram."

RETENTIONS.

BARRACK DEPARTMENT, PUNJAB-BENGAL.

No. 690.—Conductor Frank Slade, Barrack Department, will be retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 22nd May 1917, until further orders, and will be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 691.—Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Montresor Lewis, Supernumerary List, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 18th September 1916.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 692.—Colonel Arthur Owen Evans has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 22nd January 1917.

REWARDS.

No. 693.—*Delete* the words " Zhob Levy Corps " from Army Department Notification No. 1550, dated the 22nd December 1916.

No. 694.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction, under the provisions of paragraph 470, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the special promotion of the undermentioned Indian officers and warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men for services during the present war.

The promotions will have effect from the 1st January 1917, unless where otherwise stated :—

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

No. 196 2nd Grade Veterinary Assistant Farzand Ali Khan, to be 1st Grade Veterinary Assistant ranking as Jemadar, with effect from the 1st October 1916.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT (BENGAL).

2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Nabi Ahmad Sadiki, to be 1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Subadar.

No. 772 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Pohlo Ram, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 929 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Hira Singh, *Rai Bahadur*, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 851 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Bhagwan Singh, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 872 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Abdullah, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 880 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Ghaus Muhammad, I.O.M., to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 943 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Saiyid Abdul Basit, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 991 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Bal-Mukand, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 1032 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Mitthu Lal, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 1041 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Dayal Singh, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 1046 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Kishan Singh, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar, with effect from the 27th March 1917.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT (MADRAS).

2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon V. Sambasiva Nayakar (since deceased), to be 1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Subadar, with effect from the 3rd June 1916.

No. 1224 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon M. A. Thomas Pillai, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 1249 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Robert Sahu, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 1252 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon M. Kadir Sharif, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 1255 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon P. Hira Lal, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 1262 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon M. Hira Singh, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 1265 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Narikuti Ramunni, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 1286 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon S. Jasudasan, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 1322 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon V. Virasami Nayudu, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 1343 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Samuel Manikkam, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT (BOMBAY).

No. 225 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Benjamin David, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 236 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Amba Shankar Morarji, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 258 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Shankar Vishnu Gole, to be 2nd Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, ranking as Jemadar.

No. 311 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Muhammad Motin, to be 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

No. 316 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Fazl Ahmad, to be 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

Army Bearer Corps.

No. 5049 Naik Noondi
No. 5196 Bearer (temporary Lance-Naik) Mangal
No. 1396 Naik Ram Charan
} to be promoted Lance-Havildar.

No. 1495 Acting Naik Sher Ahmed
No. 2335 Lance-Naik Rugunnundan
No. 7034 Lance-Naik Kundan
No. 7074 Lance-Naik Ram Charan
No. 5236 Bearer Ganga Ram
} to be promoted Naik.

No. 1013 Bearer Devi Din No. 1486 Bearer Umar Din No. 1578 Bearer Ghowr No. 1582 Bearer Balore No. 4349 Bearer Madan Singh No. 4397 Bearer Mastan Singh No. 7052 Bearer Bhujjoo No. 4450 Bearer Abdulla Khan No. 7204 Bearer Beni No. 7259 Bearer Chabi No. 7455 Bearer Mulloo No. 7389 Bearer Narain No. 9402 Bearer Balu	to be promoted Lance-Naik.

Army Hospital Corps.

No. 608 2nd Grade Ward Servant Pera Luxuman No. 3183 2nd Grade Ward Servant Abdul Rahman	to be promoted to 1st Grade Ward Servant.
No. 11041 3rd Grade Ward Servant Nadar Alla Rakhan No. 3614 3rd Grade Ward Servant Ram Purshad No. 4147 3rd Grade Ward Servant Sher Baz Khan No. 7252 3rd Grade Ward Servant Dhannu No. 7605 3rd Grade Ward Servant Ram Gulam No. 2133 3rd Grade Ward Servant Ghainda	to be promoted to 2nd Grade Ward Servant.
No. 3469 2nd Grade Water Carrier Magar Shah No. 3582 2nd Grade Water Carrier Baboo	to be promoted to 1st Grade Water Carrier.

No. 3440 2nd Grade Dhobi Fazal Karim, to be promoted to 1st Grade Dhobi.

No. 4149 2nd Grade Sweeper Rupah No. 4285 2nd Grade Sweeper Thawra No. 4280 2nd Grade Sweeper Surain Singh	to be promoted to 1st Grade Sweeper.

No. 695.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the grant of a special gratuity of three months' pay to each of the undermentioned in recognition of their good services in the field :—

Army Bearer Corps.

No. 3000 Havildar Nikka.
No. 2380 Havildar Lal Din.

Army Hospital Corps.

No. 11001 1st Grade Ward Servant Abdulla Jamshir Khan.
No. 5026 1st Grade Ward Servant Balu Lachman.
No. 252 Bhisti Amboo Succaram.
No. 184 Bhisti Hussain Bapoo.

Miscellaneous.

Tindal Abdul Rahman (Royal Field Artillery), attached Indian Veterinary Hospital, Rouen.

Naik of Syces Budh Ram (Royal Horse Artillery), attached Indian Veterinary Hospital, Rouen.

Naik of Syces Suffra (Royal Field Artillery), attached Indian Veterinary Hospital, Rouen.

Naik of Syces Chunda (Royal Field Artillery), attached Indian Veterinary Hospital, Rouen. (Since deceased).

No. 1-21 F.V.S., Naik of Syces Siamber, attached Indian Veterinary Hospital, Marseilles.

No. 98-22 F.V.S., Naik of Syces Sita Ram, attached Indian Veterinary Hospital, Marseilles.

No. 65-23 F. V. S., Naik of Syces Francis, attached Indian Veterinary Hospital, Marseilles.

No. 79-11 F. V. S., Naik of Syces Ashraf Khan, attached Indian Veterinary Hospital, Marseilles.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 696.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following admission to the Order of British India for distinguished service in the field. Dated 1st January 1917 :—

To the 2nd Class of the Order with the title of "Bahadur."

1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon J. Williamson, I.S.M.D., (Madras).

The above appointment will be supernumerary to the authorised establishment.

JUDICIAL.

No. 697.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917) the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made to the rules published in Army Department notification No. 461, dated the 27th March 1917, namely:—

After Rules 6 (1), the following shall be added—

"Provided that, in the case of any person referred to in clause (c) of Rule 5, such person shall, for the purposes of this Rule, be deemed to reside in the district in which is situated the Headquarters of the Railway Administration by which such person is employed."

No. 698.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 113 of the Indian Army Act, 1911 (VIII of 1911), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Table published under Army Department Notification No. 1103 of the 5th November 1915 as subsequently amended by Army Department Notifications No 378, dated the 7th April 1916 and No. 558, dated the 13th April 1917, namely:—

Under heading 'Mesopotamia' the following shall be added—

"(d) The Officer Commanding the Tigris Line of Communication Defences.	The powers of an officer commanding a division."
"(e) The Officer Commanding the Euphrates Line of Communication Defences.	The powers of an officer commanding a brigade."

and the following fresh heading with entry thereunder shall be added—

Persia.

"The Officer Commanding the Bushire Force.	The powers of an officer commanding a division."

No. 699.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Registration Ordinance, 1917, read with the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, (III of 1917), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Registration Rules, 1917, published with the notification of the Government of India in the Army Department, No 100, dated the 2nd February 1917, namely —

After sub-rule (2) of Rule 6 of the said Rules the following sub-rule shall be added, namely:—

(3) "Nothing in this rule shall apply to a person who has reported himself for the purpose of joining a corps or unit of the Indian Defence Force in accordance with rule 19 of the Indian Defence Force Rules, 1917, unless such person changes his residence to a place outside the military divisional area in which the Headquarters of his corps are situate."

No. 700.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 113 of the Indian Army Act 1911 (VIII of 1911), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that persons wishing to serve as labourers for one year or less as may be required by Government shall be enrolled on the following form —

FORM No. III-D.

NON-COMBATANTS.

Indian Labour and Porter Corps and unorganised labour.

Enrolment of

No.________ Name ____________________ as a Non-Combatant

Questions to be put before enrolment.

You are warned that if after enrolment it is found that you have given a wilfully false answer to any of the following seven questions you will be liable to be punished as provided in the Indian Army Act.

1. What is your name? 1.________________

2. What is your Father's name? 2.________________

3. What is your religion, class and tribe?	3.________
4. What is your Village, Thana Pergunnah / Tehsil and District?	4. Village________ Thana________ Pergunnah / Tehsil________ District________
5. Do you now belong to His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army?	5.________
6. Have you ever served in His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army? If so, in which and the cause of discharge (a)?	6.________
7. Are you in receipt of any allowance from Government? If so, on what account?	7.________
8. Are you willing to be enrolled as a________	8.________
9. Are you willing to go wherever ordered by land or sea and to obey all orders given you by your superior officers?	9.________
10. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?	10.________
11. Are you willing to serve for one year or less as may be required by Government?	11.________

(a) If so the person should be asked to produce his discharge certificate.

I ________________ do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

Signature or thumb impression of person enrolled ________________

Signature of witness ________________

CERTIFICATE OF ENROLLING OFFICER.

The conditions of the service for which he is now enrolled were read and explained to the above-named person by me (in my presence).

After having cautioned him that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions Nos. 1 to 7 he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Indian Army Act, I put these questions to him and his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to.

I am satisfied that he fully understands the questions put to him and consents to the conditions of service.

Signed at________________this____________day of ____________19 .

*Signature of Enrolling Officer*________________

Description on enrolment.

(To be completed by Enrolling Officer.)

Apparent age :—

Height :—

(To be completed by Medical Officer.)

I consider him * ______________ for the service for which enrolled.

Identification marks or cause of unfitness ____.

Date ________________

Place ________________

Signature ________________________________

Medical Officer.

*Insert here "fit" or "unfit."

ORGANISATION.

No. 701.—Mr. A. C. McWatters, I.C.S., is appointed Controller for Hides and Wool, Indian Munitions Board, with effect from the 1st April 1917.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

1st Punjab Volunteer Rifles.

No. 702.—Second Lieutenant Maurice Lionel McNamara to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 15th March 1917.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 703.—James Knox to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 4th January 1917.

Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 704.—Alexander Kershaw Muirhead to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Robert William Taylor to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Arthur Robert Gundry to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Reginald Quentin Cruttwell to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Laurence Oliphant McCurrich to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

William Hugh Gorton to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Percival Bryan McGowan to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Edward Alfred Sims to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Bombay Volunteer Rifles.

No. 705.—Morley Fox to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 20th March 1917.

East Coast Volunteer Rifles.

No. 706.—Henry Lambert to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 20th March 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 1st May, 1917.

No. 199-R-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 199-R-17, dated the 18th April 1917, Mr. W. S. Wood, Superintendent, 3rd grade, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, 2nd grade, with effect from the 23rd April 1917.

No. 201-R-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 345-R-16, dated the 20th December 1916, Mr. W. S. Wood, Officiating Superintendent, 2nd grade, reverted to his substantive appointment of Superintendent, 3rd grade, with effect from the 23rd April 1917.

No. 201-R-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 201-R-17, dated the 23rd April 1917, the following officiating promotions are made with effect from the 23rd April 1917 and until further orders :—

Name.	From	To
Mr. V. G. Gadgil	Superintendent, 3rd grade ...	Superintendent, 2nd grade.
Mr. C. H. L. Harvey	Assistant, 1st grade ...	Superintendent, 3rd grade.

The 2nd May, 1917.

No. 452-E.—The following permanent promotions are ordered in the Superior Locomotive Establishment of State Railways :—

Names.	From	To	With effect from
Lloyd, G. W.	Class III grade 3 ...	Class III, grade 2 ...	28th February 1917.
de Vere Irwin, R.	Class III, grade 3 ...	Class III, grade 2 ...	5th March 1917.

No. 528-E.—Mr. J. D. Mollett, Officiating District Locomotive Superintendent in class II, grade 5, temporary, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways (on military duty) held the officiating rank of District Locomotive Superintendent in class II (Supernumerary) from the 9th August to the 30th November 1915, inclusive.

No. 529-E.—Mr. W. R. Pearce, District Locomotive Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, in class II, grade I, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Locomotive Superintendent in class I of that Establishment *vice* Mr. J. P. Williams, Deputy Locomotive Superintendent, granted leave with effect from the 4th May 1917.

No. 718-E.-16.—Rai Sahib Syama Charan Ghose, Sub-Engineer, 1st grade, is appointed to the Provincial Engineer Establishment of State Railways, as an Assistant Engineer, with effect from the 1st September 1916 and posted to the Eastern Bengal Railway.

The 4th May, 1917.

No. 353-E.-17.—Mr. O. W. Watkins, officiating Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, North Western Railway, is confirmed in the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways as an Assistant Locomotive Superintendent in class III, grade 2, and promoted to class III, grade 1, sub, *pro tem*, with effect from the 1st April 1917.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Simla, the 4th May, 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 28th April 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI ...	...	Delhi City	2*	1*
		TOTAL	2	1
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	115	96
		Ahmedabad City	10	7
		Kaira District	13†	8†
		Surat Town and Port	29	28
		Surat District	10	11
		Thana District	49	37
	Central	Ahmednagar District	41	29
		East Khandesh District	8	61
		West Khandesh District	33	34
		Poona Town	1	...
		Poona District	75	45
		Nasik District	29	26
		Satara District	287	193
		Sholapur Town	1	1
		Sholapur District	83	58
	Southern	Panvel Port	6	6
		Thal Port	4†	4†
		Kolaba District	24†	16†
		Bankot Port	...	2
		Ratnagiri Port	12	12
		Belgaum District	94	61
		Dharwar District	26	7
		Bijapur District	19	14
	Sind ...	Karachi Town and Port	129	114
		Karachi District	8	5
		Hyderabad Town	95	77
		Hyderabad District	11	3

* Imported.
† For two weeks.

The following additions should be made in the returns noted below :—

14th April 1917— Nawabshah District 3 cases, 2 deaths.
21st " " Hyderabad Town 110 " 86 "
Hyderabad District 3 " 3 "
Thar and Parkar District *nil* case, 1 death.

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind	Political Charges	Baroda State	16	15
		Mangrol Port	2	2
		Kathiawar Agency	3	3
		Tuna Port	4	4
		Mundra Port	3	1
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	140	100
		Bijapur Agency	3	4
		Satara Agency	54	44
		Akalkot State	9	4
		Aden Port	16	18
		TOTAL	1,583	1,159
Madras Presidency	...	Anantapur District	21 (a)	21 (a)
		Bellary District	28	26
		Chittoor District	9	8
		Coimbatore District	17	15
		Madura District	1	1
		Mangalore Port	7	4
		South Canara District	1 (a)	2 (l)
		Salem District	2	2
		North Arcot District	14 (a)	9 (a)
		TOTAL	100	88
Bengal Presidency	Presidency	Calcutta	8	8
		TOTAL	8	8
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	Patna City	57	51
		Patna District	241	176
		Gaya City	3	3
		Gaya District	19	18
		Shahabad District	117	176
	Tirhut	Saran District	301	281
		Muzaffarpur District	264	258
		Darbhanga City	3	2
		Darbhanga District	177	149

(a) One imported (b) Two imported

In the return for the week ending 21st April 1917, *add* the following —
Tuna Port 1 case, *nil* death.
Aden Port 9 cases, 6 deaths

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	125	102
		Bhagalpur City	31	20
		Bhagalpur District	38	27
		TOTAL	1,376	1,31
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut...	Saharanpur City	3	3
		Saharanpur District	22	15
		Muzaffarnagar District	43	29
	Agra	Mainpuri District	19	16
		Etah District	10	8
	Rohil-khand	Bareilly District	...	3
		Bijnor District	22	20
		Budaun District	71	15
		Moradabad District	40	46
		Pilibhit District	25	19
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City	24	23
		Farrukhabad District	27	25
		Etawah District	6	6
		Cawnpore City	86	86
		Cawnpore District	128	128
		Fatehpur District	62	54
		Allahabad City	3	3
		Allahabad District	211	209
	Jhansi ...	Jalaun District	75	61
	Benares	Benares City	...	1
		Benares District	15	11
		Mirzapur District	12	4
		Jaunpur District	243	195
		Ghazipur District	310	387
		Ballia District	242	226

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
UNITED PROVINCES	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur City	3*	3
		Gorakhpur District	153	163
		Basti District	118	106
		Azamgarh District	286	294
	Lucknow	Lucknow District	19	14
		Unao District	452	43
		Rae Bareli District	129	123
		Sitapur District	85	58
		Hardoi District	15	15
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad City	1	1
		Fyzabad District	86	85
		Gonda District	80	70
		Bahraich District	4	4
		Sultanpur District	64	55
		Partabgarh District	33	33
		Bara Banki District	14	14
		TOTAL	3,141	2,934
PUNJAB	Ambala	Karnal District	1	1
		Ambala District	115	79
	Jullundur	Jullundur District	30	16
		Ludhiana District	45	16
		Ferozepore District	1	...
	Lahore	Lahore City	24	8
		Lahore District	37	25
		Gurdaspur District	14	12
		Gujranwala District	32	21

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District	9	2
		Shahpur District	8	1
		Jhelum District	41	23
		Rawalpindi District	21	8
	Multan	Lyallpur District	9	2
		Multan District	1	...
	Native States	Jind State	17	15
		Patiala State	1	1
		Kapurthala State	10	6
		TOTAL	416	238
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	21	20
		Hanthawaddy District	2	2
		Tharrawaddy District	2	2
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	8	7
		Henzada District	11	11
		Myaungmya District	5	5
		Pyapon District	13	12
	Tenasserim	Moulmein Town	13	13
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	...	1

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BURMA	Meiktila	Myingyan District	...	1
	Shan States	Southern Shan State	1	...
		TOTAL	76	74
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur...	Nagpur Town	1	1
		Nagpur District	52	15
		Bhandara District	33	22
		Wardha District	18	12
		Balaghat District	28	24
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town and Cantonment	7	6
		Jubbulpore District	77	64
		Saugor District	11	11
		Seoni District	12	10
		Mandla District	9	15
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District	10	10
		Nimar District	14	13
		Narsinghpur District	31	21
		Chhindwara District	15	14
	Chhatisgarh	Raipur District	5	4
		Bilaspur District	34	19
	Berar ...	Amraoti District	98	70
		Yeotmal District	17	10
		Akola District	109	80
		Buldana District	98	66
		TOTAL	669	407
ASSAM ...	...	......	...	...
COORG ...	...	......	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	7	5
		Bangalore District	15	13
		Mysore District	10	9
		Kadur District	1	...
		Shimoga District	20	13
		Chitaldroog District	...	1
		Tumkur District	3	2
		Kolar Gold Fields	1	1
		Kolar District	14	13
		TOTAL	71	56
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Bir District	48	56
		Parbhani District	40	39
		Nander District	92	7
		Gulbarga District	40	19
		Raichur District	4	3
		Usmanabad District	371	273
		Bidar District	60	55
		Medak District	50	49
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	4	1
		Warangal District	6	4
		TOTAL	715 (a)	550 (a)

(a) From the 16th to the 22nd April 1917.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore City	...	1
		Indore State	36	28
		Dhar State	4	2
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	97	76
		TOTAL	137 (a)	107 (a)
RAJPUTANA	...	Ajmer City	248	176
		Ajmer District	33	30
		Alwar State	16	18
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State	97	63
		Bharatpur State	9	6
		Mewar State	22	21
		Kishangarh State	11	8
		Jaipur State	16	16
		TOTAL	452	338
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	16	6
		TOTAL	16	6
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	8,712	7,345

(a) For the week ending 21st April 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 3rd May 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. Weather was unsettled in northwest India during the first three days of the week, and fairly widespread rain fell in the submontane and hill districts. On the 29th weather was dry generally except for a few light falls in south Burma and Assam, but on the following day rainfall commenced in the extreme south of the Peninsula in connection with an area of disturbed weather over the extreme southwest of the Bay. This developed into a storm and travelling with unusual rapidity northwards was off the Orissa coast at the close of the week. Local rain fell under its influence in Mysore, Madras, Hyderabad, Orissa, Bengal and Lower Burma.

2. *Burma.*—Local falls occurred in Lower Burma on the last day of the week.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—There was local rain in Orissa and Bengal on the 2nd May. Only a few falls were recorded elsewhere.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Scattered falls occurred in the United Provinces and the Central Provinces.

Northwest India.—There was nearly general rain in west Rajputana on the 28th April and local rain in Sind, Kashmir and the north and east Punjab on the 27th. A few falls occurred in Baluchistan, the southwest Punjab and the North-West Frontier Province.

The Peninsula.—Rainfall occurred locally in the Bombay Deccan on the 26th April and in Hyderabad, Mysore and Madras on the 1st May. Elsewhere there were only a few isolated falls.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

April 26th.	Khushab 1·16″ and Bijapur 0·55″.
„ 27th.	Ludhiana 0·28″, Sialkot 0·25″, Simla 0·79″, Harnai 0·22″ and Hyderabad (Sind) 0·25″.
„ 28th.	Fort Sandeman 0·29″.
„ 30th.	Raichur 0·77″ and Cochin 1·30″.
May 1st.	Cherrapunji 14·68″, Jagdalpur 2·45″, Nizamabad 0·68″, Bangalore 1·08″ and Madura 1·16″.
„ 2nd.	Moulmein 0·90″, Darjiling 1·00″, Bogra 0·52″, Jalpaiguri 0·50″, Balasore 1·10″, Hukitala 5·60″, Cuttack 1·76″, Hanamkonda 1·60″ and Madura 1·70″.

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent or more in excess in Orissa, the Punjab, Sind, Rajputana, Berar, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad and the whole of the Madras Presidency excluding Malabar; and was normal or within 20 per cent of it in the United Provinces, Baluchistan and the Central Provinces West. No rain usually falls at this time of year in Gujarat and Central India, but in all the other divisions rainfall was 20 per cent or more in defect.

The rainfall from 1st December to date is 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Bengal, Bihar, Chota Nagpur, the Punjab, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana East, Central India East, Malabar, Madras Southeast and the Madras Coast North. It differs by less than 20 per cent from the normal in Burma, Assam, the United Provinces, the Bombay Deccan and Mysore, and is 20 per cent or more in excess elsewhere.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 3rd May 1917.			Rainfall data from 1st December 1916 to 3rd May 1917				
							Percentage departure from normal.	
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches	This week	Last week.
Bay Islands	0·2	1·6	—1·4	10·4	13·1	—2·7	—21	—11
Lower Burma	0·3	1·5	—1·2	4·5	4·9	—0·4	—8	+24
Upper Burma	0	0·7	—0·7	2·8	3·0	—0·2	—7	+22
Assam	0·2	2·8	—2·6	14·3	17·0	—2·7	—16	—1
Bengal	0·2	1·3	—1·1	5·4	6·8	—1·4	—21	—5
Orissa	2·1	0·2	+1·9	7·7	4·4	+3·3	+75	+33
Chota Nagpur	0·1	0·2	—0·1	2·9	4·6	—1·7	—37	—36
Bihar	0	0·3	—0·3	1·6	2·6	—1·0	—38	—30
United Provinces, East	0·1	0·1	0	2·7	2·3	+0·4	+17	+18
United Provinces, West	0·1	0·1	0	3·0	3·7	—0·7	—19	—19
Punjab, East and North	0·2	0·1	+0·1	3·1	5·2	—2·1	—40	—43
Punjab, South-West	0·5	0·1	+0·4	1·7	2·8	—1·1	—39	—56
Kashmir	0·2	0·7	—0·5	7·6	15·1	—7·5	—50	—49
N.-W. Frontier Province	0·1	0·2	—0·1	2·3	5·4	—3·1	—57	—58
Baluchistan	0·1	0·1	0	4·5	6·3	—1·8	—29	—29
Sind	0·1	0	+0·1	0·8	1·1	—0·3	—27	—36
Rajputana, West	0·2	0·1	+0·1	1·5	0·9	+0·6	+67	+63
Rajputana, East	0·1	0	+0·1	0·8	1·1	—0·3	—27	—36
Gujarat	0	0	0	0·4	0·2	+0·2	+100	+100
Central India, West	0	0	0	1·1	0·7	+0·4	+57	+57
Central India, East	0	0	0	1·5	2·3	—0·8	—35	—35
Berar	0·1	0	+0·1	3·4	1·9	+1·5	+79	+74
Central Provinces, West	0·1	0·1	0	3·2	2·2	+1·0	+45	+48
Central Provinces, East	0·1	0·2	—0·1	4·9	3·7	+1·2	+32	+37
Konkan	0	0·1	—0·1	1·6	0·5	+1·1	+22[illegible]	+300
Bombay Deccan	0·2	0·1	+0·1	1·3	1·1	+0·2	+18	+10
Hyderabad, North	0·6	0·2	+0·4	2·9	2·1	+0·8	+38	+21
Hyderabad, South	0·7	0·2	+0·5	4·8	2·1	+2·7	+129	+116
Mysore	0·4	0·8	—0·4	3·3	3·1	+0·2	+6	+26
Malabar	0·5	1·1	—0·6	4·6	7·6	—3·0	—39	—37
Madras, South-East	0·5	0·4	+0·1	5·3	8·4	—3·1	—37	—40
Madras Deccan	0·3	0·2	+0·1	2·8	1·4	+1·4	+100	+108
Madras Coast, North	0·2	0·1	+0·1	2·0	3·6	—1·6	—44	—49

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director-General of Observatories.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

SIMLA;
Dated the 3rd May 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 28th April 1917.

Burma.—The week was practically rainless. Cultivation of spring and summer rice is progressing normally in Upper Burma. Plucking of tobacco and collection of island and other miscellaneous crops continue. Standing crops are in good condition and cattle are generally healthy. The price of unhusked rice in Rangoon continues stationary at Rs. 107 per hundred baskets and is normal. The market for white rice is very weak.

Assam.—The weather is generally hot with occasional showers. Agricultural operations have been retarded in several districts by want of rain. Harvesting of spring rice has commenced with outturn good. Ploughing for and sowing of autumn and winter rice and jute continue. Plucking and manufacture of tea are in progress. Prospects of tea and of summer potatoes are fair. Cattle disease is reported from four districts. The price of common rice is practically stationary.

Bengal.—During the week light and scattered showers fell in all the divisions of the Province excepting Rajshahi where there was practically no rain. More rain is urgently needed for agricultural operations especially in the Rajshahi and Presidency divisions. Sowings of autumn paddy and jute continue but progress is being retarded in places for want of rain. Weeding has commenced in some of the eastern districts. Harvesting of summer rice is proceeding. The outturn is generally reported to be satisfactory. Fodder is reported to be insufficient in parts of the Nadia, Dacca and Mymensingh districts. Cattle disease prevails in eleven districts. The average price of common rice has risen by about 0·57 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Bihar and Orissa.—Light rain fell in most districts of Orissa. In Behar and Chota Nagpur the rainfall was scanty and scattered. Harvesting of spring crops has been completed in most districts. Threshing is in progress. Preparation of lands for the next season's crops is going on. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has risen in five districts, fallen in one and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from eleven districts. The number of persons on test works in Puri and Singhbhum was 847 and 1,716 respectively and that of persons gratuitously relieved in Puri 1,047. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—Light to moderate rain fell during the week in many districts. Slight damage by hail is reported from a few districts but the condition of standing crops is on the whole satisfactory. Threshing and winnowing of spring crops, hoeing of sugarcane and irrigation of sugarcane and extra crops are going on. Extraction of opium and harvesting of spring crops have been nearly finished. Opium weighment is going on. Preparation of land for autumn crops is in hand. Agricultural stock is doing well. Prospects are good. Very little cattle disease is reported. Fodder and water are ample. Markets are well supplied. Prices show a downward tendency.

Punjab.—Light rain has fallen in parts of all the reporting districts; though useful for extra spring and autumn crops it has slightly damaged the harvested spring crops. The condition of standing wheat and other crops is average on irrigated and below average on unirrigated areas. Harvesting of spring crops continues except in the south-east where it has been completed with yield normal or somewhat below normal on irrigated and below normal or poor on unirrigated areas. Sowings of extra spring crops have been nearly completed and of sugarcane, cotton and other autumn crops continue and are below normal to normal. Germination of autumn crops is good. Cattle are generally healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are generally sufficient. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices are generally stationary but have fallen slightly in some districts. They range between normal and scarcity rates except those of autumn food grains which range between normal and warning rates. Prices of wheat :—Rawalpindi 9, Lahore 9½, Lyallpur 9¾, Ferozepore 10 and Amballa 10¾ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—Rain fell during the week throughout the Province. The weather is moderate. The condition of standing crops both on irrigated and unirrigated areas is average except in one district where unirrigated crops are reported to be below average. Hail storm has occurred locally but no damage has been caused to standing crops. Harvesting of spring crops is in progress and their outturn is expected to be

average. Sowing of extra spring and of certain autumn crops is proceeding. The condition of cattle and the public health are generally good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The price of wheat in Peshawar was $9\frac{1}{16}$ and in Dera Ismail Khan $9\frac{3}{8}$ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8 to 12 and maize from 13 to 25 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is below average. There is no cattle disease. Fodder is insufficient in certain places.

Kashmir.—The rainfall during the week was sufficient. Water is insufficient. Prices are normal. Cattle are generally healthy. Standing crops are in good condition.

Rajputana.—Light showers were received in Marwar, Jaisalmer, Kotah, Jaipur, Alwar and Karauli The weather is hot and sometimes cloudy. Harvesting of spring crops is approaching completion. Threshing and winnowing continue. Standing crops are generally in good condition. Agricultural stock is generally healthy except in Dungarpur where cattle disease is still prevalent. Water and fodder are ample. Prices are generally steady, with an upward tendency.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was partial in Gwalior. Spring crops are being harvested and threshed. Land is being prepared for autumn crops in Indore, Malwa and the Southern States. Standing crops are in good condition and their probable outturn is good Agricultural stock is in good condition, except for some cattle disease. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are high in Bhopal, are normal in Baghelkhand, have slightly fallen in Gwalior and are steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather has been warm and occasionally cloudy during the week. Mandla received about $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches of rain. Three other districts also had light showers not exceeding 34 cents. Harvesting of spring crops has been almost completed in several districts and threshing and winnowing are proceeding. Crops still standing uncut are generally in good condition and their prospects are favourable. Fodder and water are ample. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Prices of wheat and gram are slightly falling.

Feudatory States.—Reaping, threshing and winnowing continue.

Bombay.—Slight rain fell during the week in parts of Sind and throughout Kanara, the Deccan, the Carnatic, Sawantwadi and Kolhapur. Standing crops are thriving. Harvesting continues. Cotton picking is progressing in Gujarat, West Khandesh, the Carnatic, Baroda and Kolhapur. Lands are being prepared for autumn sowings. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Thar and Parkar, Kaira and the Panch Mahals. Prices of food grains have risen slightly in parts of the Deccan and the Carnatic and are steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—Isolated showers averaging 20 cents were received during the week. The late rice crop is in fair to good condition and is being harvested. Lands are being prepared for the next season's autumn crops. Cattle disease prevails in 8 talukas. Prices of grains show an upward tendency. Coarse rice is selling at 8 and white *juar* at $13\frac{1}{4}$ seers per rupee in Hyderabad city. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 8 seers per rupee in Nander and Warangal and the lowest 25 seers per rupee in Raichur and Usmanabad.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was light in the Bangalore, Kolar, Mysore and Hassan districts. Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of the harvested sugarcane, paddy and *ragi* is fair. Ploughing and manuring operations and sowing of paddy and sugarcane are in progress in parts. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are healthy in the greater part of the State. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 7 inches. Prices of food grains are slightly lower. The public health is fair. Cattle disease is subsiding. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall was fair in Ganjam, the Vizagapatam Agency and the Nilgiris, light in the Vizagapatam littoral, Godavari, Kistna, Guntur, Nellore, Tinnevelly, Malabar, South Kanara and the central parts except Trichinopoly and *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally except in parts of two districts where they are withering or require rain. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water-supply is insufficient in parts of Godavari, the Deccan except Kurnool, Nellore, South Arcot, South Kanara and the central and southern parts except Tinnevelly and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is insufficient in six districts and in parts of ten others. Fodder is generally available. Prices are fairly steady.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

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GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

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J. P. HEWETT,
Secretary to the Government of India."

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OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CURRENCY.

No. B. R.-738.—Preliminary Account of Receipts and Disbursements of the Government of India for the first eleven months of 1916-1917 as compared with the corresponding period of 1915-1916.

ENGLAND.						RECEIPTS.	INDIA.					
WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO FEBRUARY.					WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO FEBRUARY.			
Accounts, 1915-1916.	Revised, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.		Accounts, 1915-1916.	Revised, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.
£	£	£	£	£	£	**Revenue.**	R	R	R	R	R	R
						PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Land Revenue (including that due to Irrigation)	35,70,73,000	35,64,86,000	27,68,89,000	28,54,11,000	85,22,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Opium	2,87,03,000	4,72,97,000	2,47,17,000	4,09,50,000	1,62,33,000	...
...	...	...	...	.	...	Salt	5,47,14,000	7,17,89,000	4,85,41,000	6,56,84,000	1,71,43,000	...
...	...	...	...	..	...	Stamps	8,15,04,000	8,70,14,000	7,18,56,000	7,71,06,000	52,50,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Excise	12,94,83,000	13,72,38,000	11,61,24,000	12,38,07,000	76,83,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Customs	8,81,08,000	12,93,86,000	7,74,66,000	11,65,19,000	3,90,53,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Other Heads	8,00,16,000	10,63,92,000	6,80,85,000	9,25,37,000	2,44,42,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	TOTAL PRINCIPAL HEADS	81,96,01,000	93,56,04,000	68,36,78,000	80,20,04,000	11,83,26,000	...
204,100	261,400	189,200	602,400	413,200	...	Interest	1,33,85,000	1,27,31,000	1,09,33,000	1,06,03,000	...	3,30,000
19,200	44,400	18,800	21,200	2,400	...	Posts and Telegraphs and Mint	5,80,53,000	7,13,53,000	5,15,86,000	5,96,06,000	80,20,000	...
1,100	1,300	800	900	100	...	Receipts by Civil Departments	2,36,82,000	2,53,96,000	2,01,50,000	2,13,55,000	12,05,000	...
66,400	66,300	64,200	45,800	...	18,400	Miscellaneous	91,96,000	1,11,03,000	57,64,000	1,11,51,000	53,87,000	...
74,500	184,300	74,300	184,300	110,000	...	Railways	57,28,97,000	62,24,42,000	51,34,60,000	56,38,90,000	5,04,30,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Irrigation (excluding Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	4,50,50,000	4,83,59,000	4,01,46,000	4,15,87,000	14,41,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Other Public Works	45,61,000	47,01,000	37,28,000	41,84,000	4,56,000	...
339,900	331,900	301,500	323,200	21,700	...	Military Receipts	1,35,28,000	1,70,66,000	1,02,82,000	1,42,55,000	39,73,000	...
705,200	889,600	648,800	1,177,800	529,000	...	TOTAL REVENUE	1,55,99,83,000	1,74,87,55,000	1,33,97,27,000	1,52,86,35,000	18,89,08,000	...
						Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Capital subscribed by Native States towards outlay on State Railways.	10,00,000	10,00,000	10,00,000	10,00,000	..	...
...	...	...	...	..	...	Capital of Railway Companies (net Receipts)	1,45,69,000	20,40,000	93,51,000	28,07,000	...	65,44,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	TOTAL	1,55,69,000	30,40,000	1,03,51,000	38,07,000	...	65,44,000
						Debt, Deposits and Advances.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Permanent Debt (net incurred)	4,93,32,000	10,78,86,000	4,93,35,000	6,42,39,000	1,49,04,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Temporary do. (do.)	...	...	...	..	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Unfunded do. (do.)	1,34,98,000	2,51,24,000	44,02,000	1,35,04,000	91,02,000	...
5,789,400	862,700	6,054,300	882,800	...	5,171,500	Deposits and Advances (net)	...	59,09,000	...	1,64,90,000	1,64,90,000	...
...	...	...	...	..	...	Loans and advances by Imperial Government	73,64,000	42,20,000	45,09,000	43,26,000	...	1,83,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. by Provincial Governments	2,33,10,000	2,13,37,000	2,01,92,000	1,78,50,000	...	23,42,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans to Local Boards	1,16,000	1,20,000	74,000	77,000	3,000	...
21,408,500	16,720,300	18,107,500	16,656,500	...	1,451,000	Remittances (net)	...	...	...	...	...	...
4,590,100	9,669,000	6,367,500	7,863,000	1,495,500	...	Secretary of State's bills drawn	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Drafts on London (net)	7,00,20,000	...	7,00,20,000	...	...	7,00,20,000
31,788,000	27,252,000	30,529,300	25,402,300	...	5,127,000	TOTAL	16,36,70,000	16,45,96,000	14,85,32,000	11,64,86,000	...	3,20,46,000
32,493,200	28,141,600	31,178,100	26,580,100	...	4,593,000	TOTAL RECEIPTS	1,73,92,22,000	1,91,63,91,000	1,49,86,10,000	1,64,89,28,000	15,03,18,000	
7,913,200	12,803,300	7,913,200	12,803,300	4,890,100	...	Opening Balance	22,16,90,000	18,02,41,000	22,16,90,000	18,02,41,000	...	4,14,49,000
40,406,400	40,944,900	39,091,300	39,383,400	292,100	...	GRAND TOTAL	1,96,09,12,000	2,09,66,32,000	1,72,03,00,000	1,82,91,69,000	10,88,69,000	...

ENGLAND						DISBURSEMENTS.	INDIA.					
WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO FEBRUARY.					WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO FEBRUARY.			
Accounts, 1915-1916.	Revised, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.		Accounts. 1915-1916.	Revised, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.
£	£	£	£	£	£	**Expenditure.**	R	R	R	R	R	R
97,900	113 700	89,500	112,400	22,900	...	Direct Demands on the Revenues	14,05 41,000	14,06,70,000	11,82 91,000	12,73 72,000	90,88,000	...
2,316,600	1,987,800	2,323,600	1,987,800	...	335,800	Interest (including in India that on Capital Expenditure on Railways and Irrigation Works)	6,72,29,000	6,72,06,000	5 34,80,000	5,41,67,000	6,87,000	...
150,100	294,000	130,400	285,700	155,300	...	Posts and Telegraphs and Mint	4,63,34,000	5 00,11,000	3,88,57,000	3,63,25,000	...	25,32,000
379 800	495,400	353,900	451,100	97,200	...	Salaries and Expenses of Civil Departments	27,73,27,000	28,70,20,000	24,41,02,000	24,48,15,000	7,13,000	...
2,469,700	2,559 900	2,262,000	2,317,300	55,300	...	Miscellaneous Civil Charges	3,93 85,000	4,19,51,000	3,73,12,000	4,18 89,000	45,77,000	...
5,600	2,200	5 600	1,100	...	4,500	Famine Relief and Insurance	1,49,17,000	1,49,67,000	68,41,000	73 80,000	5,39,000	...
9,378,200	9,582,400	9,371,700	9,582,500	210,800	...	Railway Revenue Account (excluding in India interest on Capital Expenditure)	30,79,47,000	31,45,19,000	27,77,58 000	28,39,22,000	61,64,000	...
127,600	128 600	127 100	128,500	1,400	...	Irrigation Revenue Account (excluding in India interest on Capital Expenditure)	3,40,42,000	3,27,91,000	2,80,52,000	2,61,18 000	...	19,34,000
50,100	52,000	46,100	50,200	4,100	...	Other Public Works	8,10,24,000	6,94,67,000	6,76,13,000	5 60,32,000	...	1,15,81,000
5 133,500	5,867,400	4,556 900	4,627,900	71,000	...	Military Services	27,55,44,000	31,13,61,000	19,15,37,000	18 67,99,000	...	47,38,000
20,109,100	21,213,400	19 266,800	19,541,500	277,700	...	TOTAL EXPENDITURE, IMPERIAL AND PROVINCIAL	1,26,47,90,000	1,32,93,63,000	1,06,38,43 000	1,06,48,26,000	9,83,000	...
...	..	..	..	...	...	*Add*—Provincial Surpluses, that is portion of allotments to Provincial Governments not spent by them in the year	+50,36,000	+2,46,18,000	...	...	...	...
...	...	...		...	...	*Deduct*—Provincial Deficits, that is portion of Provincial Expenditure defrayed from Provincial balances	−30,72,000	−5,12,000	..		...	...
20,109,100	21,213 400	19,266 800	19,544,500	277,700	...	TOTAL EXPENDITURE CHARGED AGAINST REVENUE	1,28,67,54,000	1,35,40,69,000	1,06,38,43,000	1,06 48,26 000	9,83,000	...
						Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue.						
889,200	329,900	851,700	246 700	...	608,000	Capital outlay on Railways and Irrigation Works	1,84,15,000	2,33,03,000	55,59,000	1,67,08,000	1,11,49,000	...
1,017,800	459,700	914,800	330,500	...	584,000	Capital of Railway Companies (net payments)	...	...	...	..	...	...
9,900	22,300	6,500	16,100	9,600	...	Initial expenditure on new Capital at Delhi	48,21,000	36,66,000	46,32,000	33,08,000	...	13,24,000
1,916 900	811,900	1,776,000	593,600	...	1,182,400	TOTAL	2,32,36,000	2,69,69,000	1,01,91,000	2 00,16,000	98,25,000	...
						Debt Deposits and Advances						
909,000	500,000	907,500	499,900	...	407,600	Permanent Debt (net discharged)	..	...	...	...	...	...
...	7 000,000	...	7,000,000	7,000,000	...	Temporary do. (do.)	4,50,00,000	6,00,00,000	51,85,000	3,75,00,000	3,23,15,000	...
..	...	...	...	...	...	Unfunded do. (do.)	...	...	...	...	...	..
...	...	...	...	...	...	Deposits and Advances (net)	3,37,000	...	6,52,70,000	...	...	6,52,70,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans and advances by Imperial Government	71,37,000	47,85 000	44,07,000	21,32 000	...	22,75,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. by Provincial Governments	1,87,17,000	1,31,25,000	1,66,59,000	1,06,45 000	...	60,14,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Remittances (net)	32,47,94,000	28,63,06,000	28,24,59,000	41,08,80,000	12,84,21,000	...
..	...	...	...	...	...	Secretary of State's Bills paid	7,56,93,000	12,86,36,000	10,05,35,000	9,09,83,000	...	95,52,000
4,668,000	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. do. exchange	−9,97,000	−43,98,000	−10,40,000	−37,50,000	−27,10,000	...
..	..	4,668 000	..	...	4,668,000	Drafts on London (net)	...	...	...	..	...	...
5,577,000	7,500,000	5,575,500	7,499,900	1,924,400	...	TOTAL	47,06,81,000	48,84,54,000	47,34,75,000	54,83 90,000	7,49,15,000	...
27,608,000	29,525,300	26,618 300	27,638 000	1,019,700	...	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	1,78,06,71,000	1,86,94,92,000	1,54,75,09,000	1,63,32,32,000	8,57,23,000	...
12,803,400	11,419,600	12 473,000	11,745,400	..	727,600	Closing Balance	18,02,41,000	22,71,49,000	17,27,91,000	19,59,37,000	2 31,46,000	...
40,406,400	40,914 900	39,091,300	39,383,400	292,100	...	GRAND TOTAL	1,96,09,12,000	2,09,66,32,000	1,72,03,00,000	1,82,91,69,000	10,88,69,000	...

THE TREASURY:
Calcutta, the 3rd May 1917.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Controller of Currency.

THE PATENT OFFICE.

PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 5th May 1917.

APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

April 23.

3028. Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co., Ld. *Improvements in wireless telegraphy and telephony.*

3029. W. A. Hickman. *Improvements in motor boats.*

3030. Drakes, Ld., and J. W. Drake. *Improvements in apparatus for controlling the draught on furnaces.*

3031. R. G. Berry and H. W. Moore. *Improvements in and relating to route indicating and signalling devices for use on railways and the like.*

April 24.

3032. Seay Syndicate, Ld. *Improvements in connection with processes and apparatus for refrigeration and the production of ice.*

3033. A. Davies and Edgar Allen and Co., Ld. *Improvements in magnetic separators.*

3034. P. Shamrao. *Simplex pocket letter balance and seal.*

3035. J. W. Stamp. *Improved mode of and apparatus for deodorising night soil, slaughter house refuse and other analogous materials.*

3036. E. Roirant. *Improvements in the manufacture of hollow glass articles and in glass shaping and blowing machines therefor.*

April 27.

3037. F. C. Koeing, J. E. Wood, and E. C. Molony. *Pneumatically operated liquid fuel filler.*

April 28.

3038. K. S. Mackenzie. *A combination attachment to run motor cars on paraffin or kerosine oil.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

Notice is hereby given that all persons interested in opposing the grant of a Patent on any one of the applications, referred to below, may, at any time within three months of the date of this *Gazette of India*, give notice at the Patent Office in the prescribed form No. 5 of such opposition.

Printed copies of the specifications in the following list will be on sale at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, within about three weeks.

Any one desiring a copy posted to an address in British India should send to the Patent Office the sum of annas eight by money-order on which the number of the application should be stated on the coupon at the foot of the order.

2753. D. C. Spruance. *Flexible tubes and methods and apparatus for making same.*

2798. Kitchen Service Co. *Improved machine for washing dishes and the like.*

2997. Hari Shanker. *Lid elevator for surgical use.*

2998. E. E. Lucy. *Improvements relating to steam superheaters for locomotives and other boilers.*

2999. T. N. Coressy. *Improvements in auxiliary air admission devices for internal combustion engines.*

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2819. G. Constantinesco and W. Haddon. *Improvements in the storage and utilisation of energy by means of liquids.*

2820. A. O. Tate. *Improved waterproof meterial and method and apparatus for manufacturing same.*

2899. H. Dass. *Improvements in expanding bracelets.*

2901. D. Jagannadha Row. *Improved water lift of the pycota type.*

2937. T. W. Wrench. *Railway carriage safety lock.*

2943. Mrs. B. E. Oakley and T. A. Harrison. *Brush puncture protector for pneumatic tyres.*

2962. Hari Shanker. *Folding eye speculum for surgical use.*

2966. G. Iwatsubo. *Improvements in the process of manufacturing colour leaves.*

2968. J. G. Robinson and The Superheater Corporation, Ld. *Improvements in and relating to steam superheaters of the multiple smoke or fire tube type.*

SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

Notice is hereby given that a patent may now be sealed on the applications referred to below. If it is desired that a patent should be sealed, a request on the prescribed form No. 7, accompanied by the fee, R30, should be sent to the Controller of Patents, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta.

2542. Smith.
2632. Thomas and Petree.
2746. Film Fire Prevention and Motion Picture Equipment Corporation.
2748. Bradbury.
2758. McLeod.
2759. McGlashan.
2760. Gray, Gaskell and Wilkes.
2848. Monotype Machine (Colonial Patents) Syndicate, Ld.
2849. Cryer and Maugnall.
2850. Miles.
2851. Balsillie.
2852. Balsillie.
2853. Balsillie.
2854. Balsillie.

PATENTS SEALED.

2217. Garbis.
2338. Naik.
2544. Waine.
2711. Karajgar.
2809. Valeri.
2810. Arno.
2821. Barker.
2834. Gunn.
2835. Knight.
2837. Roscoe.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

140 of 1906. Ore Concentration Co. (1905), Ld. (To 25 April 1918.)
118 of 1907. Rees. (To 17 May 1918.)
237 of 1907. Fessenden. (To 22 June 1918.)
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CESSATION OF EXCLUSIVE PRIVILEGES.

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1905.

506, (Consolidated Engineering Co., Ld.). 341, (Mudaliar).

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Class 3. No. 5607. B. Nagaraja Rao, Mysore Mines, Marikuppam, Kolar Gold Fields. April 20.

Class 13. Nos. 5608 to 5685. The Calico Printers' Association, Ld., St. James's Buildings, Oxford Street, Manchester, England. April 23.

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Names of Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Brooks, John, Sergeant, Infantry Veteran Company	Caroline Brooks (daughter). Dennis Brooks (son).
Brandon, John, Gunner, European Artillery Veteran Company.	John Brandon (son).* Charles Brandon (son).
Clarkson, Samuel, Artificer, Carnatic Ordnance Department.	Ann Clarkson (daughter).
Carroll, J., Sergeant, 2nd European Light Infantry	Elizabeth Carroll (daughter). Joseph Carroll (son). Agnes Carroll (daughter).
Cosser, J., Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department	John Cosser (son).
Crawley, Sergeant	George Wellington Crawley (son).
Doyle, I., Gunner, 4th Battalion, Madras Artillery	James Doyle (son).
Danford, S., Gunner, 3rd Battalion, Madras Artillery	Amelia, *alias* Emma Danford (daughter).
Furlong, I., Corporal, 3rd Madras European Regiment	John Furlong (son).
Flynn, J., Corporal, 1st Madras Fusiliers	James Flynn (son). William Flynn (son). Joseph Flynn (son).
Grimstone, R., Sergeant, 3rd Madras European Regiment.	Perquira Grimstone (daughter). Richard Grimstone (son).
Hawkins, Richard, Private, European Infantry Veteran Company.	Jeremiah Mitchell Hawkins (Fosterson). George Hawkins (son).
Hunsley. W., Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department	Charles Hunsley (son).
Hutchins, James, Gunner, 2nd Battalion, Artillery	George Henry Hutchins (son).
Healey, P., Hospital Sergeant	Edward Healey (son). Frank Healey (son).
Keleker, I. T., Bombardier, 3rd Battalion, Artillery	Mary Keleker (daughter).
Knowles, W. S., Bugler, D. Company, 1st Battalion, Madras Artillery.	Andrew James Knowles (son).
McDonald, B., 2nd Corporal, Sappers and Miners	James McDonald (son).
McGuire, Michael, Staff Barrack-Sergeant, B. Company, 4th Battalion, Artillery.	Andrew McGuire (son).
McManus, J., Foreman, Carnatic Ordnance Artificer Corps	Agnes Maude McManus (daughter). Mary Elizabeth McManus (daughter). Reith McManus (daughter). Patrick John McManus (son).
Murphy, I., Private, 3rd Madras European Regiment	James Murphy (son).
Nicholson, T., Shoeing Smith	Arabella Hannah Nicholson (daughter).
Rothe, R., Corporal, 2nd European Light Infantry	Catherine Rothe (daughter).
Scully, E., Sub-Overseer	Eleanor Scully (daughter). John Scully (son).
Smith, Michael, Colour-Sergeant, 1st Madras Fusiliers	Mary Ann Smith (daughter).
Smithes, R., Sergeant, 2nd Battalion, Artillery	Henry Smithes (son).
Sheepard, J., Sergeant, 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery	John Sheepard (son). Ellen Sheepard (daughter).
Wallace, J., Gunner, 4th Battalion, Artillery	John Wallace (son). Thomas Wallace (son).
Wiggins, R., Gunner, Madras Artillery	John M. Wiggins (son).

* Claim received, but claimant has not yet appeared to receive payment.

Office of the Controller of Military Accounts,
9th (Secunderabad) Division, Bolarum,
7th April 1917.

G. R. O'DOWD,
for *Controller of Military Accounts*

ORDERS BY THE HIGH COURT OF AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATION.

Abu, the 25th April 1917.

No. 942—817.—The following rules and forms are prescribed by the High Court of Ajmer-Merwara under Section 246 of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, as amended by the Repealing and Amending Act, XI of 1915.

RULES UNDER SECTION 246 OF THE INDIAN COMPANIES ACT, (NO. VII OF) 1913.

PRELIMINARY.

General headings.

1. The following shall be used as general headings in all cases under these rules relating to companies.

A.—For proceedings in Court:—

In the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and of the Company, Limited.

B.—For all advertisements, notices, and other proceedings not in Court:—

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and of the Company, Limited.

C.—In cases where it is required the words "and reduced" shall be added to the description of the company.

Presentation and hearing of petitions and of all applications and proceedings.

2. All petitions shall be presented, application made to and proceedings taken under the direction of, the Judge for the time being of the Additional District Judge's Court, Ajmer-Merwara.

RULES AS TO REDUCTION OF CAPITAL.

Petition to reduce capital "and reduced" under section 57 of the Act.

3. An order dispensing with the addition of the words "and reduced" in cases where the reduction does not involve either the diminution of any liability in respect of unpaid share capital or the payment to any share-holder of any paid up share capital, may be obtained either on application before the presentation of the petition or at the time when the petition is presented. Such order may be made *ex parte* if the Court thinks fit.

Practice in cases where creditors are not entitled to object.

4. In cases where the creditors of the company are not entitled, under the provisions of section 58 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, (in these rules called "the Act") to object to the proposed reduction, a certificate shall not be granted as is hereinafter provided by Rule 16, but the petition shall, if necessary, be answered and shall come on for hearing in the ordinary way. In all other cases the rules hereinafter provided with reference to petitions to reduce capital shall be followed.

Practice where creditors are entitled to object.

5. In cases in which the creditors are entitled to object to the proposed reduction, the petition shall not come on to be heard until after the expiration of 14 clear days from the filing of such certificate as is mentioned in Rule 16 hereafter.

Proceedings after petition presented.

6. When any such petition as last aforesaid has been presented, application may be made *ex parte*, for directions as to the proceedings to be taken for settling the list of creditors entitled to object to the proposed reduction, and the Judge may thereupon fix the date with reference to which the list of such creditors is to be made out, pursuant to Section 58 of the Act; and may, either at the same time or afterwards, as he shall think fit, give such directions as are mentioned in Rules 7, 8, 11, 12 and 13. The order may be in Form No. 1 in the first schedule to these rules (hereinafter in these rules called "the first schedule hereto"), with such variations as the circumstances of the case may require.

Advertisement of petition.

7. Notice of the presentation of the petition shall be published at such times and in such newspapers in English and in the vernacular as the Court shall direct, so that the first insertion of such notice be made not less than one calendar month before the day of the date fixed, as mentioned in the last preceding rule. Such notice may be in Form No. 2, with such variations as the circumstances of the case may require.

8. The company shall, within such time as the Court shall direct, file in Court an affidavit made by some officer or officers of the company competent to make the same, verifying a list containing the names and addresses of the creditors of the company at the date fixed as mentioned in Rule 6 herein, and the nature and amounts due to them, respectively, or in case of any debt payable on a contingency or not ascertained, or any claim admissible to proof in a winding-up of the company, the value, so far as can be justly estimated, of such debt or claim.

Affidavit as to creditors.

9. The person making such affidavit shall state therein his belief that such list is correct, and that there was not at the date so fixed as aforesaid any debt or claim which, if that date was the commencement of the winding-up of the company, would be admissible in proof against the company, except the debts set forth in such list, and shall state his means of knowledge of the matters deposed to in such affidavit. Such affidavit may be in Form no. 3, with such variations as the circumstances of the case may require.

Form of affidavit.

10. Complete copies of such list shall be kept at the registered office of the company and at the offices of their attorneys or agents (if any) and any person desirous of inspecting the same may, at any time during the ordinary hours of business, inspect and take extracts from the same on payment of the sum of one rupee.

Inspection of list of creditors.

11. The company shall, within seven days after the filing of such affidavit, or such further time as the Court may allow, send to each creditor whose name is entered in the said list a notice stating the amount of the proposed reduction of capital, and the amount or estimated value of the debt for which such creditor is entered in the said list, and the time (such time to be fixed by the Court) within which, where he claims to be a creditor for a larger amount, he must send in his name and address, and the particulars of his debt or claim and the name and address of his vakil, pleader or attorney (if any) to the vakil, pleader or attorney of the company; and such notice shall be sent through the post in a registered letter addressed to each creditor at his last known address or place of abode, and may be in Form no. 4 with such variations as the circumstances of the case may require: Provided that where any of the creditors of the company are residing out of British India, or where, the names of any of the creditors are not known to the company, the court may direct notice to be given to them by advertisement or in such other manner as it may think proper.

Notice to creditors.

12. Notice of the list of creditors shall, after the filing of the affidavit mentioned in Rule 8, be published at such times and in such newspapers as the Court shall direct. Every such notice shall state the amount of the proposed reduction of capital, and the places where the aforesaid list of the creditors may be inspected, and the time within which creditors of the company, whose names are not entered on the said list and who are desirous of being entered therein, must send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their vakil, pleader or attorney (if any), to the vakil, pleader or the attorney of the company; and such notice may be in Form no. 5 with such variations as the circumstances of the case may require.

Advertisement as to list of creditors.

13. The company shall, within such time as the Court shall direct, file in Court an affidavit made by the person to whom the particulars of debts or claims are, by such notices as are mentioned in Rules 11 and 12 required to be sent in, stating the result of such notices, respectively, and verifying a list containing the names and addresses of the persons (if any), who shall have sent in the particulars of their debts or claims in pursuance of such notices, respectively, and the amounts of such debts or claims, and some competent officer or officers of the company shall join in such affidavit, and shall in such list distinguish which (if any) of such debts and claims are wholly, or as to any and what part thereof, admitted by the company, and which (if any) of such debts and claims are wholly, or as to any and what part thereof, disputed by the company. Such affidavit may be in Form no. 6 with such variations as the circumstances of the case may require.

Affidavit as to result of Rules 11 and 12.

14. Where any debt or claim, the particulars of which are so sent in, shall not be admitted by the company at its full amount, then and in every such case, unless the company are willing to set apart and appropriate in such manner as the Court shall direct the full amount of such debt or claim, the company shall, where the Court thinks fit so to direct, send to the creditor a notice that he is required to come in and prove such debt or claim, or such part thereof as is not admitted by the company, by a day to be therein named, being not less than 14 clear days after such notice, and being the time appointed by the Court for adjudicating upon such debts and claims, and such notice shall be sent in the manner mentioned in Rule 11 and may be in the Form no. 7 with such variations as the circumstances of the case may require.

Proceedings where claim not admitted.

15. Such creditors as come in to prove their debts or claims in pursuance of such notice as is mentioned in Rule 14 shall be allowed their costs of proof against the company and such costs shall be added to

Costs of proof.

their debt; or the said creditors may be answerable for costs in the event of their proof not being established.

Certificate by the Judge as to creditors.

16. The result of the settlement of the list of creditors shall be stated in a certificate which shall be signed by the Court, and such certificate shall state what debts or claims (if any) have been disallowed, and shall distinguish the debts or claims the full amount of which the company are willing to set apart and appropriate, and the debts or claims (if any) the amount of which has been fixed by enquiry and adjudication in manner provided by section 59 of the Act, and the debts or claims (if any) the full amount of which is not admitted by the company, nor such as the company are willing to set apart and appropriate, and the amount of which has not been fixed by enquiry and adjudication as aforesaid; and shall show which of the creditors have consented in writing to the proposed reduction, and the total amount of the debts due to them, and the total amount of the debts or claims the payment of which has been secured in manner provided by section 59 of the Act and the persons to or by whom the same are due or claimed; but it shall not be necessary to show in such certificate the several amounts of the debts or claims of any persons who have consented in writing to the proposed reduction or the payment of whose debts or claims has been secured as aforesaid.

Petition to come on for hearing.

17. After the expiration of eight clear days from the filing of such last mentioned certificate the petition shall be set down for hearing in the ordinary course upon a præcipe addressed to the Clerk of Court, to the Additional District Judge's Court by the petitioner or his vakil, pleader or attorney to have the petition set down for hearing.

Advertisement of hearing.

18. Before the hearing of the petition, notices stating the day on which the same is appointed to be heard shall be published at such times and in such newspapers, in English and the vernacular, as the Judge shall direct. Such notices may be in the Form no. 8 with such variations as the circumstances of the case may require.

Who may appear.

19. Any creditor settled on the said list whose debt or claim has not, before the hearing of the petition, been discharged or determined, or been secured in manner provided by section 59 of the Act, and who has not before the hearing consented in writing to the proposed reduction of capital, may, where he thinks fit, upon giving seven clear days' notice to the vakil, pleader or attorney of the company of his intention so to do, appear at the hearing of the petition and oppose the application.

Costs of appearance.

20. When a creditor who appears at the hearing under the last preceding rule is a creditor the full amount of whose debt or claim is not admitted by the company, and the validity of whose debt or claim has not been enquired into and adjudicated upon under section 59 of the Act, the costs of and occasioned by his appearance shall be dealt with as to the Court shall seem just, but in all other cases a creditor appearing, under the last preceding rule, shall be entitled to the costs of such appearance, unless the Court shall be of opinion that in the circumstances of the particular case his costs ought not to be allowed.

Directions at hearing.

21. When the petition comes on to be heard, the Court may, where it shall so think fit, give such directions as may seem proper with reference to the securing in manner mentioned in section 59 of the Act, the payment of the debts or claims of any creditors who do not consent to the proposed reduction; and the further hearing of the petition may, where the Court shall think fit, be adjourned for the purpose of allowing any steps to be taken with reference to the securing in manner aforesaid the payment of such debts or claims.

Order confirming reduction.

22. Where the Court makes an order confirming a reduction, such order shall give directions in what manner and in what newspapers, in English and the vernacular, and at what times, notice of the registration of the order and of such minute as is mentioned in section 61 of the Act, is to be published; and unless the Court shall have dispensed altogether with the addition of the words "and reduced," or shall then dispense with the further use thereof, shall fix the date until which the words "and reduced" are to be deemed part of the name of the company as mentioned in section 57 of the Act.

Publication of reasons for reduction, etc.

23. Where the Court thinks fit to require the company to publish the reasons for the reductions of its capital, or any other information in regard thereto or the cause which led to such reduction (as provided by section 65 of the Act) the same shall be advertised in such newspapers, in English and in the vernacular, as the Court shall think proper.

RULES AS TO WINDING-UP.

Petition to wind up company. Advertisement of petition.

24. Every petition for the winding-up of any company by the Court, or subject to the supervision of the Court, after admission, shall be advertised fourteen clear days before the hearing, once in the *local Government Gazette*, and once at least in two local newspapers, or if there should be none such, in two newspapers circulating in the district where

such registered office or principal, or last known principal, place of business, as the case may be, of such company, is or was situate, and also by proclamation affixed to the walls of the Court house, unless the Court otherwise directs.

The advertisement shall state the day on which the petition was presented, and the name and address of the petitioner, and of his vakil, pleader or attorney (if any). (Form no. 9.)

Service of petition.

25. Every petition shall, unless presented by the Company, be served at the registered office (if any) of the company, and where there is no registered office, then at the principal or last known principal place of business of the company, where any such can be found, upon any member, officer, or servant of the company there, or in case no such member, officer, or servant can be found there, then by being left at such registered office or principal place of business, or by being served on such member or members of the company as the Court may direct; and every petition for the winding-up of a company subject to the supervision of the Court shall also be served upon the liquidator (if any) appointed for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the company. So also every petition for the compulsory winding-up of a company shall be served upon the liquidator (if any) who may have been appointed to act in a voluntary winding-up, or in a winding-up under supervision, as the case may be.

Affidavit verifying petition.

26. Every petition for the winding-up of any company by the Court, or subject to the supervision of the Court, shall be verified by an affidavit referring thereto, in Form no. 10—such affidavit shall be made by the petitioner, or by one of the petitioners where more than one, or in case the petition is presented by the company, by some director, secretary, or other principal officer thereof and shall be made and filed within four days after the petition is presented, and such affidavit shall be sufficient *primâ facie* evidence of the statements in the petition. Where the petition is presented by a corporate body, other than the company itself, the affidavit shall be made by some director, secretary or other principal officer of such corporate body: Provided that where the petitioner is by reason of absence or for other good cause unable to verify such petition the same may be verified by any person duly authorized by him in that behalf or deemed by the Court competent to verify the same.

Copies of petition to be supplied.

27. Every contributory or creditor of the company shall be entitled to be furnished by the vakil, pleader or attorney to the petitioner with a copy of the petition within twenty-four hours after requiring the same, on paying at the rate of 8 annas per folio of 90 words for such copy.

Petition not to be dismissed if any creditor desires to take advantage of it.

28. Where a petition to wind up has been admitted, the petitioner shall not be entitled to have it dismissed, where any creditor appears and proves his debt and is desirous of taking advantage of the petition.

Order to wind up company.

Advertisement and service of order.

29. Every order for the winding-up of a company by the Court, or subject to its supervision, shall within twelve days after the date thereof be advertised by the petitioner once in the *local Government Gazette*, and shall be served upon such person (if any) and in such manner, as the Court may direct. (Form no. 13.)

Proceedings on order.

30. Within 10 days after any order for the winding-up of a company has been sealed, an application shall be made by the petitioner to proceed with the winding-up of the company and in default thereof an application may be made by any other person interested in the winding-up to whom the Court may think fit to give the conduct and prosecution of the said order, and in either case notice of such application shall be served upon all parties who may have appeared upon the hearing of the petition. Upon the return of such notice a time shall, where the Court thinks fit, be fixed for the appointment of an official liquidator, and for the proof of debts and for the list of contributories to be brought in, and directions may be given as to the advertisement to be issued for all or any of such purposes, and generally as to the proceedings and the parties to attend thereon. The proceedings under the order shall be continued by adjournment, and where necessary, by further summons, and any such directions as aforesaid may be given, added to, or varied, at any subsequent times as may be found necessary.

Appointment of official liquidator.

31. The Court may appoint a person to the office of official liquidator without any previous advertisement or notice to any party, or may fix a time and place for the appointment of an official liquidator, and may appoint or reject any person nominated at such time and place, and appoint any person not so nominated.

Advertisement as to appointment.

32. Where a time and place are fixed for the appointment of an official liquidator, such time and place shall be advertised in such manner as the Court shall direct, so that the first or only advertisement shall be published within 14 days and not less than seven days before the day so fixed. (Form no. 14.)

Security of official liquidator.

33. Every official liquidator shall give security by entering into a recognizance with one or more sufficient sureties, or by depositing Government securities in such sum as the Court may approve, provided that the Court may if it thinks fit dispense with such security. (Form no. 16.)

34. The official liquidator shall be appointed by order; and unless he shall have given security or unless security shall have been dispensed with, a time shall be fixed by such order within which he is to do so, and the order shall fix the times or periods at which the official liquidator is to file his accounts of receipts and payments, and shall direct that all moneys to be received shall be paid into the Ajmer Treasury, or into the Court, immediately after the receipt thereof to the account of the official liquidator of the company, and an account shall be opened there accordingly, and if the money is payable into the Treasury an office copy of the order shall be lodged at the Treasury. (Forms Nos. 18 and 22.)

Order appointing official liquidator.

35. Where an official liquidator has given security pursuant to the directions in the order appointing him, the same shall be certified by the Court.

Certificate of security given.

36. Except in cases where security has been dispensed with, the official liquidator shall on each occasion of passing his accounts, and also whensoever the Judge may so require, satisfy the Court that his sureties are living, and resident in the District of Ajmer-Merwara, and have not been adjudged bankrupt or become insolvent, and in default thereof he may be required to enter into fresh security within such time as shall be directed.

Fresh security when required.

37. Every appointment of an official liquidator shall be advertised in such manner as the Court shall direct immediately after he has been appointed and has given security, if any required. (Form No. 23.)

Advertisement of appointment made.

38. Where it is desired to appoint provisionally an official liquidator an application for that purpose may at any time after the presentation of the petition for winding-up the company be made by petition without advertisement or notice to any person unless the Court shall otherwise direct; and such provisional official liquidator may, if the Court shall think fit, be appointed without security. Form No. 19.)

Provisional official liquidator.

39. In case of the death, removal, or resignation of an official liquidator, another shall be appointed in his room, in the same manner as directed in the case of a first appointment; and the proceedings for that purpose may be taken by such party interested as may be authorized by the Court to take the same.

Vacancy in office of official liquidator.

40. The official liquidator, shall, with all convenient speed after he is appointed, proceed to make up, continue, complete, and rectify the books of account of the company; and shall provide and keep such books of account as shall be necessary, or as the Court may direct, for the purposes aforesaid, and for showing the debts and credits of the company, including a ledger which shall contain the separate accounts of the contributories, and in which every contributory shall be debited from time to time with the amount payable by him in respect of any call to be made as provided by the Act and these rules.

Accounts.

41. The official liquidator shall further keep a book to be called the "Record Book," in which he shall record all minutes, all proceedings had and resolutions passed at any meeting of creditors or contributories, and all such matters as may be necessary to give a correct view of his administration of the Company's affairs.

Official Record Book to be kept by liquidator.

42. The official liquidator shall be allowed in his accounts or otherwise paid, remuneration calculated as follows :--

Remuneration.

Scale of fees.

(1) Upon the total assets, including produce of calls on contributories, realised or brought to credit, and not being moneys received and spent on carrying on the business—

On the first	Rs. 10,000	or fraction thereof	5	per cent.
On the next	Rs. 15,000	„ „	3	„
„	Rs. 25,000	„ „	2½	„
„	Rs. 50,000	„ „	2	„
On any sums above	Rs. 1,00,000	„	1	„

(2) When the official liquidator collects calls or realises property for debenture holders or other secured creditors, the same rate of fees as under No. (1) above to be paid out of the proceeds of such calls or property.

(3) When the official liquidator acts as trustee under a scheme of arrangement, such remuneration, not exceeding the rate of fees under No. (1) above, as the Court shall allow.

(4) When the official liquidator performs any special duties not provided for above, such amount as the Court on the application of the official liquidator may consider reasonable.

He shall also be allowed, unless the Court otherwise directs a sum sufficient to cover the expenses of the employment of the assistants or clerks and his office rent, stationery, etc.

(*a*) The rate of remuneration of a liquidator shall in no case exceed the amount specified in the scale of fees given above.

(*b*) No officer of the Court acting as liquidator shall settle his remuneration with the vakils, pleaders or attorneys, for the parties concerned or with the parties if in person.

Passing accounts.

43. The accounts of the official liquidator shall be filed at such times as may from time to time be ordered by the Court, and shall, upon notice to such persons (if any) as the Court shall direct, be audited, passed or verified as may be ordered.

Joint official liquidators.

44. Where joint official liquidators are appointed the above rules relating to official liquidators shall be applicable *mutatis mutandis*.

Proof of debts.
Advertisement for creditors.

45. For the purpose of ascertaining the debts and claims due from the company and of requiring the creditors to come in and prove their debts or claims, an advertisement shall be issued at such time as the Court shall direct, and such advertisement shall fix a time for the creditors to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts, or claims, and the names and addresses of their vakils, pleaders or attorneys (if any), to the official liquidator, and appoint a day for adjudicating thereon. (Form No. 24.)

Attendance of creditors.

46. The creditors need not attend upon the adjudication, nor prove their debts or claims, unless they are required to do so by notice from the official liquidators, but upon such notice being given, they are to come in, and prove their debts or claims within a time to be therein specified.

List of debts.

47. The official liquidators shall investigate the debts and claims sent in to him, and ascertain, so far as he is able, which of such debts and claims are justly due from the company and he shall make out and file in Court a list of all the debts and claims sent in to him, distinguishing which of the debts and claims, or parts of debts and claims, so claimed, are, in his opinion, justly due and proper to be allowed without further evidence, and which of them in his opinion ought to be proved by the creditors, and he shall make and file, prior to the time appointed for adjudication, an affidavit setting forth which of the debts and claims in his opinion are justly due and proper to be allowed without further evidence and stating his belief that such debts and claims are justly due and proper to be allowed, and the reasons for such belief. (Forms Nos. 25 and 26).

Allowance of debts.

48. At the time appointed for adjudicating upon the debts and claims, or at any adjournment thereof, the Court may either allow the debts and claims upon the affidavit of the official liquidator, or may require the same, or any of them, to be proved by the claimants, and adjourn the adjudication thereon to a time to be then fixed, and the official liquidator shall give notice to the creditors whose debts or claims have been so allowed of such allowance in such manner as the Court may direct.

Proof of debts.

49. The official liquidator shall give notice to the creditors whose debts or claims have not been allowed upon his affidavit that they are required to come in and prove the same by a day to be therein named, being not less than four days after such notice, and to attend at a time to be therein named, being the time appointed by the advertisement or by adjournment (as the case may be) for adjudicating upon such debts and claims. (Forms Nos. 28 and 29.)

Estimation of value of debts and claims.

50. The value of all debts and claims against the company shall, so far as is possible, be estimated according to the value thereof at the date of the order to wind-up the company.

Dividends payable, principal and interest.

51. Creditors whose debts and claims carry interest and are allowed shall be entitled to receive dividends upon what was due for principal and interest at the date of the winding-up. In the event of there being a surplus the dividends payable to such creditors shall be applied firstly, towards payment of the interest, and secondly, in reduction of the principal due to them.

Interest may be allowed on all claims in respect of which it is recoverable as damages.

Cost of proof.

52. Such creditors as come in and prove their debts or claims pursuant to notice from the official liquidator shall be allowed their cost of proof which will be added to the debt.

Judge's certificate of debts.

53. The result of the adjudication upon debts and claims shall be in the form of certificate to be signed by the Court from time to time as convenience may require, and such certificate shall state whether the debts or claims are allowed or disallowed and whether allowed as against any particular assets, or in any other qualified or special manner. (Forms Nos. 30 and 31.)

List of contributories.

54. The official liquidator shall, with all convenient speed after his appointment, or at such time as the Court shall direct, make out and file in Court a list of the contributories of the company; and such list shall be verified by the affidavit of the official liquidator, and shall, so far as is practicable, state the respective addresses of, and the number of shares or extent of interest to be attributed to, each such contributory and distinguish the several classes of contributories. And such list may, from time to time, by leave of the Court, be varied or added to by the official liquidator. (Forms Nos. 32, 33, 37 and 38.)

Notice of appointment to settle.

55. Upon the list of contributories being filed in Court the official liquidator shall obtain an appointment for the Court to settle the same and shall give notice in writing of such appointment to every person included in such list, stating in what character, and for what number of shares or interest such person is included in such list, and in case any variation or addition to such list shall at any time be made by the official liquidator, a similar notice in writing shall be given to every person to whom such variation or addition applies. All such notices shall be served four clear days before the day appointed to settle such list or such variation or addition. (Forms Nos. 34 and 35.)

Judges' certificates.

56. A list of contributories as the same shall have been settled by the Court shall from time to time (when the Court shall so order) be drawn up by the official liquidator and signed by the Court for the purpose of stating the result of such settlement down to any particular time, or as to any particular person or stating any variation of the list. (Forms Nos. 39 and 40.)

Notice to contributories.

57. The official liquidator shall forthwith give notice to every person whom he has finally placed on the list of contributories, stating in what character and for what number of shares or interest he has been placed on the list, and in the notice inform such person that any application for the removal of his name from the list, or for a variation of the list, must be made to the Court by summons within 30 days from the date of the service on the contributory or alleged contributory of notice of the fact that his name is settled on the list of contributories.

Application to the Court to vary the list.

58. (1) Subject to the power of the Court to extend the time or to allow an application to be made notwithstanding the expiration of the time limited for that purpose, no application to the Court by any person who objects to the list of contributories as finally settled by the official liquidator shall be entertained after the expiration of 30 days from the date of the service on such person of notice of the settlement of the list.

(2) The official liquidator shall not in any case be personally liable to pay any costs of or in relation to an application to set aside or vary his act or decision settling the name of a person on the list of contributories of a company.

Sales of property.

59. Any moveable or immoveable property belonging to the company may be sold with the approbation of the Court in the same manner as in the case of a sale under a decree or order of the Court in a suit, or, if the Court shall so direct, by the official liquidator, in which case the conditions or contracts of sale shall be settled and approved of by the Court unless it shall otherwise direct; and unless on account of the small amount of the purchase money or other cause, it shall be thought proper that the purchase-money shall be paid to it, all conditions and contracts of sale shall provide that the purchase-money shall be paid by the respective purchasers into the Government Treasury to the account of the official liquidator of the company, or into the Court.

Calls. Summons for call.

60. Every application to the Court to make any call on the contributories or any of them, for any purpose authorized by the said Act, shall be made by summons, stating the proposed amount of such call: and such summons shall be served four clear days at the list before the day appointed for making the call on every contributory proposed to be included in such call, or if the Court shall so direct, notice of such intended call may be given by advertisement or such other public notification as the Court in its discretion may think sufficient. (Forms Nos. 41, 42, and 43.)

Document making the call.

61. When the official liquidator is authorised by order to make a call on the contributories he shall file in Court a document in Form No. 45 with such variations as circumstances may require making the call.

Enforcement of call.

62. The payment of the amount due from each contributory on a call may be enforced by order of the Court, to be made on an application by the official liquidator, and may be executed as if it were a decree for money. (Forms Nos. 46 and 47.)

Service of order.

63. When any order for a call has been made a copy thereof shall forthwith be served upon each of the contributories included in such call, together with a notice from the official liquidator specifying the amount or balance due from such contributory, having regard to the provisions of the Act in respect to such call; but such order need not be advertised unless for any special reason the Court shall so direct. (Forms Nos. 44 and 45.)

Payment in of moneys and deposit of securities. Default of payment into bank.

64. Where any official liquidator shall not pay all the moneys received by him into the Government Treasury or into the Court, to the account of the official liquidator of the company, within seven days next after the receipt thereof, unless the Court shall have otherwise directed, such official liquidator shall be charged in his account with rupees ten for every thousand rupees and a proportionate sum for any larger amount retained in his hands beyond such period for every seven days during which the same shall have been so retained and the Court may, for any such retention, disallow the salary or remuneration of such official liquidator.

Bills, etc., to be deposited in Bank.

65. All bills, *hundis*, notes, and other securities payable to the company, or to the official liquidator thereof, shall, unless the Court otherwise directs, as soon as they shall come to the hands of such official liquidator, be deposited by him in the Government Treasury, or in the Court, for the purpose of being presented for acceptance and payment, or for payment only, as the case may be.

Calls, etc., to be paid into Bank.

66. All orders for payment of calls, balances or other moneys due from any contributory or other person shall direct the same to be paid into the Government Treasury or into the Court, to the account of the official liquidator of the company unless, on account of the smallness of the amount or other cause, it shall be thought proper to direct payment thereof to the official liquidator: provided that where any such order has been made directing payment of a specific sum into the Government Treasury or into the Court, as aforesaid, in case it shall be thought proper for the purpose of enabling the official liquidator to issue execution or take other proceedings to enforce the payment thereof, or for any other reason, an order may, either before service of such former order or after the time thereby fixed for payment, be made, without notice for the payment of the same sum to the official liquidator.

Notice as to payment into bank.

67. At the time of the service of any order for payment into the Government Treasury or into the Court as aforesaid the official liquidator shall give to the party served a notice to the purport or effect set forth in Form No. 48 for the purpose of informing him how the payment is to be made, and before the time fixed for such payment the official liquidator shall furnish the cashier of the Government Treasury or the nazir of the Court, with a certificate to the purport or effect set forth in Form No. 49 to be signed by such cashier or nazir as the case may be and delivered to the party paying in the money therein mentioned.

Affidavit of non-payment.

68. For the purpose of enforcing any order for payment of money into the Government Treasury or into the Court, an affidavit of the official liquidator to the purport or effect set forth in Form No. 51 shall be sufficient evidence of the non-payment thereof.

Title of account in bank.

69. All moneys, bills, *hundis*, notes, and other securities, paid and delivered into the Government Treasury or into the Court, shall be placed to the credit or account of the official liquidator of the company; and orders for any such payment and delivery shall direct the same accordingly. (Form No. 22.)

Delivery out of securities and payment out, and investment of moneys.

Requests and cheques.

70. All bills, *hundis*, notes, and other securities delivered into the Government Treasury or into the Court, shall be delivered out upon a request signed by the official liquidator and such other person, if any, as the Court may direct; and the moneys placed to the account of the official liquidator shall be paid out upon such cheques or order signed by the official liquidator and such other person, if any, as the Court my direct. (Form No. 22.)

Investment.

71. All or any part of the money for the time being standing to the credit of the account of the official liquidator at the Government Treasury or in the Court, and not immediately required for the purposes of winding-up may be invested in the purchase of Government promissory notes in the name of the official liquidator. All investments of moneys in the Government Treasury shall be made by the Government Treasury upon a request signed by the official liquidator and countersigned by the Court unless the Court otherwise directs; and all investments of moneys standing to the credit of the account of the official liquidator in the Court shall be made upon a request signed by the official liquidator and addressed to the Court; such request, respectively, shall be sufficient authority for debiting the account with the purchase-money; and such Government notes shall be retained by or deposited with the Government Treasury or by or with the Court in the name and on behalf of the official liquidator, and such notes shall not afterwards be sold or transferred or otherwise dealt with except upon a direction for that purpose signed by the official liquidator, and countersigned by the Court or under an order made by the Court. (Forms Nos. 52 and 53.)

Receipt of dividends.

72. Subject to any special order which the Court may make, all dividends and interest to accrue due from any such notes shall from time to time be received by the Government Treasury under a power of attorney to be executed by the official liquidator, and placed to the credit of the account of

such official liquidator, and when any of such notes shall become payable the same shall be renewed or the principal and interest due thereon be received and placed to the credit of the account of the official liquidator.

Meetings of creditors or contributories.

Notice.

73. Where the Court shall direct a meeting of the creditors or contributories of the company to be summoned under section 239 of the Act, or where the official liquidator, either of his own motion or at the direction or request of the creditors or contributories under section 183 of the Act, shall summon such a meeting, he shall give notice in writing seven clear days before the day appointed for such meeting, to every creditor or contributory of the time and place appointed for such meeting of the matter upon which it is desired to ascertain the wishes of the creditors or contributories, or where the Court shall so direct, such notice may be given by advertisement in the daily papers, in which case the object of the meeting need not be stated and it shall not be necessary to insert such advertisement in the *Local Government Gazette.* (Form No. 54.)

Memorandum as to calling meeting.

74. The direction of the Court for any meeting of creditors or contributories under section 239 of the Act, and the appointment of a person to act as Chairman of any such meeting shall be testified by a memorandum signed by the Court. In the case of a meeting summoned by the official liquidator under section 183 of the Act he, or some one nominated by him, shall be Chairman. (Form No. 55.)

Votes.

Chairman's report.

75. The votes of the creditors or contributories of the company at any meeting summoned in accordance with rule 73 may be given either personally or by proxy; but no creditor shall appoint a proxy who is not a creditor of the company, whose debt or claim has been allowed, and no contributory shall appoint a proxy who is not a contributory of the company. (Form No. 56.)

The Chairman of a meeting summoned by the direction of the Court shall report the result thereof to the Court. (Form No. 57.)

Sanction to bills of exchange, etc.

76. The sanction of the Court to the drawing, accepting, making and endorsing of any bill of exchange, *hundi* or promissory note by any official liquidator, shall be testified by a memorandum on such bill of exchange, *hundi* or promissory note signed by the Court. (Form No. 58.)

Sanction of Court on compromise.

77. Every application for the sanction of the Court to a compromise with any contributory or other person indebted to the company shall be supported by the affidavit of the official liquidator stating that he has investigated the affairs of such contributory or person, and believes that the proposed compromise will be beneficial to the company, and giving his reason for such belief; and the sanction of the Court thereto shall be testified by a memorandum signed by the Court, on the agreement of compromise, unless any party shall desire to appeal from the decision of the Court, in which case an order shall be drawn up for that purpose. (Forms Nos. 59 and 60.)

In cases under section 179.

78. The direction or sanction of the Court for any proceeding or act to be taken or done by the official liquidator under the powers conferred on him by section 179 shall (subject to the provisions of section 180 of the Act) be obtained upon application in writing and an order shall be drawn up thereon, unless the Court shall otherwise direct. (Form No. 61.)

Application to the Court under sections 183, 207, 212, 215 and 237 of the Act.

Application how made.

79. Every application shall be made by petition.

Insertion of advertisements.

80. When an advertisement is required for any purpose, except where otherwise directed by these Rules, the advertisement shall be inserted once in the *Local Government Gazette* and in such other newspaper or newspapers, and for such number of times as may be directed. The Court, however, may, in such cases as it shall think fit, dispense with any advertisement required by these rules.

Affidavits.

Filing and office copies of affidavits.

81. Where an order shall have been made for the winding-up of any company, any person intending to use any affidavit in any proceeding under such order, shall file the same in Court, and served a copy thereof on the official liquidator. The person other than the official liquidator filing the affidavit shall not be required to take an office copy thereof but an office copy thereof shall be taken by the official liquidator, and he shall produce the same at the hearing of any application or proceeding upon which it is intended to be used unless the Court shall otherwise direct.

Register of proceedings.

82. A register shall be kept by the Court of all proceedings in each matter in a book set apart for that purpose.

Provisional official liquidator.

83. All the above rules relating to official liquidators shall, so far as the same are applicable and subject to the directions of the Court in each case, apply to provisional liquidators.

Attendance and appearance of parties.

84. No order to the prejudice of contributories or creditors shall be made *ex parte* on the application of the official liquidator and every person for the time being on the list of contributories of the company filed in Court by the official liquidator, and every person having a debt or claim against the company allowed by the Court shall be at liberty at his own expense to attend the proceedings before the Court, and shall be entitled upon payment of the costs occasioned thereby to have notice of all such proceedings as he shall by written request desire to have notice of, but if the Court shall be of opinion that the attendance of any such person upon any proceeding has occasioned any additional costs which ought not to be borne by the funds of the company he may direct such costs, or a gross sum in lieu thereof, to be paid by such person, and such person shall not be entitled to attend any further proceedings until he has paid the same.

Appointment of representative party.

85. The Court may from time to time appoint any one or more of the contributories or creditors as it thinks fit to represent before it at the expense of the company all or any class of the contributories or creditors upon any question as to a compromise with any of the contributories or creditors, or in and about any other proceedings before it relating to the winding-up of the company, and may remove the person or persons so appointed. In case more than one person shall be so appointed they shall unite in employing the same vakil, pleader, or attorney to represent them.

Appearance to be filed before attendance.

86. No contributory or creditor shall be entitled to attend any proceedings before the Court unless and until he has filed an appearance with the Clerk of Court to the Additional District Judge. A book to be called the Appearance Book shall be kept in which all such appearances shall be entered. (Form No. 61A.)

Service of summonses, notices, etc. Service how effected.

87. Services upon contributories and creditors shall be effected, except where personal service is required, by sending the notice, or a copy of the petition, summons or order or other document, through the post in a registered letter, addressed to the vakil, pleader or attorney (in any) of the party to be served or otherwise to the party himself, if a contributory, to his last known address or place of abode, and if a creditor, to the address given by him pursuant to Rule 45 and such notice or copy, petition, summons, order, or other document shall be considered as served at the time the same ought to be delivered in due course of delivery by the Post Office, and notwithstanding the same may be returned by the Post Office.

Name of person incomplete.

88. No service under these rules shall be deemed invalid by reason that any name other than the surname of the person (if the said person be a European) or any name other than the final name ordinarily used by the person (being other than a European) on whom service is sought to be made has been omitted, or designated by initial letters, in the list of contributories or in the petition, summons, order, notice, or other document, wherein the name of such contributory or creditor is contained, provided the Court is satisfied that such service is in other respects sufficient.

Termination of winding-up proceedings.

89. Upon the termination of the proceedings for the winding-up of any company, a balance-sheet shall be brought in by the official liquidator of his receipts and payments, and verified by his affidavit; and the official liquidator shall pass his final account, and the balance (if any) due on the final account shall be certified by the court, and upon payment by the official liquidator of the balance (if any) in such manner as the Court shall direct, the recognizances entered into by the official liquidator and his sureties may be vacated. (Form No. 63.)

Dissolution of company.

90. Where the official liquidator has passed his final account, and the balance (if any) due thereon has been paid in such manner as the Court shall direct, the official liquidator shall, in case the company has not been already dissolved, apply to the Judge for an order that the company be dissolved from the date of such order. (Form No. 64.)

Deposit of proceedings in Court.

91. When the proceedings for winding-up any company have been completed, the file of proceedings and the book containing the official liquidator's account shall be deposited in the records of the Court.

Notice by liquidator in voluntary winding-up of his appointment.

92. The liquidator in a voluntary winding-up shall within 21 days after his appointment, file with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies a notice of his appointment as required by section 208 of the Act.

Times for filing liquidator's statements, and regulations applicable thereto.

93. The statements with respect of the proceedings in and position of the liquidation of a company, the winding-up of which is not concluded within a year after its commencement, shall be filed with the Registrar twice in every year as follows :—

(1) The first statement, commencing at the date when a liquidator was first appointed and brought down to the end of 12 months from the commencement of the

winding-up, shall be filed within 30 days from the expiration of such 12 months; and the subsequent statements shall be filed at intervals of half a year, each statement being brought down to the end of the half year for which it is filed.

(2) Form no. 66, with such variations as the circumstances may require, shall be used.

(3) Every statement shall be verified by affidavit in Form no. 67.

Liquidator's statements in voluntary liquidations.

94. The statements required by section 216 of the Act to be laid before the general meetings of a company, the voluntary winding-up of which continues for more than one year, shall, with such variations as circumstances may require, be in the same form and contain the same particulars as the statements mentioned in Rule 93.

Forms.

95. The forms set forth in the first schedule, with such variations as the circumstances of each case may require, may be used for the respective purposes mentioned in such schedule.

Duties of attorney, etc., of official liquidator.

96. The vakil, pleader or attorney of the official liquidator shall conduct all such proceedings as are ordinarily conducted by vakils, pleaders or attorneys; and where the attendance of his vakil, pleader or attorney is required on any proceedings in Court, the official liquidator need not attend in person, except in cases where his presence is necessary in addition to that of his vakil, pleader or attorney or the Court shall direct him to attend.

Fees.

97. Vakils, pleaders, and attorneys shall be entitled to charge and be allowed the fees set forth and referred to in the second schedule to these rules (so far as the same are applicable) unless the Court shall otherwise specially direct.

General power of Court.

98. The power of the Court to enlarge or abridge the time for doing any act, or taking any proceeding, to adjourn, or review any proceeding, and to give any direction as to the course of proceeding, is unaffected by these rules.

Accounts, etc., to be filed.

99. All accounts, lists, notices, and other documents directed by these rules to be filed in Court shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of Court to the Additional District Judge's Court.

General practice to apply.

100. In cases not provided for by these rules or by rules of procedure laid down in the Act, the practice and procedure of the High Court of Judicature, North Western Provinces in matters relating to companies shall be followed so far as they are applicable and not inconsistent with these rules.

Affidavits.

101. In all cases in which by law a person may make a solemn affirmation instead of an affidavit, the word affidavit in these rules shall be deemed and taken to mean a solemn affirmation.

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36. The schedule referred to in Form no. 35.

37. Affidavit in support of supplemental list of contributories (Rule 54).

38. Supplemental list of contributories referred to in Form no. 37.

39. Supplement by the Judge of list of contributories (Rule 56).

40. Order on application to vary list (Rule 56).

41. Affidavit of official liquidator in support of proposal for call (Rule 60).

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45. Notice to be served with the general order for a call (Rule 63).

46. Affidavit in support of application for order for payment of call due from contributory (Rule 62).

47. Order for payment of call due from contributory (Rule 62).

48. Notice to be endorsed on or served with every order directing payment of money into the Government Treasury or into Court (Rule 67).

49. Certificate of payment of money into the Government Treasury or into Court.

50. Affidavit of service of order for payment of call (Rule 62).

51. Affidavit of non-payment of money by order directed to be paid into the Government Treasury or into Court (Rule 68).

52. Request to invest cash in Government promissory notes (Rule 71).

53. Request to sanction investment of cash in Government promissory notes to the District Court (Rule 71).

54. Notice (or advertisement) of meeting of creditors or contributories (Rule 73).

55. Memorandum of appointment of a person to act as chairman at meeting of creditors or contributories (Rule 74).

56. Appointment of proxy to vote at meeting of creditors or contributories (Rule 75).

57. Chairman's report of result of meeting of creditors or contributories (Rules 73, 74 and 75).

58. Memorandum of sanction of Judge to accepting bills of exchange (Rule 76).

59. Memorandum of agreement of compromise with a contributory (Rule 77).

60. Memorandum of sanction of Judge to agreement of compromise.

61. Order or memorandum of the sanction of the Court for certain acts to be done by the official liquidator (Rule 78).

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

Forms in Proceedings for Reduction of Capital.

No. 1.—*Form of Order.*

(RULE 6.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Upon the application of the petitioners, dated and upon hearing the vakil, pleader or attorney for the petitioners, and on reading the petition on the day of preferred unto the Court. It is ordered, that an enquiry be made what are the debts, claims, and liabilities of or affecting the said company on the day of 19 , and that notice of the presentation of the said petition be inserted in ( ) on the day of and ( ) and that a list of the persons who are creditors of the company on the said day of and the affidavit verifying the same be filed in the office of the clerk of the Court on or before the day of

And it is further ordered that any creditor whose name does not appear in such list or who claims to be a creditor for a larger amount than that for which he is entered in such list shall on or before the day of send in his name and address and the particulars of his debt or claim and the name and address of his vakil, pleader or attorney (if any) to the vakil, pleader or attorney of the company and it is further ordered that the notice of the day so fixed as last aforementioned shall be given in writing by registered post to every creditor whose name appears in such list and such notice shall be inserted in on the day of and in on the day of and it is further ordered that the vakil, pleader, or attorney of the company and some competent officer or officers of the company do on or before the day of make and file an affidavit stating the result of such notices and verifying the names and addresses of the persons (if any) who shall have sent in particulars of their debts and claims in pursuance of such notices respectively and the amounts of such debts or claims distinguishing which if any of such debts or claims are wholly or as to any and what part thereof admitted by the company and which (if any) of such debts and claims are wholly or as to any and what part thereof admitted by the company.

No. 2.—(*See rule* 7.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Notice is hereby given that a petition for confirming a resolution reducing the capital of the above company from rupees to rupees was on the day of presented to the Court of and is now pending; and that the list of creditors of the company is to be made out as for the day of 19
C. & D., vakils, pleaders or attorneys to the company.

No. 3.—*Affidavit verifying list of creditors.*

(RULE 9.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

I, A. B., of etc., make oath and say as follows :—

1. The paper writing now produced and shown to me, and marked with the letter A, contains a list of the creditors of and persons having claims upon the said company on the day of 19 (the date fixed by order in this matter dated) together with their respective addresses, and the nature and amount

of their respective debts or claims, and such list is, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, a true and accurate list of such creditors and persons having claims on the day aforesaid.

2. To the best of my knowledge and belief there was not, at the date aforesaid, any debt or claim which, if such date were the commencement of the winding-up of the said company, would be admissible in proof against the said company other than and except the debts set forth in the said list. I am enabled to make this statement from facts within my knowledge as the of the said company, and from information derived upon investigation of the affairs and the books, documents, and papers of the said company. Sworn, etc.

List of creditors referred to in the last form.

A.

In the matter, etc.

This list of creditors, marked A, was produced and shown to A B, and is the same list of creditors as is referred to in his affidavit sworn before me this day of 19 .

X. Y., etc.

Names, addresses, and descriptions of the creditors.	Nature of debt or claim.	Amount of debt or claim.

No. 4.—(*See rule* 11.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

To Mr.

You are requested to take notice that a petition has been presented to the Court of , to confirm a special resolution of the above company for reducing its capital to rupees , and that in the list of persons admitted by the company to have been on the day of creditors of the company, your name is entered as a creditor (*here state the amount of the debt or nature of the claim*).

If you claim to have been on the last-mentioned day a creditor to a larger amount than is stated above you must on or before the day of send the particulars of your claim and the name and address of your vakil, pleader or attorney (if any) to the undersigned at . In default of your so doing the above entry in the list of creditors will, in all proceedings under the above application to reduce the capital of the company, be treated as correct.

Dated the day of 19 .

A. B.,

Vakil for the said company.

No. 5.— (*See rule* 12).

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara at Ajmer, for confirming a resolution of the above company for reducing its capital from rupees to rupees . A list of the persons admitted to have been creditors of the company on the day of 19 may be inspected at the offices of the company at , or at the office of , at any time during usual business hours on payment of the charge of Re. 1.

Any person who claims to have been on the last-mentioned day and still to be a creditor of the company, and who is not entered on the said list and claims to be so entered, must on or before the day of send in his name and address, and

the particulars of his claim, and the name and address of his vakil, pleader or attorney (if any) to the undersigned at or in default thereof he will be precluded from objecting to the proposed reduction of capital.

Dated this day of 19 .

A. B.,
Vakil for the said company.

No. 6.—(*Rule* 13.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

We C D, of etc. (the Secretary or agent of the said company) E F, of etc. (the attorney of the said company) and A, B, of etc. (the managing director of the said company) severally make oath and say as follows :—

I, the said C D, for myself, say as follows :—

1. I did, on the day of 19 in the manner hereinafter mentioned serve a true copy of the notice now produced and shown to me, and marked B, upon each of the respective persons whose names and addresses, and descriptions appear in the first column of the list of creditors, marked A., referred to in the affidavit of filed on the day of 19 . (Rule 11.)

2. I served the said copies of the said notice upon the persons respectively mentioned in the said list, by sending such copies on the day of by registered post to the said persons respectively to their respective addresses as appearing in the said list being the last-known addresses or places of abode of such persons respectively.

And I, the said E F, for myself, say as follows :

3. A true copy of the notice now produced and shown to me, and marked C, has appeared in the , of the day of 19 , the of the day of 19 , etc. (If notice issued under Rule 12.)

4. I have, in the paper writing now produced and shown to me, and marked D, set forth a list of all claims, the particulars of which have been sent in to me pursuant to the said notice be now produced and shown to me by persons claiming to be creditors of the said company for larger amounts than are stated in the list of creditors, marked A, referred to in the affidavit of filed on the day of 19 . (Rule 13.)

5. I have in the paper writing now produced and shown to me, and marked D, set forth a list of all claims, the particulars of which have been sent in to me pursuant to the notice referred to in the third paragraph of this affidavit by persons claiming to be creditors of the said company on the day of 19 , not appearing on the said list of creditors, marked A, and who claimed to be entered thereon. (If notice issued under Rule 12.)

And we, C D and A B for ourselves, say as follows :—

6. We have in the first part of the said paper writing. marked D (now produced and shown to us) and also in the first part of the said paper writing marked E (also produced and shown to us) respectively, set forth such of the said debts and claims as are admitted by the said company to be due wholly or in part, and how much is admitted to be due in respect of such of the same debts and claims, respectively, as are not wholly admitted. (Rule 13.)

7. We have, in the second part of each of the said paper writings, marked D and E, set forth such of the said debts and claims, as are wholly disputed by the said company. (Rule 13.)

8. In the said exhibits D and E are distinguished such of the debts the full amount whereof are proposed to be set apart and appropriated in such manner as the Judge shall direct. Sworn, etc.

Exhibit D referred to in the last-mentioned affidavit.

D.

In the matter, etc.

List of debts and claims of which the particulars have been sent in to by persons claiming to be creditors of the said company for *larger amounts* than are stated in list of creditors made out by the company.

This paper writing, marked D, was produced and shown to CD, EF, and AB, respectively and is the same as is referred to in their affidavit sworn before me this day of 19 .

X. Y., etc.

First part.—Debts and claims wholly or partly admitted by the company.

Names, addresses and description of creditors.	Particulars of debt or claim.	Amount claimed.	Amount admitted by the company to be owing to creditors.	Debts proposed to be set apart and appropriated in full although disputed.

Second part.—Debts and claims wholly disputed by the company.

Names, addresses, and Description of claimants.	Particulars of claim.	Amount claimed.	Debts proposed to be set apart and appropriated in full although disputed.

Exhibit E referred to in the last affidavit.

E.

In the matter, etc.

List of debts and claims of which the particulars have been sent in to Mr. by persons claiming to be creditors of the company and to be entered on the list of the creditors made out by the company.

This paper writing, marked E, was produced and shown to CD, EF, and AB, respectively and is the same as is referred to in their affidavit sworn before me this day of 19 .

X. Y., etc.

First part—(*Same as in exhibit D.*)

Second part—(*Same as in exhibit D.*)

Note.—The names are to be inserted alphabetically.

No. 7.—(*Rule* 14.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

To Mr.

You are hereby required to come in and prove the debt claimed by you against the above company, by filing your affidavit, and giving notice thereof to Mr. , the vakil, pleader or attorney of the company, on or before the day of next; and you are to attend in person or by your vakil, pleader or attorney at the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara at Ajmer on the day of 19 at o'clock in the noon, being the time appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claim, and produce any securities or document relating to your claim.

In default of your complying with the above directions, you will (be precluded from objecting to the proposed reduction of the capital of the company) or (in all proceedings relative to the proposed reduction of the capital of the company, be treated as a creditor for such amount only as is set against your name in the list of creditors).

Dated this day of 19 .

A.B.,
Vakil, Pleader or Attorney for the said company.

(No. 8.—*See rule* 18.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Notice is hereby given that a petition presented to the Additional District Judge on the day of , for confirming a resolution reducing the capital of the above company from Rs. to Rs. , is directed to be heard before him on the , day of 19 .

C. and D of

(Agents for E and F of

Vakils for the company.

Forms in winding-up proceedings.

No. 9.—*Advertisement of petition.*

(RULE 24.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the abovenamed company by the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, was on the day of 19 presented to by the said Company (*or* A B of , a creditor *or* contributory of the said company *or as the case may be*). And that the said petition is directed to be heard before on the day of 19 ; and any creditor or contributory of the said company, desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

C and D of, etc.,
Vakils for the petitioners.

No. 10.—*Affidavit verifying petition.*

(RULE 26.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

I, A B, of, etc., make oath and say (*or* do solemnly affirm) that such of the statements in the petition now produced and shown to me, and marked with the letter A, as relate to my own acts and deeds, are true, and such of the said statements as relate to the acts and deeds of any other persons or person I believe to be true.

Sworn, etc.,
or Solemnly affirmed, etc.

No. 11.—*Order for winding-up by the Court.*

(Secs. 162 and 170 of the Act.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Upon the petition of the abovenamed company *or*, A B of, etc., a creditor (*or* contributory of the abovenamed company) on the day of 19 , preferred unto the said Court, and upon hearing counsel for the petitioner and for , and upon reading the said petition, an affidavit (*or* solemn affirmation) of the said petitioner, filed, etc., verifying the said petition, and affidavit (*or* solemn affirmation of S M) filed the day of 19 , the *local Government Gazette* of the day of , the of the day of (*enter any other paper*) each containing an advertisement of the said petition (*enter any other evidence*) this Court doth order that the said company be wound-up by this Court under the provisions of the Indian Companies Act, 1913.

No. 12.—*Order for winding-up, subject to supervision.*

(Secs. 221 and 222 of the Act.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Upon the petition, etc., this Court doth order that the voluntary winding-up of the said company be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court; and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding-up may be adopted as this Court shall think fit. And the creditors, contributories, and liquidators of the said company, and all other persons interested, are to be at liberty to apply to this Court as there may be occasion.

No. 13.— *Advertisement of order to wind-up.*

(RULE 29.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

By an order made by the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, in the above matter, dated the day of 19 , on the petition of the abovenamed company (*or* A B of): It was ordered that, etc., *as in order.*

C and D of, etc.,
Vakils for the said petitioner.

No. 14.—*Advertisement of time and place fixed for the appointment of official liquidator.*
(RULE 32.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Notice is hereby given that the Judge of the Additional District Judge's Court of Ajmer-Merwara, has fixed the day of 19 , at o'clock in the noon, at the Additional District Judge's Court House at as the time and place for the appointment of an official liquidator of the abovenamed company.

By order,
Clerk of Court,
To the Additional District Judge's Court,
Ajmer-Merwara.

No. 15.—*Proposal for appointment of official liquidator (and sureties) where form no. 14 has been issued.*

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

We, the undersigned contributories of the abovenamed company for the number of shares placed opposite our respective names, hereby propose Mr. R. P. H. of, etc., public accountant, to be the official liquidator of the said company (and H. N. of, etc., and J. P. of, etc., to be his sureties).

Name.	Address.	Number of shares held.

No. 16.—*Recognizance of the official liquidator and sureties.*

(RULE 33.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

The Judge of the Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, has approved of and allowed this recognizance G. H, Clerk of Court, etc.

R. P. H. of, etc., W. B. of, etc., and T. P. of, etc., in the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, personally appearing, do acknowledge themselves, and every of them doth acknowledge himself to owe the respective sums of money set opposite to their respective names in the schedule here to be paid to , Esquire, Judge of the said Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, his successors in office or assigns; and in default of payment of the said respective sums, the said R. P. H., W. B., and T. P., are willing and do agree each for himself, his heirs, executors, and administrators, by these presents, that the said sums shall be levied, recovered, and received of and from them and every of them, and of and from them and every of them, and of and from all and singular the manors, messuages, lands, tenements and hereditaments, goods and chattels of them and every of them wheresoever the same shall be found. Witness the day of 19 . Whereas in the matter of, etc. (*take title from order to wind-up*), Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, has by an order dated the day of 19 , appointed the said R. P. H., official liquidator of the said company, and has thereby directed him to give security to be approved of by the said Court, or (*in case the security precedes the order appointing*) has approved of the said R. P. H. as a proper person to be appointed official liquidator of the said company (upon his giving security). And whereas the said Judge has approved of the said W. B. and T. P. to be sureties for the said R. P. H. in the amounts set opposite to their respective names in the schedule hereto and has also approved of the above-written recognizance, with the under-written condition as a proper security to be entered into by the said R. P. H., W. B., and T. P., pursuant to the said order and (*or* or pursuant to) the general order of the said Court in that behalf; and in testimony of such approbation , Esq. (the Judge of the said Court) hath signed an allowance in the margin hereof. Now the condition of the above-written recognizance is such that if the said R. P. H., his executors or administrators or any of them do and shall duly account for what the said R. P. H. shall receive, or become liable to pay, as official liquidator of the said company at such periods and in such manner as the said Court shall appoint, and pay the same as the said Court hath (by the said order) directed, or shall hereafter direct, then the above recognizance to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

The schedule above referred to.

R. P. H.	thousand rupees.
W. B.	thousand rupees.
T. P.	thousand rupees.

Taken and acknowledged by the abovenamed R. P. H., etc.

No. 17.—*Affidavit of sureties.*

(RULE 33.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

We W. B. of, etc., and T. P. of, etc., severally make oath and say (or solemnly affirm) as follows :—

1. I, the said W. B. for myself, say that I am worth the sum of rupees of lawful money of British India, over and above what is sufficient for the payment of all my just debts and liabilities.

2. And I, the said T. P. for myself, say that I am worth the sum of rupees of, etc. (*as above*).

Sworn, etc.

(or solemnly affirmed).

No. 18.—*Order appointing an official liquidator.*

(RULES 33 and 34.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

The day of 19 .

Upon the application, etc., and upon reading etc., the Court doth hereby appoint R. P. H. of, etc., official liquidator of the abovenamed company. [*If security has not been given and has not been dispensed with add,* and it is ordered that the said R. P. H. do, on or before the day of next, give security to be approved of by the Court.] And it is ordered that the said R. P. H. on the day of and , day of 19 and the same days in each succeeding year, file his accounts in the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, at and

it is ordered that all moneys to be received by the said R. P. H. be paid by him into the Government Treasury at or into the said Court at to the credit of the account of the official liquidator of the said company, within seven days after the receipt thereof. (*In case two or more official liquidators are appointed add*) And the said Court doth declare that the following acts required or authorized by the above Act to be done by the official liquidators may be done by either (*or* any one, or two) of the official liquidators hereby appointed, that is to say (*describe the acts*) and all other acts so required or authorized to be done by both (*or* all) the official liquidators hereby appointed. And it is ordered that an office copy of this order be lodged at the Government Treasury at Ajmer, or branch thereof as aforesaid.

No. 19.—*Order appointing a provisional official liquidator.*

(RULES 33, 34, 38, and 83.)

[*For general heading see rule* 1.]

The day of 19 .

Upon the application, etc., and upon reading, etc., the Court doth hereby appoint R. P. H. of, etc., provisionally, official liquidator of the abovenamed company. (*If security dispensed with add*, without security ; or *if security is to be given add direction as to security account and payment into the Government Treasury as in Form No.* 18.) And the said Court doth hereby limit and restrict the powers of the said R. P. H. as such provisional official liquidator to the following acts, that is to say (*describe the acts which the provisional official liquidator* is to be authorised to do.)

No. 20.—*Sanction of appointment of attorney to official liquidator and appointment.*

(See section 181 of the Act.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

The Court sanctions the official liquidator appointing an attorney (or vakil) to assist him in the performance of his duties.

L. H.

I hereby appoint to be my vakil, pleader or attorney in this matter, dated this day of 19 .

R. P. H.,
Official Liquidator.

No. 21.—*Order for payment of money or delivery of books, etc., to the official liquidator.*

(See sections 185 and 187 of the Act.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Upon the application of, etc., and on reading, etc., it is ordered that A B of etc., do, within four days after service hereof, pay to (*or* deliver, convey, surrender or transfer to or into the hands of) R P H, the official liquidator of the said company, at the office of the said R P H, situate at, etc., the sum of rupees , being the amount of debt appearing to be due from the said A B on his account with the said company (*or* any sum or balance, books, papers, estate or effects specifying the property) now being in the hands of the said A B and to which the said company is *primâ facie* entitled (*or otherwise as the case may be*).

No. 22.—*Direction to open account at the Government Treasury, Ajmer.*

(RULES 34, 59, 64, 69, and 70.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

To the Treasury Officer, Ajmer.

Sir,

An order, dated the day of 19 , having been made in the above matter by the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, for winding-up the abovenamed company by the Court, under the provisions of the Indian Companies Act,

1913, and R P H, of having by order, dated the day of 19 , been appointed the official liquidator of the said company you are requested to open an account, to be entitled "The account of the official liquidator of the company," in your books pursuant to the said Act. All cheques drawn upon such account must be signed by the official liquidator, and by , who has been appointed by the Judge, whose signatures are attached hereto.

I am, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
G. H.

Signature,
R. P. H., *Official Liquidator.*
G. W.

The liquidator of the company should present a similar application to the Judge as the above, ***mutatis mutandis,*** for leave to open such an account in the Court.

No. 23.—*Advertisement of appointment of official liquidator.*

(RULE 37.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

The Additional District Judge of Ajmer-Merwara has, by an order, dated the day of 19 , appointed R P H of to be official liquidator of the abovenamed company.

Dated this day of 19 .

G. H.

No. 24.—*Advertisement for creditors.*

(RULE 45.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

The creditors of the abovenamed company are required on or before the day of 19 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their vakils, pleaders or attorneys (if any) to R. P. H. of the official liquidator of the said company, and if so required by notice* in writing from the official liquidator, or in person or by their attorneys or vakils to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts proved.

The day of 19 , at o'clock in the noon, at the said , is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.

Dated this day of 19 .

G. H.

*For form of notice, see Form no. 28.

No. 25.—*Affidavit of official liquidator as to debts and claims.*

(RULE 47.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

I, R P H of, etc., the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, make oath and say (*or* solemnly affirm) as follows :—

1. I have, in the paper writing now produced and shown to me, and marked with the letter A set forth a list of all the debts and claims, the particulars of which have been sent in to me by persons making claim upon or claiming to be creditors of the said company pursuant to the advertisement issued in that behalf, dated the day of 19 , and the names and addresses of the persons by whom such claims are made.

2. I have investigated the said debts and claims and examined the same with the books and documents of the said company, in order to ascertain, so far as I am able, which of such debts and claims are justly due from the said company ; and I have, in the first part of the said list, set forth such of the said debts and claims or parts thereof, as in my opinion are justly due from the said company, and proper to be allowed without further evidence, and I

have, in the sixth column of the said first part of the said list, set forth the amount proper to be allowed in respect of such debts and claims; and I believe that such amounts, respectively, are justly due and proper to be allowed; and I have, in the seventh column of the said first part of the said list, stated my reasons for such belief.

3. I have, in the second part of the said list, set forth such of the said debts and claims as in my opinion ought to be proved by the respective creditors.

Sworn (*or* solemnly affirmed), etc.

No. 26.—*Exhibit referred to in affidavit in form no.* 25.

A.

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

This paper writing, marked A, was produced and shown to R P H, and is the same as is referred to in his affidavit, sworn (*or* solemn affirmation made) before me this day of 19 .

W. B., etc.

List of debts and claims of which the particulars have been sent in to the official liquidator.

First part.—Debts and claims which ought to be allowed without further evidence.

Serial number.	Names of creditors.	Addresses and description.	Particulars of debts or claims.	Amount claimed.	Amount proper to be allowed.	Reasons for belief that amounts are proper to be allowed.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	

Second part.—Debts and claims which ought to be proved by the creditors.

Serial number.	Number of creditors.	Addresses and description.	Particulars of debts or claims.	Amount claimed.
				Rs. A. P.

No. 27.—*Notice to creditors of allowance of debt.*

(RULE 48.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

(Place and date.)

SIR,

The debt claimed by you in this matter has been allowed by the Judge at the sum of Rs. . (*If part only allowed add*) if you claim to have a larger sum allowed, you are hereby required to come in and prove the further amount claimed, etc., *as in the next form.*

I am, etc.,
R P H, Official Liquidator.

To Mr. P. R.

No. 28.—*Notice to creditors to come in and prove their debts.*

(RULE 49.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

(Place and date.)

SIR,

You are hereby required to come in and prove the debt claimed by you against the abovenamed company, by filing your affidavit, and giving notice thereof to me on or before the day of next, and you are to attend in person or by your attorney (or vakil) on the day of 19 at o'clock in the noon, being the time appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claim.

Dated this day of 19 .

R. P. H., Official Liquidator.

To Mr. P. R.

No. 29.—*Affidavit of creditor in proof of debt.*

(RULE 49.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

I S T of etc., make oath (or solemnly affirm) and say as follows :—

1. The above-named company was on the day of 19 , the date of the order for winding-up the same, and still is justly and truly indebted to me in the sum of rupees for etc. (*Describe shortly the nature of the debt and exhibit any security for it; and in case of a trade debt exhibit vouchers, and verify the reasonableness of the charges, as in proving a debt in a suit.*)

2. I have not, nor hath nor have any person or persons by my order or to my knowledge or belief for my use, received the sum of rupees or any part thereof, or any security or satisfaction for the same or any part thereof. (*If any security add*) except the said (*describe the security*) hereinbefore mentioned or referred to. Sworn (*or* solemnly affirmed, etc.).

No. 30.—*Settlement by the Judge of debts and claims.*

(RULE 53.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

The debts and claims which have been allowed are set forth in the first schedule hereto, and with the interest thereon and costs mentioned in the schedule are due to the persons therein named, and amount altogether to Rs.

In the first part of the said schedule are set forth such of the said debts and claims as carry interest, and the interest thereon has been computed after the rate they respectively carry down to [*the present date*] date of the winding-up.

In the second part of the said schedule are set forth such of the debts and claims as do not carry interest.

The claims set forth in the second schedule hereto have been brought in by the persons therein named and have been disallowed.

The first schedule above referred to.

First Part.—*Debts and claims which carry interest.*

No.	Names of creditors.	Addresses and description.	Particulars of debt.	Total amount.
				Rs. A. P.
1	J. L.	Of (address) . . .	On bills of exchange dated, etc.	
		Principal	Rs.	
		Interest at per cent. per annum from 19 to the date of this certificate .	Rs.	
		Costs of proof.		

Second Part.—*Debts and claims which do not carry interest.*

No.	Names of creditors.	Addresses and descriptions.	Particulars of debts.	Interest on principal.	Total due.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
			Goods sold. 50 0 0		
			2 0 0		
40	W. R. . .	Of (address). Principal.	Total Rs. .	2 0 0	
			Add—Total .		54 0 0
		Cost of proof			
			First part		
			Total first and second part .		

The second schedule above referred to.

No.	Names of creditors.	Addresses and descriptions.	Particulars of claims.	Amount claimed.
				Rs A. P.

Dated this day of 19 .

(Signature of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara.)

No. 31.—*Notice to creditor to attend to receive debt.*

(RULE 53.)

[*For general heading see rule* 1.]

SIR,

Upon application at my office, no. Street,............, on or after the instant, between the hours of ten and four o'clock, you may receive a cheque for the amount of your debt allowed in this matter as under :—

Principal	. . . .	Rs.
Interest	. . . .	,,
Costs of proof	. . . .	,,
	Total .	Rs.

If you cannot attend personally, the cheque will be delivered to your order, upon your filling up and signing the subjoined form.

The bills or securities (if any) held by you must be produced at the time of such application.

Dated this day of 19 .

R. P. H., Official Liquidator.

SIR,

Please to deliver to W. R. the cheque for Rs. referred to in the above letter as payable to me.

S. T., Creditor.

To

Mr. R. P. H.,

Official Liquidator of the company.

No. 32.—*Affidavit in support of list of contributories.*

(RULE 54.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

I, R. P. H. of, etc., the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, make oath and say (or solemnly affirm) as follows :—

1. The paper writing now produced and shown to me, and marked with the letter A, contains a list of the contributories of the said company, made out by me from the books and papers of the said company, together with their respective addresses, and the number of shares (*or* extent of interest) to be attributed to each; and such is, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, a true and accurate list of the contributories of the said company, so far as I have been able to make out and ascertain the same.

2. I have, in the first part of the said list, marked A, distinguished the persons who are contributories in their own right.

3. I have in the second part of the said list, marked A, distinguished the persons who are contributories as being representatives of, or being liable for the debts of, others.

Sworn (*or* solemnly affirmed), etc.

No. 33.—*List of contributories referred to in Form no.* 32.

A.

(*For general heading, see rule* 1.)

This list of contributories, marked A, was produced and shown to R. P. H., and is the same list of contributories as is referred to in his affidavit. Sworn (*or* solemn affirmation made) before me this day of 19 .

W. B., etc.

First part.—Contributories in their own right.

Serial No.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).

Second part.—Contributories as being representatives of, or liable for the debts of, others.

Serial No.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).

No. 34.—*Notice to contributories of appointment to settle list of contributories.*

(RULE 55.)

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara has appointed the day of 19 , at of the clock in the noon at to settle the list of the contributories of the abovenamed company, made out and filed in Court by the official liquidator of the said company, and you are included in such list in the character, and for the number of shares (*or* extent of interest) stated below, and if no sufficient cause is shown by you to the contrary at the time and place aforesaid the list will be settled by the said Judge, including you therein.

Dated this day of 19 .

R. P. H., Official Liquidator.

To Mr. A B, and to Mr. C D his vakil, pleader, or attorney.

No. on list.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).

No. 35.—*Affidavit of service of notice.*

(RULE 55.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

I W S of, etc., clerk to Messrs. C and D of etc., the vakils, pleaders or attorneys of the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, make oath (*or* solemnly affirm) and say as follows :—

1. The first six columns of the schedule now produced and shown to me, and marked with the letter A, contain a true copy of the list of contributories of the said company, made out and filed in Court by the said official liquidator, on the day of 19 , and now on the file of proceedings of the said company, as I know from having, on the day of 19 , examined and compared the said schedule with the said list ; and I have in the seventh column of the said schedule, marked A, set forth the names and addresses of the vakils, pleaders or attorneys who have entered appearances for any of the contributories named in the said list.

2. I did, on the day of 19 , in the manner hereinafter mentioned, serve a true copy of the notice now produced and shown to me and marked B, upon each of the said respective persons whose names and addresses, and descriptions appear in the second, third, and fourth columns of the said schedule, marked A, except that in the tabular form at the foot of such copies respectively I inserted the number on list, name, address, description, in what character included, and number of shares (*or* extent of interest) of the person on whom such copy of the said notice was served, in the same words and figures as the same particulars are set forth in the said schedule, marked A.

3. I served the said respective copies of the said notice, by putting such copies respectively, duly addressed to such persons respectively or their vakils, pleaders or attorneys, according to their respective names, and addresses appearing in the said schedule, and marked A and with the proper postage stamps affixed thereto as prepaid letters, into the Post Office at between the hours of and of the o'clock in the of the said day of . Sworn (*or* solemnly affirmed), etc.

No. 36.—*The schedule referred to in Form no. 35.*

A.

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

This schedule, marked A, was produced and shown to W S, and is the same schedule as is referred to in his affidavit. Sworn (*or* solemnly affirmed) before me this day of 19 .

W B, etc.

No. on list.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).	Names and addresses of vakils, pleaders or attorneys who have entered appearances, and been served with a copy of the notice referred to in the affidavit of W S to which this schedule is an exhibit.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

No. 37.—*Supplemental list of contributories, and affidavit in support.*

(RULE 54.)

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

I, R. P. H. of etc., the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, make oath (*or* solemnly affirm) and say as follows:—

1. Since filing in Court the list of the contributories in the matter, on the day of 19 , it has come to my knowledge that the several persons whose names are set forth in the supplemental list of contributories now produced and shown to me, and marked with the letter B, are or have been holders of shares (*or* members) of the said company, and to the best of my judgment, information, and belief such persons are contributories of the said company.

2. The said supplemental list, marked B, contains the names of such persons, together with their respective addresses, and the number of shares (*or* extent of interest) to be attributed to each; and such list is, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, true and accurate.

3. I have, in the first part of the said list, marked B, distinguished such of the said persons as are contributories in their own right.

4. I have, in the second part of the said list, marked B, distinguished such of the said persons as are contributories as being representatives of, or being liable for the debts of, others. Sworn (*or* solemnly affirmed), etc.

No. 38.—*Supplemental list of contributories referred to in Form no. 37.*

B.

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

This supplemental list of contributories, marked B, was produced and shown to R. P. H. and is the same supplemental list of contributories as is referred to in his affidavit. Sworn (*or* solemn affirmation made) before me, this day of 19 .

W B, etc.

NOTE—Supplemental list is to be made out in the same form as the original list. Form no. 33.

No. 39.—*Settlement by the Judge of the list of contributories.*

(RULE 56.)

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

The result of the settlement of the list of the contributories of the above-named company made out and filed in Court by the official liquidator of the said company, on the day of 19 , pursuant to the above Act and the General Order of this Court in that behalf, so far as the said list has been settled up to the date of this certificate, is as follows :—

1. The several persons, whose names are set forth in the second column of the first schedule hereto, have been included in the said list of contributories as contributories of the said company in respect of the number of shares (*or* extent of interest) set opposite the names of such contributories respectively in the said schedule.

I have, in the first part of the said schedule, distinguished such of the said several persons included in the first list as are contributories in their own right. I have, in the second part of the said schedule, distinguished such of the said several persons included in the said list as are contributories as being representative of, or being liable to the debts of others.

2. The several persons whose names are set forth in the second column of the said schedule hereto have been excluded from the said list of contributories.

3. I have, in the seventh column of the said first and second schedules, set forth, opposite the names of each of the said several persons respectively, the date when such person was included in or excluded from the said list of contributories.

The first schedule above referred to.

First part.—*Contributories in their own right.*

Serial no. in list.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).	Date when included in the list.

Second part.—*Contributories as being representatives of, or liable to the debts of, others.*

Serial no. in list.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what Character included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).	Date when included in the list.

The second schedule above referred to.

Serial no. in list.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character proposed to be included.	Number of shares (or extent of interest).	Date when excluded from the list.

Dated this day of 19 .

(*Signature of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara.*)

No. 40.—*Order on application to vary list.*

(RULE 56.)

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

Upon the application of W. N. to review the list of contributories of the said company, in respect of the inclusion of the said W. N. therein, and that his name may be excluded therefrom, and upon hearing advocates, etc., and upon reading, etc.: It is ordered that the name of the said W. N. be excluded from the said list of contributories (*or* the Court doth not think fit to make any order on the said application except that the said W. N. do pay to R. P. H., the official liquidator of the said company, the sum of Rs. for his costs of this application.

No. 41.—*Affidavit of official liquidator in support of proposal for call.*

(RULE 60.)

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

I, R. P. H., of, etc., the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, make oath (*or* solemnly affirm) and say as follows :—

1. I have in the schedule now produced and shown to me and marked with the letter A, set forth a statement showing the amount due in respect of the debts allowed against the said company, and the estimated amount of the costs, charges, and expenses of, and incidental to, the winding-up the affairs thereof, which several amounts form in the aggregate the sum of Rs. or thereabouts.

2. I have also in the said schedule set forth a statement of the assets in hand belonging to the said company, amounting to the sum of Rs. and no more. There are no other assets belonging to the said company, except the amounts due from certain of the said contributories of the said company, and to the best of my information and belief it will be impossible to realize in respect of the said amounts more than the sum of Rs. or thereabouts.

3. It appears by the certificate of the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, dated the day of 19 , that persons have been settled on the list of contributories of the said company, in respect of the total number of shares.

4. For the purpose of satisfying the several debts and liabilities of the said company, and of paying the costs, charges, and expenses of, and incidental to, the winding-up the affairs thereof, I believe the sum of Rs. will be required, in addition to the amount to the assets of the said company mentioned in schedule A and the said sum of Rs.

5. In order to provide the said sum of Rs. it is necessary to make a call upon the several persons who have been settled on the list of contributories as before mentioned and having regard to the probability that some of such contributories will partly or wholly fail to pay the amount of such call, I believe that for the purpose of realizing the amount required, as before mentioned, it is necessary that a call of Rs. per share should be made.

Sworn (*or* solemnly affirmed), etc.

No. 42. *Summons for intended call.*

(RULE 60.)

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

Let all parties concerned attend at on day the day of 19 , at of the clock in the noon, on the hearing of an application on the part of the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, that a call to the amount of Rs. per share may be made on all the contributories (*or if upon any particular class specify the same*) of the said company.

This summons was taken out by A. B. of , vakil, pleader or attorney for the said official liquidator.

To Mr. A B of, etc., a contributory of the said company, proposed to be included in the said call.

No. 43.—*Advertisement of intended call.*

(RULE 60.)

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

By direction of the notice is hereby given that the said Judge has appointed the day of 19 , at o'clock in the noon, at to make a call on all the contributories of the said company, *or as the case may be,* and that the said call shall be for Rs. per share. All persons interested are entitled to attend at such day, hour, and place to offer objections to such call.

Dated this day of 19 .

No. 44.—*General order for a call.*

(RULE 63.)

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

Upon the application of the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, and upon reading two orders, dated the day of 19 , and the day of 19 , the certificate of the dated the day of 19 , an affidavit of the said official liquidator filed 19 , and the exhibit marked A therein referred to, and an affidavit of filed 19 : It is ordered that a call of Rs. per share be made on all the contributories of the said company (*or as the case may be*). And it is ordered that each such contributory do, on or before the day of 19 , pay into the Government Treasury at Ajmer *or* into the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, at , to the account of the official liquidator of the company, the amount which will be due from him or her in respect of such call.

No. 45.—*Notice to be served with the general order for a call.*

(RULES 61 AND 63.)

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

The amount due from you, A. B., in respect of the call made by the above (*or* within) order, is the sum of Rs. , which sum is to be paid by you into the Government Treasury at Ajmer *or* into the Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, at , to the account mentioned in the said order. You can pay the same in person, or through a banker or other agent, but this notice and copy of order must be produced at the Treasury or to the Court upon such payment, and the Treasury Officer of the Treasury or the Nazir of the said Court will, upon receiving the same, deliver to you a certificate of the payment in number signed by the said Treasury Officer or Judge. In order to prevent proceedings being taken against you for non-payment, you must, immediately upon such payment in, cause written notice of the payment, and of the date thereof, to be given to me, as the official liquidator of the said company, at my office, No. Street. Dated this day of 19 .

R. P. H., Official Liquidator.

To Mr. A. B.

No. 46.—*Affidavit in support of application for order for payment of call due from contributory.*

(RULE 62.)

[*For general headings, see rule 1.*]

I., R. P. H. of, etc., the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, make oath (*or* solemnly affirm) and say as follows :—

1. None of the contributories of the said company whose names are set forth in the schedule hereunto annexed, marked A, have paid, or caused to be paid, the respective sums

set opposite their respective names in the said schedule, which sums are the respective amounts now due from them respectively in respect of the calls of Rs. per share, in pursuance of the order of the Judge in that behalf. Dated the day of 19 .

2. The respective amounts or sums set opposite the names of such contributories respectively in such schedule are the true amounts due and owing by such contributories respectively in respect of the said call. Sworn (*or* solemnly affirmed), etc.

The schedule above referred to.

Number on list.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Amount due.

NOTE.—In addition to the above affidavit, an affidavit of the service of the order and notice (Nos. 44 and 45) will be required.

No. 47.—*Order for payment of call due from a contributory.*

(RULE 62.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Upon the application of the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, and upon reading the order, dated the day of 19 , an affidavit of filed the day of 19 , and an affidavit of the said official liquidator, filed the day of 19 , it is ordered that C. D. of etc., (*or* E. F. of, etc., the legal personal representative of L. M., late of, etc., deceased), one of the contributories of the said company (*or if, against several contributories* the several persons named in the second column of the schedule to this order being respectively contributories of the said company) do, on or before the day of or within four days after service of this order, pay into the Government Treasury at Ajmer or into the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara at, to the account of the official liquidator of the company (*or* to A. B, the official liquidator of the said company at his office, No. Street, in the) the sum of Rs.

(*If against legal personal representative, add* out of the assets of the said L. M. deceased' in his hands as such legal personal representative as aforesaid, to be administered in a due course of administration if the said E. F. has in his hands so much to be administered ; *or if against several contributories* the several sums of money set opposite to their respective names in the sixth column of the schedule hereto) such sum (*or* sums) being the amount (*or* amounts) due from the said C. D., (or L. M.) or the said serveral persons respectively in respect of the call of Rs. per share made by the said order dated the day of 19 .

The schedule referred to in the foregoing order.

Number on list.	Name.	Address.	Description.	In what character included.	Amount due.

No. 48.—*Notice to be endorsed on or served with every order directing payment of money into the Government Treasury, Ajmer, or into Court.*

(RULE 67.)

You can make the payment directed by the within (*or* above) order to the Government Treasury at Ajmer or in to the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, at , in person, etc. (*as in Form no.* 45).

R. P. H. Official Liquidator.

No. 49.—*Certificate of payment of money into the Government Treasury at Ajmer or into Court.*

(RULE 67.)

No day of 19 .

I hereby certify that C. D. of, etc., has this day paid into the Government Treasury at Ajmer or into Court the sum of , to be placed to the credit of the official liquidator of the company, pursuant to an order dated the day of 19 .

For the Government Treasury, Ajmer, Rs.

H. M. Treasury Officer.
or
Nazir of the Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara.
(*As the case may be.*)

No. 50—*Affidavit of service of order for payment of call.*

(RULE 62.)

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

I. J. B., of etc., make oath (*or* solemnly affirm) and say as follows :—

1. I did on the day of 19 , personally serve G. F. of in the of etc., with an order made in this matter by dated the day of 19 , which is hereto annexed and marked A by delivering to and leaving with the said G. F., at , in the , a true copy of the said order together with a translation thereof if necessary in the language, and at the same time producing and showing unto him, the said G F. the said original order duly entered.

Sworn (*or* solemnly affirmed), etc.

No. 51.—*Affidavit of non-payment of money by order directed to be paid into the Government Treasury, Ajmer, or into Court.*

(RULE 68.)

[*For general heading, see rule 1.*]

I., R. P. H., of, etc., the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, make oath and say as follows :—

1. G. S.. the person named in an order made in the matter by the Judge of the Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, dated the day of 19 , has not paid into the Government Treasury at Ajmer or in the Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara at to the account of the official liquidator of the company, the whole or any part of the sum of Rs. as by the said order directed.

Or (*in case of several parties*) :—

1. None of the several persons whose names and addresses are set forth in the schedule hereunder written, and who have respectively been duly served with orders made in this matter by the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, of the respective dates set opposite to their respective names in the said schedule have paid into the Government Treasury at Ajmer or into the Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara at to the account of the official liquidator of the company, the whole or any part of the several sums of money set opposite to their respective names in the schedule hereunder written, as by the said order, respectively, directed.

2. I am enabled to depose to such non-payment, by reason of my having this day ascertained, by enquiry at the said Government Treasury (*or* at the said Court) that such payment (*or* payments) has (*or* have) not been made, and seen the certificate of payment in, numbered (*or* several certificates of payment in, the numbers whereof, respectively, are set forth in the sixth column of the said schedule, opposite the names of the said respective persons being certificates) furnished by me to the Treasury officer of the said Government Treasury (*or* nazir of the said Court at) for delivery to the said G. F. (*or* several persons, respectively) upon such payment (*or* payments being made still in the hands of the cashier) of the said Treasury (*or* nazir of the said Court). No notice (*or* notices) of such payment (*or* payments) having been made has (*or* have) been given to me by the said G. F. (*or* several persons respectively). Sworn (*or* solemnly affirmed), etc.

The schedule above referred to.

Name.	Address.	Description.	Amount.	Date of balance order.	Number of certificate.

No. 52.—*Request to invest cash in Government promissory notes.*

(RULE 71.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

To the Treasury Officer at Ajmer.

SIR,

It appearing that the sum of Rs. cash is standing to the credit of the account of the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, you are hereby requested to invest the sum of Rs. , part thereof, in the purchase of per cent. Government promissory loan notes in the name of R. P. H., of etc., the official liquidator of the said company, and to deposit such Government notes in the Government Treasury at Ajmer (*or* the branch thereof), or into the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, at , in the name and on behalf of the official liquidator. The said notes are not to be sold, transferred, or otherwise dealt with, except upon a direction for that purpose signed by the official liquidator of the said company, and countersigned by the Judge of the said Court.

Dated this day of 19 .

I am, SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

R. P. H., Official Liquidator.

G H

(Countersigned.)

No. 53.—*Request to the Court to sanction the investment of cash in Government promissory notes.*

(RULE 71.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

or To the Judge of the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, at

SIR,

It appearing that the sum of Rs. cash is standing in the said Court to the credit of the account of myself, the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, you are hereby requested to authorise me to invest the sum of Rs. part thereof in the purchase of per cent. Government promissory loan notes in my name as such official liquidator and to deposit such Government notes in the said Court in my name and on my behalf as such official liquidator. The said notes are not to be sold, transferred, or otherwise dealt with except upon a direction for that purpose signed by the official liquidator of the said company and countersigned by the Judge of the Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara.

Dated the day of 19 .

I am, SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

R. P. H., Official Liquidator.

No. 54.—*Notice (or advertisement) of meeting of creditors, or contributories.*

(RULE 73.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Notice is hereby given that the Court of the Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, has directed a meeting of the creditors (*or* contributories) of the abovenamed company to be summoned pursuant to the above Act, for the purpose of ascertaining their wishes as to (*state the object for which meeting called, unless notice is by advertisement in which case say*) certain matters relating to the winding-up of the said company, and that such meeting will be held on day the 19 , at o'clock in the noon at in the , at which time and place all the creditors (*or* contributories) of the said company are requested to attend. The said Court has appointed H T of etc., to act as Chairman of such meeting. Dated this day of 19 .

R. P. H., Official Liquidator.

NOTE.—If summoned otherwise than by direction of the Court, omit the words underlined.

No. 55.—*Memorandum of appointment of a person to act as Chairman at meeting of creditors or contributories.*

(RULE 74.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Mr. H. T. of etc., one of the creditors (*or* contributories) of the abovenamed company is appointed to act as Chairman of a meeting of the creditors (*or* contributories) of the said company, summoned by direction of the Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, pursuant to the above Act to be held on the day of 19 at o'clock in the noon, at and to report the result of such meeting to said Court.

The said meeting is summoned for the purpose of ascertaining the wishes of the creditors (*or* contributories) of the said company as to (*state the object for which meeting called*) and at such meeting the votes of the creditors *or* contributories may be given either personally or by proxy.

Dated this day of 19 .

No. 56.—*Appointment of proxy to vote at meeting of creditors or contributories.*

(RULE 75.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

I, W. S. of , in the being a creditor (*or* contributory) of the abovenamed company, hereby appoint of as my proxy to vote for me, and on my behalf at the meeting of the creditors (or contributories) of the said company, summoned by the official liquidator (at the direction of the Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, to be held on the day of , and at any adjournment thereof . As witness my hand this day of 19 .

Signed by the said W S in the presence of J M of etc. } W S

No. 57.—*Chairman's report of result of meeting of creditors or contributories.*

(RULES 73, 74, AND 75.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

I, H T, the person appointed by the Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara, to act as Chairman of a meeting of the creditors (*or* contributories) of the abovenamed company, summoned by advertisement (*or* notice) dated the day of 19 , and held on the day of 19 , at , do hereby report to the said Court the result of such meeting as follows:—

The said meeting was attended, either personally or by proxy, by creditors, to whom debts against the said company have been allowed, amounting in the whole to the value

of Rs. (*or* by contributories holding in the whole shares in the said company, and entitled respectively, by the regulations of the company, to the number of votes hereinafter mentioned).

The question submitted to the said meeting was whether the creditors (*or* contributories) of the said company approved of the proposal of the official liquidator of the said company, that, etc., (*as the case may be*), and wished that such proposal should be adopted and carried into effect.

The said meeting was unanimously of opinion that the said proposal should (or should not) be adopted and carried into effect, or the result of the voting upon such question was as follows:—

The undermentioned creditors (or contributories) voted in favour of the said proposal being adopted and carried into effect—

Name of creditor (or contributory).	Address.	Value of debt (or number of shares).	Number of votes conferred on each contributory by the regulations of the company.

The undermentioned creditors (or contributories) voted against the said proposal being adopted and carried into effect:—

Name of creditor (or contributory).	Address.	Value of debt (or number of shares).	Number of votes conferred on each contributory by the regulations of the company.

Dated this day of 19 .

(Signed) H T,
Chairman.

No. 58.—*Memorandum of sanction of Judge to accepting bill of exchange, etc.*

(RULE 76.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

The Judge has sanctioned the acceptance of this bill of exchange by the official liquidator on behalf of the said company.

(*Signature*).

No. 59.—*Memorandum of agreement of compromise with a contributory.*

RULE 77.

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Memorandum of agreement entered into this day of 19 , between R P H of etc., the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, of the one part, and S B of etc., one of the contributories of the said company, of the other part.

Whereas the said S B has been settled on the list of contributories of the said company as a contributory in respect of shares in the said company; and whereas by an order made by , dated the day of 19 , a call of Rs. per share was made on

all the contributories of the said company, and there is now due from the said S B to the said company the sum of Rs. in respect of the said call; and whereas the said S B has proposed to pay to the said official liquidator the sum of Rs. by way of compromise, and in satisfaction and discharge of the said sum of Rs. , and of all liability whatsoever, as a contributory of the said company; and whereas the said official liquidator, having investigated the affairs of the said S B, and believing that such compromise will be beneficial to the said company, hath, in exercise of the power for that purpose given to him by the above Act, agreed to accept the same, subject to the sanction of the Court, and to the conditions and agreements hereinafter contained :—

Now it is hereby agreed by and between the said parties hereto :

1. That the said official liquidator shall, before the day of next, apply to the Judge of the Court of Additional District Judge, Ajmer Merwara, to sanction this agreement of compromise.

2. That upon this agreement being sanctioned by the said Judge the said S B shall, within day next after such sanction, pay to the said official liquidator the said sum of Rs. , and when thereto required, shall do and execute all such acts and deeds as may be necessary for transferring or surrendering and releasing to the said official liquidator on behalf of the said company, or in such manner as the said Judge may direct, the said shares held by the said S B in the said company and all claim and demand whatsoever which the said S B has or may have against the said company in respect of the said shares, or the distribution of the assets of the said company, otherwise howsoever.

3. That the said sum of Rs. , and the transfer or surrender and release of the said shares and interest of the said S B as aforesaid shall be accepted by the said official liquidator as, and be deemed and taken to give to the said S B a full and complete discharge from all calls and liabilities, claims, and demands whatsoever, which the company or the official liquidator thereof now has or may hereafter have, or be entitled to against the said S B in respect of his being or having been the holder of the said shares, or otherwise, as a contributory of the said company.

4. That in case this agreement shall not be sanctioned by the said Judge it shall cease and determine and the said official liquidator and the said S B shall be remitted to their original rights with respect to each other, as if this agreement had not been entered into.

5. That in case this agreement shall be sanctioned by the said Judge, and the said S B shall not in all respects perform the same on his part, the official liquidator, shall be at liberty, with the sanction of the said Judge, and without notice to the said S B, to enforce the performance thereof, or, with the like sanction, to give notice to the said S B that he abandons this agreement, whereupon the same shall cease and determine, and the said official liquidator shall be entitled to proceed against the said S B to enforce payment of the said sum of Rs. or so much thereof as shall then remain due and owing unpaid, as if this agreement had not been entered into.

Witness to the signatures of the said R. P. H. and S. B. { R. P. H., Official Liquidator. S. B.

C D of etc.

No. 60.—*Memorandum of sanction of Judge to agreement of compromise.*

(RULE 77.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

The Judge has sanctioned this agreement of compromise.

(*Signature.*)

No. 61.—*Order or memorandum of the sanction of the Judge for certain acts to be done by official liquidator.*

(RULE 78.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

The Judge doth hereby sanction (*or* has sanctioned) the following proceedings being taken (*or* acts being done) by the official liquidator of the abovenamed company namely (*state the proceedings to be taken or acts to be done as*) the bringing or instituting and, prosecuting an action in the name and on behalf of the said company, against, or defending an action brought against the said company by K M of etc., to recover a debt or sum of Rs alleged to be due from (or to) the said K M, to (*or* from) the said company, etc.

No. 61 A.—*Appearance Book.*

(RULE 86.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Appearance Book.

Date when appearance entered.	Party's name.	Whether creditor or contributor.	If he appears in person, his address for service.	If he appears by a vakil, pleader or attorney, the name of his vakil, etc.	Address of vakil, pleader or attorney.	Amount of debt (or number of shares).

No. 62.—*Summons for persons to attend to be examined.*

(SEE SEC. 195 OF THE ACT.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

A. B. of, etc., and E. F. of, etc., are hereby severally summoned to attend at on the day of 19 , at of the clock in the noon, to be examined on the part of the said official liquidator (*or* of W. D. of, etc.) for the purpose of proceedings directed by the said Court to be taken before me in the above matter. And the said A. B. is hereby required to bring with him and produce at the time and place aforesaid, a certain indenture (*describe documents*), and all other books, papers, deeds, writings, and other documents in his custody or power in any wise relating to the abovenamed company.

Dated this day of 19 . This summons was taken out by Messrs. C. & D. of , vakils, pleaders or attorneys for the official liquidator (*or* for the said W. D.).

No. 63.—*Declaration of the company being completely wound up, and of the official liquidator having passed his final account.*

(RULE 89.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

I hereby declare that R. P. H., the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, has passed his final account as such official liquidator, and that the balance of Rs. hereby found to be due to (or from) the said official liquidator has been paid in the manner directed by the order dated the day of 19 , and that the affairs of the said company have been completely wound up. Dated this day of 19 .

A. B., Judge.

No. 64.—*Order to dissolve the company.*

(RULE 90.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

Upon the application of the official liquidator of the abovenamed company, and upon reading an order, dated the day of and the declaration of the Court, dated the day of , whereby it appears that the affairs of the said company have been completely wound up, and that the balance of Rs. due from (*or* to) the official liquidator has been paid in manner directed by the said order. It is ordered that the said company be dissolved as from this day of 19 , and that the recognizance, dated the day of 19 , entered into by the said official liquidator, together with W. B. and S. P., his sureties, be vacated.

A. B.,
Additional District Judge, Ajmer-Merwara.

The Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

Take notice that by a resolution passed in general meeting of the abovenamed company on day the day of 19 , in the matter of the voluntary winding up of the said Company, I, the undersigned was appointed liquidator of the said company.

Dated this day of 19 .

(*Signature.*)

(*Address.*)

No. 66.—*Liquidator's statement of account.*

(RULE 93.)

[*For general heading, see rule* 1.]

REALISATIONS.				DISBURSEMENTS.			
Date.	Of whom received.	Nature of assets realised.	Amount.	Date.	To whom paid.	Nature of disbursements.	Amount.
		Brought forward	Rs. A. P.			Brought forward	Rs. A. P
Carried forward .				Carried forward .			

Note—No balance should be shown on this account, but only the total realisations and disbursements, which should be carried forward to the next account.

Analysis of balance.

	Rs. A. P.
Total realisations	
„ disbursements	
Balance .	

The balance is made up as follows :—

	Rs. A. P.	
1. Cash in hands of liquidator		
2. Total payments into bank, including balance at date of commencement of winding-up (as per bank book)		
Total withdrawals from bank .		
Balance at bank .		
3. Amount in company's liquidation account . .		

	Rs. A. P.	
4. Amounts invested by liquidator		
Less—Amount realised from same . . .		
Balance .		
Total balance as shown above Rs. .		

[*Note.*—Full details of stocks purchased for investment and of realisation thereof should be given in a separate statement.]

Note.—The liquidator should also state—

(1) The amount of the estimated assets and liabilities at the date of the commencement of the winding-up.	Assets (after deducting amounts charged to secured creditors and debenture-holders) Rs. Liabilities. Secured creditors . „ Debenture-holders . „ Unsecured creditors . „
(2) The total amount of the capital paid up at the date of the commencement of the winding-up.	Paid up in cash . . . . Rs. Issued as paid up otherwise than for cash . . . . . . „
(3) The general description and estimated value of outstanding assets (if any).	
(4) The causes which delay the termination of the winding-up.	
(5) The period within which the winding-up may probably be completed.	

No. 67.—*Affidavit verifying statement of liquidator's account.*

(RULE 93.)

[*For general heading, see rule I.*]

I, of , the liquidator of the above-named company, make oath and say as follows :—

1. That *the account hereunto annexed and marked contains a full and true account of my receipts and payments in the winding-up of the abovenamed company,* from the day of 19 , to the day of 19 , inclusive, *and that* I have not, nor has any other person by my order or for my use during such period, received or paid any moneys on account of the said company, *other than and except the items mentioned and specified in the said account.*

2. I further say that the particulars given in the annexed Form 66, marked with respect to the proceedings in and position of the liquidation, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sworn at this day of 19 .

Before me.

Note.—If no receipts or payments, strike out the words in italics.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

Fees and charges to be allowed to vakils, pleaders or attorneys.

(RULE 97.)

	Rs.
For attending any summons or other application	10
Or where from the length of the attendance or the difficulty of the case the Judge shall think this fee an insufficient remuneration for services performed, such fee as the Judge may allow to the vakils, pleaders or attorneys by a memorandum in writing expressly made for that purpose and signed by the Judge specifying distinctly the ground of such allowance	...
For notice and services where the service may be effected as provided by rules . . .	1

For other duties performed, such of the fees authorised by the rules and regulations of the High Court of Ajmer-Merwara as to vakil's, pleader's or attorney's fees as are applicable.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 1st May 1917.

No. 1036-*B*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 20 of the Vaccination Act, 1880 (XIII of 1880) as applied to the Cantonments of Mhow, Neemuch and Nowgong, the Agent to the Governor-General is pleased to direct that the vaccination season of 1916-17 in the Cantonment of Neemuch shall extend to the 31st May 1917.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 26th April 1917.

No. 3292-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 21st April 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	Delhi . .	225,471	90	82	172	71	80	151	...	1	...	58	7	56	2	27	...	27	28	55	39·67	34·82
	Notified Area	3,673	1	1	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·31	28·31
	Total .	229,144	91	83	174	73	80	153	...	1	...	60	7	56	2	27	...	27	28	55	39·48	34·72

The 27th April 1917.

No. 3297-*Home*.—In anticipation of his services being placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Assistant Surgeon Abdul Aziz Faruqi assumed charge of the Balak Ram Hospital, Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of the 22nd April 1917.

No. 3310-*Education*.—Whereas the Municipal Committee of Delhi has applied to the Local Government under the provisions of Section 58 of Act 3 of 1911 (Punjab Municipal Act), and whereas it appears to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi Province, that the land is required for a public purpose, namely, for construction of drains at Mohalla Pathar Phoran in Paharganj, it is hereby declared that the undermentioned land is required for the said purpose.

The declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act I of 1894 and under Section 7 of the said Act, the Collector of Delhi is hereby directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

SPECIFICATION OF LAND.

District.	Tahsil.	Mauzah.	Area in Square Yards.	Boundaries.	Place where the plan may be inspected.
Delhi .	Delhi .	Delhi .	16·50	*North.*—Mohalla Pathar Phoran .	Deputy Commissioner's Office, Delhi.
				South.— Ditto .	
				East.— Ditto .	
				West.—House No. 2871 of Mohammad Ismail.	
			10·00	*North.*—Mohalla Pathar Phoran .	
				South.— Ditto .	
				East.— Ditto .	
				West.—House No. 2833 of Abdul Rahim.	

Delhi, the 30th April 1917.

No. 3348-*Education*.—In accordance with the provisions of section 242 (1), clause (*d*) and (*e*) of the Punjab Municipal Act, III of 1911, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to re-appoint the following persons members of the Notified Area Committees of Mehrauli and Najafgarh in the Delhi Province for a period of two years from the date of this Notification.

Mehrauli.

Tehsildar, Delhi, Chairman.
Sub-Assistant Surgeon for the time being.
1. L. Bansi Lal.
2. Qazi Mohammad Hussain.

Najafgarh.

R. B. Ch. Rughnath Singh, Chairman.
Sub-Assistant Surgeon for the time being.
1. L. Bishen Singh.
2. M. Ata Mohammad Khan.

The 2nd May 1917.

No. 3452-*Education*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 242 (1) (*f*) of the Punjab Municipal Act, III of 1911, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to extend the provisions of section 114 of the said Act to the Notified Areas of Shahdara and Mehrauli in the Delhi Province in addition to the sections extended by Notifications Nos. 320 and 571-Education, dated the 13th January and 22nd January 1917, respectively.

ERRATUM.

In Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 8087-Home, dated the 5th December 1916, publishing the list of public holidays in the Delhi Province during the year 1917 under section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, for the date and day of the Diwali holiday in columns 2 and 3, *substitute* 14th November and Wednesday respectively.

By order,

D. JOHNSTONE,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE.

Delhi, the 27th April 1917.

No. 462-*E*.—Mr. H. T. Keeling, C.S.I., Chief Engineer, Delhi Province, is granted privilege leave for one month under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st May 1917, or such subsequent date as he is relieved of his duties.

TRANSFER.

Delhi, the 30th April 1917.

No. 466-*E*.—Mr. H. W. Long, Temporary Engineer, is transferred from the I Project Division, which he left on the forenoon of the 1st April 1917, to the IV Project Division, 2nd Circle, which he joined at the same time.

H. T. KEELING,
Secretary, P. W. D., Delhi.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, REVENUE DEPARTMENT.
Land Acquisition Branch.

NOTIFICATION.

Darjeeling, the 27th April 1917.

No. 254-*T. R*.—The agreement made on the 9th day of September 1914 between the Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Limited, and the Taki Rural Co-operative Credit Bank on the one side and the Secretary of State for India in Council on the other side in connection with the acquisition of land for the construction of an office building for their use in the village of Taki, District 24-Parganas, which was published with Notification No. 9289-L. A., dated the 18th September 1914, on pages 1560—1562, Part I, of the Gazette of India of the 26th September 1914, is hereby cancelled.

L. BIRLEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 1st May 1917.

No. 464-*G*.—Major G. H. Morgan, I.A., Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class, and Military Accountant, 4th class, sub. *pro tem.* is appointed to officiate as Military Accountant, 3rd class, with effect from the 1st October 1916.

No. 465-*G*.—Captain J. F. Allen, Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class, will draw full acting allowance as Officiating Military Accountant, 4th class, from the 1st October 1916, instead of the difference between pay as Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class, and pay and acting allowance as Assistant Military Accountant, 2nd class, and Officiating Military Accountant, 4th class, which he has been drawing under clause 14 of Notification No. 3793-G., dated the 7th September 1915.

No. 466-*G*.—Mr. C. Rozier, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, Military Accounts Department, is granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 7th March 1917.

No. 467-*G*.—Mr. S. J. Samson, Accountant, 1st grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 5th (Mhow) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 21st April 1917, *vice* Mr. C. Rozier, granted privilege leave.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant-General.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 30th April 1917.

No. 24.—Mr. Abinash Chandra Bose, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for one month, in extension of that granted him in Notification No. 23, dated the 18th April 1917, under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

C. H. D. RYDER, LT.-COL., R.E.,
Offg. Superintendent, Map Publication.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 1st May 1917.

No. 764—The following promotions are made with effect from the 30th April 1917 *vice* Mr. A. Ewing, Deputy Superintendent retired.

Mr. J. Smith, Deputy Superintendent on Rs 650 per mensem to be Deputy Superintendent on Rs. 800 per mensem.

Mr. O. C. Ollenbach, Officiating Deputy Superintendent to be confirmed as Deputy Superintendent *vice* Mr. J. Smith promoted.

No. 765.—Mr. H. H. B. Hanby, Extra Assistant Superintendent, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, with effect from the 30th April 1917 *vice* Mr. Syed Aulad Hossein, K.B., Deputy Superintendent on leave.

S. G. BURRARD, Colonel, R.E.,
Surveyor General of India.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 25th April 1917.

No. 8.—4th class Assistant Surgeon F. H. Johnson, I.S.M.D., is re-appointed House Surgeon, Walker Hospital, Simla, with effect from the 1st April 1917.

R. A. NEEDHAM, Major, I.M.S.,
for Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 21st February 1917.

No. 248.—With reference to the orders contained in letter No. 681 G. D., dated the 16th February 1917, of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, regarding the general, working and administration of the Salt Mines in the Cis-Indus and Kalabagh Mines Division, the following arrangements are ordered with effect from the 27th February 1917:—

Mr. F. D. Reid, Assistant Commissioner, is appointed temporarily as General Manager of the Salt Mines in the Cis-Indus and Kalabagh Mines Division.

Mr. E. D. Wilson, Superintendent, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Commissioner of the Cis-Indus and Kalabagh Mines Division until further orders.

Mr. E. St. C. L. Chopin, Superintendent, is appointed to hold charge of the Warthganj Depôt at Khewra in the Cis-Indus and Kalabagh Mines Division with a Duty Allowance of Rs. 100 a month.

The 30th March 1917.

No. 284.—Mr. Sujan Singh Gyani, Assistant Superintendent, Nurpur Circle, Cis-Indus and Kalabagh Mines Division, is granted leave on Medical Certificate for 3 months and 18 days in continuation of, and in combination with, the privilege leave already sanctioned.

The 4th April 1917.

No. 290.—Mr. Bijay Krishna De, Probationary Assistant Superintendent, is appointed an Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, sub *pro. tem.* from the 22nd to the 25th June 1916, both dates inclusive, in the succession caused by the resignation of Mr. A. English, Superintendent.

No. 291.—Mr. Bijay Krishna De, Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, is appointed as an Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, sub *pro. tem.* from the 26th June 1916, to the 28th September 1916, both dates inclusive, in the succession due to Mr. A. V. Nash, Superintendent having been seconded for military duty.

J. F. CONNOLLY,

Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given under Section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act VI of 1878 that about 3 years ago one Tavva Subbamma of Dharmarow Cheruvupalli of Atmakur Taluk found 6 gold coins tied in a piece of cloth while scraping grass in the fields and failed to report the matter to the authorities, that she made a pair of earrings for her son through goldsmith Pongur Narasayya and gave so me more coins for preparing a pair of kammalu. She admits the above facts. The following articles made out of the gold found have been secured in the Atmakur Sub-Treasury.

Details of the articles made out of the find.	Weight.	Approximate value.
(1) Ear rings	0-4-0 and 4 guriginjas.	5-8-0
(2) Bar of gold	0-10-0 and 4 guriginjas.	12-8-0
		18-0-0

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any portion thereof are requested to appear in person or by a duly authorized agent before the Collector of Nellore at his office in Nellore on the 5th November 1917 in order that their claims may be enquired into and disposed of according to Law.

C. A. SOUTER,

Collector.

OFFICE OF COLLECTOR OF NELLORE,
The 19th April 1917.

REPORT OF DESERTION.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from No. 4 Company, 1st Manchesters, dated at Bombay, this 29th day of April 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—No. 1123, Private, V. McNicholls.
Age—29 years.
Height—5 feet 8 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, sallow; hair, dark; eyes, ?
Trade—?
Date of Enlistment—?
Place of Enlistment—?
Parish and County in which born—?
Date of Desertion or absence—7-15 P. M., 28th April 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Block 2, Alexandra War Hospital, Bombay.
Marks—Moustache, small dark.
Uniform :—Khaki Drill.
Under 7 years 6 months' service.

F. B. MACASKIE, Captain, R. A. M. C.,

Registrar, Alexandra War Hospital.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

NOTICES.

Text-books, etc., for sale.

List of text-books, etc., prescribed for the examination (other than departmental) of Civil and Military officers in oriental languages (Urdu, Persian, Arabic, Hindi, Sanskrit, Assamese, Bengali and Uriya), together with annual collections of Specimens of Examination Papers, obtainable from the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, can be had from the Secretary, Board of Examiners, Calcutta.

Persian and Arabic Instructors.

Two fully qualified instructors, natives of Persia and Arabia, respectively, are maintained by the Government of India, for the convenience of officers wishing to study Persian and Arabic. The services of these instructors may be obtained in Calcutta, on application to the Secretary, Board of Examiners.

The instructors shall be stationed at Simla during the ensuing hot weather from the end of April to the end of October to give instruction to candidates on study leave there. Their services can be engaged on application to the Board of Examiners, Calcutta.

Qualified Urdu Teachers.

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M. Shaikh Mohammad Ismail	South Malaka, Allahabad.
M. Syed Mazhar-ul Husain	253A, Mohtashim Ganj, Allahabad.

AMBALA.

M. Mohd. Miyan Khan	Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
M. Mohd. Akbar Khan	The Oriental Lodge, Ambala.
M. Anand Sarup	Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment (winter only).
M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh, Gyani, Munshi Fazil	Regimental Munshi, 1/9th Middlesex Regiment, Ambala.

BANNU.

M. Mul Chand Khurana	Mission Clerk, Bannu.

BAREILLY.

M. Mohd. Arif	Camp Bareilly.
M. Rashid Ahmad Khan	Old City, Sailani, Bareilly.

CALCUTTA.

M. Roza Ali Wahshat, M.R.A.S.	2/1/2, Tiljala, 1st Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Badru-z-Zaman	212/1, Linton Street, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Badi	5, Ramsanker Roy Lane, Calcutta.
M. A. M. F. Wahhab	Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, 34, Collin Street, Calcutta.
M. Habibun Nabi Khan Saulat	5, Mehar Ali Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Akmal Ali Akmal	25, Nur Ali's Lane, P. O. Entally, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Karim Nashtar	1, Jhowtollah Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Gholam Kibriya Ibrat	17/1, Noorallah Doctor's Lane, Balligunge Road, Calcutta.
M. Badruddin Ahmed, B.A.	8, Elliot Lane, Calcutta.
M. Hossain Mirza	1, Syed Ismail Lane, or 4-1, Collin Lane, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Israil Khan	11, Goristan Lane, Calcutta.
M. Syed Nawab Ali	11, Colootola Street, Calcutta.
M. Wahidun Nabi Khan	88/1, Baitak Khana Road.
M. Mohd. Abdul Hamid	36, Indian Mirror Street, Calcutta.
M. Daliluddin Ahmed	37, Karaya Bazar Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Wajid	106, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
M. A. M. Ubaidur Rashid, B.A.	4, Korabardar Lane, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Muslim	12, Damzen's Lane, Chinapara, Calcutta.
M Nisar Ahmad Khan	26/A, Noor Ally Lane, Entally, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Habib Khan	41, Gora Chand Road, Entally, P. O. Calcutta.
M. Mahmud Hasan Israili	11, Cantopher Lane, Entally.
M. Azherus Sadain	138/1, Karaya Road.

CAWNPORE.

M. S. Abdul Ghani	Regimental Munshi, Garrison Battalion, Royal Irish Rifles.
M. Syed Aulad Husain	Second Master, 41/170, Ahta Kamal Khan, Halsey Road, Cawnpore.

DELHI.

M. Mohd. Akbar Khan, Haidari . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1/4th Wiltshire Regiment, Delhi.
M. Aziz-ur-Rahman (of Delhi) . . . . Regimental Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.

DUM DUM.

M. Syed Hadi Hussain . . . . Regimental Munshi.

FEROZEPORE.

M. Suraj Narain, B.A. . . . . Kabari Bazar, Ferozepore.
M. Harnam Das . . . . Headmaster, Hindu Girl School, Ferozepore City.

HAPUR.

M. S. Khursad Ali . . . . Mohalla Kaziwara, Hapur, District Meerut.

JHELUM.

M. Thakur Das Pahwa . . . . Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

JULLUNDUR.

M. Karam Chand . . . . C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Suddar Bazaar, Jullundur Cantonment.

KARACHI.

M. Mukhtar Ahmad . . . . Bori Bazar Camp, Karachi.
M. Anandram Thadamal . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Norfolk Regiment, Garrikhata, Karachi.

KASAULI.

M. Anand Sarup . . . . Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

KOLHAPUR.

Pt. Vasudeo Damodar Kulkarni . . . . . 112, Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

KULTI.

M. S. M. Shahabuddin . . . . Kulti, E. I. Railway.

LAHORE.

M. Sham Lal Bhargava . . . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.
M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani . . . . . Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
M. Mohd. Khalil-ur-Rahman, Sabri . . . . Mohalla Sammian, Chhawni Manawala, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
M. Mool Chand Saihgal . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1/5th Devonshire Regiment, Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.

LEBONG.

M. Farhat Ali Suhail . . . . Hill Sanitarium, Lebong.

LUCKNOW.

M. Abdul Alim . . . . Near the Police Post, Hussaingunge, Lucknow.
M. Mohd. Yaqub Khan (Munshi Fazil) . . . Near Royal Hotel, Lucknow.
M. Abdul Karim . . . . C/o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Lucknow.

MEERUT.

M. Chhote Lal . . . . B. T. Bazar, Meerut Cantonment.
M. Jawala Parshad, II . . . . Regimental Munshi, 12th R. H. A. Brigade, Meerut Cantonment.
M. Jamaluddin . . . . British Cavalry Bazaar, Cross Street, Meerut.

MOZUFFERPORE.

M. Mohd. Shuaib . . . . Arabic Teacher, Zilla School, Mozufferpore.

MURREE HILLS.

M. S. C. Bagchi . . . . Munshi, Lawrence Government European School, Ghoragali, P. O. Murree Hills.

MUSSOORIE.

M. H. Ahmad Fakhriey . . . . Islamia School, Mussoorie.

NAINI TAL.

M. Faqir Ulla . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

M. Muhammad Din . . . . Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).

PATNA.

M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

M. Ahmed Din . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
M. Abdur Rahim . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Ahmed Bux . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. S. Karim Bukhsh . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Mohd. Ishaq . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Mohamed Sarwar . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
Pt. Sita Ram Mehta . . . . Hindustani Instructor, Cadet College.
Pt. Hirday Narayan . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Syed Inam Ali . . . . Mission Road, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

M. Ghulam Muhiuddin . . . . R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
M. Ghulam Rasul . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . . . C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

M. Fazl-i-Haq . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

Qualified Bengali Teachers.

MURSHIDABAD.

Babu Suresh Chandra Chatterjee . . . . . Krishnapur, Lalgola, P. O., District Murshidabad.

N.B.—Whenever any teacher changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

CALCUTTA,
The 16th April 1917.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
5. Tracers.
6. Men trained in—
   (*a*) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
   (*b*) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

W. G. WOOD, C.S.I.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID AND QUINOIDINE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and $3\frac{1}{4}$ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. P. system,* AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1917 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	₨
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	29 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	30 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	₨
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	₨
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	₨
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., $\frac{1}{4}$-lb., $\frac{1}{2}$-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in $\frac{1}{4}$-lb., $\frac{1}{2}$-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in $\frac{1}{4}$-lb., $\frac{1}{2}$-lb. and 1 lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tin.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For $\frac{1}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0	10	0
,, ,, 2 ,,	,, 6 ,,	,,	Re.	1	0	0
,, ,, 3 ,,	,, 9 ,,	,,	Re.	1	8	0

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 2nd May 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 30th April 1917.

	Total amount of notes in circulation.			Reserve. Coin and Bullion. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		Securities (purchase price).		Total.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	Total.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
Calcutta	38 09,370	30,65,63,895	31,03,72,265	3,82,07,571	1,63,51,800	59,51,544	5,17,50,000	33,89,121	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 40,78,62,400	62,85,12,382
Cawnpore	...	1,17,80,205	1,17,80,205	98,62,144	94,25,017	..	.	.		...	.	..	1,87,87,161
Lahore	...	6,69,28,120	6,69,28,120	1,81,61,795	1,88,64,285	...	.	..	...			.	3,70,26 080
Bombay	3 36,375	24,77,60,130	24 80,96,505	3,48,94,603	4,39,10,430	76,61,480	...	..	...	...	..	...	9,14,66,513
Karachi	...	3,04,61,425	3,04,61,425	46,00,678	36,75,495	...	..	...	...	.	...	...	83,76,373
Madras	23,13,495	9,44,06,490	9,67,19,985	1,62,57,420	1,17,69,630	...	.	...	.	...	.	..	3,80,27,050
Rangoon	...	6,28,76,290	6,28,76,290	1,67,89,281	48,74,955	.	..		...		.	...	2,16,64,236
	64,59,240	82,07,75,555	82 72,34 795	13,82,73,692	11,88 71,612	1,36,13,024	5,17,50,000	33,89,121	..	..	9,99,99,946	40,78,62,400	82,87,59,795
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			*Nil*	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									15,25,000
Total Circulation R			82,72,34 795	Total Reserve R									82,72,34,795

Remarks.

(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500.
(b) Nominal value—R42,36,81,571.
(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Section 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Ordinance No. 11 of 1917, at a cost of R32,28,62,400.

Gold worth £62,000 (R9,30,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 30th April 1917.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 30th April 1917 to 30 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Controller of Currency.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 1st May 1917.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities . .	6,61,80,977	12	0
Reserve Fund Rs. 2,13,00,000 A. 0 P. 0				Other authorized Investments .	1,24,25,640	0	0
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* . 63,00,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .	6,54,09,223	9	9
				Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	4,29,40,531	1	6
				Bills discounted and purchased	2,95,69,295	9	8
				Balances with other Banks .	47,83,959	7	10
				Bullion	......		
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	63,00,000	0	0	Dead Stock	29,31,429	9	1
				Stamps	11,775	1	0
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 5,88,83,826 A. 15 P. 3; Public Deposits at Branches 2,15,03,009 13 3	8,03,86,836	12	6	Sundries	3,92,920	9	0
					22,46,45,652	11	10
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	21,76,05,571	7	2	Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 7,73,99,601 A. 12 P. 8; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† 4,12,25,156 14 5	11,86,24,758	11	1
Bank Post Bills, etc. . .	16,15,879	7	6				
Sundries	23,62,123	11	9				
RUPEES .	34,32,70,411	6	11	RUPEES .	34,32,70,411	6	11

		Rs.	A.	P.
* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value	Rs.	3,51,112	8	0
† Do. do. do.	,,	5,18,302	8	0
	Rs.	8,69,415	0	0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 3rd May 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 39·28

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Calcutta, the 18th April 1917.

SUPPLY OF W. I. PLATES.

Quotations are invited for the following W. I. plates f. o. r. Madras :—

500—1′ 4″ × 2′ 4″ × ½″
500—1′ 9″ × 2′ 1″ × ½″

Quotations are invited for the following W. I. plates f. o. r. Bombay :—

500—1′ 4″ × 2′ 4″ × ½″
500—1′ 9″ × 2′ 1″ × ½″

By order,
T. A. WHITE,
Controller of Stores.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 3 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th April 1917.

In the matter of Mirza Mahomed Taki Bindahnee, No. 21, Kyaunggyi Street, Kemmendine, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjuding the said Mirza Mahomed Taki Bindahnee, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 23rd day of April 1917.

CASE No. 4 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th April 1917.

In the matter of Gulam Subban, Tailor Maistry, of No. 18, 31st Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Gulam Subban, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 23rd day of April 1917.

CASE No. 15 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th April 1917.

In the matter of Nesar Ahmed, of Adamson Street, Bottarung, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that this order of the Court adjudging the said Nesar Ahmed, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 24th day of April 1917.

CASE No. 71 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 24th April 1917.

In the matter of K. Pulliah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by K. Pulliah, Clerk, No. 6, Adamson Street, Rangoon, on the 23rd day of April 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said K. Pulliah.

CASE No. 72 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th April 1917.

In the matter of Lazarus Peters, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Lazarus Peters, Clerk of No. 7, Hume Road, Rangoon, on the 24th day of April 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Lazarus Peters.

CASE No. 73 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th April 1917.

In the matter of Maung So Pe, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung So Pe, Clerk of No. 50, Crisps Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of April 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung So Pe.

J. HORMASJI,
Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
206—1917	Husein Dhunji Khoja	Mahomedan	Dongri	Trading as Fuel Merchant in the name of Husein Dhunji.	24th	April	1917	24th	April	1917
207—1917	Francis Edward Cornwell	European	Crescent House, Apollo Bunder.	Assistant Manager, Bombay Port Trust	„	„	„	„	„	„
208—1917	Deepchand Tekchand Multani	Hindu	Barbhai Molla	Servant in the employ of Ramji Ludha	„	„	„	25th	„	„
209—1917	Chaterbhuj Veerji Thucker	„	Null Bazar	Lately dealer in cloth and now unemployed	„	„	„	„	„	„
210—1917	Gangaram Ramji Dewlekar	„	No. 109-111, 1st Marine Street.	Painter in the G. I. P. Railway at Matunga Workshop.	25th	„	„	„	„	„
211—1917	Purshotum Morar Surti	„	Lower Parel	Fitter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company	26th	„	„	26th	„	„
212—1917	Girdhar Mohan Barot	„	Parsi Gully	Lately doing business in partnership with Kantilal Sakerlal as dealer in cloth in the name of Kantilal Sakerlal and now unemployed.	27th	„	„	27th	„	„
214—1917	Byramshaw Manekshaw Sukhadwala.	Parsee	No. 225, Chira Bazar	Lately speculator of Jota and also servant in the employ of Manekshaw Hormusji and now unemployed.	„	„	„	„	„	„
215—1917	Ramchander Ganshett Agaste	Hindu	Mugbhat Cross Lane	Servant in the employ of Bhagirathibai, widow of Laxumon, dealer in bidis and betel leaves, etc.	„	„	„	„	„	„

216—1917	Lewis D'Silva	Anglo-Indian	Purbhadevi Road	Guard in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Coy.	"		"	"	"	"
213—1917	Vasudeo Krishnarao Kothare	Hindu	No. 30, Khatarali	Vakil of the High Court, Bombay	"	"	"	30th	"	"
217—1917	Peraj Rowji *alias* Ludoo Rowji Thucker.	"	Kalbadevi Road	Lately servant in the employ of Mawji Rowji and now unemployed.	30th	"	"	"	"	"
219—1917	Peroshaw Edulji Mistry	Parsi	Lower Parel	Shunter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway at Parel (Running Shed).	"	"	"	"	"	"
218—1917	Balkrishna Ramji Soorvey	Hindu	Babula Tank Road	Dealer in tobacco	"	"	"	"	"	"
220—1917	Hariram Shriram Vora	"	Anant Rooshi's Oart, Bhuleshwar.	Lately broker and speculator in Government paper and silver, and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
221—1917	Chagan Mitha Khoja	Mahomedan	Umerkhadi	Lately dealer in kerosene oil and now servant in the employ of Esmail Juma.	"	"	"	"	"	"
222—1917	Haji Mahomed *alias* Haji Miya Hasan Miya Bangi.	"	Temkar Molla	Fitter in the service of Messrs. Richardson and Cruddas.	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,
Bombay, this 30th day of April 1917.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 26 OF 1915.

Dated the 30th April 1917.

Re Azmat Ali.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 6th day of February 1917, the order of adjudication made herein on the 15th day of January 1915, was annulled.

No. 95 OF 1915.

Dated the 2nd May 1917.

Re George Maconochie and Cecilia Jane Maconochie.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 6th day of March 1917, the order of adjudication made herein on the 7th day of April 1915, was annulled.

Summary Case.

No. 16 OF 1916.

Dated the 1st May 1917.

Re Joy Narain Sureka and Baboo Lall Sureka.

Ex parte the debtors.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtors having applied for their discharge, the Court has fixed the 5th day of June 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 51 OF 1917.

Dated the 27th April 1917.

Re Jnanendra Nath Chatterjee, residing at No. 72, Manicktolla Street, in the town of Calcutta, having no occupation.

Ex parte the debtor.—B. N. Basu & Co., Attorneys for the Insolvent.

On the 17th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 58 OF 1917.

Dated the 26th April 1917.

Re Jogendra Nath Mitter, residing at No. 51-1, Issur Mills' Lane, in the town of Calcutta, practising as a pleader in the District Judge's Court.

Ex parte the debtor. Brajo Lal Mukerjee—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 23rd day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 61 OF 1917.

Dated the 27th April 1917.

Re George Allan Counter, residing at No. 57, Free School Street, in the town of Calcutta, employed as an Assistant to a Turf Accountant, Calcutta.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 25th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 62 OF 1917.

Dated the 27th April 1917.

Re Mrs. Maud Caunter, residing at No. 57, Free School Street, in the town of Calcutta, and carrying on a business as a Dressmaker in Calcutta aforesaid.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 25th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 64 OF 1917.

Dated the 2nd May 1917.

Re Radha Kissen Jhawar, residing at No. 168, Cotton Street, in the town of Calcutta, a piece-goods broker.

Ex parte the debtor—Nalin Chandra Gupta, Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 27th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 65 OF 1917.

Dated the 2nd May 1917.

Re Achamba Lall, residing at No. 11, Maniktolla Street, in the town of Calcutta, a hawker of brass and metal goods.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 28th day of April 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the above named as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE COURT OF THE JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, AJMER.

No. 2 OF 1917.

Mohamed Hanif, son of Khuda Boxsh, Musalman, of Ajmer, . Applicant, Insolvent,

against

	Debt. Rs.	A.	P.
1. Chetormal, son of Danwal, Mohajan of Ajmer . .	375	0	0
2. Elahi Boxsh, son of Miran Boxsh	120	0	0
3. Chunnilal, son of Raghnath, tailor of Ajmer . .	75	0	0
	570	0	0

Whereas the applicant has filed an application under Section 11 of Act III of 1907 and the application will be heard on 29th May 1917 at 10 A.M. The creditors are hereby informed that they either must appear personally or through an authorised agent before the Court to contest the application. In default the application will be heard *ex parte*.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court this 11th April 1917.

No. 4 OF 1917.

Gheesalal, son of Bansilal and Kishenlal, son of Gheesalal, Aggerwala of Ajmer . . . . Insolvent,

Against

		Debt.		
		Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Bansilal, son of Pukh Raj, Mahajan of Bombay . .	5,492	9	3
2.	Kaloo Ram, son of Rampershad, Mahajan Darwan of Bombay	475	0	0
3.	Seth Khojeshta, Zakarya Musjid, Bombay, Owner of shop Khojeshta Chandumal	1,800	0	0
4.	Tilok Chand Dilsukh Rai Sarya, Marwari Bazar, Bombay	600	0	0
5.	Mulchand Jetaji, Mahajan, Dagatya Bazar, Bombadevi, Bombay	270	0	0
6.	Sheo Narain Lal Chand, Mahajan, Ajmer . . .	250	0	0
7.	Seth Birdhichand of Ghositi, Ajmer	250	0	0
8.	Chetaimal, Aggerwala of Ajmer	350	0	0
9.	Phulchand, son of Hari Dass, Bhakariwala, Nayabazar, Ajmer	240	0	0
10.	Jey Narain, son of Phulchand, Ice Factory, Ajmer .	137	0	0
11.	B. Lachmi Narain, Engineer's Office, Ajmer . .	137	0	0
12.	Mulchand Gulabchand, Mahajan, Nayabazar . .	40	0	0
		9,981	9	3

Whereas the applicant has filed an application under Section 11 of Act III of 1907 and the application will be heard on 1st June 1917 at 10 A.M. in this Court. The Creditors are hereby informed that they either personally or through an authorised Agent must appear before the Court to contest the application. In default the application will be heard *ex parte*.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court this 11th day of April 1917.

S. ABDUL WAHID KHAN,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Ajmer.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 24th April 1917.

No. 883s-*Ap*.—Mr. Salam-ul Haqq, Superintendent of post offices, 2nd grade, is granted privilege leave for 2 months and 25 days with effect from the 12th April 1917.

Mr. Bir Bar, Clerk, Office of the Postmaster-General, Punjab and North-West Frontier, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. Salam-ul Haqq, or until further orders.

2. This supersedes this office Notification No. 528s-Ap., dated the 19th March 1917.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 24th April 1917.

No. 245s-*E-E*.—Mr. R. J. Comber, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, has been granted privilege leave for one month and thirteen days combined with medical leave for four months and eighteen days with effect from the 14th October 1908.

This cancels this office Notification No. 78, dated 22nd October 1908.

W. MAXWELL,
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POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
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NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 1st May 1917.

No. 2514-*T*.—Mr. S. C. Mitra, Assistant Postmaster-General, Telegraph Traffic, Bengal and Assam Circle, is placed on deputation with the East Indian Railway Company for one month with effect from the 24th April 1917.

The 2nd May 1917.

No. 2549-*T*.—Mr. A. Brokenshaw and Mr. L. L. Rau revert to the second division of the superior Traffic Branch with effect from the 1st April 1917 and the 15th April 1917, respectively.

Mr. A. C. Board continues temporarily in the first division of the superior Traffic Branch until further orders.

No. 2553-*T*.—Mr. A. Brokenshaw, Assistant Postmaster-General, Telegraph Traffic, United Provinces Circle, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the 1st May 1917.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 2nd May 1917.

No. 2571-*T*.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 26th April to 2nd May 1917.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Government Telegraph Offices.		
Meerut Artillery Lines	United Provinces	14th April 1917	Closed.
Nowshera Camp	Punjab	18th " "	Opened.
Purandhar	Bombay	20th March 1917	"
Vadgaon (Poona)	Do.	9th April 1917	"
	Railway Telegraph Office.		
Kilokri	Great Indian Peninsula Railway.	1st March 1917	Closed.

The following alterations in the names of Railway Telegraph offices are notified :—

On the Bengal and North-Western Railway.

"Mahesh Khunt" instead of "Mohesh Khunt."

On the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway.

"Bhilawadi" instead of "Tasgaon Road."

W. SUTHERLAND,
Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 23RD TO 30TH APRIL 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Subsidiary Coinage for Ceylon Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Cents coined and paid over.	Closing balnce of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	14	11	...	25	75	...	75	3	(a) 22	6	11	42	...	...	15	...	...	...
Bombay	71	1	...	72	82	...	82	...	(b) 121	4	1	126	...	...	...	1	1	...

(a) Exclusive of 20 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(b) Exclusive of 82 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

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His Majesty's Mint;
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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL (FORTNIGHTLY) PRICES

Return showing the Wholesale and Retail Prices of Cereals, Pulses, Oilseeds, Sugar (Raw), Salt, etc., in India by Districts for the fortnight ending 31st March 1917

Department of Statistics, India }
May 1, 1917

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics.

Published by order of the Governor-General in Council

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending the 31st March, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916.

Province.	Rice (Common)		Wheat		Barley		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending 31st March of																			
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma	100	101	100	100	...	...	100	84	100	86	100	107	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	98
Assam	100	92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	108	100	93	100	104
Bengal	100	90	100	100	..	...	...	...	...	...	100	107	100	92	100	118	100	111	100	100
Bihar and Orissa	100	76	100	104	100	74	100	84	100	91	100	95	100	84	100	119	100	90	100	91
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	100	90	100	103	100	104	100	105	100	98	100	104	100	71	100	115	100	106	100	91
Delhi	100	85	100	111	100	106	100	100	100	93	100	99	100	75	100	112	100	105	100	106
Punjab	100	93	100	117	100	110	100	98	100	120	100	118	100	86	100	115	100	85	100	116
North-West Frontier Province	100	90	100	122	100	96	100	101	100	126	100	118	100	82	100	113	100	79	100	140
Sind and Baluchistan	100	89	100	112	100	106	100	98	100	112	100	110	100	78	100	115	100	93	...	...
Bombay	100	92	100	98	100	97	100	86	...	...	100	106	100	94	100	123	100	89	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	102	100	101	...	...	100	122	...	...	100	86	100	84	100	118	...	...	100	110
Madras	100	107	...	...	...	...	100	109	...	...	100	103	100	91	100	97	100	98	100	108
India	100	93	100	107	100	99	100	98	100	104	100	106	100	85	100	112	100	94	100	106

NOTE.—The rise in the prices of salt, maize, and wheat in the North-West Frontier Province, of ghee in the Bombay Presidency, and of jawar in the Central Provinces and Berar is noteworthy. The fall in the price of Arhar dál in the United Provinces, Delhi and Sind, of barley and rice in Bihar and Orissa, and of sugar, raw (gur) in the North-West Frontier Province is also noticeable.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 31st March, 1917, as compared with the previous fortnight.

Province	Rice (common)		Wheat		Barley		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending																			
	15th Mar. 1917	31st Mar 1917	15th Mar. 1917	31st Mar 1917	15th Mar. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Mar. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Mar. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Mar. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Mar. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Mar. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Mar 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Mar. 1917	31st Mar. 1917
Burma	100	101	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	99
Assam	100	103	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	102	100	97	100	97
Bengal	100	101	100	96	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	101	100	101	100	100	100	103	100	98
Bihar and Orissa	100	100	100	104	100	100	100	106	100	104	100	99	100	100	100	100	100	92	100	100
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	96	100	97	100	97	100	98	100	92	100	95	100	90	100	103	100	94	100	100
Delhi	100	100	100	97	100	96	100	100	100	93	100	93	100	88	100	100	100	104	100	96
Punjab	100	96	100	97	100	95	100	104	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	97
North-West Frontier Province.	100	93	100	98	100	98	100	104	100	108	100	99	100	96	100	110	100	97	100	102
Sind and Baluchistan.	100	96	100	96	100	98	100	101	100	100	100	95	100	92	100	98	100	107	...	...
Bombay	100	97	100	92	100	90	100	101	...	...	100	100	100	102	100	100	100	100	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	99	100	93	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	91	100	91	100	100	...	...	100	103
Madras	100	85	...	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	98	100	102	100	100
India	100	97	100	97	100	97	100	101	100	100	100	98	100	96	100	101	100	100	100	99

NOTE.—The rise in the price of ghee was greatest in the North-West Frontier Province. The fall in the price of rice in the Madras Presidency and of Ahar dál in Delhi is noteworthy.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 3.

WHOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82⅞ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at certain selected markets during the fortnight ending 31st March of the years 1915, 1916 and 1917.

Marts	Wheat			Rice (common)			Jawar (*Andropogon sorghum*)			Bajra (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)			Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		
	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	4 12 0	3 14 0	5 14 0	5 10 0	6 0 0	6 2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 0 0	4 8 0
Bombay	*5 8 1	*5 7 2	...	4 10 3	4 12 2	4 12 2	3 6 0	3 1 6	...	3 9 7	3 14 8	...	3 7 10	3 6 2	...
Karachi	4 10 0	4 2 0	4 12 0	5 2 0	5 0 6	5 0 0	2 14 6	3 3 0	2 14 0	2 13 0	3 11 0	3 9 6	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	5 13 3	5 4 10	5 8 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 4	4 5 9	5 0 3
Rangoon	4 8 1	...	5 4 8	2 15 5	3 3 9	2 11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 13 4	3 11 2	4 0 10
Dacca	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 9 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Patna	4 6 0	4 0 0	5 6 0	3 9 0	4 7 0	4 12 0	2 5 0	2 12 0	3 1 3	3 5 3	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 5 0	3 0 0	3 13 0
Ranchi	5 12 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	4 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 4 0	3 12 0	4 4 0
Cuttack	4 5 8	4 5 9	6 1 0	3 9 6	3 15 4	4 1 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11
Benares	4 5 0	4 2 10	5 8 10	4 8 8	5 2 11	5 8 3	2 12 3	2 12 7	3 5 0	2 14 0	3 0 11	3 10 8	2 13 9	2 11 0	4 2 9
Cawnpore	4 7 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	4 15 0	2 6 0	2 3 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	3 6 0	2 15 0	2 12 0	3 6 0
Meerut	4 5 0	3 12 9	6 2 6	5 12 6	5 11 0	5 8 3	2 13 9	2 8 0	3 3 3	2 12 3	...	3 6 6	3 2 3	2 13 9	3 14 6
Agra	4 13 6	4 7 1	6 6 4	6 4 0	6 6 4	6 2 5	2 5 7	2 6 8	3 2 2	2 0 0	3 1 2	3 7 7	2 12 1	2 15 4	3 12 10
Lucknow	4 0 0	3 14 6	4 13 6	4 8 4	4 11 3	4 3 3	...	2 5 8	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 6 9	3 7 6
Ferozepur	4 1 9	3 10 0	5 0 0	5 6 0	5 0 0	5 8 3	3 1 3	3 5 0	3 4 3	2 15 6	3 8 0	3 3 3	3 3 3	2 14 0	3 9 0
Lahore	4 3 3	3 9 0	5 0 0	4 11 3	4 13 6	5 5 3	3 0 3	3 1 3	3 7 6	2 14 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 6 3	2 12 9	3 7 6
Amritsar	3 13 6	3 6 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 11 6	3 2 0	...	...	2 8 0	...	...	3 5 3	2 13 0	3 13 6
Rawalpindi	4 11 0	3 12 0	4 5 0	4 12 0	5 11 0	5 12 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 5 0	4 0 0	3 1 0	3 10 0	3 1 6	3 5 3
Lyallpur	4 0 0	3 4 0	4 12 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	...	2 14 0	3 8 0	2 10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 3 6	2 11 6	3 4 0
Ambala	3 14 0	3 10 0	5 13 0	4 12 0	6 0 0	5 8 0	2 5 0	2 8 0	3 14 0	2 14 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 0 0	2 11 0	4 0 0
Delhi	4 7 0	4 0 0	5 15 0	5 10 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 3 0	2 12 0	3 1 0	3 10 0	2 15 6	3 0 0	3 10 0
Peshawar	4 8 7	3 13 4	4 3 10	5 7 6	5 13 11	6 2 5	3 11 6	3 5 11	2 5 9	3 5 4	4 1 7	3 2 8	3 8 8	3 1 8	2 14 4
Quetta	5 5 0	4 9 0	5 5 2	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 8 0	3 3 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poona	4 11 7	4 9 4	5 6 2	5 1 4	5 12 4	4 7 10	2 5 9	2 11 4	2 12 11	3 7 7	3 9 9	3 3 1	3 8 8	3 10 5	4 8 7
Ahmednagar	6 9 11	3 11 8	4 6 6	5 13 7	...	...	2 1 5	2 3 11	2 2 10	2 9 11	2 11 9	2 6 3	3 1 1	3 2 11	4 5 2
Ahmedabad	5 0 0	4 9 0	5 0 0	7 0 0	6 6 0	5 10 0	2 4 0	2 15 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 3 0	3 12 0
Nagpur	3 13 2	3 12 10	4 6 7	4 3 8	4 0 7	4 0 7	2 11 10	2 3 2	2 13 2	...	...	...	3 4 2	3 9 1	4 3 5
Jubbulpur	4 5 2	3 12 6	4 11 4	4 0 0	4 3 4	4 7 1	2 10 8	2 5 7	2 15 5	...	...	...	3 3 2	2 15 5	3 5 4
Godavari	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 0 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malabar	...	...	...	4 15 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

*Relates to Khandwa wheat.

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TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (Wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma *—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	34·78	40·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	38·55	32·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	32·99	35·16	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	29·63	32·32	45·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	35·16	36·78	82·05	82·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	35·75	30·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	35·75	34·41	68·08	68·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	31·84	30·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	32·99	44·14	38·79	45·07	...	...	...	...	19·69	[illegible]	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	35·75	35·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	36·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam *—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	25	...	4[illegible]·5	46·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	25	25	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	21·25	28·12	47·5	48·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal *—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong (a)	...	26·87	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	27·5	35	50	55·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	26·25	30	56·25	60	47·5	38·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	21·25	30	35	46·87	55	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapore	20	25	42·5	46·25	50	57·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	25	29·06	46·25	57·5	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	25	25	46·25	75·5	52·5	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa *—															
Bihár, north—															
Bhágalpur	...	...	37·5	52·5	43·75	37·5	...	...	21·25	30	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	44·37	66·56	40	50	...	...	22·19	30	...	...	...	...	...
Bihár, south—															
Patna	...	...	35·62	44·37	43·75	40	...	...	23·12	28·75	23·12	27·5	33·28	40	...
Orissa—															
Cuttack	...	...	35·94	39·58	43·51	43·59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—															
(a) Agra—															
Eastern—															
Benares	24·48	26·67	45·42	51·82	43·12	41·77	45·[illegible]	52·13	28·75	31·93	27·66	27·86	28·75	30·57	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	23·75	28·75	51·25	55	44·37	40	51·25	48·75	29·37	28·75	23·75	21·87	25	31·87	...
Jhánsi	...	...	47·08	40·37	43·75	41·98	...	...	26·67	26·8	20	21·72	...	...	...
Western—															
Meerut	30·78	...	57·81	56·87	43·12	37·97	48·44	44·37	30·78	30·78	28·59	25	27·66	...	...
Agra	...	...	62·5	63·96	48·44	41·43	52·24	50	29·58	29·58	23·49	24·17	29	30·78	...
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	22·5	26·25	38·75	50	41·09	37·5	48·75	45	27·03	25·62	28·28	26·25	27·19	28·75	...
(b) Oudh—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	...	42·08	47·03	40	39·06	48·75	45·78	25·78	26·67	...	23·54	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	23·12	25·94	46·25	51·87	40 to 42·08	36·41	...	...	28·75	26·04	...	25·78	...	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

(a) Figures have not so far been reported

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district head-quarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Bagi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	61·54	61·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	65·98	65·98	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	38·32	36·99	57·14	59·26	57·66	62·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	60·95	60·95	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	47·06	43·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	42·95	42·95	75·29	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	18·71	21·84	34·41	32·47	64·65	68·82	57·66	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	34·41	34·41	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakôkku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	61·54	57·14	...	72·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	Balaganj (Sylhet)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	40	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	47·5	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	...	50	...	70	...	...	...	...	...	80	...	57·5	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	60	70	...	...	...	...	60	90	70	60	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	32·5	30	47·5	60	...	...	...	...	52·5	58·75	55	55	Calcutta
															Western—
...	...	...	41·25	37·5	45	50	...	...	...	...	65	55	53·75	50	Burdwan
...	...	...	40	38·75	60	55	...	...	...	...	47·5	45	56·25 to 63·75	52·5	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	60	73·44	...	...	...	...	64·06	58·44	62·5	55	Pabna
...	...	...	72·5	70	75	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	62·5	60	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa—
															Bihar, north—
...	25	27·5	30	31·25	46·25	52·5	22·5	27·5	...	...	52·5	65	40 and 45	45 and 50	Bhágalpur
...	25	30	32·66	40	50	61·56	28·44	36·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
...	24·37	25	33·12	30	40	45·94	21·25	...	...	...	52·5	46·25	50	44·37	Patna
															Orissa—
...	...	...	38·07	38·07	50·78	68·07	38·07	43·54	...	...	...	...	61·04	68·07	Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) Agra—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	28·59	26·87	35·78	55·78	...	...	...	...	54·74	50·05	52·19	51·2	Benares
															Central—
...	...	...	29·37	27·5	36·25	46·25	40	...	26·25	25	53·75	48·75	46·25	40	Cawnpore
...	...	24·95	28·59	27·03	...	...	...	...	...	30·78	...	43·28	40	39·53	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	25	22·19	31·41	28·59	46·87	54·37	...	...	...	...	...	61·56	44·37	36·41	Meerut
...	22·19	25·30	27·55	29·58	50	47·03	...	...	23·40	27·66	57·13	50	42·08	44·43	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	26·25	25	26·56	30	37·5	52·5	...	...	28·44	...	44·37	40	44·37	37·5	Shahjahánpur
															(b) Oudh—
															Southern—
...	...	...	25	24·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	40	61·41	40	Lucknow
															Northern—
...	23·12	24·22	28·12	26·67	...	48·75	...	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH—continued.

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gúr*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass		Straw
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	581·82	640	...	...	27·47	22·86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	640	640	...	...	25·7	25·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457·14	457·14	...	...	24·62	24·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	533·33	533·33	...	...	33·16	31·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	492·31	492·31	...	...	40	39·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	45·71	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	533·33	492·31	...	...	35·75	42·95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·16	37·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	711·11	640	...	...	39·02	36·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	45·39	45·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	581·82	581·82	...	...	30·77	36·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	...	...	580	495	57·5	65	33·75	33·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	...	...	500	460	70	75	26·25	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	...	...	535	500	70	82·5	37·5	37·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong (a)	...	...	...	510	...	55	...	31·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	600	550	110	85	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	...	...	550	480	63·75	60	33·75	33·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	...	...	580	470	58·75	60	33·12	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	550 to 580	540 to 560	75	65	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	...	...	590	530	80	75	39·69	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	580	500	80	80	50	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—															
Bihar, north—															
Bhágalpur	60	70	640	470	57·5	70	40	40	120	100	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	533·12	426·25	44·37	50	28·59	33·28	266·56	266·56	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—															
Patna	50	40	500	400	45	60	33·75	35	25	20	...	...	5	...	3·75
Orissa—															
Cuttack	76·15	68·07	533·33	183·33	57·13	53·33	20	20	91·41	90	...	...	5	5·62	5·62
United Provinces—															
(a) AGRA—															
Eastern—															
Benares	54·17	48·91	521·41	499·43	55·73	50·05	30·57	29·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	67·5	56·25	520	420	53·75	60	22·5	21·25	120	102·5	150	77·5	...	...	...
Jhánsi	...	44·11	463·62	412·81	...	66·56	28·44	26·72	...	...	...	...	...	3·33	...
Western—															
Meerut	...	...	512·19	457·19	50	53·12	28·44	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	57·13	57·13	533·33	426·67	66·67	72·71	21·61	20	120	160	150	115	6·67	10	12·5
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	57·5	50	465	440	60	50	25	28·12	180	170	155 and 180	100 and 122·5	...	...	...
(b) OUDH—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	...	510	470	...	...	25·78	30	...	...	...	90	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	...	...	530	480	44·37	50	25·62	26·67	...	...	...	...	5	...	...

(a) Figures have not so far been reported.

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw	Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Coal (Bengal)		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	22·86	17·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·62	3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	11·9	11·9	...	7·35	...	...	...	...	2·31	2·25	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	28·83	36·99	12·86	8·45	...	...	...	...	2	1·87	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	8·58	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	28·83	28·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·06	2·06	Pakókku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9·18	7·35	...	...	...	...	2·81	2·44	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·31	1·94	Balaganj (Sylhet)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·75	3·37	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·62	5·62	...	...	...	...	2·5	2	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·81	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·09	2·78	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8·75	4·69	...	...	...	...	2·87	2·3	Calcutta
															Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·31	4·69	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·75	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·69	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·19	2·16	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·25	2·75	Rangpur
								1·47* to 1·81							**Bihar and Orissa—**
															Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	...	20	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·34	2·12	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	10	10	24·22	30·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·37	2·05	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
5	...	...	11·25	8·12	20	18·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·18	2·44	Patna
															Orissa—
5·63	...	...	...	...	7·5	7·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·12	2·75	Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) Agra—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	23·54	27·6	3·96 to 7·92	3·96 to 7·92	...	...	...	...	3·63	2·56	Benares
															Central—
...	...	...	8·12	7·5	24·37	25·62	7·5	4·37	67·5	65	...	...	3·62	2·87	Cawnpore
6·72	...	3·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·5	3·25	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	...	...	10	10	26·56	26·56	10	...	...	...	...	...	3·56	3·06	Meerut
12·5	...	...	7·97	7·97	26·67	30·73	...	...	...	...	100	80	3·56	...	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	...	...	11·25	10	35	35	6·25	6·25	85 and 90	70 and 90	60 and 100	50 and 80	3·59	3	Shahjahánpur
															(b) Oudh—
															Southern—
...	...	...	7·29	8·91	23·75	26·25	...	5·62	...	...	...	...	3·75	2·62	Lucknow
															Northern—
...	...	...	10	12·5	...	...	12·5	10	...	...	50	50	3·28	2·62	Fyzabad

* Price of 1st class coal at Jharia

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH—*continued*

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Rajputana—															
Eastern— Ajmer(a)	...	26·67	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	39·06	...	33·49	...	39·06	...
Delhi— Delhi	...	...	56 25	66·25	44·37	40	47·5	43·75	31·87	30	27·5	27·5	27·5	30·62	...
Punjab—															
Southern— Ferozepur	25·78	33·12	50	50	41·09	36·25	45·62	38·75	30·78	26·25	30·78	33·12	29·69	35	...
Central— Lahore	25	34·69	47·03	48·44	42·03	35·62	50	40·94	30 16	26·72	30·16	30·78	29·06	36·41	...
Submontane— Amritsar	28·75	30·62	51·25	55	38·44	33·75	44·37	36·25	30·78	...	31·25	...	25	...	...
Northern— Rawalpindi	...	...	47·5	56·87	46·87	37·5	50	42·5	30	30·62	30	40	33·12	40	...
Western— Lyallpur	...	...	55	55	40	32·5	45	37·5	28 75	27·5	...	28·75	26·25	35	...
Multan	27·5	21·87	45·62	45·78	40·94	34 37	43·91	38·12	31·72	27·34	27·5	31·41	27·66	29·06	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	...	54·69	58·7	45·36	38·33	50·78	42·34	27·03	25·62	37·19	33 7	33·33	40·99	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	57·55	65·94	49·87	39·87	52·71	42 03	31·41	35	28·44	31·41	27·19	31·41	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karachi	...	...	51·25	50·31	46 25	41·25	...	...	...	...	28·75	31·87	28·12	36·87	...
Shikarpur	20 94	25·47	57·19	59·37	45·62	35·62	...	...	35·31	32·97	...	...	21·56	...	...
Quetta	...	...	...	...	51·87 to 54·87	44·9 to 46·77	67·5 to 75	74·06 to 76·56	38·75	37·19	33·75	35	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan— Bombay	28·7	31·09	46·41	47·6	55·05*	54·48*	...	...	37·03	38·07	33·75	30·94	35·99	39·17	...
Deccan and Karnátak— Dharwar	...	...	...	...	32·4	30·52	...	...	...	...	...	20·42	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	46·46	47·76	41·2	41·77	...	...	...	...	23·85	20·52	25·42	28·18	...
Poona	...	...	50·83	57·71	47·24	45·83	...	...	...	42·13	23·59	27·08	34·74	36 09	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmednagar	...	...	58·49	...	36·2	37·29	...	...	...	...	20·88	22·45	26·2	27·34	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	...	44 43	...	...	...	...	24·09	27·6	31·51	31·15	...
Gujarat— Surat	...	...	...	...	44·69	51·06	...	...	...	...	37·5	31·72	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	70	63·75	50	45·62	...	...	...	31·87	22·5	29 37	22·5	40	...
Central Provinces† —															
Western— Nagpur	32·69	36·5	42·31	40·37	38·25	38	53·31	57·12	...	...	27·37	22	...	...	...
Central— Jubbulpore	...	...	40	42·06	43·25	37·19	57·12	50	...	...	26·69	23·5	...	...	...
Eastern— Raipur	35	34	40	38	38	34·5	45	42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	...	...	42·56	41·62	32·94	39·69	...	...	...	...	24·81	20 81	...	...	...
Amraoti	...	...	44·44	44·44	40·44	42·75	...	...	...	...	27·19	22·19	...	...	...
Madras—															
South, central— Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·6	34	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32·1
Central— Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21·7	22·2	...	...	...
Cuddapah	39·7	40·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·1	27·8	...	26	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·5
East Coast, south— Madras	29·7	29·7	58·3	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	27·1	32·6	45·5	44·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·6
Southern— Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37·2	32·5	43	36·6	...
Mysore (a)— Mysore	...	22	...	54	...	56	...	60	...	...	...	24	...	...	...
Bangalore	...	22	...	56	...	54	...	67·76	...	...	...	28	...	...	...

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

(a) Figures have not so far been reported

† The figures under "Rice, husked," represent the prices of cleaned rice

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Rajputana—
...	...	33·28	...	36·2	...	...	...	69·53	...	...	...	94·06	...	...	*Eastern—* Ajmer
...	25·62	27·5	29·69	30	37·5	50	...	...	20·37	29·37	60	55	44·37	41·87	**Delhi—** Delhi
															Punjab—
...	28·59	22·5	32·03	28·75	66·72	61·56	...	...	33·28	31·87	80	65	...	...	*Southern—* Ferozepur
...	29·06	24·22	33·91	27·97	55·16	69·53	30·78	40	30·78	30·16	55·16	55·16	50	47·03	*Central—* Lahore
...	26·09	22·19	33·28	28·12	...	...	...	...	33·12	31·25	...	50	...	47·5	*Submontane—* Amritsar
...	32·5	27·5	36·25	30·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	47·5	42·5	40	*Northern—* Rάwalpindi
...	25	21·25	32·19	27·19	...	...	...	...	30	28·44	...	...	41·25	40	*Western—* Lyallpur
...	27·66	21·22	38·91	29·06	60	70	33·59	29·53	0 3	28·44	60	60	42·5	45	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	36·56	28·96	35·16	31·04	43·85	53·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	45·36	50	Peshάwar
...	32·71	...	37·45	30·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27·19	30·94	...	...	...	...	Karάchi
...	...	...	35·62	32·5	49·37	61·25	...	...	28·12	33·75	...	...	35·62	37·5	Shikarpur
...	37·5 to 45	36·67	...	...	57·5 to 64·37	75 to 85	62·5	58·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
															Bombay—
...	...	...	34·9	33·85	60·1	68·7	35·73	46·41	24·48	25·52	58·02	55·36	...	...	*Konkan—* Bombay
...	...	...	36·09	34·63	...	...	...	...	20	19·27	41·93	...	...	...	*Deccan and Karnάtak—* Dharwar
...	...	...	31·35	31·51	47·76	47·76	...	...	21·67	21·67	50·78	48·18	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	35·42	36·51	...	54·01	...	...	...	...	...	60·78	...	...	Poona
...	...	...	30·68	31·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	52·4	51·61	...	...	*Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—* Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	35·73	...	...	...	...	...	22·86	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Gujarat—* Surat
...	...	...	35	31·87	60	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
...	...	...	32·62	35·60	46·94	47·94	...	...	25	23·75	58·62	55·44	...	...	*Western—* Nagpur
...	...	...	32	29·62	39·25	51·62	44·44	44·44	28·56	23·5	53·37	47·06	36·37	42·06	*Central—* Jubbulpore
...	...	...	31	28	40	40	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	*Eastern—* Raipur
															Berar—
...	...	...	35·94	34·12	39·69	47·87	...	...	21·44	20	61·94	55·56	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	36·19	36·12	41·75	42·75	...	...	19·37	20	63·75	57·94	...	...	Amrάoti
															Madras—
...	...	...	55·8	55·8	...	...	...	...	40	32	...	...	...	...	*South, central—* Coimbatore
26·3	...	...	...	...	33·6	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salem
...	...	...	37·1	46·3	35·3	35·8	...	...	20·8	23·8	...	...	...	...	*Central—* Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
28·3	...	...	...	...	34	40·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, central—* Nellore
...	...	...	47·7	43·6	...	...	54·9	63·4	57·6	57·6	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, south—* Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
23·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Southern—* Madura
															Mysore—
24	...	...	...	27	...	56	...	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
22	...	...	...	36	...	56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangalore

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH—*concluded*

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *Jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gúr*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass		Straw
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Rajputana—															
Eastern— Ajmer (a)	...	66·56	...	474·06	...	69·58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18·91	...
Delhi— Delhi	57·5	57·5	565	505	55 to 65·25	57·5	21·25	20	80	80	170	125	10	13·44	...
Punjab—															
Southern— Ferozepur	72·66	75	522·5	472·5	69·53	68·12	23·59	20	133·28	133·28	145·47	115	...	...	...
Central— Lahore	57·19	68·91	609·58	492·34	53·28	68·91	22·19	20·94	133·28	114·22	200	114·22	10	10	...
Submontane— Amritsar	61·25	62·5	585	460	44·37	61·56	18·44	19·37	90	...	155	85	...	...	...
Northern— Rawalpindi	...	...	540	480	52·5	80	20·62	15·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western— Lyallpur	...	...	517·5	440	47·5	60	21·25	17·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	52·5	55	535	441·25	53·28	59·22	25	18·12	122·5	110	177·81	130	10	10	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	...	511·98	482·97	61·56	77·08	26·16	16·82	106·67	136·15	...	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	609·53	511·41	51·87	66·04	25·16	15·62	...	...	...	...	12·03	15·62	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karachi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	...	...	560	482·5	56·25	60·62	...	...	28·75	60	...	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	560 to 617·5	510 to 520	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan— Bombay	65·78	62·86	628·59	514·27	74·84	81·61	...	...	...	...	186·04	111·56	11·2	10·42	...
Deccan and Karnátak— Dharwar	...	...	...	...	66·51	67·97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	60·16	...	450·52	434·9	64·84	79·43	...	...	133·59	83·59	...	79·43	...	...	...
Poona	...	...	512·29	445·62	71·04	78·49	...	...	210·52	210·52	...	...	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmednagar	...	...	500	...	70·83	80	...	...	...	43·02	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia	...	57·5	...	495	...	73·38	...	...	...	46·67	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat— Surat	...	...	...	475·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	520	440	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces—															
Western— Nagpur	71·12	63·31	583·31	483·31	...	...	27·5	25	100	91·62	...	90	14·12	5·87	6
Central— Jubbulpore	53·37	48·44	500	440	...	...	28·56	25	80	80	177·75	100	5·37	6·62	...
Eastern— Raipur	...	...	520	440	...	...	29	28·75	160	160	120	...	...	...	...
Berar— Akola	64·25	58·50	493·25	419	...	...	23·31	20	100	105·19	...	...	...	...	...
Amraoti	78·81	58·44	640	460	...	...	25	22·5	142·25	128	...	...	...	9	...
Madras—															
South, central— Coimbatore	87·9	77·6	487·8	487·8	54·4	70·4	22·6	23·2	...	...	112	96	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	462·4	486·5	...	...	...	...	171·3	171·3	91·4	67	...	...	7·7
Central— Bellary	62	51·5	471·7	476·2	71·4	79·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	493·4	460·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	115·3	77·6	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66·7	133·3	...	75·2	...	...	...
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	433·3	416·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·7
East Coast, south— Madras	...	70·8	559·6	559·6	65·8	64·2	17·5	15·8	131·7	131·7	115·2	82·3	...	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466·7	464·7	...	...	23·4	23·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	473	540·5	...	...	23·1	21·3	123·4	123·4	...	...	...	...	...
Southern— Madura	66·7	66·7	675·7	675·7	...	...	...	...	141·1	141·1	...	...	...	...	15
Mysore— Mysore (a)	...	72	...	480	...	111·3	...	...	...	214·27	...	102·86	...	4·79	...
Baugalore	...	64	...	548·54	...	68·54	...	...	...	274·27	...	85·68	...	8·8	...

* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 103 per 10 maunds

(a) Figures have not so far been reported

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw	Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Coal (Bengal)		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil per tin		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Rajputana— *Eastern—*
8·59	...	12·34	...	...	...	37·34	...	...	...	110	...	80	...	2·56	Ajmer
															Delhi—
...	6·56	16·09	11·25	10	22·5	30	10	6·25	100	90	250	150	2·58	2·19	Delhi
															Punjab— *Southern—*
...	...	...	10	10	25	20	...	7·5	142	142·5	225	225	3·5	3·09	Ferozepur
															Central—
...	...	...	12·5	9·53	26·72	26·72	11·25	6·56	150	160	170	170	3·62	3·19	Lahore
															Submontane—
...	...	...	12·5	9·53	23·75	23·44	...	8·75	130	130	...	...	3·56	3·25	Amritsar
															Northern—
...	...	...	12·5	11·41	...	...	...	7·5	100	90	120	120	3·75	2·75	Râwalpindi
															Western—
...	...	...	10	7·97	23·75	25	11·25	8·75	112	100	180	140	3·5	2·81	Lyallpur
...	...	10	8·91	8·91	26·56	25·78	...	...	105	100	...	...	3·5	3·17	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	...	...	7·34	6·77	24·53	19·22	14·63	8·7	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	3·87	3·34	Peshâwar
...	...	...	12·03	14·53	27·5	29·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·87	...	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·03	2·72	Karâchi
...	...	...	7·5	8·75	25	27·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·27	...	Shikârpur
...	...	...	13·12	11·87	26·87	...	14·14	11·02	120 to 220	120 to 220	...	...	4·31	4·16	Quetta
															Bombay— *Konkan—*
...	...	...	...	...	22·34	30·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·16	2·47	Bombay
															Deccan and Karnâtak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80	...	...	...	3·31	2·87	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·41	2·09	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	38·59	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·11	2·42	Poona
															Khandesh and N.-S Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·39	2·08	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·31	2·59	Dhulia
															Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	22·5	21·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·12	2·69	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces— *Western—*
4·5	18·69	8	...	...	...	...	8·12	6·25	...	65 to 75	...	120 to 190	2·62	2·19	Nagpur
															Central—
...	...	...	...	10	30	30·75	...	...	60	60	70	70	2·37	2·12	Jubbulpore
															Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·25	Raipur
															Berar—
...	5·5	9·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	99	95	64	56	2·81	2·94	Akola
...	...	3·69	...	...	...	...	5·69	...	70	65	70	70	2·5	2·81	Amrâoti
															Madras— *South, Central—*
...	4	4	...	...	30·4*	30·4*	...	...	...	...	60	60	3·28	2·85	Coimbatore
7·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	...	...	3·25	2·34	Salem
															Central—
...	10·3	10·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	150	140	3·32	2·58	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·4	2·38	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·75	3	Karnul
															East Coast, Central—
5·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·08	1·85	Nellore
															East Coast, South—
...	...	...	...	...	29·4	36·7	9·2	5·9	202·5†	225†	...	...	...	...	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	9·8	4·5	...	...	170†	170†	...	...	2·65	2·73	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	38·2	44·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·53	3·09	Trichinopoly
															Southern—
15	...	...	...	...	20·4	20·4	...	...	...	...	60	60	3·75	2·44	Madura
															Mysore—
5·1	...	4·43	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	50 to 100	...	50 to 100	...	2·78	Mysore
8·8	...	...	...	...	...	33·8	...	...	...	160	...	120 to 150	...	2·62	Bangalore

* Superior quality

† Sheep or goats

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH 1917

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	5 1	5 1	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Maubin	4 10	4 10	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 3	12 2	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	...	...	10 13	10 13	10 13	10 13	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	13 2	13 2	...	...	...	...
Henzada	5 9	5 9	...	...	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Prome	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	10 7	10 13	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	...	...	...	...	7 7	9 7	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	9 9	10 5	...	...	8 13	8 5	11 3	10 13	17 14	17 14	...	...
Bhamo	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	13 4	12 2	...	...	...	...
Pakókku	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Meiktila	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	16 3	16 3	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway	2 10	2 10	...	...	10 10	10 10	12 12	12 12	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyu	3 8	3 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	8 8	9 —	10 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
Surma—												
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Cachar	4 —	4 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts—												
Khási and Jáintia Hills	5 11	5 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Manipur	16 —	16 —	...	...	22 —	22 —	24 —	25 —	...	...	...	...
Nágá Hills	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpara	15 —	10 —	...	...	4 —	4 4	10 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Kámrúp (Gauhati)	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang	...	...	...	...	6 —	5 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Sibságar	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Backerganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Maimensingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 9	7 8	...	...	...	...
Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 3	8 8	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 —	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 14	9 2	...	...	...	...
Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Faridpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 10	8 —	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 3	11 3	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	4 9	4 9	10 2	10 2	Pegu
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 11	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 3	11 3	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 6	9 6	Maubin
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	9 9	9 9	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 9	9 9	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Henzada
...	...	...	...	11 7	7 14	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 8	9 8	Prome
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	...	...	4 10	4 10	8 5	8 9	Thayetmyo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	19 10	19 10	5 14	5 14	8 9	8 9	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Pakôkku
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	32 1	32 1	...	...	9 6	9 6	Meiktila
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4	3 4	14 9	14 9	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	15 —	15 —	Kyaukpyu
...	...	...	...	5 3	5 3	...	...	...	...	11 —	10 —	Akyab
												Assam—
												Surma—
...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 12	5 12	9 —	9 —	Cachar
												Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	7 4	8 1	8 14	8 14	6 6	6 12	7 8	8 1	Khási and Jáintia Hills
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Gáro Hills
...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	22 —	22 —	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 8	Manipur
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 4	8 —	Nágá Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Lushai Hills
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	13 —	18 —	7 8	7 —	10 —	...	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	10 —	10 —	Kámrúp (Gauhati)
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 —	5 8	8 —	8 8	Darrang
...	...	...	...	6 8	5 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 8	6 —	10 —	10 —	Sibságar
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 8	Lakhimpur
												Bengal—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 9	10 9	Noakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	8 4	10 4	10 4	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Maimensingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 13	5 13	10 11	10 11	Tippera
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	5 4	9 —	9 8	Dacca
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 —	Khulna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 8	11 8	24-Parganas
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	Howrah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	11 —	10 —	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	Hooghly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	6 10	13 5	13 5	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	10 4	10 4	Jessore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	5 8	9 —	8 8	Faridpur

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH 1917—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Bengal—*continued*												
Western—												
Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 2	10 —	...	...	...	...
Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 8	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 4	10 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 10	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 14	7 11	...	...	...	...
Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 12	8 —	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	9 9	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 12	5 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Bhágalpur	9 —	9 4	16 —	16 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	9 14	9 14	18 1	15 6	...	...	10 7	10 8	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	9 8	9 8	17 —	17 —	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
Sáran	9 —	9 —	14 8	14 —	...	...	9 12	9 8	...	...	...	...
Champáran	9 8	9 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Santhal Parganas	7 —	6 4	11 —	11 8	...	...	11 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	10 8	10 —	20 —	20 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Gaya	10 —	9 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	13 —	14 —	...	...
Patna	9 —	10 —	17 —	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	17 —	18 —	...	12 —
Shahabad	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singbhum	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Mánbhum	7 8	8 8	12 —	10 —	...	...	9 8	10 8	...	...	16 —	14 —
Ranchi	7 4	7 4	9 8	9 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	9 —	9 —
Palámau	10 6	9 —	13 8	11 12	...	...	10 11	10 3	...	...	...	...
Hazáribágh	8 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri	7 14	7 3	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	9 3	8 8	...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...	12 —	11 8	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur	9 8	9 — to 9 8	1...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	8 2	8 —	14 —	13 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	15 —	14 —	12 —	12 —
Benares	9 1	8 13	13 —	12 11	6 8	6 —	8 6	8 14	13 9	13 —	13 —	12 7
Ghazipur	9 —	8 14	14 7	13 8	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 11	14 5	14 6	14 2	14 2
Jaunpur	9 8	8 6	14 10	12 12	3 12	3 12	8 8	8 6	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	9 —	9 —	14 4	15 —	4 8	4 8	9 4	9 —	14 —	14 —	12 8	12 4
Central—												
Bánda	11 —	10 4	12 8	13 4	5 —	5 —	9 8	9 8	19 8	17 8	13 4	13 4
Fatehpur	9 12	10 —	16 —	16 —	8 8	8 8	10 —	10 —	...	16 —	...	...
Hamirpur	11 8	11 8	11 8	10 10	4 12	4 12	7 12	7 12	14 12	14 12	12 8	12 8
Jalaun	12 8	12 2	16 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	7 —	17 —	16 —	14 —	14 —
Cawnpore	8 8	8 8	12 12	12 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	16 4	15 12	15 8	15 —
Jhansi	8 11	8 8	14 3	14 1	4 12	4 12	8 4	8 4	19 12	18 4	...	...
Etáwah	9 10	9 2	18 6	12 14	3 —	3 —	9 8	9 6	17 8	16 —	15 —	15 —
Farrukhabad	9 6	9 3	14 8	13 10	4 1	4 1	10 9	10 4	15 11	14 5	...	13 10
Mainpuri	9 8	9 8	14 —	14 —	5 —	5 —	10 8	10 —	14 8	14 —	...	14 —
Etah	10 4	10 —	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	9 8	9 8	...	15 —	...	16 —
Western—												
Meerut	9 —	8 4	12 12	13 —	3 —	3 —	6 12	6 12	...	14 8	14 —	...
Agra	7 12	8 —	13 —	11 12	6 —	5 12	...	...	16 —	15 —	19 —	18 —
Muttra	9 8	9 —	13 12	12 8	4 8	4 8	7 12	7 12	19 —	18 8	19 —	18 8
Aligarh	9 4	9 4	13 11	12 12	3 —	3 —	5 8	5 8	17 5	14 12	18 4	15 —
Bulandshahr	9 5	9 10	14 8	12 8	3 —	3 —	5 — to 8 —	5 — to 8 —	16 8	14 8	14 —	14 —
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	9 12	9 2	13 —	13 —	5 3	5 3	9 2	9 2	14 4	14 4	...	...
Azamgarh	9 12	8 12	16 —	14 8	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 8	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	10 4	10 —	14 4	13 12	7 8	7 8	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Basti	9 4	9 12	16 —	14 8	6 4	6 —	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	...

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

RAGI OR MARUA (*Eleusine coracana*)		KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*)		MAIZE (*Zea Mays*)		ARHAR DÁL (*Cajanus Indicus*)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Bengal—*continued*
												Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	11 —	11 —	Baukura
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 10	11 —	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	18 —	11 —	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	9 —	9 —	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	Murshidabad
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	10 4	...	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	9 12	9 12	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 —	10 —	10 8	Malda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 13	9 13	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	9 8	10 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 6	7 12	10 —	10 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	8 —	8 —	Rangpur
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	Darjeeling
												Bihar and Orissa—
												Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	15 —	14 —	6 8	6 8	9 —	9 —	Purnea
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 —	16 —	16 8	8 2	8 2	10 —	10 —	Bhágalpur
14 4	13 3	...	...	11 —	11 —	15 2	14 —	8 4	8 4	13 8	12 6	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	15 8	15 8	7 8	7 8	13 8	13 8	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 4	14 8	14 —	13 —	13 —	10 4	10 —	Sáran
...	...	...	...	12 —	15 —	18 —	18 —	8 —	7 8	10 —	9 8	Champáran
												Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 8	20 —	18 —	8 —	7 8	13 —	12 —	Santhal Parganas
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 —	...	15 —	11 —	11 —	10 —	9 —	Monghyr
16 8	17 —	8 —	8 —	13 8	12 8	15 —	15 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	Gaya
...	...	10 —	12 —	12 —	...	...	16 8	...	10 8	11 —	11 —	Patna
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	Shahabad
												Chota Nagpur—
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 4	7 —	10 —	10 —	Singbhum
...	...	...	...	10 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	8 8	8 —	10 —	10 —	Mánbhum
12 —	12 —	...	...	9 4	9 4	10 —	10 —	5 14	5 14	10 —	10 —	Ranchi
...	...	...	...	13 8	11 13	15 14	15 8	9 —	9 —	11 4	10 11	Palámau
16 —	16 —	...	...	10 —	9 8	15 —	14 —	7 8	7 8	10 8	10 —	Hazáribágh
												Orissa—
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	7 14	7 14	18 —	16 —	Puri
...	...	...	...	10 8	9 13	...	...	7 14	7 14	20 —	20 —	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 4	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	Balasore
...	...	...	...	11 8	10 — to 11—8	18 —	...	8 8 to 9 —	7 — to 8 —	12 2	14 8	Sambalpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) AGRA—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	14 —	12 —	18 —	16 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Mirzapur
...	...	11 6	11 6	13 4½	12 11	...	14 10	10 5	9 3	12 15	12 6	Benares
...	...	...	...	14 7	13 13	18 2	18 2	9 10	9 10	13 13	13 7	Ghazipur
...	...	...	...	15 6	11 4	...	...	11 4	10 8	14 —	14 —	Jaunpur
...	...	...	...	14 12	14 8	...	...	11 8	11 4	14 —	14 —	Allahabad
												Central—
...	...	...	...	15 4	15 8	...	...	10 —	9 8	15 —	15 4	Bánda
...	...	...	...	15 —	13 —	...	...	12 —	11 —	15 —	14 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	14 5	13 14	...	...	10 4	10 4	15 —	15 —	Hamirpur
...	...	...	...	15 8	15 8	...	...	9 10	9 9	...	...	Jalaun
...	...	12 8	12 8	13 4	13 4	16 8	16 12	10 8	10 8	16 8	16 8	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	14 —	13 7	...	20 15	7 8	7 9¼	16 —	16 —	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	13 4	12 2	...	...	9 8	10 4	15 —	14 8	Etáwah
...	...	...	...	13 10	13 5	...	...	10 9	10 4	17 1	17 1	Farrukhabad
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 8	...	16 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 —	...	16 —	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Etah
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 —	15 8	14 —	8 —	8 8	16 12	16 8	Meerut
...	...	...	...	14 —	11 8	17 —	15 8	8 —	6 8	18 —	16 8	Agra
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 12	...	...	11 —	11 —	16 —	15 —	Muttra
...	...	10 4	10 4	12 12	13 4	16 8	15 4	12 4	11 4	16 4	16 4	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	18 —	14 8	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Bulandshahr
												Submontane, east—
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	14 4	14 4	9 12	9 13	13 —	13 —	Ballia
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 —	15 8	15 8	10 8	9 8	13 —	13 —	Azamgarh
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	Gorakhpur
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	16 8	16 8	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Basti

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH 1917—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
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	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces—*continued*												
(*a*) Agra—*continued*												
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	9 8	9 8	...	13 14	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	...	15 —	14 8	14 12
Budaun	8 2	8 4	13 12	12 —	4 —	4 —	7 8	7 —	14 —	13 —	13 —	12 8
Pilibit	9 4	9 —	13 12	13 12	4 8	4 8	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	13 —
Bareli	8 9	8 11	15 3	14 7	4 8	4 8	8 10	8 12	16 4	15 8	14 6	14 —
Moradabad	8 12	8 12	13 4	12 12	4 12	4 12	9 —	9 —	13 12	14 4	13 4	13 12
Bijnor	8 6	8 10	14 4	14 4	3 4	3 4	6 12	6 12	...	...	13 —	12 8
Muzaffarnagar	9 4	8 12	14 4	13 2	6 9	6 9	7 10	7 10	13 2	13 2	14 4	13 2
Sahâranpur	8 4	8 4	12 12	12 12	3 8	3 8	7 7	7 7	...	...	12 12	12 12
Dehra-Dun	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	3 —	3 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal	6 8	7 —	9 8	9 8	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	9 —	9 —
Almora	6 —	5 12	7 12	7 8	3 4	3 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Garhwál	5 —	5 —	10 —	10 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	...	...	...	...
(*b*) Oudh—												
Southern—												
Partábgarh	10 8	9 —	16 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	14 —	13 —
Sultanpur	10 4	9 8	15 4	13 8	...	...	9 4	9 —	15 —	15 —	...	...
Rae-Bareli	10 8	10 8	15 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	8 12	9 —	13 8	15 —	13 —	14 —
Unao	9 4	8 10	14 12	13 12	5 —	4 8	8 8	8 8	13 —	13 —	13 4	13 —
Lucknow	9 12	8 12	15 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	8 4	8 4	14 —	14 —	14 —	14 —
Hardoi	9 4	9 4	13 —	13 —	4 —	4 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	14 8	14 8
Northern—												
Fyzabad	9 12	8 14	13 10	13 8	...	...	8 4	8 2	13 8	13 8	11 8	11 8
Barabanki	10 5	10 —	15 5	14 13	4 4	4 6	9 5	9 13	14 12	14 6	13 8	14 —
Gonda	10 8	9 4	16 —	16 —	5 —	5 —	9 8	9 4	17 —	17 —	16 —	15 —
Bahraich	10 8	10 8	17 —	17 —	5 —	5 —	10 4	10 4	22 —	21 8	19 4	19 —
Sitapur	9 8	9 —	14 —	13 8	4 —	4 —	9 8	9 8	17 —	17 —	17 —	16 —
Kheri	9 9	9 4	15 —	13 8	3 —	3 —	8 —	9 —	18 —	17 8	15 —	15 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	9 —	8 6	15 3	12 14	4 8	4 8	5 2	5 2	24 8	21 15	16 3	16 2
Ajmer*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kishangarh	8 8	8 4	15 —	11 —	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	17 8	15 8	18 —	17 8
Tonk	8 —	7 12	15 5	12 12	4 5	4 4	7 8	8 8	21 4	21 4	18 9	19 10
Jaipur	9 4	7 14	13 6	13 6	4 15	5 —	5 3	5 4	17 8	17 13	14 15	11 2
Karauli	10 10	9 6	17 8	15 —	7 8	7 8	8 12	8 12	21 4	20 —	20 —	21 14
Dholpur	9 9½	8 15½	14 7½	14 —	5 —	5 —	5 4	5 4	16 5½	16 1½	19 6½	18 13
Bharatpur*	...	8 4	...	12 7	...	4 14	...	5 8	...	16 4	...	18 8
Alwar	9 2	8 5	13 13	12 8	5 2	5 2	6 10	6 10	20 2	18 15	20 1	18 11
Nasirabad	8 4	8 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	17 —	16 —	15 —	15 —
Western—												
Bikaner	7 12	7 12	13 —	13 —	5 —	5 —	6 8	7 —	15 —	14 12	11 4	11 —
Jaisalmer	6 8	6 3	...	...	4 —	4 2	6 —	5 11	12 —	12 6	10 4	10 5
Jodhpur	7 10 and 8 2	7 8 and 7 10	12 6	12 9	5 4	5 4	6 12	6 8	14 3 and 15 14	15 8	14 11 and 15 14	15 — and 16 —
Central India—												
Indore	11 —	11 —	12 —	11 —	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	14 —	14 —
Neemuch	9 —	9 —	...	...	5 8	5 —	6 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	11 —	11 —
Gwalior	9 4	...	...	...	...	...	4 12	...	...	...	...	...
Delhi—												
Delhi	9 —	8 8	12 —	11 8	3 —	3 —	6 —	5 12	14 —	14 —	14 —	14 —
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	9 —	9 —	12 12	12 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	16 8	16 8
Ferozepur	9 8	9 —	12 8	12 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	12 8	13 —	13 —	13 8
Central—												
Lahore	9 4	9 4	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 4	8 4	13 —	13 —	13 8	13 8
Gujranwala	9 8	9 14	15 8	15 8	...	...	9 4	9 4	...	...	...	...
Gujrat	10 —	10 —	14 —	13 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	14 —	14 —
Jhelum	8 12	9 —	13 —	13 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	...	12 8	12 8

* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	
												United Provinces— *continued*
												(*a*) Agra—*continued*
												Submontane, west—
...	...		...	13 2	13 —	15 —	15 —	10 8	10 8	15 —	15 —	Shahjahánpur
...	...	10 —		11 6	11 6	17	16	9 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Budaun
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 8			9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	11 14	11 11	16 4	16 4	10 5	9 6	16 —	16 —	Bareli
...	..	..	...	11 12	11 4	14 4	15 4	8 12	8 12	15 12	15 12	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —			8 12	8 12	15 —	15 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	12 1	11 —	14 4	13 2	5 8	5 8	16 8	16 8	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 3	14 6	14 6	9 1	9 1	16 —	16 —	Saháranpur
11 —	11 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	Dehra-Dun
												Hills—
...	...	...	..	8 8	9 —	10 —	10 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	9 —	Naini Tal
8 4	8 8	...	...	7 4	7 —	...	..	5 8	5 4	8 8	8 —	Almora
...	...	...	...	5 6	5 8	...	..	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	Garhwál
												(*b*) Oudh—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	16 —	14 —	...	...	10 8	10 —	14 —	14 —	Partábgarh
...	...	..		16 4	15 8	..		10 12	10 12	12 8	12 8	Sultanpur
19 —	20 —	11 —	13 —	15 —	15 —	12 —	12 —	11 8	12 8	13 —	13 —	Rae-Bareli
...	...	...	.	14 12	13 14	...		9 —	9 —	15 8	15 8	Unao
...	...	...		15 —	14 —	16 —	16 —	11 —	11 —	15 —	15 —	Lucknow
	...	...	...	13 8	14 —			9 8	9 8	12 —	12 —	Hardoi
												Northern—
	...	11 —	11 —	13 10	13 10	17 —	16 —	10 2	9 12	14 10	14 8	Fyzabad
16 —	16 —	10 —	10 —	16 2	15 6	15 —	14 12	10 —	9 15	14 10	14 4	Barabanki
...	...	.	..	14 —	14 —	17 8	17 —	9 —	9 —	12 —	11 —	Gonda
...	...	8 —	7 —	16 12	17 —	18 4	20 —	10 —	10 —	14 8	13 8	Bahraich
...	...	12 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	15 —	17 —	10 —	9 8	16 —	16 —	Sitapur
20 —	20 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	16 8	17 —	10 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Kheri
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
...	...	10 5	10 5	13 3	11 9	25 12	23 8	6 12	6 12	13 3	12 14	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	...	...	..					...	..			Ajmer
...	...	...		15 8	11 8	18 —	16 —	...	...	19 —	19 —	Kishangarh
...	...	...	...	15 5	12 12	18 9	19 10	...	...	17 —	17 —	Tonk
...	...	16 —	16 3	13 14 and 14 6	10 15 to 11 7	18 —	17 4	9 13	9 15	17 —	17 4	Jaipur
...	...	..	...	18 2	18 12	...		...	..	14 6	14 6	Karauli
...	...	11 —	11 —	14 13¼	12 —	...	..	10 14¼	8 8	15 —	15 —	Dholpur
...	...	...			11 10	...	17 8	.	7 4		16 —	Bharatpur
...	...	9 12	9 12	14 5	12 8	18 8	18 4	17 —	17 —	18 —	17 8	Alwar
...	...	...	...	18 —	11 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	18 —	18 —	Nasirabad
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	15 8	14 —	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 4	...	..	...	...	22 — and 24 —	22 — and 24 —	Jaisalmer
...	...	...	...	18 4 to 18 15	13 4	16 2	...	6 4 to 6 14	6 4 to 6 14	18 —	18 —	Jodhpur
												Central India—
...	...	...	...	18 8	13 —	28 —	26 —	9 —	8 8	17 —	16 8	Indore
...	...	...	...	18 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 8	16 8	Neemuch
..	...	15 —	.	16 2	...	...	...	12 6	..	16 —	...	Gwalior
												Delhi—
...	...	...	..	13 —	12 —	15 —	14 —	10 —	9 —	18 —	17 —	Delhi
												Punjab—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	14 —	13 8	...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 —	13 12	13 12	5 8	5 8	15 —	15 —	Ferozepur
												Central—
...	...	12 8	12 8	11 8	11 8	13 8	13 8	7 —	7 —	17 —	17 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	.	...	...	...	20 —	17 12	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	16 —	14 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 8	12 —	11 8	6 8	6 8	18 —	19 —	Jhelam

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH 1917—continued

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*) Half-month of report	Wheat Previous half-month	Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*) Half-month of report	Barley Previous half-month	Rice Best sort Half-month of report	Rice Best sort Previous half-month	Rice Common Half-month of report	Rice Common Previous half-month	Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*) Half-month of report	Jawar Previous half-month	Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*) Half-month of report	Bajra Previous half-month
Punjab—continued												
South-eastern—												
Gurgáon	8 8	8 4	18 12	18 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Rohtak	9 12	9 2	18 8	18 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	18 —	17 4	17 8	17 —
Karnál	10 —	9 8	16 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	7 —	...	16 —	14 —	15 —
Submontane—												
Ambala	10 —	8 14	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 8	13 4	18 4
Ludhiana	9 8	9 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	14 —	14 —	18 8	18 8
Jullundur	9 8	9 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 8	13 8	12 8	12 8
Hoshiarpur	10 —	9 8	11 —	12 —	...	...	6 6	6 6	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Gurdáspur	9 8	9 8	12 8	12 8	...	..	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	...	...
Amritsar	10 —	9 9	12 12		...	...	7 11	7 11	12 8	18 1	15 12	15 12
Siálkot	10 —	9 8	11 —	12 8	...	...	8 8	8 5	...	..	11 —	12 —
Hills—												
Simla	7 8	7 8	9 4	9 4	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 —	10 —	9 8	10 —
Kángra	9 —	9 —	13 —	18 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	..	...
Northern—												
Ráwalpindi	8 4	8 4	12 12	11 12	...	...	8 —	7 4	13 —	14 —	11 12	11 12
Attock	8 8	8 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	11 8	11 —
Western—												
Sháhpur	9 13	9 9	...		...	...	7 —	7 -	11 —	12 —	15 —	14 8
Jhang	9 8	9 8	18 4	13 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	12 12	12 12
Lyallpur	9 12	9 4	18 8	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —		.	15 —	15 —
Multan	9 8	9 8	12 4	12 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	14 —	13 8	11 —	14 —
Montgomery	9 —	9 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Muzaffargarh	9 8	9 12	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 8	6 —	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	9 6	9 8	16 —	14 8	...	...	8 12	9 12	13 12	14 —	11 8	14 —
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazára	8 6	8 8	12 10	12 10	8 9	8 9	7 8	7 8	...	..	10 —	10 —
Peshávar	8 12	8 10	14 10	14 8	4 9	4 9	7 3	6 13	10 7	10 7	11 11	12 6
Kohát	7 11	8 7	12 10	12 15	8 13	8 13	8 —	8 —	14 8	14 8	11 12	11 14
Bannu	9 11	9 4	14 11	13 2	4 6	4 6	7 8	9 1	16 14	16 14	12 13	12 13
Dera Ismael Khan	8 —	7 13	12 8	12 4	8 7	8 8	6 14	6 4	13 12	15 —	14 6	14 6
Tochi	10 8	10 8	20 —	20 —	...	..	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Kurram	10 8	10 8	16 —	16 —	7 12	7 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	9 —	9 —	14 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	7 8	7 —	8 4	8 8	8 1	8 1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karáchi	7 8	7 8	...	.	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	12 —	11 8
Hyderabad	7 8	8 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 8	13 —	13 —
Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)	8 —	7 12	...	...	4 12	4 12	6 4	6 4	13 —	14 —	12 —	18 —
Shikárpur	8 10	8 8	...	...	5 8	5 4	6 8	6 —	15 8	14 —	17 —	15 —
Upper Sind Frontier	8 2	8 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	13 —	13 —	16 —	16 —
Quetta	7 5 to 7 11	7 5 to 7 11	9 14	9 14	8 2	8 2	6 8	6 8	11 4	11 4	10 14	10 11
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	6 13	6 13	...	...	6 1	6 1	7 4	7 4	9 10	10 2	9 —	9 —
Ratnagiri	6 14	6 14	...	...	5 13	5 13	7 8	7 8	11 15	11 15	10 2	10 2
Alibág	6 5	6 5	...	...	6 1	6 1	7 10	7 10	...	.	8 5	8 5
Bombay	*7 —	*7 —	...	...	4 13	4 13	7 —	7 —	9 13	11 —	8 15	8 15
Thanna	7 15	7 15	...	...	5 8	5 8	5 15	5 15	12 7	12 7	10 15	10 15
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	10 11	10 4	...	...	6 13	6 13	7 3	7 3	14 3	14 8	12 8	12 8
Belgaum	10 —	10 1	...	...	6 9	6 13	7 8	7 8	12 15	12 7	14 5	13 13
Satara	9 6	8 5	...	...	5 6	5 6	6 3	6 3	13 5	12 10	1. 2	12 2
Sholapur	9 4	9 11	...	...	6 15	6 15	8 —	8 —	16 5	16 12	14 6	14 6
Bijapur	11 9	11 2	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 13	7 5	14 13	15 4	16 5	16 5
Poona	8 6	8 6	...	...	6 1	6 4	7 4	7 4	15 10	15 10	10 13	10 13
Khandesh and N. E. Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	10 2	10 2	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	17 4	17 4	12 10	11 14
Násik	10 5	10 5	...	...	5 15	5 15	6 10	6 10	...	..	11 10	11 10
Dhulia	10 8	10 8	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 6	7 6	12 15	12 15	11 2	
Jalgaon	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 10	7 10	13 9	13 2	11 13	10 11
Gujarat—												
Surat	8 5	7 14	...	...	4 10	4 10	6 15	6 15	10 10	10 10	11 2	10 10
Broach	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	13 —	12 —	9 8	9 8
Kaira	8 —	6 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 —	6 —	20 —	17 —	17 8	16 —
Baroda	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	9 —	8 8
Ahmedabad	7 8	7 8	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 4	5 4	16 —	15 8	16 —	15 8
Godhra	7 8	7 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 8	...	...	11 8	11 8
Disa	9 8	9 —	...	...	4 12	4 12	5 4	5 4	18 —	16 —	16 —	14 —
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	10 8	10 8	...	...	3 14	4 —	4 8	5 —	15 —	14 —	11 —	10 8
Central Provinces—												
Nimar	8 7	8 7	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 5	7 5	13 6	13 6	...	...
Hoshangabad	9 11	9 11	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	15 3	15 3	...	...
Betul	9 14	10 6	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 9	6 7	15 1	15 1	...	...
Chhindwara	10 5	10 —	...	...	5 10	5 10	8 12	8 12	12 7	12 7	...	...
Nagpur	10 8	9 9	...	...	5 3	5 8	9 2	9 2	14 4	13 1	...	...
Wardha	11 4	10 10	...	...	5 2	5 2	9 9	8 15	13 13	13 13	...	...

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Punjab—*continued*
												South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	13 12	13 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	17 8	17 —	Gurgáon
...	...	...	...	13 12	13 12	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Rohtak
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	17 —	14 12	9 —	7 —	16 8	16 —	Karnál
												Submontane—
17 —	17 —	9 12	9 12	13 —	13 —	15 —	15 8	8 —	8 —	19 4	17 —	Ambala
...	...	7 8	7 8	12 4	12 4	15 8	15 8	6 8	6 8	17 —	16 8	Ludhiána
...	...	9 —	9 —	12 4	11 12	14 4	15 —	...	...	18 —	18 —	Jullundur
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 4	15 8	15 —	...	...	17 —	16 —	Hoshiárpur
...	...	8 —	8 —	10 8	10 8	15 —	16 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Gurdáspur
...	...	12 12	10 12	11 12	11 12	14 8	14 8	7 12	7 12	20 —	19 —	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Siálkot
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 4	11 4	11 8	5 12	5 4	13 —	13 —	Simla
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	Kángra
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	10 12	10 8	11 12	12 —	7 —	6 12	19 —	17 8	Ráwalpindi
...	...	...	...	11 8	10 8	11 —	11 —	5 4	5 4	14 —	12 —	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 14	11 8	15 —	15 —	7 8	7 —	17 —	16 —	Sháhpur
14 —	14 —	11 8	11 8	12 —	11 12	13 4	13 8	...	...	13 8	13 8	Jhang
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 —	16 —	16 —	7 —	7 —	17 8	17 —	Lyallpur
...	...	13 —	13 —	11 4	11 —	14 —	14 6	6 8	6 8	15 —	13 4	Multan
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 12	15 —	15 —	...	...	13 —	10 —	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	14 —	13 8	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	Dera Ghazi Khan
												N.-W. F. Province—
...	...	9 8	...	9 —	8 12	12 8	13 8	...	...	13 12	13 12	Hazára
...	...	12 8	13 —	11 4	11 —	10 12	10 12	8 13	8 10	19 8	19 8	Peshwár
...	...	11 —	11 —	10 1	9 14	11 10	11 13	...	...	28 —	21 11	Kohát
...	...	...	...	10 10	9 11	14 6	15 —	...	...	23 12	23 2	Bannu
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 10	12 —	12 8	...	...	15 8	16 —	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	12 —	14 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	9 12	...	...	...	...	Wano
												Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Karáchi
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 8	...	...	7 —	6 8	16 —	18 —	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	18 8	18 8	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 8	8 —	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	10 3	10 2	8 7 to 10 —	8 7 to 10 —	5 12 to 6 6	5 15 to 6 8	9 10	9 8	Quetta
												Bombay—
												Konkan—
13 8	13 8	...	...	8 11	8 11	...	...	6 12	6 12	14 10	14 10	Karwar
11 6	11 6	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	6 12	6 12	18 12	18 12	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	...	...	6 6	6 5	14 6	14 6	Alibág
8 6	8 6	...	...	8 6	9 —	...	...	6 2	6 2	16 13	13 8	Bombay
9 4	9 4	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	5 15	5 15	13 12	13 12	Thanna
												Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	10 5	10 5	...	...	6 10	7 1	11 13	11 13	Dharwar
15 12	14 11	...	...	11 —	9 15	...	...	6 13	6 13	15 —	14 1	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	12 13	12 7	...	...	6 13	5 13	14 2	13 1	Satara
...	...	...	...	11 14	12 12	...	...	7 9	7 9	15 —	14 4	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	7 11	7 10	12 8	12 8	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 1	...	...	6 14	6 14	14 13	13 10	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	14 7	14 7	Ahmednagar
16 2	14 15	...	...	12 3	12 3	...	...	7 4	7 4	15 7	15 7	Násik
...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	...	...	7 9	7 9	10 8	10 8	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	10 15	10 1	...	...	7 4	7 7	16 8	13 8	Jalgáon
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	10 3	9 11	...	...	6 —	6 —	23 2	23 2	Surat
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	Broach
16 8	16 —	...	...	10 —	9 8	...	...	8 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 8	7 —	19 —	19 —	Baroda
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 12	6 —	22 8	22 8	Ahmedabad
17 —	17 —	...	...	12 8	13 —	...	...	8 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	5 8	21 —	21 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	30 —	30 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	7 7	6 15	12 4	12 4	Nimar
...	...	...	...	13 13	13 13	...	...	9 2	9 2	14 —	14 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	11 4	10 10	...	...	6 6	7 7	13 —	13 —	Betul
...	...	...	...	11 5	10 11	...	...	6 2	6 2	13 —	14 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	11 11	...	...	...	8 4	7 12	13 —	12 —	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	9 6	9 6	15 15	14 14	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH 1917—concluded

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Central Provinces—continued												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	8 13	9 6	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 1	7 1	15 1	15 1	...	...
Saugor	9 —	9 4	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	...	...
Damoh	10 6	9 12	...	...	7 11	7 11	9 5	8 5	20 12	19 8	...	...
Jubbulpore	9 —	9 4	...	...	7 8	7 8	9 8	9 8	14 —	14 —	...	...
Mandla	10 —	9 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	10 4	10 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni	10 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	9 8	10 —	14 —	14 —	...	...
Bálághát	8 10	7 15	...	...	5 7	5 7	10 5	11 —	...	...	...	...
Bhandára	10 6	9 13	...	...	...	...	10 3	10 8	15 7	15 7	...	...
Chánda	10 —	9 6	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	14 4	13 1	...	...
Eastern—												
Biláspur	9 14	9 14	...	...	9 14	9 14	11 11	11 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur	10 2	10 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drug	11 8	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	11 6	11 6	...	...	4 13	4 13	6 14	6 14	15 11	15 11	...	...
Akola	10 12	10 12	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 5	7 5	15 12	15 12	...	...
Amráoti	8 3	8 3	...	...	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 —	14 3	14 3	...	...
Yeotmal	8 13	8 13	...	...	4 7	4 7	8 1	8 1	13 —	13 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad	7 —	7 —	11 10	...	4 1	4 1	8 3	8 3	12 4	12 4	13 14	14 —
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 5	8 5	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	5 8	...	...	...	...
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 9	12 9	10 4	10 4
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 2	...	14 9	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	14 9	14 9	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 12	12 12	8 —	8 —
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	15 1	16 —
Godávari	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	18 —	18 —
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 14	11 14	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 7	10 7	11 —	10 8
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	9 14	9 14	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 9	8 4	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 11	9 1	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 4	...	...	11 10	11 10
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	7 13	...	...	13 —	12 5
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	11 12	11 12	10 15	10 15
Southern—												
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	10 —	10 —
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	10 10	10 10	...	...
Mysore*—												
Mysore	...	7 8	...	5 8	...	6 8	...	8 —	...	16 —	...	...
Bangalore	...	7 —	...	6 8	...	5 8	...	6 4	...	14 —	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 8	7 —	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Aden	5 1	5 1	...	...	4 —	4 —	5 1	5 1	8 6	9 5	7 7	7 7

* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Central Provinces—*continued*
												Central—
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	...	...	7 12	7 12	14 —	14 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	14 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	15 10	14 5	...	...	7 8	6 8	14 —	14 8	Damoh
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 8	...	...	10 —	9 —	13 —	14 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	13 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 13	7 13	9 4	9 4	Bálághát
...	...	...	...	9 10	9 10	...	...	6 11	6 11	12 11	10 11	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	9 8	8 5	...	...	8 2	8 2	13 13	10 10	Chánda
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	10 11	10 11	9 2	9 2	Biláspur
...	...	...	...		12 —	...	...	9 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	Raipur
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	...	...	...	9 —	11 8	10 8	Drug
												Berar—
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 12	10 12	Buldána
...	...	...	...	9 15	9 15	...	...	8 6	8 6	12 4	11 6	Akola
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	9 12	...	16 —	16 —	Amráoti
...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 15	12 15	Yeotmal
												Hyderabad—
18 4	18 4	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	11 10	9 11	10 8	11 1	Secunderabad
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 12	15 13	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 6	14 6	S. Canara
												South, central—
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 14	14 14	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	Nilgiris
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 4	12 12	Salem
												Central—
15 13	15 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 5	14 5	Bellary
11 14	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 10	13 10	Anantapur
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 15	14 6	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 12	11 11	Karnul
												East Coast, north—
15 10	15 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 9	17 12	Ganjam
...	15 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	16 —	Vizagapatam
15 13	15 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 8	Godavari
												East Coast, central—
13 12	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 10	Kistna
11 13	11 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 10	17 10	Guntur
12 14	12 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
13 11	12 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 14	21 —	Madras
11 8	10 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	16 8	Chingleput
13 11	13 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 13	13 13	N. Arcot
12 9	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	16 1	S. Arcot
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 14	15 —	Tanjore
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 12	14 12	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 14	13 14	Tinnevelly
10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 6	16 5	Madura
												Mysore—
...	16 —	...	...	...	8 —	...	...	...	7 —	...	12 —	Mysore
...	15 —	...	...	...	7 —	...	...	...	6 —	...	12 —	Bangalore
												Coorg—
16 —	15 8	...	...	13 8	13 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 8	13 8	Coorg
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 3	6 8	32 —	32 —	**Aden**

COTTON PRESS RETURN.

No. 13 of 1916-17.

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 15th March, 1917.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each) (a)	Percentage to total for India	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton pressed in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity pressed from 1st September, 1916, to 15th March, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs each)	
						Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	35·6	194	22	19,330	207,081	377,275
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	14·0	164	76	33,103	510,191	840,478
Madras	377,000	8·8	55	14	(b)4,469	53,385	87,268
Punjab (including Native States)	333,000	7·8	92	7	5,842	152,686	152,146
United Provinces	309,000	7·2	80	2	480	240,809	222,834
Sind	74,000	1·7	16	3	3,550	40,711	32,374
Burma	45,000	1·1	16	2	1,274	37,589	23,110
Bihar and Orissa	16,000	0·4	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	20,000	0·5	3	3	1,067	3,315	6,118
Assam	11,000	0·3	...	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province	6,000	0·1	1	1	302	2,893	930
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	0·4	9	3	1,229	22,503	(c)
Delhi	...	...	1	1	145	1,067	1,070
TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (d)	3,329,000	77·9	631	134	70,791	1,272,179	1,743,903
Hyderabad	500,000	11·7	41	1	1,070	3,541	17,315
Central India	309,000	7·2	32	(f)	(f)	(f)	(f)
Rajputana	119,000	2·8	10	(f)	(f)	25,109	13,209
Mysore	16,000	0·4	3	1	...	5,378	9,571
TOTAL NATIVE STATES (e)	944,000	22·1	86	2	1,070	34,028	40,095
GRAND TOTAL	4,273,000	100	717	136	71,861	1,306,207	1,783,998

(a) The figures in column 2 are the estimates for 1916-17 as published in the Supplementary Memorandum on the Cotton crop of 1916-17, dated the 20th March, 1917.
(b) Figures for the weeks ending 3rd and 10th March, 1917.
(c) No returns received.
(d) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(e) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.
(f) Returns not received from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 15th March, 1917.
(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received in the half-month	Quantity of cotton received in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity received from 1st September, 1916, to 15th March, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs each): Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	177	31	7,646	129,268	182,508
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	10	8	1,544	37,181	65,982
Madras	14	7	(a)2,970	49,489	51,135
Punjab	3	1	138	4,282	8,884
United Provinces	15	5	485	19,450	40,707
Sind	3	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Bengal	10	9	2,882	40,144	36,488
Ajmer-Merwara	2	2	839	34,360	(b)
Delhi	2	2	111	8,972	10,691
TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (c)	236	65	16,615	323,146	396,455
Hyderabad	3	2	243	3,857	3,314
Central India	3	1	553	14,453	8,711
Rajputana	1	(e)	(e)	(e)	(e)
Mysore	2	2	71	1,291	1,619
TOTAL NATIVE STATES (d)	9	5	870	19,601	13,644
GRAND TOTAL	245	70	17,485	342,747	410,099

Note.—This statement shows the quantity of *unpressed* cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.

(a) Figures for the weeks ending 3rd and 10th March, 1917.
(b) No returns received.
(c) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(d) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.
(e) Returns not received from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

III.—Total quantity of cotton pressed in the Pressing Factories and of unpressed cotton received in the Spinning Mills, from 1st September, 1916, to 15th March, 1917, in *British Provinces (including Native States within Provincial boundaries)*.

Province	Total estimated outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of cotton pressed up to 15th March, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of unpressed cotton received in spinning mills up to 15th March, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total of columns 3 and 4 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Percentage ratio of col. 5 to col. 2
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	207,081	129,268	336,349	22 1
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	510,191	37,181	547,372	91·2
Madras	377,000	53,335	49,489	102,824	27 3
Punjab (including Native States); North-West Frontier Province; Delhi	339,000	156,645	13,251	169,899	50 1
United Provinces	309,000	240,809	19,450	260,259	84·2
Sind	74,000	40,711	...	40 711	55·0
Burma	45,000	37,589	...	37,589	83·5
Bengal; Bihar and Orissa; Assam	47,000	3,315	40,144	43,459	92·5
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	22,503	34,360	56,863*	299·3
TOTAL	3,329,000	1,272,179	323,146	1,595,325	47 9

Note.—This table contains the totals of tables I and II excluding Hyderabad, Central India, Rajputana, and Mysore

* Includes cotton received from the adjoining States in Rajputana.

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WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA

RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY 1914 TO THE SECOND HALF OF MARCH 1917.

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A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.	31st October 1914.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3	4 12 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11	4 3 6
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0	5 2 6
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9	4 3 3
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 3 0
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 2 0
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 14 6
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	4 2 0
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6	3 12 0
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 11 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5	4 7 6
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8	4 13 8
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 9 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0	4 2 0
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 13 6
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 2 3
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 8 1
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1	4 9 1
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	4 1 7
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7	5 5 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 1 0
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...	...
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7	4 12 4
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Dharwar (Hubli)	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4	4 12 4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 8 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	5 0 0
	Cuttack	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4	5 1 4
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 11 9	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5	4 9 0
	Index Numbers (a).	100	100	102	103	104	105	110

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from *forinightly* returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅞ lbs.

FORTNIGHT ENDING

15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3	5 4 3	4 13 3
4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7	4 15 2	4 11 1
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4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 3 3
4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0
4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 1 0
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4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	3 13 0
4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0	4 8 0	4 6 6
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5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0	5 0 0	4 7 1
4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10	4 15 3	4 13 11
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4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 3	5 2 0	4 15 6
...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2	5 7 10	5 6 2
...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6	4 1 1	...
5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0
4 10 3	4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6	3 3 5	3 7 0
4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0	4 6 0	4 9 0
4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0	4 8 0	4 8 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 8	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0
5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 14 0
5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6	4 11 3	5 1 3
5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 12 5	4 12 5
4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0	4 11 8	4 8 0
115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121	114	109

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	FORTNIGHT ENDING 15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	4 7 9	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 4 3	4 6 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 8 3	4 12 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy).	4 12 7	4 15 2	4 9 10	...	...	...	...	5 3 0	5 4 4
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 6	4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6
Punjab	Lahore	3 7 6	3 13 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3
	Ferozepur	3 10 0	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0
	Lyallpur	3 11 0	3 14 6	3 9 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0
	Amritsar	3 7 9	3 12 3	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8
	Multan	3 7 6	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 3
	Rawalpindi	3 10 0	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 14 0	4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0
	Ambala	3 14 0	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0
Delhi	Delhi	4 1 6	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 8 8	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 0 2	3 14 1	3 14 5	4 3 5	4 9 4	4 7 5	4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3
	Cawnpore	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6
	Meerut	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 3 6	4 7 3	4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0
	Agra	3 12 11	4 5 2	4 4 8	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Fyzabad	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 9 6	4 10 0	4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6
	Lucknow	4 2 6	4 4 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 10	4 7 2	4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10
	Jubbulpore	4 3 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 4 10	4 7 2	4 7 2	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2
	Akola	4 8 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 14 5	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 11 6	3 4 6	3 8 10	3 8 10	3 13 4	4 1 7	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 13 6	4 11 2	4 10 0	4 7 3	4 0 5	3 15 6	4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6
Bombay	Poona	5 10 6	5 6 2	5 1 11	5 1 4	5 4 1	5 4 1	5 5 1	...	5 8 11
	Ahmednagar	4 11 11	4 10 1	4 8 4	4 10 1	4 13 9	4 14 8	4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11
	Ahmedabad	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 10 6	3 8 1	3 7 0	3 11 9	3 8 1	3 8 1	3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0
	Bhagalpur	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0
	Muzaffarpur	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Ranchi	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0
	Cuttack	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5
	Mandalay	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6
	(Median Average)	4 4 0	4 5 2	4 5 0	4 6 2	4 7 1	4 7 4	4 11 9	4 9 3	4 11 3
	Index Numbers (a)	103	104	104	106	107	108	114	111	114

* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914, being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—*contd.*

FORTNIGHT ENDING

30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9
5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 8 9
5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0
4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9
4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6
4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0
4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0
4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0
4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
4 10 6	4 12 11	4 [illegible] 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2
4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0
4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0
4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6
5 2 6	5 2 6	5 8 3	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4
4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6
4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6
4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2
4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2
4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	..	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2
3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6
4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4
4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0
5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11
4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10
5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0
3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 3	3 0 10	2 15 11
5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0
5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0
5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1
4 12 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0
116	115	117	118	117	117	118	117	117	114	113	101	95	92

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port (*a*)	Karachi (white)* .	3 11 8	3 12 3	3 12 9	3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 8	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6
Punjab	Lahore . .	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Ferozepur . .	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6
	Lyallpur . .	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6
	Amritsar . .	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0
	Multan . .	3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi .	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Ambala . .	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
Delhi . . .	Delhi . . .	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
United Provinces	Benares . .	4 1 2	4 1 2	3 14 11	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8
	Aligarh (Hathras).	3 13 1	3 13 1	3 13 1	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4
	Cawnpore .	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Meerut . .	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 9 0	3 10 8	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0
	Shahjahanpur .	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 5 6	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 8	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6	3 11 6
	Agra . . .	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2
	Fyzabad . .	3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Lucknow . .	3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur . .	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2
	Jubbulpore .	3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10
	Raipur . .	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5
	Akola . .	3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar . .	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6
Baluchistan . .	Quetta .	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9
Bombay . .	Poona . . .	4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 3 1	4 2 8	4 2 8
	Ahmednagar .	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2	3 9 10	3 11 2	...	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11
	Ahmedabad .	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0
	Dharwar (Hubli) .	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10
Bihar and Orissa	Patna . .	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6
	Bhagalpur .	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0
	Muzaffarpur .	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Ranchi . .	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0
	Cuttack . .	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4
Bengal . . .	Rangpur . .	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0
Burma . .	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
	Mandalay . .	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7
	(Median Average) .	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Index Numbers (*b*)	92	92	92	92	90	93	92	94	97	97

* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.
(*a*) Prices at ports after 31st March, 1917.

Ports	Rate per	On 6th April 1917.	On 13th April 1917.	On 20th April 1917.	On 27th April 1917.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Karachi (white) .	Maund	4 12 3	4 13 3	4 13 3	4 13 3
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	"	4 12 5	4 10 11	4 10 2	4 9 10
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 4 0

(*b*) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—*contd.*

Fortnight ending: 30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917	31st March 1917.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 31st March 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	R. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
4 4 8	4 4 9	4 7 3	4 9 3	4 13 3	4 13 9	4 14 9	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 12 9	4 13 6	4 13 3	4 12 3	—1
4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 6	4 9 6	4 14 10	4 13 0	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 8 9	4 10 7	4 9 10	4 10 9	4 9 10	—1
4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 10 0	5 2 6	5 0 0	...	4 13 0	4 10 0	4 11 0	4 13 0	4 14 6	4 9 0	—7
3 11 6	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	*Nil*
3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 1 9	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 1 9	—5
3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	4 6 0	4 1 0	4 3 0	4 7 0	4 4 6	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 3 6	4 0 0	—5
3 7 0	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 9 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	4 3 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 1 0	3 13 6	—5
3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	*Nil*
3 12 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	4 10 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	*Nil*
3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 12 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	3 14 0	—11
3 11 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	5 0 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	—3
4 0 8	4 0 8	3 15 9	3 14 11	3 14 11	4 14 3	4 12 11	4 10 6	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 10	4 5 0	—7
4 1 8	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 9	4 11 7	4 6 11	4 8 11	4 8 11	4 5 2	4 5 4	4 5 5	4 5 4	4 3 8	—2
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	*Nil*
3 10 3	3 11 3	3 11 6	4 0 0	5 2 9	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 11 3	5 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 0	—8
3 11 9	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 14 6	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 9	*Nil*
4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 13 6	*Nil*
3 14 9	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 5 6	4 9 3	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 5 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 1 9	4 1 7	*Nil*
4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 2	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 7 1	4 0 0	—10
3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 3 5	4 1 11	3 13 2	—7
3 14 5	3 12 2	3 11 6	4 0 10	4 6 0	4 7 1	4 6 0	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 4 4	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 2	+3
3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	4 8 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 10	—5
3 7 10	3 7 10	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 4 8	3 4 8	*Nil*
3 8 3	3 8 3	3 10 4	3 12 7	4 4 3	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 5 8	4 4 9	4 8 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 7	—1
4 12 0	4 11 0	4 15 0	4 13 0	5 0 3	5 3 3	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	*Nil*
4 2 8	4 11 7	4 11 7	...	4 11 9	4 12 8	...	4 11 7	4 10 5	..	4 11 7	4 13 9	4 11 7	—3
3 9 10	3 9 5	3 8 11	3 8 1	3 10 9	3 11 3	3 8 1	3 8 11	3 4 5	4 1 1	3 13 6	3 13 0	3 9 11	—5
4 4 0	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	*Nil*
3 3 10	3 2 10	3 8 2	3 10 6	3 8 2	...	3 11 11	3 4 10	3 2 4	3 8 2	4 0 2	3 5 11	3 3 10	—4
3 7 6	3 4 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	+11
3 15 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	*Nil*
4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	*Nil*
4 1 4	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 1 5	5 1 5	5 1 5	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 8	—7
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	*Nil*
7 3 1	7 8 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	*Nil*
4 14 9	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 0 8	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 4 3	3 14 1	3 8 7	3 5 7	3 8 7	3 10 10	3 14 1	+6
3 14 9	3 14 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 0	4 7 6	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 6 2	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	—1
95	94	94	97	110	108	107	110	107	106	106	106	104	

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 31st March as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	15th March	31st March	Increase or Decrease.	15th March	31st March	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	99	—1	100	94	—6
Punjab . .	100	97	—3	100	92	—8
United Provinces .	100	96	—4	100	99	—1
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	94	—6	100	92	—8

B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.	31st October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0	7 8
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0	9 4
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 4
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 4
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4	9 8
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4	9 8
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 4
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13	8 8
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 0
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 8
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4	9 8
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 4
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5½	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	6 13
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Index Numbers (a)	100	103	103	106	106	109	112

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head-quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, being taken as 100.

* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending											
15th November 1914.	30th November, 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 3	5 8	5 14	5 14
6 14	6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12	8 0	9 0
8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12	8 0	9 8
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12	7 14	8 8
9 4	9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 14
8 4	8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 8	9 8
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12	9 0	10 4
7 12	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8	7 8	10 4
7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0	7 12	9 0
8 6	8 1½	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5	7 13	7 13
7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 12	7 12	8 8	9 0
8 0	7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4	8 4	9 12
7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 8
7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0	9 0	9 0
7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14	8 2	8 14
8 8	8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4	8 12	9 10
8 12	7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2	8 8	8 12
8 5	8 5	8 3	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15	8 15	8 15
8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4	8 8	8 8
8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0	9 12	9 8
7 6	7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6	8 6	7 6
9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2	8 7	8 7
9 4	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10½	8 2¾	7 4½	7 1	7 8½	7 13	8 1
6 13	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2	6 13	7 2
8 2	8 2	8 2	5 14	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2
7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8	8 0	8 0
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0	10 8	10 8
9 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	7 2	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8	8 12	8 8
8 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4	8 12	8 14
8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	7 8	7 8
7 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 4	8 0	8 4	8 0
7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9	8 8	7 14
7 4	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	5 10	5 10	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 8	6 8	6 14	7 5	7 12	8 0	8 0
8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12	8 4	8 8
120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	123	116	112

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.
		FORTNIGHT ENDING								
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Bombay *	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8
	Ferozepur	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12	9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12
	Amritsar	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8
	Rawalpindi	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4
	Lyallpur	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
	Multan	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12
	Ambala	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2
Delhi	Delhi	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4
United Provinces.	Benares	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4
	Cawnpore	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0
	Meerut	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8	8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0
	Agra	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Lucknow	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4
	Aligarh	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14	9 10	9 0	8 12	8 12
	Fyzabad	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Akola	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14
Baluchistan	Quetta	8 4	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0	10 2	9 13¾	9 11¼	9 10½
Bombay	Poona	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 3
	Ahmednagar	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0
	Dharwar	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Bhagalpur	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9
	Muzaffarpur	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8
	Ranchi	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12
	Cuttack	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14
	(Median Average)	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4
	Index Numbers(a)	106	106	108	109	112	112	116	116	116

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1914, being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending													
30th September 1915	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8
5 3	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0
8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0
8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	8 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8
8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12
8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8
7 15	7 13	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1	9 8
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	9 8	9 8	10 0
8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8
7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8
8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8
9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0
8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10
8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2
8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0
8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12
8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4
9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7
8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0
9 8½	9 8	9 0¼	8 4¼	8 4½	8 6	8 9½	8 8¼	8 6¼	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4
7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6
7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14	8 2	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8
9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5
7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0
6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0
6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 3	9 3
5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4
8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 1	10 0	10 0
120	118	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	118	116	106	96	96

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0
	Bombay*	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	11 8	10 12	10 12	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4
	Ferozepore	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8
	Amritsar	11 12	12 12	11 12	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12
	Rawalpindi	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4
	Lyallpur	13 0	12 12	12 8	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9
	Multan	12 4	12 4	11 8	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4
	Ambala	11 8	11 12	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6
Delhi	Delhi	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
United Provinces	Benares	8 15	...	9 12	9 12	...	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8
	Cawnpore	10 8	10 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Meerut	11 0	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4
	Agra	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0
	Lucknow	11 0	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12
	Aligarh	10 0	11 0	11 0	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12
	Shahjahanpur	11 12	12 8	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8
	Fyzabad	10 4	11 0	10 10	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 11	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3
	Jubbulpore	11 4	11 14	11 14	12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0
	Raipur	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Akola	10 8	10 8	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	9 1	9 1	9 0¼	9 0	9 0	9 2½	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 4
Bombay	Poona	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10
	Ahmednagar	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Dharwar	11 5	10 14	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3	11 3	11 3
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 0	10 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
	Bhagalpur	10 0	10 0	10 5	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0
	Muzaffarpur	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Ranchi	8 0	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8
	Cuttack	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay	7 12	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5
	(Median Average)	10 0	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14
	Index Numbers (a)	96½	92	96	96	92	94	96	96	98	97

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1914, being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending													Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 31st March 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917	15th March 1917.	31st March. 1917.	
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	*Nil*
7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	*Nil*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 8	10 0	9 12	9 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	*Nil*
10 12	10 12	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	−5
11 8	10 12	10 9	10 12	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 1	9 4	9 7	9 7	9 9	10 0	−4
10 6	10 6	10 10	9 14	8 6	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 10	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	*Nil*
10 8	10 11	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 8	9 4	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 12	−5
10 8	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
10 6	10 [illegible]	10 4	10 0	8 2	8 10	8 10	8 6	8 6	8 8	8 8	8 14	10 0	−11
10 4	10 4	9 8	9 8	7 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 0	−6
9 8	9 10	9 10	9 12	9 8	7 15	7 15	8 4	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 13	9 1	−3
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	*Nil*
10 8	10 8	10 8	9 12	7 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	−8
9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 12	7 8	7 12	8 0	7 12	+3
9 12	10 0	10 0	9 14	8 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	9 12	−10
10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 0	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	10 0	8 4	9 4	9 4	*Nil*
10 8	10 10	10 12	10 6	9 0	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
9 14	9 12	10 0	10 0	8 14	8 4	8 10	8 6	8 10	8 10	8 14	8 14	9 12	−9
10 8	10 8	10 3	10 3	8 15	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 3	−6
10 0	10 6	10 8	9 10	9 0	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 14	9 4	9 4	9 0	+3
11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	8 2	9 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 2	−1
9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	*Nil*
11 4	11 4	10 14	10 7	9 5	9 5	9 3	9 2	9 3	8 11	8 10	8 10	8 12	−1
8 6	8 8	8 1½	8 1½	7 15¾	7 11	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	*Nil*
8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	*Nil*
9 9	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 2	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	10 2	10 2	*Nil*
8 8	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	*Nil*
11 8	11 3	11 8	11 3	10 11	10 4	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	10 4	10 11	−4
11 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	10 8	9 0	9 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	9 0	+11
10 2	10 5	9 6	8 0	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 6	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	+3
9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	7 8	7 7	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	*Nil*
9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 3	−7
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	*Nil*
7 12	7 12	7 12	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 14	9 9	10 5	10 12	10 5	10 5	9 9	+8
10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	8 8	8 9	8 10	8 8	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 14*	9 3	−3
96	96	96	98	112	112	111	112	111	109	108	108	104	

*Revised figure.

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 31st March as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	15th March	31st March	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	15th March	31st March	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . .	100	97	−3	100	91	−9
Punjab . .	100	97	−3	100	89	−11
United Provinces.	100	96	−4	100	97	−3
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	96	−4	100	91	−9

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending 30th July 1914=100]

Date.	Karachi. White (5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red). Price.	Index Numbers.	Karachi. Red (5% barley, 3% dirt, and 92% red). Price.	Index Numbers.	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy). Price.	Index Numbers.	Calcutta Club No. 2. Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 30th July 1914	31 6	100	31 3	100	32 9	100	34 9¾	100
" 6th August "	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9¼	100
" 3rd September "	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
" 1st October "	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...	...
" 5th November "	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8½	120
" 3rd December "	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
" 30th " "	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	...
" 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
" 4th February "	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
" 25th " "	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10	146
" 4th March "	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
" 1st April "	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
" 6th May "	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
" 3rd June "	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
" 2nd July "	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	...	35 10½	103
" 23rd " "	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
" 6th August "	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
" 27th " "	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
" 3rd September "	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
" 29th " "	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
" 8th October "	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
" 5th November "	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	122
" 3rd December "	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
" 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	122
" 4th February "	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
" 3rd March "	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
" 7th April "	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
" 5th May "	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11	95
" 12th " "	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5	93
" 2nd June "	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
" 9th " "	30 0	95	29 9	95	32 3	98	33 11	95
" 16th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	32 7	99	32 8	94
" 23rd " "	28 6	90	28 3	90	32 7	99	32 2	92
" 30th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
" 7th July "	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
" 14th " "	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2	95
" 21st " "	32 9	104	32 6	104	34 5	105	32 8	94
" 28th " "	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96
" 4th August "	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
" 11th " "	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
" 18th " "	35 3	112	34 3	110	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 25th " "	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 31st " "	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2½	111	33 4½	96
" 8th September "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1½	98
" 15th " "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	35 10½	110	34 1½	98
" 22nd " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
" 29th " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 5th October "	34 0	108	33 0	106	33 8	103	...	...
" 13th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 20th " "	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½	98
" 27th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½	98
" 3rd November "	36 3	115	35 3	113	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 10th " "	36 9	117	35 9	114	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 17th " "	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 7	112	36 10	106
" 24th " "	37 9	120	36 9	118	39 2	120	37 10	109
" 1st December "	38 6	122	37 6	120	39 3	120	41 1	118
" 8th " "	38 9	123	37 9	121	39 4	120	40 7	117
" 15th " "	38 9	123	37 9	121	38 4	117	39 10	114
" 22nd " "	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 0	116	38 10	112
" 29th " "	39 3	125	38 3	122	37 5	114	...	...
" 5th January 1917	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 1	116	39 4	113
" 12th " "	40 6	129	39 6	126	38 2	117	38 4	110
" 19th " "	40 3	128	39 3	126	37 6	114	37 4	107
" 26th " "	40 6	129	39 6	126	36 3	111	36 10	106
" 2nd February "	40 0	127	39 0	125	36 8	112	36 10	106
" 9th " "	39 6	125	38 6	123	37 2	113	36 10	106
" 16th " "	38 3	121	37 3	119	37 2	113	37 4	107
" 23rd " "	39 0	124	38 0	123	37 2	113	37 10	109
" 2nd March "	38 7½	123	37 7½	120	36 9	112	38 4	110
" 9th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	37 10	109
" 16th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 3	114	39 1	112
" 23rd " "	38 3	121	37 3	119	36 3	111	36 7	105
" 30th " "	38 0	121	37 0	118	36 9	112	36 4	104
" 6th April "	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	37 4	107
" 13th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 4	114	37 4	107
" 20th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	35 5	102
" 27th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	36 6	112	33 11	97

NOTE.—The Indian price quotations are market and not F. O. B. prices. The source of these quotations is the Price Current

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN LONDON.

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades taken as 100.]

Date.	Choice White Karachi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Red Karachi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Delhi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Choice White Bombay. Price.	Index Numbers.	Club No. 1. Price.	Index Numbers.	Club No. 2. Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-Aug.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st August "	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd September 1914	46 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October "	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November "	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December "	50 6	128	50 0	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th " "	Nominal	...	...	...	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	...	...	50 6 April-May sellers.	100
30th " "	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	103
8th January 1915	52 3 Do.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	106
4th February "	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th " "	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April.	128
4th March "	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	118
8th April "	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	127
6th May "	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	129
12th " "	63 9 Do.	161	63 3 Do.	126	64 3 Do.	127	68 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June "	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	121
2nd July "	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	104
23rd " "	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	110
6th August "	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
27th " "	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
3rd September "	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	...	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
From 24th Sept. 15 to 18th April 16.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd and 9th June 1916	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th June 1916	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23rd " "	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th " "	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 29th June to 7th July '16.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916	58 6 July-Aug.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd " "	59 0 Do.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th " "	61 3 July-Aug. sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th August "	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th " "	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th " "	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25th " "	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31st " "	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th September "	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15th " "	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd " "	71 0 Do.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th " "	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October "	72 3 Oct. paid	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th " "	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21st " "	75 6 Do.	191	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th " "	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd November "	79 0 paid.	200	Do.	...	79 6 sellers.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
10th " "	80 0 passage.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Noml.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th " "	80 3 Nov.-Dec. sellers.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
24th " "	81 0 paid.	205	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st December "	82 0 buyers.	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th and 15th Dec. 1916	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th December 1916	82 0 paid.	208	81 6 paid.	163	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd " "	No sellers.	...	Nominal.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
29th " "	Do.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th January 1917	Do.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
12th " "	Do.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th " "	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
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DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

JOINT-STOCK COMPANIES.

Increase or decrease in the Capital of Companies, incorporated in India and registered under the Indian Companies Act (VII of 1913), during the half-year ending the 31st December, 1916.

Provinces.	Total paid-up Capital at the close of the previous half-year.		New Companies registered during the half-year.		Companies wound up during the half-year.		
	Share Capital.	Debenture Capital.	Number.	Authorised Share Capital.	Number.	Paid-up Share Capital.	Paid-up Debenture Capital.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
Madras	(a)5,84,08,966	39,68,411	7	8,30,000	12	13,86,435	71,308
Bombay	31,33,35,103	4,49,77,909	23	3,92,89,990	11	17,00,371	...
Bengal	33,60,43,860	6,23,44,446	51	4,59,86,040	36	10,62,266	...
United Provinces	(a)4,61,87,346	(a)1,22,77,360	3	5,10,000	2	14,578	...
Punjab	1,35,44,559	24,87,328	5	77,70,000	12	59,012	...
Delhi	29,92,568	...	1	20,000	1	20,355	...
North-West Frontier Province	2,20,762	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	5,49,86,877	...	1	23,00,000	...	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	45,42,227	26,343	2	1,50,000	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	13,34,119	...	1	1,00,000	1	8,476	...
Assam	(a)11,97,462	31,142	1	20,000	2	3,406	...
Bangalore (Civil and Mily. Stn.)	7,83,285	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coorg	24,000	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ajmer-Merwara	18,24,981	12,500	...	...	...	...	...
Total British India	83,53,71,063	12,61,25,439	95	9,69,76,030	77	42,54,899	71,308
Mysore State (b)	46,37,126	...	3	3,20,000	2	...	...
Grand Total	84,00,08,189	12,61,25,439	98	9,72,96,030	79	42,54,899	71,308

Provinces.	Increase or decrease in the paid-up Capital of Companies existing at the end of the half-year as compared with the previous half-year.				Total net increase (+) or decrease (−) in paid-up Capital during the half-year.		Total paid-up Capital at the end of the half-year.	
	Increase.		Decrease.					
	Share Capital.	Debenture Capital.	Share Capital.	Debenture Capital.	Share Capital.	Debenture Capital.	Share Capital.	Debenture Capital.
1	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Madras	23,72,034	32,231	10,64,391	5,42,450	−78,792	−5,10,219	5,83,25,174	34,58,192
Bombay	62,69,348	9,30,000	14,03,168	92,000	+31,05,809	+7,66,692	31,64,40,912	4,57,44,601
Bengal	2,11,90,649	28,72,500	43,919	16,32,500	+2,00,84,464	+12,40,000	35,61,28,324	6,35,84,446
United Provinces	6,853	...	...	3,400	−7,725	−3,400	4,61,29,621	1,22,73,960
Punjab	65,52,865	19,68,000	...	...	+64,93,853	+19,68,000	2,00,38,412	44,55,328
Delhi	28,900	...	...	...	+8,545	...	30,01,108	...
North-West Frontier Province	1,000	...	...	...	+1,000	...	2,21,762	...
Burma	2,61,210	...	3,974	...	+2,57,236	...	5,52,44,113	...
Central Provinces and Berar	83,003	...	...	...	+83,003	...	46,25,230	26,343
Bihar and Orissa	2,45,850	...	...	...	+2,37,374	...	15,71,493	...
Assam	1,30,667	11,822	...	2,051	+1,27,261	+9,271	13,24,723	40,413
Bangalore (Civil and Mily. Stn.)	5,856	...	824	...	+5,032	...	7,88,267	...
Coorg	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,000	...
Ajmer-Merwara	710	3,703	...	...	+71	+3,703	18,25,694	16,203
Total British India	3,71,48,945	58,17,756	25,76,276	22,72,401	3,03,17,770	+34,74,047	86,56,88,833	12,95,99,486
Mysore State (b)	38,928	...	7,084	...	+31,844	...	46,68,970	...
Grand Total	3,71,87,873	58,17,756	25,83,360	22,72,401	3,03,49,614	34,74,047	87,03,57,803	12,95,99,486

Note.—Columns 9 and 10 include the paid-up capital of new Companies registered during the half-year.
(a) Revised. (b) Registered under the Mysore Regulation, III of 1895.

This statement is compiled from returns furnished half-yearly by Registrars of Joint Stock Companies. From a comparison of columns 2 and 3 with columns 15 and 16, it will be seen that at the end of December, 1916, the total paid-up share capital of companies registered under the Indian Companies Act (VII of 1913) in British India amounted to nearly Rs. 87 crores and the debenture capital of such companies Rs. 13 crores, showing a net increase of Rs. 3 crores in paid-up share capital, and of nearly Rs. 35 lakhs in debenture capital, as compared with the preceding half-year ending June, 1916. In the paid-up share capital Bengal shows a net increase of Rs. 2,00,84,000 and the Punjab of Rs. 64,94,000. In the debenture capital the Punjab shows a net increase of Rs. 19,68,000 and Bengal of Rs. 12,40,000, while Madras shows a net decrease of Rs. 5,10,000.

The following statement compares the total paid-up share and debenture capital in British India at the end of the half-year of report with the preceding half-year, the corresponding half-year of the previous year, and the pre-war half-year ending June 1914 :—

	Share capital Rs.	Debenture capital Rs.
Half-year ending June 1914	75,30,83,000	9,61,56,000
" " December 1915	80,46,19,000	11,00,04,000
" " June 1916	83,53,71,000	12,61,25,000
" " December 1916	86,56,89,000	12,95,99,000

It will be seen that since the outbreak of war there has been a steady increase both in the paid-up share capital and in the debenture capital of companies registered under the Indian Companies Act (VII of 1913).

CALCUTTA,
May 1, 1917.

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

CALCUTTA, APRIL 30, 1917.

Supplementary Memorandum on the SESAMUM (til or jinjili) crop of 1916-17.

This memorandum deals with the final estimates for the crop received from Madras and Hyderabad, and supplements the Final Memorandum issued on the 17th January last.

Madras (16·3 per cent of the total area under sesamum in British India).—The total area is now estimated at 794,000 acres, which is 3·5 per cent below the area of last year. The total estimated yield is put at 87,000 tons as against 70,000 tons last year, or an increase of 24 per cent. In the Circars and the Carnatic the yield has not been good, but improved estimates have been received from the Deccan and Central districts.

Hyderabad reports the area sown to be 569,000 acres, which is 4 per cent above the area of last year. The yield is estimated at 31,000 tons, as compared with 22,000 tons last year, or an increase of 41 per cent.

Consequent on the revised figures noted above, the estimates in the table appended to the final forecast, issued in January last, require modifications, and the general results for all the provinces from which reports have been received are as follows :—

	Acres	Tons
1916-17	5,015,000	493,000
1915-16	5,108,000	482,000
Average for 5 years ending 1914-15 (a) . . .	5,179,000	470,000

The detailed figures for the provinces are as follows :—

(1) *Area.*

Provinces and States	1916-17	1915-16	Increase + or decrease—
	Acres	Acres	Acres
United Provinces . .	1,280,000	1,399,000	—119,000
Central Provinces and Berar	759,000	927,000	—168,000
Madras . . .	794,000	823,000	— 29,000
Bombay (including Native States).	880,000	820,000	+ 60,000
Bengal . . .	234,000	248,000	— 14,000
Bihar and Orissa . . .	191,000	196,000	—5,000
Punjab . . .	239,000	127,000	+ 112,000
Sind (including Native States).	30,000	17,000	+ 13,000
Ajmer-Merwara . . .	39,000	5,000	+ 34,000
Hyderabad	569,000	546,000	+ 23,000
Total .	5,015,000	5,108,000	—93,000

(2) *Yield.*

Provinces and States	1916-17	1915-16	Increase + or Decrease—	Yield per acre 1916-17	Yield per acre 1915-16
	Tons	Tons	Tons	lbs	lbs
United Provinces . .	108,000	126,000	—18,000	189	202
Central Provinces and Berar.	56,000	93,000	—37,000	165	225
Madras	87,000	70,000	+17,000	245	191
Bombay (including Native States).	120,000	98,000	+22,000	305	268
Bengal	25,000	27,000	—2,000	230	244
Bihar and Orissa . .	31,000	30,000	+1,000	364	343
Punjab	29,000	15,000	+14,000	272	265
Sind (including Native States).	3,000	1,000	+2,000	224	132
Ajmer-Merwara . .	3,000	(b)	+3,000	172	17
Hyderabad . . .	31,000	22,000	+9,000	122	90
Total .	493,000	482,000	+11,000	220	211

In addition to the area for which particulars are given above, the crop is grown in certain other tracts in British India (mainly in Burma), and the average area so grown for the last five years has been some 1,150,000 acres. An addition of approximately 23 per cent, or 113,000 tons, may therefore be made to the total estimated outturn on this account.

Exports.—The quantity exported by sea to foreign countries during the last five years ended 31st March has been :—

	Tons
1912-13	77,859
1913-14	112,201
1914-15	46,765
1915-16	13,776
1916-17	83,666

The exports (in tons) in 1916-17 were to the following countries, the figures for the previous year being stated in brackets (in tons) : France 51,566 (9,007). United Kingdom 21,297 (363), Italy 8,483 (1,716), Ceylon 553 (1,432), and other countries 1,767 (1,258).

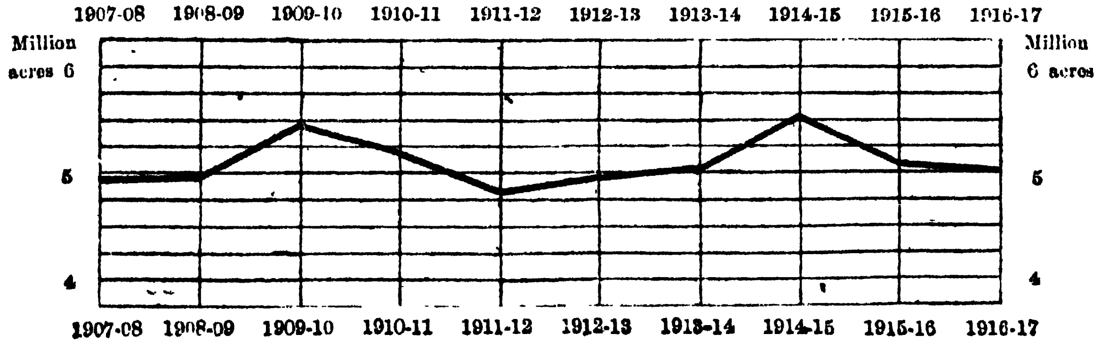
Chart.—The Charts below show the present estimates of the total area and yield as compared with the figures of the preceding nine years. The curve for area represents millions of acres and that for yield thousands of tons.

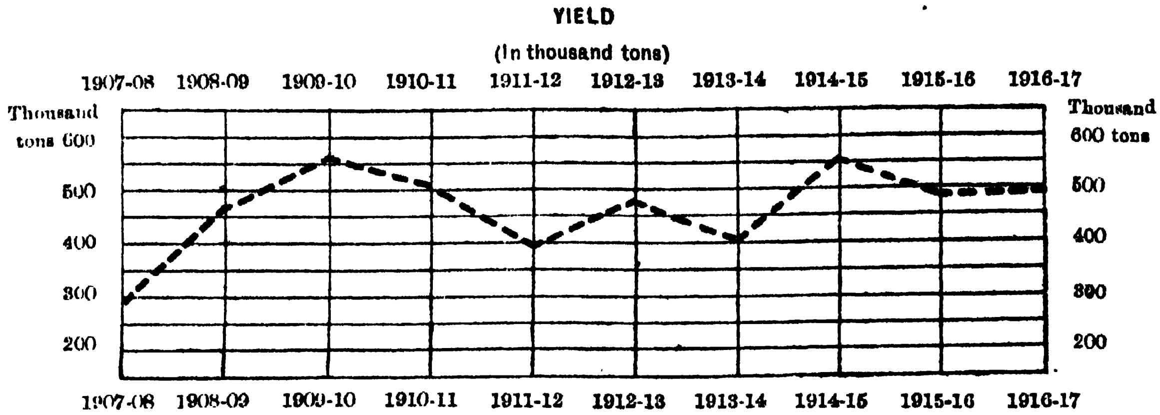
(a) Excluding Ajmer-Merwara.

(b) Less than 100 tons.

AREA

(In million acres)





CALCUTTA ;
April 30, 1917.

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics.

Estimate of the Sesamum crop of 1916-17

Provinces and States		Area (in acres)			Increase (+) or Decrease (−) in the current year over	
		Current year (1916-17)	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years
					Per cent	Per cent
United Provinces	Unmixed	280,000	299,000	376,000	− 6·4	− 25·5
	Mixed (*a*)	1,000,000	1,100,000	890,000	− 9·1	+ 12·4
Central Provinces and Berar		759,000	927,000	684,000	− 18·1	− 14·1
Madras		794,000	823,000	839,000	− 3·5	− 5·4
Bombay (including Native States)		880,000	820,000	847,000	+ 7·3	+ 3·9
Bengal		234,000	248,000	(*c*)257,000	− 5·6	− 8·9
Bihar and Orissa		191,000	196,000	211,000	− 2·6	− 9·5
Punjab		239,000	127,000	155,000	+ 88·2	+ 54·2
Sind (including Native States)		30,000	17,000	80,000	+ 76·5	− 62·5
Ajmer-Merwara		39,000	5,000	(*b*)	+ 680	...
Hyderabad		569,000	546,000	640,000	+ 4·2	− 11·1
TOTAL	Unmixed	4,015,000	4,008,000	(*d*)4,289,000	+ 0·2	− 6·4
	Mixed	1,000,000	1,100,000	890,000	− 9·1	+ 12·4
GRAND TOTAL		5,015,000	5,108,000	(*d*)5,179,000	− 1·8	− 3·2

Provinces and States		Yield (in tons)			Increase (+) or Decrease (−) in the current year over	
		Current year (1916-17)	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years
					Per cent	Per cent
United Provinces	Unmixed	28,000	36,000	31,000	− 22·2	− 9·7
	Mixed (*a*)	80,000	90,000	77,000	− 11·1	+ 3·9
Central Provinces and Berar		56,000	93,000	74,000	− 39·8	− 24·3
Madras		87,000	70,000	72,000	+ 24·3	+ 20·8
Bombay (including Native States)		120,000	98,000	98,000	+ 22·4	+ 22·4
Bengal		25,000	27,000	(*c*)34,000	− 7·4	− 26·5
Bihar and Orissa		31,000	30,000	31,000	+ 3·3	...
Punjab		29,000	15,000	16,000	+ 93·3	+ 81·2
Sind (including Native States)		3,000	1,000	8,000	+ 200·0	− 62·5
Ajmer-Merwara		3,000	37	(*b*)	...	...
Hyderabad		31,000	22,000	29,000	+ 40·9	+ 6·9
TOTAL	Unmixed	413,000	392,000	(*d*)393,000	+ 5·4	+ 5·1
	Mixed	80,000	90,000	77,000	− 11·1	+ 3·9
GRAND TOTAL		493,000	482,000	(*d*)470,000	+ 2·3	+ 4·9

(*a*) The estimates of the mixed crop of the United Provinces are highly conjectural. (*b*) Not available.
(*c*) Four years' average. (*d*) Excluding Ajmer-Merwara.

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GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

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J. P. HEWETT,
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THE PATENT OFFICE.

PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 12th May 1917.

APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

April 30.

3039. S. H. Menzies. *Improvements relating to the treatment of water sewage and the like.*

3040. G. Constantinesco and W. Haddon. *Improvements in mechanical wave transmission of power.*

3041. J. N. Wilbur and J. G. Mohrweis. *Improvements in mowing machines.*

3042. A. Wilzin. *Improvements in the manufacture of glass bottles and in glass shaping and blowing machines therefor.*

3043. W. W. Coe and W. W. Coe, Jr. *Improvements in or relating to the production of dyes or stains.*

3044. Dorr Company. *Improvements in or relating to apparatus for separating liquids from solids in fluid suspensions.*

May 1.

3045. C. A. Subrahmanya Iyer. *Automatic suction spring pump with deadweight discharge or atmospheric pressure utilised for power purposes.*

May 3.

3046. H. J. Jack and A. G. Lobley. *Improvements in or relating to the production of powdered or granulated metals.*

3047. L. Girodo and Sir E. L. Durand. *Improvements in apparatus for the generation of acetylene.*

3048. G. Honegger. *Improvements in governing devices for piston pumps.*

May 4.

3049. W. J. H. Strong. *Improvements in and relating to hot air motors or the like especially adapted for driving fans.*

3050. Donaldson & Fisher Co. *Improvements in and relating to cotton-picking machines.*

3051. B. Johnson. *An improved cotton picker.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

Notice is hereby given that all persons interested in opposing the grant of a Patent on any one of the applications, referred to below, may, at any time within three months of the date of this *Gazette of India*, give notice at the Patent Office in the prescribed form No. 5 of such opposition.

Printed copies of the specifications in the following list will be on sale at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, within about three weeks.

Any one desiring a copy posted to an address in British India should send to the Patent Office the sum of annas eight by money-order on which the number of the application should be stated on the coupon at the foot of the order.

2395. Industrie A. G. Zweiseitiger Kettenstich. *Improvements in or relating to, single thread chain stitch sewing machines.*

2479. Overall McGay, Ld. *Improvements in boring machinery.*

2956. A. E. Lamkin. *Improvements in and relating to internal combustion engines.*

3006. G. R. Nicholson and A. B. Horsley. *Improvements relating to syphons.*

3007. La Crosse Tractor Company. *Improvements in plough tractors.*

3008. T. H. Watson & Co. (of Sheffield), Ld., H. A. Greaves, and H. Etchells. *Improvements in electric furnaces.*

3009. B. Conklin. *Improvements in rotary engines, pumps, compressors and the like.*

3011. S. C. Gawthropp. *Improvements in tea feeding and spreading machinery.*

3013. V. K. Davda. *Improvements in lamp chimneys.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

Printed copies of the undernoted specifications may be purchased at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, annas eight each.

2498. A. J. Roberts and J. N. Parker. *Selective telephone receiver for amplifying wireless and buzzer signals.*

2922. C. Bell. *Improved automatic sprinkler.*

2971. H. L. T. Wolfe. *Improvements in or relating to a process or method of uniting similar or dissimilar metals or alloys by electric welding.*

2972. H. L. T. Wolfe. *Improvements in or relating to the construction of drills and other cutters for machine tools.*

2975. W. S. Sinclair. *Improved automatic combined alarm and door guard communication on the vacuum brake of railway trains for the protection of passengers and goods.*

2977. W. Palliser. *An improved portable building.*

2979. H. L. T. Wolfe. *An improved imperforate oil cup and means for securing same to the spindle lubricated thereby.*

2980. J. Flint. *New and improved compound for use principally in lieu of rubber.*

2981. W. A. Fraymouth. *Dry concentration of tannin and the like.*

2982. C. A. Williams and W. H. Deakin. *Improvements in railway facing point lock bars.*

2983. M. P. Kharegat. *Latrine.*

SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

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2502. Skeen.
2745. Monotype Machine (Colonial Patents) Syndicate, Ld.
2773. Monotype Machine (Colonial Patents) Syndicate, Ld.
2787. Hubbard.
2789. Charles Churchill & Co., Ld., and Geeraerd.
2832. Sett.
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2862. British American Tobacco Co., Ld.
2863. Donaldson.
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2866. Universal Winding Co.

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2348. Brown Bayley's Steel Works, Ld.
2349. General Electric Co.
2350. Monotype Machine (Colonial Patents) Syndicate, Ld.
2644. Dickson.

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414 of 1912. J. Stone & Co., Ld. (To 5 August 1918.)
924 of 1913. Leeds Gorge Co., Ld. and anr. (To 5 May 1918.)
978 of 1913. American Machine & Foundry Co. (To 9 June 1918.)
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1023 of 1913. Godrej. (To 28 June 1918.)

APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT UNDER SECTION 17.

Notice is hereby given that all persons interested in opposing the following application to amend may at any time within three months of the date of this *Gazette of India* give notice at the Patent Office in the prescribed form No. 5 of such opposition.

2386 of 1915. Banwari Lall Jha of Loha Maudee, Agra, India, seeks leave to amend the specification of his application for a patent numbered as above. The proposed amendments as shown in the printed specification are as follows :—

On page 1, by striking out line 20.

On page 1, line 21, by striking out "sake, be separated from the lower part 7 and 9. When completed it."

On page 2, lines 16 and 17, by substituting "A cylindrical mica chimney with a double conical bulge in the lower end, substantially as described and illustrated," *for* "The particular shape or construction of the talc chimney substantially as described and illustrated."

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1908.

526, (Caldwell).

1910.

331, (Westinghouse Brake Co., Ld.). 465, (Bowles). 517, (High).

1912.

46, (Hame). 59, (Bigg-Wither).

1913.

713, (Joseph). 715, (Gabbett-Fairfax). 716, (Ohman). 717, (Brown). 718, (Davey). 720, (Deason). 723, (Alleman). 725, (Gilbert). 727, (Frankel). 732, (Farnworth and anr.). 733, (Kanji). 734, (Luckenbach Inventions Development Co.). 735, (Dickson). 736, (Farnworth & anr.)

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BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 8th May 1917.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up				2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	2,13,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	63,00,000	0	0			
				1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				63,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	6,13,33,933	3	10			
Public Deposits at Branches	2,43,89,581	4	7	8,57,23,514	8	5
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				21,41,15,051	13	11
Bank Post Bills, etc.				16,22,358	2	4
Sundries				26,77,289	4	11
RUPEES				34,54,38,213	13	7

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities				6,61,19,352	12	9
Other authorized Investments				1,24,25,540	0	6
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities				6,82,48,295	9	0
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities				4,38,91,759	8	7
Bills discounted and purchased				3,10,94,627	12	6
Balances with other Banks				41,49,518	2	2
Bullion				......		
Dead Stock				29,41,140	14	10
Stamps				11,940	13	0
Sundries				3,92,624	4	0
				22,92,74,793	12	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	7,38,86,876	13	9			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches†	4,22,76,543	3	9	11,61,63,420	1	6
RUPEES				34,54,38,213	13	7

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,112 8 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 5,18,647 8 0

Rs. 8,69,760 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 10th May 1917.

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CALCUTTA,
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Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

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1. Engineers
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
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SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	₨
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	29 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	30 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	₨
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery . . .	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	₨
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery . . .	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	₨
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1 oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tin.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

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Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0 10 0
,, ,, 2 ,,	,, 6 ,,	,,	Re.	1 0 0
,, ,, 3 ,,	,, 9 ,,	,,	Re.	1 8 0

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DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 9th May 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 7th May 1917.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE.										
				COIN AND BULLION.							SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).			
				In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.					
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.	TOTAL.	REMARKS.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta . .	14,77,500	30,97,92,065	31,12,69,565	3,40,54,215	1,75,81,890	90,03,509	5,17,50,000	13,52,919	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 42,91,57,375	64,23,99,764	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500.
Cawnpore . .	...	1,05,59,870	1,05,59,870	1,10,52,781	94,22,017	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,04,74,748	(b) Nominal value—R44,49,03,571.
Lahore . .	...	7,17,22,670	7,17,22,670	1,86,73,050	1,87,69,785	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,74,42,835	(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Ordinance No. 11 of 1917 at a cost of R34,11,57,375.
Bombay . .	24,43,080	25,68,08,125	25,92,51,205	3,34,79,549	4,54,02,027	63,65,534	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,52,47,110	
Karachi . .	...	3,24,64,515	3,24,64,515	50,40,792	36,75,480	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	87,16,272	
Madras . .	18,17,270	9,38,36,140	9,56,53,410	1,50,05,480	1,17,68,130	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,67,73,610	
Rangoon . .	...	6,25,83,705	6,25,83,705	1,54,78,956	48,74,955	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,03,53,951	
	57,37,850	83,77,47,090	84,34,84,940	13,27,81,813	11,14,94,194	1,53,69,043	5,17,50,000	13,52,919	...	...	9,99,99,946	42,91,57,375	84,19,08,290	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			46,76,650	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									31,00,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R .			83,88,08,290	TOTAL RESERVE R .									83,88,08,290	

Gold worth £110,000 (Rs. 16,50,000) was transferred to the Paper Currency Reserve from the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 7th May 1917.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 7th May 1917 to 14 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
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BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th April 1917.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT.		GRAND TOTAL.
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	TOTAL.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	
Balance of 15th April 1917	28,29,200	95,29,100	4,28,77,800	1,48,68,300	65,35,100	22,49,200	7,60,59,400	2,500	40,50,400	8,29,41,500
Add—										
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	28,29,200	95,29,100	4,28,77,800	1,48,68,300	65,35,100	22,49,200	7,60,59,400	2,500	40,50,400	8,29,41,500
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers	...	14,200	92,900	25,600	13,200	1,00,600	2,46,500	...	20,00,000	22,46,500
Balance on 30th April 1917	28,29,200	95,14,900	4,27,84,900	1,48,42,600	65,21,900	21,48,600	7,58,12,900	2,500	20,50,400	8,06,95,000

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 28th Feb. 1917 Enfaced from India 12,406 lakhs, re-transferred from London 12,918 lakhs.
" 1st March 1917 " 15th Mar. " ditto 4 lakhs ditto 1 lakh
" 16th " " " 31st " " ditto ... ditto 9 lakhs.
" 1st April " " 15th Apl. " ditto ... ditto 1 lakh
" 16th " " " 30th " " ditto ... ditto 23 lakhs.
12,410 12,951

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 3rd May 1917.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 1st-2nd May 1917.

No. 1729-13.—In exercise of the powers delegated by the Government of India to the Director of Criminal Intelligence, Mr. Satish Chandra Banarji, a Deputy Superintendent of Police of the 4th grade in the Criminal Intelligence Department, is promoted to the 3rd grade with effect from the 1st May 1917.

H. V. B. HARE SCOTT,
Deputy Director.

BOTANICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mr. Venkatarama Narayanswami, B.A. (Honr.), has been appointed as an Assistant for systematic work in the Botanical Survey Department, *vice* Mr. M. S. Ramaswami (deceased), on probation for three years on Rs. 150 with Rs. 30 as house allowance per mensem with effect from the 1st May 1917, under the orders of the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture, conveyed in their letter No. 295-151—2, dated Simla, the 16th April 1917.

By order,
H. G. CARTER,
Offg. Director, Botanical Survey of India.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 3rd May 1917.

No. 3514-*Home*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Foreigners Act, 1864 (III of 1864), the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to delegate powers to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Delhi, to grant licenses to foreigners to travel in and out of Delhi Province.

The 4th May 1917.

No. 3537-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 28th April 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi . .	225,471	99	84	183	87	72	159	...	1	1	65	4	61	2	25	1	30	23	53	42·20	36·67
	Notified Area	3,673	2	1	3	...	2	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·47	28·31
	Total .	229,144	101	85	186	87	74	161	...	1	1	67	4	61	2	25	1	30	23	53	42·20	36·53

No. 3545-C. & I.—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in Delhi Province are published for information :—

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 30th April 1917.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.		ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.	
	Srs.	Chts.		Srs.	Chts.
Wheat	10	4	Maize	17	0
Barley	13	8	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál)	11	0
Rice { Best sort	5	0	Firewood	60	0
Rice { Common sort	6	0	Salt { Wholesale	...	
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum)	15	0	Salt { Retail	18	0
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum)	17	0	Gur { Desi	6	0
			Gur { Lawar	5	4
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana)	...		Cotton (unginned)	...	
Kangni (Setaria Italica)	...		Bejhar	14	0
Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked)	13	8			

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the headquarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending the 30th April 1917. (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82⅔ LBS, OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.			ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.		
	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Rice, unhusked	...			Cotton seed	3	3	0
,, husked	5	6	0	Ghi	57	0	0
Wheat	3	13	0	Flour (Wheat)	4	4	0
Barley	2	14	0	Tobacco Leaf (dry)	8	0	0
Oats	...			Turmeric (unground)	15	0	0
Jowar	2	9	0	Salt	2	1	0
Bajra	2	4	0	Raw Hides (Cow)	30	0	0
Maize	2	4	0	Bran	2	2	0
Gram	2	14	0	Grass (dry)	1	0	0
Arhar Dál	3	8	0	Bhusa (white)	1	0	0
Linseed	6	0	0	Jowar Stalks	1	0	0
Rapeseed (Sarshaf)	4	4	0	Bengal Coal	1	0	0
Poppy-seed	...			Kerosine Oil (per tin Rani mark)	2	9	3
Til (jinjili seed)	5	6	0	Plough Bullocks, per pair	250	0	0
Sugar (raw), Gur { Desi	6	0	0	Sheep, per score	80	0	0
Sugar (raw), Gur { Lawar	7	0	0				
Cotton (cleaned)	...			Bejhar	2	12	0

Delhi, the 5th May 1917.

No. 3557-*Education*.—The following bye-laws framed by the Notified Area Committee, Delhi, under the provisions of sections 188 (*e*) (*ii*) and 199 of the Punjab Municipal Act, 1911 (III of 1911), regarding the regulation of Markets within the limits of the Notified Area, Delhi, have been approved by the Chief Commissioner and are hereby published for general information.

The bye-laws will come into force six weeks after the publication of this Notification.

Bye-Laws.

1. Every lessee or occupier of any stall shall confirm to the rules hereinafter enumerated.

(*a*) He shall keep such stall in a cleanly condition and shall allow no refuse or garbage to remain about it, but shall cause the same to be put in a tub, or receptacle of metal or of other such impervious material, and to be carried to the appointed receptacle.

(*b*) He shall himself at all times be decently and properly dressed when in the market.

(*c*) He shall not commit any sort of nuisance within the market nor satisfy a call of nature except in the latrine provided for that purpose.

(*d*) He shall extinguish every fire or light in such building or stall before leaving it and no fire or light shall be permitted which is dangerous to the safety of such building or stall.

(*e*) He shall not smoke any pipe, hukka or tobacco within the market premises.

(*f*) He shall not sell or expose for sale any noxious meat or fish or decomposed vegetable matter or any other article not fit for the consumption of men.

(*g*) He shall, if he sells either meat or ghee or milk or sugar or sweets, keep these articles at all times covered with either a clean cloth of coarse muslin or a wire gauze cover to the satisfaction of the Health Officer as a protection against flies.

2. No person suffering from a loathsome or infectious or contagious disease shall enter the Market.

3. No person being the owner or in charge of any dog shall bring it into or permit it to enter the market.

4. No person shall shout or use indecent or abusive language in the market.

5. No person shall smoke, spit or throw fruit peel or pieces of vegetables about within the limits of the Market.

6. Any person committing a breach of any of bye-laws 1 to 5 inclusive shall be liable "on conviction by a Magistrate" to a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and if the breach is a continuing one, to further fine which may extend to five rupees for every day after the first during which the breach continues.

Delhi, the 8th May 1917.

No. 3659-*Home*.—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi during the half month ending 30th April 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
			Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.		
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.
P. S. Alipur	47	41	...	...	...	33	...	8	...	...	...	...	4	6	10
Nangloi	84	42	...	...	...	32	1	6	...	...	3	2	7	5	12
Najafgarh	27	22	...	1	...	9	...	11	...	...	1	1	3	4	7
Subzimundi	6	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paharganj	1	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mehrauli	40	37	...	1	...	18	1	10	...	...	7	5	5	1	6
Raisina	25	5	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	.	..	2	2
Shahdara	6	11	...	1	...	4	...	4	...	...	2	1	2	2	4
New Cantonment	13	15	...	...	...	9	...	5	...	...	1	1	2	1	3
Total of the District	199	175	...	8	...	112	2	44	...	...	14	10	23	21	44

No. 3672-*Home*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (1) of the Indian Press Act, 1910 (I of 1910), the Chief Commissioner, declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies wherever found of a lithographed leaflet in Hindi entitled "Jatiya Seba" (National Service) beginning with the words "Mitro Sangsar May Aisi Cheez Hai" and ending with the words "Apney Bhayun Ku Hushiar Kuro" and signed "Jatiya Sebak Ganga Sahay Munshi Das Seva, Calcutta" and all copies of all other documents containing the matter of the said leaflet on the ground that the said leaflet contains statements which have a tendency to bring into hatred and contempt the Government established by Law in British India and to excite disaffection towards the said Government and therefore appears to the Chief Commissioner to contain words which are of the nature described in section 4, sub-section (1), clause (c) of the said Act.

No. 3681-*Home*.—The services of Captain P. M. Rennie, I. M. S., Health Officer, Delhi Notified Area, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India with effect from the forenoon of the 5th April 1917.

By order,

D. JOHNSTONE

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 3rd May 1917.

No. 13—5.—Lala Hukam Chand, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests in Ajmer-Merwara, is granted privilege leave for 2 months and 20 days with effect from the date of relief.

2. Lala Hukam Chand's services are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces, on the termination of the leave.

No. 14—5.—Pandit Shambhu Dat Joshi is appointed to be Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests in Ajmer-Merwara, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of the office.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 3rd May 1917.

No. 1369-*D*.—The services of Major H. P. Pott, Cantonment Magistrate, Nimach are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Army Department with effect from the 26th March 1917.

No. 1374-*D*.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel H. de V. Harvest, Cantonment Magistrate, Nowgong, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Army Department with effect from the forenoon of the 5th April 1917.

No. 1379-*D*.—The services of Major H. O. Warren-Codrington, Cantonment Magistrate, Mhow, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Army Department with effect from the afternoon of the 20th April 1917.

No. 1384-*D*.—Lieutenant C. H. Marsh, I. A. R. O., assumed charge of the office of the Cantonment Magistrate, Mhow, from Major Warren-Codrington on the afternoon of the 20th April 1917.

No. 1389-*D*.—Rai Bahadur Pandit Nand Lal, I.S.O., assumed charge of the office of the District Judge, Mhow, from Major Warren-Codrington on the afternoon of the 20th April 1917.

No. 1394-*D*.—Mr. Rustomji Bhaya is appointed Additional Small Cause Court Judge, Mhow, with power to dispose of suits not exceeding Rs. 50 in value, which are cognisable by a Court of Small Causes.

No. 1396-*D*.—Mr. H. Dracott, Superintendent, Central India Agency Office, is appointed to hold charge of the office of the Treasury Officer, Indore, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the afternoon of the 20th April 1917.

No. 1400-*D*.—Rai Sahib Babu Har Prasad is appointed Superintendent and Magistrate, Sehore, with effect from the forenoon of the 21st April 1917.

The 4th May 1917.

No. 1418-*D*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), as delegated to him by the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 5041-I.C, dated the 20th December 1906, the Agent to the Governor General in Central India is pleased to direct that the rules relating to the Cantonments of Mhow, Nimach and Nowgong, published in the Central India Agency Notification No. 1986-D., dated the 25th August 1909, shall be amended as follows:—

(1) The *explanation* to Rule 4 shall be cancelled.

(2) After Rule 17 the following rule shall be added, namely:—

"17A. In these rules "Health Officer" means the Medical Officer in charge of the Cantonment Hospital as regards the Cantonment of Mhow and the Cantonment of Nimach and the Senior Medical Officer, or such other Medical officer as the Agent to the Governor General in Central India may direct, as regards the Cantonment of Nowgong."

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 4th May 1917.

No. 1119.—The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the prescribed tests in the Baluchi language by the Higher Standard at an Examination held at Quetta on the 30th April 1917:—

1. Captain J. W. Widdell, R.A.M.C. Passed with credit.
2. 2nd Lieut. A. E. Snow, 2nd Bn. Somerset Light Infantry.
3. Assistant Surgeon O. H. Gade, I.S.M.D.
4. Mr. Hassanally Agha, Probationary Deputy Superintendent of Police, Karachi. Passed with credit.

By order,

G. B. WALKER, Captain,

Second Assistant.

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THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 3rd May 1917.

No. 1145-*R*.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*d*) of sub-section (1) of section 102 of the Quetta Municipal Law, 1896, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General in Baluchistan is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules regulating the Provident Fund for the benefit of the Quetta Municipal employees promulgated with his notification No. 5885, dated the 1st December 1909.

In line 2 of rule 3 for the words "equal to one half of" substitute the words "not exceeding."

This will take effect from the 1st April 1917.

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

First Assistant.

THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 4th May 1917.

No. 1156.—In accordance with rule 10 of the rules for the grant of licenses to prospect for minerals and of mining leases published in the Resolution of the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 7552-7581—121, dated 15th September 1913, it is hereby notified that in exercise of the power conferred on him by rule 19 of the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General's order No. 4395-R.M., dated 31st December 1915, the Revenue Commissioner is pleased to renew the certificate of approval granted to Messrs. Sorabjee & Co. of Quetta under the abovementioned rules.

H. DOBBS,

Revenue Commissioner in Baluchistan.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, RAJPUTANA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mount Abu, the 3rd May 1917.

No. 2320.—For the purposes of rule 7 of the Indian Defence Force (Rajputana Railway Lands and the Abu area) Rules 1917, published in the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 557-I.B, dated the 23rd April 1917, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General is pleased to constitute an Exemption Tribunal for the Rajputana Railway lands and the Abu area and to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel C. J. Windham, C.I.E., Resident, Western Rajputana States, as the President of the Tribunal. The other two members will be nominated by the General Officer Commanding, 5th (Mhow) Division and the President, respectively. The Tribunal will hold its sittings at Mount Abu.

Applications for exemption made in accordance with rule 6 of the said rules shall be lodged with the District Magistrate of the area in which the persons on whose behalf they are made ordinarily reside.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 7th May 1917.

No. 531-*E*.—The services of Mr. H. M. Griffiths, Executive Engineer, having been placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India in the Army Department, for employment in the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, he was relieved of his duties as Executive Engineer, V Project Division, Delhi, by Mr. C. G. Barnett, Executive Engineer, on the afternoon of the 23rd April 1917.

Mr. C. G. Barnett will hold dual charge of the V and VI Project Divisions until further orders.

No. 533-*E*.—With reference to Notification No. 2251-E., dated the 10th November 1915, the 3rd Sub-Division of the I Project Division, Delhi, is abolished with effect from the 1st April 1917.

No. 535-*E*.—Rai Sahib Bishan Singh, Temporary Engineer, is transferred from the I Project Division to the V Project Division, 2nd Circle, Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of the 16th November 1916.

A. M. ROUSE,
Secretary, P. W. D., Delhi.

SURVEY OF INDIA—EASTERN CIRCLE.

NOTIFICATION.

Shillong, the 4th May 1917.

No 1.—Mr. Prafulla Chandra Mitra, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for 1 month and 15 days with effect from 26th April 1917 under Articles 246 and 260, Civil Service Regulations.

R. T. CRICHTON, Lt.-Col., I.A.,
Superintendent, Eastern Circle.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 2nd May 1917.

No. 9.—The services of 4th Class Military Assistant Surgeon L. H. F. Michael, I.S.M.D., are placed at the disposal of the Director, Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, with effect from the 5th December 1916.

R. A. NEEDHAM, Major, I.M.S.,
for Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 28th April 1917.

No. 11.—Mr. C. S. Haygarth, senior Assistant Commissioner, Lower Division, Internal Branch, under orders of transfer to the Central Office at Agra, is granted privilege leave for 16 days from the 22nd April 1917.

The 2nd May 1917.

No. 16.—Mr. Mahmud Hasan, Inspector, 2nd grade, of the Sambhar Lake Division, is appointed to act as an Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, from the 20th to 25th November 1916, both days inclusive, *vice* Mr. Hargobind Singh, sub. *pro tem.* Assistant Superintendent, in transit from Warcha to Sambhar.

J. F. CONNOLLY,
Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
223—1917	Babu Ramchandra Moray	Hindu	Grant Road, Chuna Bhati	Formerly dealer in firewood and lately Chauffear in the employ of Bapuji Hormusji Saklatwala and now unemployed.	1st	May	1917	1st	May	1917
225—1917	Jiwanji Ratanji Patel	Parsi	Kawasji Patel Street	Lately Boarding housekeeper and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
228—1917	Tukaram Laxumon Pednekar	Hindu	Pipalwadi	Clerk in the Bombay Electric Supply and Tramway Coy. Ltd.	3rd	"	"	3rd	"	"
229—1917	Krishnaji Daji Darne	"	Thakurdwar, Parsichawl	Clerk in the Bombay Electric Supply and Tramway Coy. Ltd.	"	"	"	"	"	"
222—1917	Edmund Arthur Reardon	Anglo-Indian	Byculla	Supervisor in the Royal Engineer's Department, Bombay.	"	"	"	"	"	"
224—1917	Rama Mahadu Nigdey	Hindu	Chinchpogli	Jobber in the Bombay Cotton Mills	1st	"	"	4th	"	"
226—1917	Brijmohandas Rampertab Marwadi.	"	Kalbadevi Road	Doing business under the name of Nensukhdas Rampertab.	"	"	"	"	"	"
227—1917	Shantwan Paules	Anglo-Indian	Umerkhodi	Clerk in the Royal Indian Marine Dockyard	2nd	"	"	"	"	"
230—1917	Gajanan Balkrishna Desai	Hindu	38, 2nd Fanaswadi	Clerk in the Stationery Office, Bombay	3rd	"	"	"	"	"

235—1917	Shaik Haroon *alias* Abdul Aziz Abdul Kader.	Mahomedan	Dhobi Talao	Clerk in the G. I. P. Railway at Ware Bunder (Goods Department).	4th	May	1917	7th	May	1917
233—1917	Vasanji Dewji Thucker and Damodar Dewji Thucker.	Hindu	Old Modikhana	Lately Cotton Muccadums in partnership under the name and firm of Vasanji Dewji & Co., and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
236—1917	Chrishnaji Ganesh Bedekar and Rangnath Ganesh Bedekar.	"	Manordas Street, Fort	Lately hotelkeepers and now unemployed.	7th	"	"	"	"	"
237—1917	Sakharam Govind Mahadik	"	2nd Koombharwada	Lately Tea Shopkeeper and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
238—1917	Mahomed Musa Meman	Mahomedan	Colsa Molla	Lately dealer in Coal and now unemployed	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,
Bombay, this 7th day of May 1917.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Cler

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

In Insolvency.

No. 120 OF 1915.

Dated the 4th May 1917.

Re Pandurang Jugonnath Mulay and Keroba Jugonnath Mulay, of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitants, residing at Mahim Bazar Road, 1st Insolvent clerk to Messrs. Khanderao Laud & Mehta, Solicitors, High Court, and the 2nd Insolvent clerk to Messrs. Dastur & Co., Solicitors, High Court; Insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 15th day of February 1915 against the said Insolvents has been this day annulled.

No. 46 OF 1917.

Dated the 4th May 1917.

Re Shivlal Rathi, of Bombay, Hindu Marwari, until lately carrying on business as cotton, yarn and piece-goods merchant at Kalbadevi Road, outside the Fort, Bombay: an adjudged Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 22nd day of January 1917 against the said Insolvent has been this day annulled.

No. 234 OF 1917.

Dated the 4th May 1917.

Re Bahadarmal Nemani, of Bombay, Hindu Marwadi Inhabitant, carrying on business at Shaik Memon Street without the Fort: an adjudged Insolvent.

Whereas the abovenamed Bahadarmal Nemani has been this day duly adjudged to have committed acts of Insolvency under Section IX of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909). It is ordered that all the estate and effects of the said Insolvent do vest in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, and it is further ordered that the said insolvent do, immediately after the service of the order of adjudication upon him, attend the office of the said official Assignee.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 3 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th April 1917.

In the matter of Mirza Mahomed Taki Bindahnee, No. 21, Kyaunggyi Street, Kemmendine, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Mirza Mahomed Taki Bindahnee an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 23rd day of April 1917.

CASE No. 4 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th April 1917.

In the matter of Gulam Subban, Tailor Maistry, of No. 18, 31st Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Gulam Subban an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 23rd day of April 1917.

CASE No. 15 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th April 1917.

In the matter of Nesar Ahmed, of Adamson Street, Bottarung, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that this order of the Court adjudging the said Nesar Ahmed, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 24th day of April 1917.

CASE No. 71 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 24th April 1917.

In the matter of K. Pulliah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by K. Pulliah, Clerk, No. 6, Adamson Street, Rangoon, on the 23rd day of April 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said K. Pulliah.

CASE No. 72 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th April 1917.

In the matter of Lazarus Peters, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Lazarus Peters, Clerk of No. 7, Hume Road, Rangoon, on the 24th day of April 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Lazarus Peters.

CASE No. 73 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th April 1917.

In the matter of Maung So Pe, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung So Pe, Clerk of No. 50, Crisps Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of April 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung So Pe.

CASE No. 1 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 26th April 1917.

In the matter of China Marica, Broker of No. 29, 29th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said China Marica, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 25th day of April 1917.

CASE No. 12 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 2nd May 1917.

In the matter of Batehamya, Revittor, No. 67, Dalla, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Batehamya, an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 30th day of April 1917.

CASE No. 74 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 27th April 1917.

In the matter of Maung Po Aung, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Po Aung, Clerk, of No. 40, 22nd Street, Rangoon, on the 26th day of April 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Po Aung.

CASE No. 75 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th April 1917.

In the matter of Gooroocharan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Gooroocharan of No. 30, Lewis Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of April 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Gooroocharan.

CASE No. 76 OF 1917

Rangoon, the 30th April 1917.

In the matter of Ramasawmy Soobayah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ramasawmy Soobayah, No 54, Dhoby Line, Rangoon, on the 28th day of April 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ramasawmy Soobayah

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CASE No. 77 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th April 1917.

In the matter of Solangi Reddy, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Solangi Reddy, Rickshaw Maistry, of No. 18, 17th Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of April 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Solangi Reddy

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CASE No 78 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 1st May 1917.

In the matter of Ah Htone, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ah Htone, Proprietor of Fone Chow shop, at No 15, Upper Pazundaung, Rangoon, on the 1st day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ah Htone.

(*Illegible*),
Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

Summary Case.

No. 47 OF 1915.

Dated the 7th May 1917.

Re Edward Thomas Palmer.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 3rd day of July 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 129 OF 1915.

Dated the 7th May 1917.

Re Laggaram Mistry.
Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 3rd day of July 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 156 OF 1915.

Dated the 7th May 1917.

Re Mohan Dass and Lutchmon Dass.
Ex parte the debtors.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtors having applied for their discharge, the Court has fixed the 3rd day of July 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 169 OF 1915.

Dated the 7th May 1917.

Re Ram Sarup Shaw (chota).

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 3rd day of July 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 59 OF 1917.

Dated the 3rd May 1917.

Re Manmatha Nath Ghose, residing at No. 8, Sunker Halder's Bye Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business under the name, style and firm of Manmatha Nath Ghose & Co., at No. 242, Upper Circular Road, in Calcutta aforesaid, now out of employ.

Ex parte the debtor.—Ramesh Chandra Basu, Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 23rd day of April 1917 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 63 OF 1917.

Dated the 4th May 1917.

Re Heeralall Singh, Fateh Singh and Nundram Singh, all lately residing at No. 3, Moidaputty Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and there lately carrying on business in co-partnership as merchants under the name, style and firm of Sovaram Heeralall.

Ex parte Suleman Cassim—The creditor.

Leslie and Hinds—Attorneys for the creditor.

On the 3rd day of May 1917 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 66 OF 1917.

Dated the 3rd May 1917.

Re Shaik Mahomed Kadir Meera Sahib, residing at No. 3, Mirzapore Street, in the town of Calcutta, and carrying on business at the same place as Leather Merchant.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 2nd day of May 1917 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 67 OF 1917.

Dated the 5th May 1917.

Re Jogendra Krishna Bose, residing at No. 29, Bosepara Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately in the employ of the Corporation of Calcutta, but now a pensioner.

Ex parte the debtor. Bhupendra Nath Bose & Co.—Attorneys for the Insolvent.

On the 3rd day of May 1917 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 68 OF 1917.

Dated the 8th May 1917.

Re Fateh Chand Chotay Lal, a firm lately carrying on business in flour at No. 26, Armenian Street, and also at No. 8, Hanspookur Lane, in the town of Calcutta.

Ex parte Ramessurdas Modi—the creditor.

Charu Chunder Bose—Attorney for the creditor.

On the 4th day of May 1917 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,

Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

FORM NO. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 19 OF 1917.

Dated the 27th April 1917.

In the matter of Mohamad Saddiq, son of Mohamad Ismail, of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 30th March 1917, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

FORM NO. 5.

Order Appointing a Receiver.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

SECTION 18.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 19 OF 1917.

Dated the 27th April 1917.

In the matter of Mohamad Saddiq, son of Mohamad Ismail, of Delhi, Debtor.

Whereas Mohamad Saddiq was adjudicated an insolvent by order of this Court, dated 27th April 1917, and it appears to the Court that appointment of a Receiver for the property of the insolvent is necessary.

It is ordered that a receiving order be made against the insolvent and a receiving order is hereby made against insolvent and Clerk of Court is hereby constituted Receiver of the property of the said insolvent.

FORM NO. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION NO. 20 OF 1917.

Dated the 4th May 1917.

In the matter of Mohamed Ibrahim, son of Mohamed Muzaffar, of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 20th March 1917, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

SUIT NO. 25 OF 1917.

Dated the 27th April 1917.

In the matter of insolvency of Khalifa Mahomed Ahsan Shah, son of Khalif Mahomed Jan, caste Rain, Sabzimandi, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Khalifa Mahomed Ahsan Shah to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 21st day of May 1917.

SUIT NO. 26 OF 1917.

Dated the 3rd May 1917.

In the matter of insolvency of Mithan, son of Chait Ram, caste Rajpoot, of Shahdara, Province Delhi.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Mithan to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 2nd June 1917.

SUIT NO. 27 OF 1917.

Dated the 4th May 1917.

In the matter of insolvency of Ram Chand, son of Choohai Mal, caste Khatri, of Delhi, Sabzimandi.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Ram Chand to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 2nd day of June 1917.

RAHIM BAKHSH,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 8th May 1917.

No. 578-G.—Messrs. Hari Das Gupta, Superintendent, sub *pro tem*, and S. Raghavulu Chettiar, Accountant, 1st grade, in the office of the Senior Controller of Military Supply Accounts, Calcutta, are appointed to officiate as Deputy Examiners. 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 12th and the 21st March 1917, respectively.

No 579-G.—Rai Sahib Chuni Lal Roy, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 30th April 1917.

No. 580-G.—Mr. W. Davies, Superintendent (temporary and supernumerary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 30th April 1917, *vice* Rai Sahib Chuni Lal Roy, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), granted privilege leave.

No. 581-*G*.—Mr. Provokhar Chatterjee, Officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 2nd (Rawalpindi) Division, reverts to his own grade, with effect from the 26th April 1917.

No. 582-*G*.—Mr. Provokhar Chatterjee, Accountant, 1st grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 2nd (Rawalpindi) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 1st May 1917.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant-General.

REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 7th Battalion, North Staffordshire Regiment, dated at Belgaum, this 2nd day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—8251, Private, Davis.
Height—5 feet 7 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fair. (Clean shaved.)
Date of Desertion or absence—10th March 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—In the field, Mesopotamia.
Marks—Dress: Serge trousers and khaki drill jacket.

THOS. SIDDALL, Captain,
Commanding, No. 9, Combined B. I. Depôt.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Royal Artillery Depôt, dated at Ambala, this 7th day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—65270, Gunner, Russell, S. W.
Age—About 27 years.
Height—5 feet 9½ inches.
Colour of—Complexion, swarthy; hair, brown; eyes, hazel.
Trade—Not known.
Date of Enlistment—4th April 1911.
Place of Enlistment—Not known.
Parish and County in which born—Not known.
Date of Desertion or absence—17th April 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Ambala.
Marks—Marks on Abdomen from recent operation.

F. W. DEAN, Captain, R. G. A.,
Commanding, Royal Artillery Depôt.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee from The Connaught Rangers, dated at Bangalore, this 2nd day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—9545, Private, M. O. Hara.
Age—About 40 years.
Height—5 feet 7 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, no documents to complete; hair, dark inclined to be grey.
Trade—No documents to complete.
Date of Enlistment—No documents to complete.
Place of Enlistment—No documents to complete.
Parish and County in which born—No documents to complete.
Date of desertion or absence—15th February 1917.
Place of desertion or absence—Field service, I. E. F "D.", Mesopotomia.

R. MARTIN, Major,
Commanding, 1st Battalion, The Connaught Rangers.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Battalion, The Duke of Wellington's Regiment, dated at Gharial, this 7th day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—8858, Private, Frederick Flockney.
Age—28 years.
Height—5 feet 10 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, brown; eyes, brown.
Date of Enlistment—15th January 1907.
Date of Desertion or absence—28th April 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Escort duty, Poona.
Marks—*Nil*.
Under eleven years' service.

A. O. L. DAVIS, Lieutenant,
for Lieutenant-Colonel,
Commanding, 1st Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's Regiment, dated at Gharial, this 7th day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—8749, Corporal Arthur Poole.
Age—28 years.
Height—5 feet 7 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, brown, slightly grey; eyes, brown.
Date of enlistment—15th November 1906.
Date of desertion or absence—13th April 1917.
Place of desertion or absence—Rawalpindi.
Marks—Tattooed both knees (Star).
Under 11 years' service.

A. O. L. DAVIS, Lieutenant,
for Lieutenant-Colonel,
Commanding 1st Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's Regiment, dated at Gharial, this 7th day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—8947, Private James Burns.
Age—30 years.
Height—5 feet 6 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, pale; hair, brown; eyes, blue.
Date of enlistment—21st February 1907.
Date of desertion or absence—4th May 1917.
Place of desertion or absence—Baracao, near Rawalpindi.
Marks—*Nil*. Slightly bow-legged.
Under 11 years' service.

A. O. L. DAVIS, Lieutenant,
for Lieutenant-Colonel,
Commanding 1st Battalion the Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's Regiment, dated at Gharial, this 7th day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—8717, Private Joseph Hirst.
Age—30 years.
Height—5 feet 6 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, pale; hair, brown; eyes, grey.
Date of enlistment—10th October 1906.
Date of desertion or absence—28th April 1917.
Place of desertion or absence—Escort Poona.
Marks—Tattooed, arms, legs and body. Strongly built. Boxer's appearance.
Under 11 years' service.

A. O. L. DAVIS, Lieutenant,
for Lieut.-Colonel,
Commanding 1st Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from 1st Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's Regiment, dated at Gharial, this 7th day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—10103, Private William Stansford Heap.
Age—24 years.
Height—5 feet 10 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair dark brown; eyes, brown.
Date of enlistment—15th August 1911.
Date of desertion or absence—4th May 1917.
Place of desertion or absence—Baracao, near Rawalpindi.
Marks—*Nil*.
Under 7 years' service.

A. O. L. DAVIS, Lieutenant,
for Lieutenant-Colonel,
Commanding 1st Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 28th April 1917.

No. 940s-*Ap*.—Lala Jai Kishen Das, Probationary Superintendent of post offices, United Provinces, is appointed sub. *pro tem*. Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 7th February 1917 and until further orders.

No. 943s-*Ap*.—Mr. C. W. Taylor, Inspector of post offices, Sikkim Tibet Sub-Division and officiating Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, is appointed Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, from the 16th April 1917.

The 3rd May 1917.

No. 981s-*Ap*.—Mr. Bishen Singh, Superintendent of post offices, 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 6th May 1917 or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it. Mr. Dilsukh Rai, Supernumerary Inspector, Office of the Postmaster-General, United Provinces, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. Bishen Singh, or until further orders.

The 5th May 1917.

No. 1025s-*Ap*.—Mr. P. S. Vaidya, Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, is granted privilege leave for 2 months and 15 days with effect from the 5th April 1917.

Mr. M. N. Khan, Probationary Superintendent of post offices, Bombay, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. P. S. Vaidya, or until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 4th May 1917.

No. 343s-*E. E*.—Mr. E. Thompson, Superintendent, Telegraph Workshops, is granted privilege leave for one month and ten days with effect from the 7th May 1917.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 7th May 1917.

No. 2627-*T*.—Mr. R. G. Walker, Superintendent of post offices, Traffic, Madras Circle, is granted privilege leave for two months with effect from the 27th April 1917.

No. 2631-*T*.—Mr. W. J. Comber, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, was granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 5th March 1917.

Conductor G. H. Screombe, Telegraph Master, officiated as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, from the 5th to the 23rd March 1917 and Mr. L. M. Seldon, Telegraph Master, from the 24th March 1917 to the 4th April 1917, *vice* Mr. Comber.

Notifications No. 1971-T, dated the 3rd April 1917, and No. 2151-T, dated the 12th April 1917, are cancelled.

No. 2636-*T*.—Mr. V. Stephens, who was appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, in Notification No. 1739-T, dated the 21st March 1917, reverted to the grade of Telegraph Master with effect from the 12th April 1917.

No. 2640-*T*.—Mr. J. H. Scott, who was appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, in Notification No. 1785-T, dated the 22nd March 1917, reverted to the grade of Telegraph Master with effect from the 12th April 1917.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 9th May 1917.

No. 2722-T.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 3rd May to 9th May 1917.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Government Telegraph Offices.		
Ghagra	Bihar and Orissa	26th April 1917	Opened.
Ramandrug	Madras	25th " "	"
	Railway Telegraph Offices.		
Gowari	Great Indian Peninsula Railway.	1st April 1917	Opened.
Kolvada	Do.	" " "	"
Reay Road	Do.	" " "	"
Sewri	Do.	" " "	"

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On the Great Indian Peninsula Railway.

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W. SUTHERLAND,
Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

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(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for Ceylon Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native States.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balnce of Bullion	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from currency balance.	Cents coined and paid over.	Closing balance
Calcutta	28	...	...	28	12	...	12	6	(a) 42	1	9	58	...	...	...	...	...	15
Bombay	56	...	...	56	61	...	61	...	(b) 116	5	...	121	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 27 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
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A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint;
Calcutta, the 11th May 1917.

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Total Gross Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue)

[In thousands of Rupees]

	In the month of April									
	1908-09	1909-10	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18
Sea Customs—Imports										
Special Duties										
Arms, ammunition, and military stores	40	41	40	38	52	54	54	44	68(*l*)	36(*l*)
Coal, coke, and patent fuel (*a*)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Cotton manufactures (*b*)—										
Piecegoods, grey	4,54	5,17	4.17	5,22	7,24	8,18	6,76	5,15	5,22	6,96
" white	3,10	2,06	3,01	3,17	4,68	4,76	4,10	1,83	3,41	8,22
" coloured	2,99	1,88	3,51	3,46	4,20	5,13	4,21	98	2,89	10,81
Other goods	31	22	38	31	33	39	35	22	43	1,15
Liquors—										
Ale, beer, porter, cider and other fermented liquors	41	42	69	65	99	75	70	41	57	40
Spirits and liqueurs	8,45	8,58	10,48	8,93	8,51	9,07	10,77	7,90	7,53	7,11
Wines	40	34	56	45	47	54	45	48	46	24
Opium	..	...	1	...	1	1	..		1	...
Petroleum	4,30	5,10	4,28	4,43	7,33	4,90	7,81	5,61	2,99(*m*)	2,56(*m*)
Silver—										
Silver bullion and coin (*c*)	5,87	2,39	13,07	13,37	11,05	5,88	15,57	12,04	1,71	1,95
Silver manufactures (*d*)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	27
Sugar, all sorts (*b*)	2,48	2,74	4,22	3,97	4,15	5,23	4,50	3,07	6,66(*n*)	8,65(*n*)
Tobacco (*c*)	30	44	1,58	1,93	3,54	2,93	2,44	1,23	3,20	4,21
Duty at 2½ per cent										
Machinery (*a*)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	79	67
Metals—Iron and Steel	1,06	80	90	82	92	1,74	1,67	67	1,66	1,20
Railway plant and rolling stock (*a*)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	42	10
Other articles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	39	24
Duty at 7½ per cent										
Articles of food and drink (excluding sugar and vinegar) (*e*)	1,79	1,63	1,69	1,76	2,17	2,19	2,32	2,24	3,24	3,03
Raw materials and articles mainly unmanufactured (*f*)	1,68	1,06	1,33	1,21	1,84	1,30	1,17	1,19	2,36	3,14
Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—										
Cutlery, hardware, implements and instruments	2,27	1,97	2,29	2,13	2,55	3,30	2,93	1,75	3,07	2,29
Metals, other than Iron and Steel	2,61	1,26	2,12	1,85	1,57	2,12	3,32	1,01	77	85
Yarn and textile fabrics (other than cotton manufactures) (*g*)	1,94	1,47	2,31	2,18	2,59	2,74	2,21	2,00	3,62	4,61
All other articles wholly or mainly manufactured (*h*)	5,34	5,54	7,01	6.95	7,16	10,11	9,33	6,24	12,78	10,74
Miscellaneous (*i*)	21	65	14	85	2,30	53	71	5	19	52
Total Imports	50,45	44,13	65,25	64,02	74,12	72,34	81,86	54,46	65,42	80,29
Sea Customs—Exports										
Jute (*a*)—										
Raw	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,99	85
Manufactured	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,33	8,27
Rice	12,09	10,62	14,96	13,32	18,82	15,53	11,68	6,54	5,42	5.71
Tea (*a*)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,17	1,30
Total Exports	12,09	10,62	14,96	13,32	18,82	15,53	11,68	6,54	10,91	16,13
Sea Customs—Miscellaneous (*j*)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	67	85
Land Customs (*k*)	76	1,01	91	86	1,18	1,05	1,12	1,11	48	44
Excise duty on cotton manufactures	1,00	1,38	1,05	1,26	1,35	1,72	1,36	76	1,99	2,36
Warehouse and wharf rents (*j*)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2
Miscellaneous (*j*)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	23	30
GRAND TOTAL	64,30	57,14	82.17	79,46	95,47	90,64	96,02	62,87	79,71	1,00,39
Provincial distribution of Imports and Exports										
Bengal — Imports	15,16	15,63	17,50	19,13	21,27	25.69	26,78	20.28	27,68	27,29
Bengal — Exports	71	1,24	2,47	2,53	3,19	2,35	1,59	41	5,59	10,18
Bihar and Orissa — Imports	—	—	—	—	...	...	...	...	...	
Bihar and Orissa — Exports	—	—	—	—	14	9	4	..	...	
Bombay — Imports	19,58	15,60	31,28	27,24	33,96	24,61	33,83	20,67	21,01	31,59
Bombay — Exports	26	38	28	15	21	28	29	37	67	82
Sind — Imports	4,86	3,78	6,92	6.67	7,80	7,80	7.19	5,05	4,45	10,76
Sind — Exports	11	16	15	17	16	24	25	13	78	46
Madras — Imports	4,45	4,63	4,61	5,09	4.92	6,73	7,39	3,95	5,94	4,41
Madras — Exports	1,10	45	51	79	54	53	81	65	1,11	75
Burma — Imports	6.40	4,44	4,94	4,99	6,17	7.51	7,22	4,51	6,38	6,24
Burma — Exports	9,91	8,39	11,55	9,68	14,58	12,04	8,70	4,98	2,76	3,92

(*a*) Not subject to duty prior to March, 1916
(*b*) Figures prior to March, 1916, were shown under "General Import Duties" of the old tariff
(*c*) Figures for the years previous to 1910-11 were shown under "General Import Duties" of the old tariff
(*d*) Figures prior to March, 1916, are included with "All other articles wholly or mainly manufactured"
(*e*) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 include vinegar
(*f*) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 are exclusive of raw silk, raw hemp, and raw flax, which are included with "Yarn and textile fabrics"
(*g*) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 include raw silk, raw hemp, and raw flax but exclude haberdashery and millinery
(*h*) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 include haberdashery and millinery and coral
(*i*) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 represent articles imported by post only
(*j*) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 are included under "Land Customs"
(*k*) Figures for the years previous to 1916-17 represent the old combined head "Land Customs and miscellaneous"
(*l*) Figures for 1916-17 and 1917-18 exclude the duty collected on explosives, namely, blasting gun powder, etc., at 7½ per cent *ad valorem*
(*m*) Figures for 1916-17 and 1917-18 exclude the duty collected on petroleum which has its flashing point at or above 150°F, or 200°F. at 7½ per cent *ad valorem*
(*n*) Figures for 1916-17 and 1917-18 exclude the duty collected on confectionery at 7½ per cent *ad valorem*

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H. F. HOWARD,
Secretary to the Government of India

Calcutta, May 5, 1917

COTTON PRESS RETURN.

No. 14 of 1916-17.

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 31st March, 1917.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each) (*a*)	Percentage to total for India	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton pressed in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity pressed from 1st September, 1916, to 31st March, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs each)	
						Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda . .	1,519,000	35·6	194	33	35,239	242,320	443,977
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States) .	600,000	14·0	164	89	44,675	554,866	918,169
Madras	377,000	8·8	55	15	(*b*)12,159	65,634	95,668
Punjab (including Native States)	333,000	7·8	92	9	3,798	156,484	181,573
United Provinces . . .	309,000	7·2	80	8	1,312	242,121	232,471
Sind	74,000	1·7	16	3	4,897	45,608	35,351
Burma	45,000	1·1	16	2	1,707	39,296	23,755
Bihar and Orissa . . .	16,000	0·4	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	20,000	0·5	3	3	1,456	4,771	7,828
Assam	11,000	0·3	...	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province	6,000	0·1	1	1	105	2,998	930
Ajmer-Merwara . . .	19,000	0·4	9	4	3,052	25,555	(*c*)
Delhi	...	...	1	1	...	1,067	1,123
Total British Provinces (*d*)	3,329,000	77·9	631	163	108,400	1,380,720	1,940,845
Hyderabad	500,000	11·7	41	(*f*)	(*f*)	3,541	17,993
Central India . . .	309,000	7·2	32	(*f*)	(*f*)	(*f*)	(*f*)
Rajputana	119,000	2·8	10	2	6,084	31,193	17,627
Mysore	16,000	0·4	3	1	647	6,025	11,771
Total Native States (*e*) .	944,000	22·1	86	3	6,731	40,759	47,391
GRAND TOTAL .	4,273,000	100	717	166	115,131	1,421,479	1,988,236

(*a*) The figures in column 2 are the estimates for 1916-17 as published in the Supplementary Memorandum on the Cotton crop of 1916-17, dated the 20th March, 1917.
(*b*) Figures for the weeks ending 17th, 24th, and 31st March, 1917.
(*c*) No returns received.
(*d*) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*e*) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*f*) Returns not received from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 31st March, 1917. (Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received in the half-month	Quantity of cotton received in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	TOTAL QUANTITY RECEIVED FROM 1ST SEPTEMBER, 1916, TO 31ST MARCH, 1917, (BALES OF 400 lbs EACH)	
				Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	177	31	22,259	151,527	207,875
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	10	6	675	37,856	67,397
Madras	14	7	(*a*)7,000	56,489	54,522
Punjab	3	1	327	4,609	8,890
United Provinces	15	(*b*)	(*b*)	19,450	41,398
Sind	3	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)
Bengal	10	9	4,574	44,719	38,470
Ajmer-Merwara	2	2	1,605	35,965	(*b*)
Delhi	2	2	87	9,059	11,102
TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (*c*)	236	58	36,527	359,674	429,654
Hyderabad	3	2	98	3,955	3,722
Central India	3	1	1,302	15,755	9,260
Rajputana	1	(*e*)	(*e*)	(*e*)	(*e*)
Mysore	2	2	46	1.337	1,926
TOTAL NATIVE STATES (*d*)	9	5	1,446	21,047	14,908
GRAND TOTAL	245	63	37,973	380,721	444,562

Note.—This statement shows the quantity of *unpressed* cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.

(*a*) Figures for the weeks ending 17th, 24th and 31st March 1917.
(*b*) No returns received.
(*c*) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*d*) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*e*) Returns not received from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

III.—Total quantity of cotton pressed in the Pressing Factories and of unpressed cotton received in the Spinning Mills, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st March, 1917, in *British Provinces (including Native States within Provincial boundaries)*.

Province	Total estimated outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of cotton pressed up to 31st March, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of unpressed cotton received in spinning mills up to 31st March, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total of columns 3 and 4 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Percentage ratio of col. 5 to col. 2
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	242,320	151,527	393,847	25·9
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	554,866	37,856	592,722	98·8
Madras	377,000	65,634	56,489	122,123	32·4
Punjab (including Native States) North-West Frontier Province Delhi	339,000	160,549	13,668	174,217	51·4
United Provinces	309,000	242,121	19,450	261,571	84·7
Sind	74,000	45,608	...	45,608	61·6
Burma	45,000	39,296	...	39,296	87·3
Bengal Bihar and Orissa Assam	47,000	4,771	44,719	49,490	105·3
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	25,555	35,965	61,520*	323·8
TOTAL	3,329,000	1,380,720	359,674	1,740,394	52·3

Note.—This table contains the totals of tables I and II excluding Hyderabad, Central India, Rajputana, and Mysore

* Includes cotton received from the adjoining States in Rajputana.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA
May 8, 1917

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA

CALCUTTA, MAY 10, 1917.

SUPPLEMENTARY MEMORANDUM ON THE WHEAT CROP FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 5TH MAY, 1917.

This is the fourth of the fortnightly reports on the condition of the Indian wheat crop. Since the publication of the last Supplementary Memorandum on April 24, revised estimates of area have been received from the Punjab, the Central Provinces and Berar, Bihar and Orissa, and the North-West Frontier Province ; and the total revised area for all-India now stands at 32,773,000 acres, as against 32,955,000 acres, reported in the last Supplementary Memorandum.

The condition of the crop generally continues good, except in the unirrigated areas of the Punjab and Delhi. Slight damage by rain has been reported from parts of the Punjab, from the western districts of the United Provinces, and by hailstorms from parts of the North-West Frontier Province. The rainfall in the Punjab has not affected the quantity of the crop but only the quality, if at all. The unsettled weather in the Punjab has somewhat delayed harvesting. The crop in the United Provinces is good and outturn on the whole is thought to be above normal. In Sind rust and insufficient irrigation have affected outturn in parts.

Harvesting has been completed in the United Provinces, Bombay, Bengal, and Ajmer-Merwara, and is nearing completion in the Central Provinces, Bihar and Orissa, Delhi, the Punjab, and Sind. It has not yet commenced in the hilly tracts of the North-West Frontier Province. Threshing has commenced in the Punjab, Delhi, and Sind, and is continuing in the United Provinces and Bihar and Orissa. It is in full swing in the Central Provinces, Bombay, Bengal, and Ajmer-Merwara.

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

Punjab.—The total area is now estimated at 10,799,000 acres (1,269,000 acres being in the Native States) as against 11,050,000 acres reported in the Special Forecast. Rain, accompanied at places by hail, at the beginning of the fortnight, and subsequent light showers caused some damage to wheat already reaped, and retarded harvesting operations. Reaping is almost finished, except in the northern Punjab, and threshing has commenced except in the south-east, where it is approaching completion. The outturn is reported to be normal or somewhat below normal on irrigated areas, and below normal or poor on unirrigated areas.

United Provinces.—No change has been reported in the estimate of area or of outturn given in the Special Forecast. Harvesting is now finished. Threshing and winnowing are, however, being delayed by east winds and rain. Reports have been received from the western districts to the effect that grain on threshing floors is being spoilt by rain. Reports as to outturn continue to be generally satisfactory. As a result of weighments made in his Circle, the Deputy Director of Agriculture, Central Circle, reports the outturn in Bundelkhand to be above normal and that in the lower and middle Doab to be fully normal.

Central Provinces and Berar.—The total area is now estimated at 3,974,000 acres (130,000 acres being in the States of Khairagarh and Nandgaon), as against 3,931,000 acres, reported in the Supplementary Memorandum for the previous fortnight. The weather was cloudy with some rain, but no damage has been reported by rain or otherwise. Harvesting is almost completed throughout the province, and threshing and winnowing are in full swing. The yield is reported to be satisfactory.

Bombay and Sind.—No change has been reported in the estimate of area or outturn in the Presidency, where threshing is in full swing. In Sind rust and insufficient irrigation affected outturn in parts. In the south harvesting is well advanced, and threshing is in progress.

Bihar and Orissa.—The total area is now estimated at 1,308,000 acres as against 1,296,000 acres reported in the Special Forecast. Slight damage by recent rain to wheat on threshing floors is apprehended in two districts. Harvesting is almost completed and threshing continues. The yield is reported to be satisfactory.

North-West Frontier Province.—The total area is now estimated at 992,000 acres as against 978,000 acres, reported in the Special Forecast. No change has been reported in the estimate of outturn. Slight rain accompanied by local hailstorms again fell, but no serious damage has been caused to the standing crop. Harvesting has not yet commenced in the hilly tracts, but it is in progress elsewhere. The condition of standing crops is generally average.

Bengal.—No change has been reported in the estimate of area or outturn. During the fortnight rainfall did not affect the general condition of the crop in any way. Harvesting is finished and threshing is approaching completion. The outturn is generally reported to be fair.

Delhi.—No change has been reported in the estimate of area or outturn. During the fortnight there were some showers but no rainfall of significance. Harvesting of the irrigated wheat crop is finished. The yield is reported to be half the average on unirrigated and normal on irrigated areas.

Ajmer-Merwara.—No change has been reported in the estimate of area or outturn. Light showers at places did no damage to the crop. Threshing and winnowing are in full swing. The yield is reported to be satisfactory.

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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Simla, the 10th May, 1917.

No. 14.—Mr. C. H. F. Pereira, Registrar, Legislative Department, is granted privilege leave for three months, under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th May 1917.

No. 15.—Babu Amrita Lal Banerjee, B.A., a Superintendent in the Legislative Department, is appointed to officiate as Registrar in that Department, with effect from the 14th May 1917, and until further orders.

No. 16.—Mr. A. St. C. McMahon, an Assistant in the Legislative Department, is appointed to officiate as a Superintendent in that Department, with effect from the 14th May 1917, and until further orders.

The 11th May, 1917.

No. 17.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. James Bennett Brunyate, C.S.I., C.I.E., of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

No. 18.—For the purposes of section 63 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, c. 61), and in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, the Governor General is pleased to nominate Mr. Charles Ernest Low, C.I.E., being an official, to be an Additional Member of the said Council, in the said Act referred to as the Indian Legislative Council.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

POLICE.

Simla, the 8th May, 1917.

No. 230.—The services of Lieutenant C. H. Taylor, 1st Garrison Battalion, Lincolnshire Regiment, were at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Assam, from the 30th January 1917 to the 28th February 1917 for employment in the Assam Military Police.

The 10th May, 1917.

No. 238.—The services of Major A. Vickers, 48th Pioneers, and Captain G. J. E. Manisty, 2-67th Punjabis, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam for employment with the Assam Military Police, with effect from the date on which they assume charge of their duties.

J. H. DeBOULAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 7th May, 1917.

No. 521-Est.-A.—Major H. V. Biscoe of the Political Department is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for nine months, with effect from the 18th April 1917, under Articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 522-Est.-A.—Mr. J. G Acheson, Indian Civil Service (United Provinces) is appointed temporarily to officiate in the Political Department of the Government of India and is posted as Assistant Political Agent and Assistant Commissioner in Quetta-Pishin, with effect from the 18th April 1917.

No. 529-Est.-A.—Major T. H. Keyes of the Political Department is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for three months, with effect from the 10th April 1917, under Articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

The 8th May, 1917.

No. 537-Est.-A.—With reference to No. 5 of the rules regulating the admission of junior members of the Indian Civil Service to the Political Department of the Government of

India (*vide* notifications No. 3104-Est.-A., dated the 6th October 1910, and No. 724-Est.-A, dated the 15th April 1915) the undermentioned officer is confirmed in the Political Department:—

Mr. R. R. Maconachie, I.C.S. (Punjab).

No. 540-Est.-A—*Corrigendum.*—In notification No. 2586-Est.-A., dated the 18th November 1916, posting Mr. C. P. Skrine, I.C.S., as Assistant and His Britannic Majesty's Vice-Consul, Kerman, *for* "10th November 1916" *read* "18th October 1916."

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The 9th May, 1917.

No. 560-G.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. M. J. ten Houte de Lange as Acting Consul for the Netherlands at Rangoon during the absence of Mr. W. Massink.

The 11th May, 1917.

No. 567-Est.-A.—Lieutenant T V Brenan, 11th Essex Regiment, is appointed to be His Britannic Majesty's Vice-Consul at Birjand, with effect from the 29th December 1916.

A. H. GRANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

The 11th May, 1917.

No 574-G.—Mr. R. C. Albert, a Secretariat Assistant in Class I is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, 3rd grade, with effect from the 4th May 1917 *vice* Mr. G. P. de a Hey reverted.

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

AGRICULTURE.

Simla, the 10th May, 1917.

No. 386-164 3.—The services of Mr. J. N. Sen, M.A., F.C.S., Supernumerary Agricultural Chemist in the Imperial Department of Agriculture in India, Pusa, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces, with effect from the 14th April 1917.

CIVIL VETERINARY ADMINISTRATION.

The 11th May, 1917.

No. 479-13-1.—Mr. T. F. Quirke, M.R.C.V.S., Indian Civil Veterinary Department, is posted as Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, North-West Frontier Province and North Punjab Circle, with effect from the forenoon of the 19th April 1917.

METEOROLOGY.

The 11th May, 1917.

No. 477-7.—The services of Dr. G. C. Simpson, F.R.S., Imperial Meteorologist, on deputation with Indian Expeditionary Force "D," were replaced at the disposal of the Meteorological Department, with effect from the forenoon of the 26th May 1916.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 12th May, 1917.

No. 5273-Spl.—In pursuance of Section 6 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to rescind the order issued in the Commerce and Industry Department Notification No. 8473-W.II, dated the 9th September 1916, declaring void under the said Section, the transfer of the business of Messrs. Ernsthausen, Limited, to the East Indian Exports, Limited.

CUSTOMS.

The 12th May, 1917.

No. 5324-C.W.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1911, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or by land, into British India of any copy of the book entitled "Is Japan a menace to Asia," by Tarak Nath Dass, printed at Commercial Press, Shanghai.

No. 5385-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in supersession of the orders embodied in the Notification in this Department No. 7133-W.-II, dated the 12th August 1916, as subsequently amended and in Notifications Nos. 4359-C.W., and 4591-C.W., dated, respectively, the 21st and 28th April 1917, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the export of all goods mentioned in the Schedule hereto attached be prohibited as indicated in the said Schedule. Further, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the export from British India of foodstuffs and textile coverings of all kinds to Norway and of all goods to Denmark, Sweden, Greece, Holland and Switzerland :—

Provided that nothing in this Notification shall be deemed to prohibit

(*i*) the export of any article by, or for the use of, the Crown ;

(*ii*) the export of any article shipped for use or consumption on the voyage, except where the Governor General in Council by general or special order otherwise directs ;

(*iii*) the export of any article (other than wool) shipped to any Indian port ;

(*iv*) the export of any article for use or consumption in any Native State in India ; and

(*v*) the export of any article shipped under a license granted by the Chief Customs officer at the place of export.

SCHEDULE.

The export of the goods mentioned below is prohibited as follows :—

(*i*) Goods marked (A) **to all destinations.**

(*ii*) „ „ (B) **to all destinations except the United Kingdom.**

(*iii*) „ „ (C) **to all destinations except the United Kingdom, British Possessions and Protectorates.**

(*iv*) „ „ (D) **to all destinations in foreign countries on the Mediterranean and Black Seas other than France, Russia, Italy, Spain and Portugal, and to all Russian Baltic ports.**

(A) Ammunition and materials used in its manufacture.
(A) Antifriction or white metal.
(A) Arms of all descriptions with their component parts.
(A) Avaram bark.

(D) Balsams.
(D) Bamboos.
(A) Barbed wire and implements for fixing and cutting the same.
Barks, the following :—
(A) Avaram.
(A) Konnam.
(A) Velam.
(B) Cinchona.†
(D) Barley.
(D) Beans, not including Haricot beans.
(C) Benzine§.
(D) Bladders.
(A) Boilers, marine, including parts thereof.
(A) Boots and shoes, Naval and Military.
(D) Bran.
(D) Brewers' dried yeast.
(D) Brewers' grains.
(A) Bridge work, steel.
(D) Buckwheat.
(A) Buffalo hides—raw.
(A) Buffalo hides (including calf)—tanned and partially tanned.
(A) Bullocks† ‡.

(D) Calf meal.
(A) Camels† ‡.
(C) Candles made from paraffin wax.
(A) Canvas, flax.
(C) Capsicum.
(C) Casings.
(C) Castor oil.
(C) Castor seed.
(D) Cattle foods, patent and proprietary of all kinds.
(A) Cattle, slaughter† ‡.
(A) Caustic soda (Sodium Hydroxide).
(B) Chrome iron ore (Chromite).
(B) Cinchona Bark†.
(A) Coal.
(D) Cocoanut or poonac cake.
(C) Cocoanut oil.
(D) Cocoanuts.
(D) Coffee.
(D) Coir and yarn made therefrom.
(A) Coke.
(A) Copper.
(C) Copra
(B) Corundum of all kinds, including rubies and sapphires
(D) Cotton, raw.
(D) Cotton, tree, all varieties, and yarn made therefrom.
(D) Cotton yarn and thread.
(D) Cottonseed.
(D) Cottonseed cake, decorticated and undecorticated.
(D) Cottonseed meal.
(C) Cottonseed oil.
(A) Cow-hides (including calf),—partially tanned (otherwise known as "East India Kips").
(A) Cow-hides (including calf)—raw.
(A) Cow-hides (including calf),—tanned (leather).

(D) Dari
(A) Detonators.
(B) Diamonds.
(D) Distillers' grains.
(A) Divi Divi.
(A) Dyes and dyestuffs manufactured from coal tar products.

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(A) Engines, marine, including parts thereof.
(A) Equipment, medical and surgical, of all descriptions.
(A) Equipment, naval and military, not otherwise specifically prohibited.
(A) Explosives and materials used in their manufacture.

(D) Fibres, the following, namely :—
Coir.
Rhea.
Palmyra.
(D) Fish, concentrated.
(D) Fishmeal.
(C) Flax.
(A) Flax, canvas.
(D) Forage and food for animals, including the following, namely :—
Beans (not including Haricot Beans).
Brewers' and distillers' grains.
Brewers' dried yeast.
Buckwheat.
Cakes and Meals, the following, namely :—
Biscuit meal.
Calf meal.
Cocoanut or poonac cake.
Compound cakes and meal.
Cottonseed cake, decorticated and undecorticated, and Cottonseed meal.
Fishmeal and concentrated fish.
Gluten meal or gluten feed.
Groundnut cake and meal.
Huskmeal
Linseed cake and meal.
Locust bean meal.
Mahua or Mhowra cake.
Maize germ meal.
Maize meal.
Meat meal.
Niger cake
Palmnut cake and meal.
Poppyseed cake.
Rapeseed cake and meal.
Safflower cake.
Sesamum cake.
Soya bean cake and meal.
Dari.
Hay.
Hempseed.
Lentils.
Maize.
Malt dust, culms, sprouts or combings
Millet.
Offals of corn and grain including the following, namely :—
Bran and Pollard.
Mill dust and screenings of all kinds.
Rice meal (or bran) and dust.
Sharps and middlings.
Patent and proprietary cattle foods of all kinds.
Peas (except split, tinned and bottled peas packed in cardboard boxes and similar receptacles).
Straw
(A) Forgings, of all kinds.
(D) Foods, cattle and proprietary of all kinds.
(A) Fuses

(D) Gluten feed.
(D) Gluten meal.
(A) Goats †‡

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(C) Goatskins, raw.
(A) Goatskins, tanned
(D) Grains, brewers' and distillers'.
(D) Groundnuts (Arachides).
(D) Groundnut cake and meal.
(C) Groundnut oil.
(A) Guns of all descriptions with their component parts.
(A) Gun mountings of all descriptions with their component parts.
(D) Gums.
(A) Gum lac.
(D) Guts.

(A) Harness, naval and military.
(A) Hawsers, steel.
(D) Hay.
(A) Heliographs.
(C) Hemp.
(D) Hempseed.
(A) Hides, raw.
(A) Hides, tanned and partially tanned —buffalo and cow (including calf).
(A) Hoops, iron and steel.
(A) Horses.† ‡
(D) Husk meal.

(A) Ingots, steel.
(A) Instruments, veterinary †
(A) Iron, the following, namely :—
Forgings
Hoops.
Pig.
Plates, galvanised and plain.
Scrap.
Sheets, galvanised and plain.
Wire, galvanised and plain.
Wrought and malleable, unmanufactured.

(A) Joists, steel.
(B) Jute, manufactured.
(A) Jute, raw.

(D) Kapok and yarn made therefrom.
(D) Kernels, palm.
(A) Kips, East India tanned.
(A) Konnam bark.

(A) Lacs of all kinds, including shellac, gum lac, seed lac, stick lac, but not lac dye.
(B) Lead of all kinds†.
(A) Lead coated sheets.
(A) Leather, hides tanned—buffalo and cow.
(A) Leather, finished.
(D) Lentils.
(C) Linseed.
(D) Linseed cake and meal.
(C) Linseed oil.
(D) Locust bean meal.

(A) Machinery of all kinds.
(D) Mahua cake.
(D) Maize.
(D) Maize germ meal.
(D) Maize meal.
(D) Malt dust, culms, sprouts or combings.
(A) Manganese ore.

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(A) Manurial mixtures containing saltpetre.
(A) Marine boilers and engines, including parts thereof.
(A) Medical and Surgical stores and equipment of every description† ‡, other than (1) castor seed, linseed and oils extracted therefrom, and (2) cinchona bark.
(A) Medicines, veterinary†.
(A) Metal, antifriction or white.
(C) Mhowra (or Mahua).
(D) Mhowra cake.
(A) Mica.

Military and Naval Stores (see "Stores").

(D) Mill dust and screenings of all kinds.
(A) Mill work of all kinds.
(D) Millet.
Minerals, the following, namely :—
(B) Chrome Iron Ore (Chromite).
(A) Manganese ore.
(A) Mica.
(B) Monazite sand.
(A) Wolfram and Tungsten or any Tungsten ore.
(A) Mining cables.
(A) Mules† ‡.

Naval and Military Stores (see "Stores").

(D) Niger cake.
(D) Niger seed.
(B) Noils, silk.

Oils, the following, namely :—
(C) Castor
(C) Cocoanut.
(C) Cottonseed.
(C) Groundnut.
(C) Linseed.
(D) All essential.
(D) All non-essential vegetable not otherwise specifically prohibited.
(D) Oleaginous nuts, seeds and products other than oils, the following, namely :—
Cocoanuts.
Cottonseed.
Groundnuts (Arachides).
Niger seed.
Palm kernels.
Poppyseed.
Rapeseed.
Safflower seed.
Sesame seed.
Soya beans.

(D) Palm kernels.
(D) Palmnut cake and meal.
(D) Palmyra fibre and yarn made therefrom.
(C) Paraffin wax, including candles made therefrom.§
(D) Patent and proprietary cattle foods of all kinds
(D) Peas (except split, tinned and bottled peas packed in card-board boxes and other similar receptacles).
(C) Pepper.
(C) Petrol.§
(A) Pig iron

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(B) Pig lead.
(D) Pimento.
(A) Pipes, steel, of all descriptions.
(A) Plates, iron and steel, galvanised and plain.
(A) Plates, tin, and receptacles made from tin plates.
(D) Pollard.
(D) Poonac or Cocoanut cake.
(D) Poppyseed.
(D) Poppyseed cake.
(D) Proprietary cattle foods of all kinds.

(A) Railway material (excepting Teak).§
(D) Rapeseed.
(D) Rapeseed cake and meal.
(D) Rattans.
(D) Resinous substances of all kinds.
(D) Resins.
(D) Rhea and yarn made therefrom.
(D) Rice.
(D) Rice meal (or bran) and dust.
(A) Roller bearings, steel.
(C) Rubber, raw and manufactured.§
(B) Rubies.

(D) Safflower cake.
(D) Safflower seed.
(A) Saltpetre.
(A) Saltpetre, manurial mixtures containing.
(B) Sapphires.
(A) Scrap iron.
(A) Scrap steel.
Seeds, oleaginous, and their products other than oils, the following, namely:—
(C) Castor.
(D) Cocoanuts.
(D) Cottonseed.
(D) Groundnuts (Arachides).
(D) Niger seed.
(D) Palm Kernels.
(D) Poppyseed.
(D) Rapeseed.
(D) Safflower seed.
(D) Sesame seed.
(D) Soya beans.
(D) Sesame seed.
(D) Sesamum cake.
(D) Sharps.
(A) Sheep.‡ †
(C) Sheep skins, raw.
(A) Sheep skins, tanned.
(A) Sheets, iron and steel, galvanised and plain.
(A) Sheets, lead coated.
(A) Shellac.
(A) Ship construction, materials used in (excepting Teak).
(B) Silk noils.
(C) Skins, goat and sheep, raw.
(A) Skins, goat and sheep, tanned.
(A) Slabs, steel.
(A) Soda caustic (Sodium Hydroxide).
(A) Sodium Carbonate.
(D) Soya beans.
(D) Soya bean cake.
(D) Soya bean meal.
(D) Spices, other than pepper and capsicum.

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(A) Squares, steel.
(A) Steel, the following, namely :—
Angles.
Ball bearings.
Beams.
Billets.
Blooms.
Bridge work.
Bulbs.
Castings.
Chains.
Channels.
Flats.
Forgings.
Hawsers.
High tensile and cast steel containing chrome, nickel, cobalt, vanadium, tungsten, or molybdenum, raw and manufactured.
Hoops.
Ingots.
Joists.
Pipes of all descriptions.*
Plates, galvanised and plain.
Roller bearings.
Ropes.
Rounds.
Scrap.
Sectional material, not otherwise specifically prohibited.
Sheets, galvanised and plain.
Slabs.
Structures.
Structural material.
Squares.
Tees.
Tubes of all descriptions.
Wire, galvanised and plain.
Zeds.
(A) Stores, naval and military, of every description, including the following, namely :—
Accoutrements.
Ammunition and explosives and the materials used in their manufacture.
Armour plates.
Arms, guns and gun mountings of all descriptions, with their component parts.
Balloons, kites, airships and aeroplanes, including parts thereof.
Barbed wire and implements for fixing and cutting the same.
Canvas, flax.
Entrenching tools.
Fuses and detonators.
Heliographs, signal flags and naval and military signalling apparatus of all descriptions, including wireless telegraphy apparatus.
Marine boilers and engines, including any parts thereof.
Materials used in ship construction.
Mining cables.
Range finders.
Searchlight apparatus.
Submarine mines and torpedoes.
Tarpaulins.
Tents, uniforms, boots, shoes, harness and other equipment.
Torpedo net defence and parts thereof.
(D) Straw.
(A) Surgical stores of every description.†‡
Tanning materials, the following :—
(A) Avaram bark.
(A) Divi Divi.

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(A) Konnam bark.
(A) Velam bark.
(C) Other kinds.
(A) Tarpaulins.
(D) Tea*.
(B) Teak.
(A) Tees, steel.
(A) Telegraph material.§
(A) Telephone material.§
(A) Tents.
(D) Thread, cotton.
(A) Tin plates and receptacles made from tin plates.
(A) Tubes, steel of all descriptions.
(A) Tungsten.
(A) Tungsten ore.

(A) Uniforms.

(A) Velam bark.
(A) Veterinary appliances, instruments and medicines.†

(C) Wax paraffin, including candles made therefrom.
(A) Wheat.
(D) Wheat, buck.
(A) Wheat flour.
(A) Wire, iron and steel, galvanised and plain.
(A) Wireless telegraphy apparatus.
(A) Wolfram.
(A) Wool, raw.

(D) Yarns made from the following, namely.—
Coir.
Cotton.
Kapok.
Palmyra.
Rhea.
All varieties of tree cotton.
(D) Yeast, brewers' dried.

(A) Zeds, steel.
(A) Zinc.

NOTES.—* The export of Tea to the United Kingdom is also prohibited.
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CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 12th May, 1917.

No. 5123-C. W.—The services of Mr. F. J. G. Geary, I.C.S., an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Indian Munitions Board, with effect from the 4th May 1917.

No. 5399-C. W.—Mr. A. H. P. Wolferstan, an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, is granted such privilege leave as may be due to him on the 31st May 1917, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, in combination with furlough, preparatory to retirement, up to the 2nd March 1918.

GENERAL.

The 12th May, 1917.

No. 5097-C.—Mr. Kali Dass Banerji, B. A., *sub-pro-tempore* Secretariat Superintendent, 3rd grade, is granted privilege leave for two months and one day, with effect from the 14th May 1917.

Mr. P. Wood-Collins, Secretariat Assistant, 2nd grade, is appointed to officiate as Secretariat Superintendent, 3rd grade.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 12th May, 1917.

No. 5258-C. W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 66-C.W.D., dated the 13th January 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

Additions.

Batavia Sea and Fire Insurance Company.
East India Fire and Sea Insurance Company.
Shengwo and Company, Hankow.
United Netherlands Lloyds.

Alterations.

"Heisch, P. F." should read "Hartwell, P. F."
"Thomson, G. Irwin" should read "Thomson, Irvin."
"Vikula Morocov" should read "Vicula, Morosov."

No. 5365-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the entry "Muhammad Mehdi Samsar, Isfaman" shall be deleted from the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 5041-C.W., dated the 5th May 1917.

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Simla, the 10th May, 1917.

No. 172.—The services of the Reverend G. C. Macpherson, a junior chaplain of the Church of Scotland on the Bengal Ecclesiastical Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces.

EDUCATION.

The 11th May, 1917.

No. 423.—The services of Miss M. L. D. Marshall, Inspectress of Schools, Multan Division, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor General, North-West Frontier Province, with effect from the date on which she takes over charge of her duties as Inspectress of schools in that province.

EXAMINATIONS.

The 8th May, 1917.

No. 55.—The following amendment is made in the rules for the encouragement of the study of oriental languages, published with the Department of Education notification no. 80, dated the 6th June 1914 :—

In rule VIII, sub-paragraph 7, in the list of tour examinations conducted at Lucknow and Lahore by the Secretary to the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, against *Urdu* add "and Degree of Honour" after "High Proficiency" deleting the word "and" between "Proficiency" and "High Proficiency" and inserting a comma in its place.

GENERAL.

The 11th May, 1917.

No. 343.—Mr. A. H. Bartlett, Superintendent, 3rd grade, Department of Education, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from the forenoon of the 14th May 1917.

No. 344.—In consequence of the grant of six weeks' privilege leave to Mr. A. H. Bartlett, 3rd grade Superintendent, Department of Education, with effect from the forenoon of the 14th May 1917, Mr. P. N. Sen is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, 3rd grade.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 11th May 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 707.—Second Lieutenant W. T. Biscoe, North Western Railway Volunteer Rifles, (temporary Lieutenant in the Army), is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the temporary appointment of Assistant Embarkation Staff Officer. Dated 18th April 1917.

No. 708.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers to be Second Lieutenants subject to His Majesty's approval :—

The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own).

Acting Serjeant Major Robert John Pumffrey. 24th April 1917.

The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment).

Acting Serjeant Major William Sumner. 1st January 1917.
Serjeant Walter Maurice Simon. 26th April 1917.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.

Staff Serjeant James Albert Davies, Supply and Transport Corps. 15th April 1917.

No. 709.—The following correction is made to Army Department Notification No. 668, dated the 5th May 1917 :—

For the sub-head "Indian Army" *read* "British Service."

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 710.—The following correction is made to Army Department Notification No. 776, dated the 13th July 1916 :—

Under "Imperial Service Transport" *for* "Jemadar Mohamed Ali" *read* "Risaldar Muhammad Ali Khan, Alwar Lancers, attached Jaipur Transport Corps."

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 711.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Cavalry Branch.

To be Second Lieutenant.

James Arthur McKerrow. Dated 5th May 1917.

Infantry Branch.

To be Lieutenant.

Thomas Francis Pigott. Dated 5th May 1917.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Donald Burlingham. Dated 4th March 1917.
Eric John Reinhold Mitchell. Dated 16th March 1917.
Frederick Dowding Lewis. Dated 2nd May 1917.

Dated 5th May 1917.

Cyril Joseph Kelly.
Denzil Gordon Kean McGavin.
George Douglas Hoskins.
Theodore Frederic Carter.
Ronald Henry Ferguson.
John Reginald Charles Backhouse.
Frederick Basil Wilkinson.
John Evans Gosling.
Arthur James Hamilton.
Lawrence Mostyn Vickery.
Hugh Stanley Green.
Sidney Walter Bracey.
John Frederick Lay.
Alan Martin.
William Vincent Robertson.
Owen Daniel Whittle Berry.
Percy Joseph Lintott.
Arthur Reginald Stewart.
Robert Gouing Hamer.
Albert Craymer Burrows.
Lubin Bertram Cronan.
Vincent Adair De la Nougerede.
John William Collett.
Maurice John Joseph Fitzpatrick.
Archibald Morton Paterson.
Arthur Stevens Sullivan.
John William Abbott.
Cecil Arthur Robert Dewey.
Guy Dixon.
Francis Biaggio Gagliardi.
Donald Clement Green.
John William Harvey.
William George Edwin Baxter.
Hermann William Collins.
Arthur Henry Harper.
Reginald Theodore Mills.
Lawrence James Stevenson.
Sydney John Cambridge.
Charles Hanbury Twigg.
John Pemberton Brady.
Charles Houstan.
Herbert Compton Bishop.
Arthur George Wheeler.
Harold Stephen Collett.
Hugh Elliott Freemantle.
Frederick Arthur George Papworth.
Walter Stuart Thompson.
Lucien Ernest Amor.
William Arthur St John McIlwaine.
George Pitts.
George Victor Royle Frend.
Thomas Bankhed McMillan.
Edwin John Asquith.
Leonard Maker.
Harry Cooter.
Frederick William Gray.
William Matthew Andrews.
John Mein Austin.
Joseph Richard Dodd.
Hugh Robert Fry.
Thomas Kerr.
John Alexander Lynch.
Harry Buston Rogers.
David James Wilks.
Herbert John Anderson.
Charles Harris Devonshire.
Donald Renny Caird.
Francis Collingwood Carrington.
David Fraser.
George Hugh Mayer.
Henry Wilbert Noyle.
Cyril Charles George Osborne.
Reginald Ellis Scott.
Arthur Alexander MacKenzie Clarke.
Frederick Stanley Hollis.
Herbert Francis Hogan.
Leonard Alfred Churchill Wide.
Steven Harold Duff.
George William Joblin.
William Henry Phillips.
Arthur Lewis Gilmore.
Hugh Randall Jeffries.
George Eric Pearce-Fleming.
Enoch Thomas.
Charles Ernest Cooling.
Leonard Arthur Cuthbert.
Clement John Heath.
William Ewart Jackson.
Douglas William Byrne Owens.
Percy Trinkle.
Francis Dwyer Childs.
Frederick Basil Cox.
George Henry Jolly Porter.
Robert Guy Stamp.
Bertram Laurence Herdon.
Charles Granville Rose.
Henry Black.
Edwin Miller Koch.
William Frederick Woodman.
John Dand.
Herbert Vivian Donaldson.
Kenneth Mills Fraser.
Rupert St. Clair Harrison.
Christian Erick Penn.
William Henry Bramwell.
Bertie Graham Goss.
John Constantine Nicachi.
Noel Andrew Reiner.
William Falcon Duke.
George Bowen Fritchley.
Leslie William Walsh.

Dated 5th May 1917.

Patrick Joseph Leonard.
Ivan Eustace Pollard.
Charles Hilary Mitchell.
Arthur Llewellyn Gorton.
Howard Whitwell Leamon.
Frank William Bateman.
Herbert Edwin Doubt.
Herbert Grayhurst Pearson.
William Wilken.
Harry Banham.
Wilfrid Lawson Armstrong.
Charles Chrismas Davey.
Norman Francis Hawley.
Reginald Ainslie Forbes Kidson.
Arthur Ronald Gibbs.
Peter McDougall.
Francis James Medley.
John Hugh Ferguson.
Douglas William George Humphreys.
Alfred John Godwyn Maflin.
John Arthur Frederick Croxson.
Frederic William Hookin.
George Scott Mill.
Daniel Bartlett Robinson.
Roderick Shaw.
Kenneth George Beauchamp.
Charles Brant-Smith.
George Minter.
Edward James Nevill.
Vernon Colston Sutton.
Frank William Bailey Griffen.
Albert John Honnor.
Ralph Beeson.
Richard Benjamin Gamon.
George Herbert Allen.
Geoffrey Campbell Scarr.
Victor John Binstead.
Edward Hamilton O'Hara.
James Orr.
John Graham Parry.
Thomas George Partridge.
Charles Leslie Seymour.
John Frederick Stedman.

Dated 7th May 1917.

Mark Cann.
Edgar John Hooper.

Dated 10th May 1917.

Thomas Charles Valentine Graham.

No. 712.—Captain John Peake Wildeblood, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Major while employed as Field Engineer, Karun Front, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 6th December 1916.

No. 713.—Second Lieutenant A. H. C. Jackson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the temporary appointment of Staff Captain. Dated 28th April 1917.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 714.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Sixth Supplement dated the 15th February 1917 to the London Gazette of the 13th February 1917, pages 1599, 1605, 1606, 1607, 1608, 1609, 1610, 1611, 1612 and 1614.

War Office,

15th February, 1917.

The following are among the decorations and medals awarded by the Allied Powers at various dates to the British Forces for distinguished services rendered during the course of the

campaign :—

His Majesty the KING has given unrestricted permission in all cases to wear the decorations and medals in question.

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Decorations and medals conferred by

HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF SERBIA.

(September and October 1916.)

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Order of the White Eagle, 4th Class (with Swords).

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Regimentdar (Lieutenant-Colonel) Chamray Urs, Mysore Imperial Service Lancers.

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Order of the White Eagle, 5th Class (with Swords).

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Major Pooran Singh, Alwar Imperial Service Infantry.

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Ressaidar Sheikh Hamid, Hyderabad Imperial Service Lancers.

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Cross of Karageorge, 1st Class (with Swords).

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1766 Havildar Onkar, Imperial Service Infantry.

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389 Havildar Qaim Uddin, Imperial Service Infantry.

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Cross of Karageorge, 2nd Class (with Swords).

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1092 Sowar Karsan Singh, Imperial Service Lancers.

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Gold Medal.

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955 Sepoy (now Naik) Jassu Singh, Bikanir Camel Corps.

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Silver Medal.

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188 Sepoy Mit Singh, Imperial Service Infantry.

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London Gazette dated the 9th March 1917, pages 2376, 2377, 2379 and 2380.

War Office,
9th March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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GENERAL STAFF.

G. S. Os., 1st Grade.—Bt. Lt.-Col. C. J. B. Hay, D.S.O., Corps of Guides, Ind. Army. 15th Jan. 1917.

Capt. A. G. C. Dawnay, D.S.O., C. Gds., from G. S. O., 2nd Grade, and to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst so empld., *vice* Maj. A. B. Robertson, D.S.O., Camn. Highrs. 30th Dec. 1916.

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Capt. (temp. Maj.) K. D. B. Murray, D.S.O., Ind. Inf., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst so empld. 2nd Feb. 1917.

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ATTACHED TO HD. QRS. UNITS.

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Brig. Comdrs.—5th Feb. 1917. Lt.-Col. E. R. B. Murray, Ind. Inf., from comdg. a Regt. Ind. Inf., and to be temp. Brig.-Genl. whilst so empld., *vice* Bt. Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) P. C. Palin, C.B., Ind. Inf.

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Section Comdr.—Bt. Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) P. C. Palin, C.B., Ind. Inf., from Brig. Comdr. and to retain his temp. rank whilst so empld. 4th Feb. 1917.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

Flying Officers (Observers).

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15th Nov. 1916, with seniority from the dates shown against their names :—

Lt. B. Fitz H. Randall, Ind. Cav. 11th July 1916.

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Third Supplement dated the 10th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 9th March 1917, pages 2453, 2458 and 2459.

War Office,
10th March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Capt).—The date of the appt. of Lt. (temp. Capt.) F. M. Griffith-Griffin, M.C., Ind. Inf., is 26th Sept. 1916, and not as in the Gazette of 20th Dec. 1916.

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Garrison Battalions

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Temp. Capt. T. J. McNamara (Hon. Capt., ret. pay, Ind. Ord. Dept.), from L'pool R., to be temp. Capt. 10 Feb. 1917, but with seniority from 5 July 1916. (Substituted for notification in Gaz. of 24 Feb. 1917.)

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London Gazette dated the 13th March 1917, pages 2515 and 2521.

War Office,
13th March 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

Maj. Harry John Mahon, Sind Vol. Rif., to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst empld. as an Asst. Embkn. Comdt. (graded as an A. Q. M. G.). 30th Jan. 1917.

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Supplement dated the 14th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 13th March 1917, pages 2595 and 2598.

War Office,
14th March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as a G. S. O., 3rd Grade).—Bt. Col. R. K. Teversham, D.S.O., Unattd. Supern. List, Ind. Army, *vice* Maj. G. A. Norcott, ret. pay, decd. 20th Feb. 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) W. D. Villiers Stuart, Ind. Inf., to retain his temp. rank whilst empld. as senr. Instr. at a School of Instrn. in India. 1st Mar. 1917.

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Second Supplement dated the 15th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 13th March 1917, pages 2605, 2606 and 2610.

War Office,
15th March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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A. G.'S AND Q. M. G.'S STAFF.

A. A. G.—Lt.-Col. H. C. Tytler, Ind. Inf., *vice* Lt.-Col. H. Vickers, Ind. Inf. 17th Dec. 1916.

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ATTACHED TO HD. QR. UNITS.

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Brig.-Majors.—Capt. F. M. Griffith-Griffin, M C., Ind. Inf. 7th Nov. 1916.

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Staff Capt.—Lt. (temp. Capt.) G. J. D. Kellie, Ind. Inf., and to retain his temp. rank whilst so empld. 16th Dec. 1916.

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The undermentioned temp. appts. are made at the War Office :—

G. S. Os.—

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3rd Grade—Maj. D. H Cameron, ret. pay, Ind. Army, from a Staff Capt. 28 Feb. 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

Bt.-Col. (temp. Maj Gen) W. B. James, C I.E, M.V.O., to retain his temp. rank whilst empld. as General Officer, Administrative Staff, in India. 18th Feb. 1917.

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Bt. Lt -Col. F. G. Marsh, Ind. Army, to be temp. Col. whilst specially empld. 13th March 1917.

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London Gazette dated the 16th March 1917, pages 2634, 2635 and 2636.

War Office,
16th March 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the promotion to the rank of Field-Marshal of General Sir Charles Comyn Egerton, G.C.B. D.S.O., ret. pay, late Indian Army, in succession to the late Field-Marshal The Right Honourable, Frederick Sleigh, Earl Roberts, V.C., K.G, K.P., G.C.B., O.M., G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E.

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REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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GENERAL STAFF.

Brig.-Gens.—

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Bt. Lt.-Col. K. Wigram, D.S.O., Ind. Army, and to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst so empld. 4th Feb. 1917.

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ATTACHED TO HD.-QR. UNITS.

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Staff Capts.—

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Lt. (temp. Capt.) K. de L. Young, M.C., Ind. Army, and to retain his temp. rank, *vice* Lt. S. G. Harbord, R.A. 14th Feb. 1917.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mily. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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Balloon Officers.—2nd Lt. A. R. Barker, Unattd. List, Ind. Army. 31st Jan. 1917.

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Supplement dated the 16th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 16th March 1917, page 2701.

War Office,
16th March 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the promotion of the undermentioned officers of the Indian Army for distinguished service in the field, with effect from 1st January 1917, inclusive :—

To be Lieutenant-Generals.

Maj -Gen. F. Campbell, K.C.B , D.S O.
Maj.-Gen. Sir H. V. Cox, K.C.M.G., C.B., C.S.I.

To be Major-Generals.

Col. (temp. Maj.-Gen.) V. B. Fane, C.B., C.I.E.
Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) W. G. L. Beynon, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O.
Col. (temp. Maj.-Gen.) H. T. Brooking, K.C.B.
Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) N. G. Woodyatt, C.B.
Bt. Col. (temp. Maj.-Gen.) H. J. M. Macandrew, D.S.O.
Bt. Col. (temp. Maj.-Gen.) J. S. M. Shea, C.B., D.S.O.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the promotion of the undermentioned officers of the Indian Army in recognition of their valuable services in connection with the war, with effect from 1st January 1917, inclusive :—

To be Major-Generals.

Col. (temp. Maj.-Gen.) W. C. Barratt, C.B., D.S.O.
Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) A. H. Eustace, C.B., D.S.O.
Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) W. C. Knight, C.B., C.S.I., D.S.O., A.-D.-C.

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Fourth Supplement dated the 17th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 16th March 1917, pages 2719, 2720 and 2721.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

Lord Chamberlain's Office,
St. James's Palace, S.W.,
17th March 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, for distinguished services in the Field in Mesopotamia, to bear date 10th March 1917 :—

To be Additional Members of the Military Division of the second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Honourable Order.

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Maj.-Gen. (temp. Lt.-Gen.) Alexander Stanhope Cobbe, V.C., C.B., D.S.O., Ind. Army.

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War Office,
17th March 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned Honours and Rewards for distinguished service in the Field, in Mesopotamia, with effect from 10th March 1917, inclusive :—

To be Brevet Colonels.

Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. (temp. Lt.-Col.) R. A. Cassels, Lrs., Ind. Army.

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Lt.-Col. T. R. Maclachlan, C.M.G., Punjabis, Ind. Army.
Lt.-Col. J. H. K. Stewart, D.S.O., Garhwal Rif., Ind. Army.

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To be Brevet Majors.

Capt. A. M. Daniels, Horse, Ind. Army.

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Awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

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Lt. Norman Leopold Inkson, Ind. Army R. of O.
Capt. Joseph Thomas Kirby, S. & T. Corps, Ind. Army.
Lt.-Col. George Mortimer Morris, Punjabis, Ind. Army.
Capt. Thomas Nisbet, Cav., Ind Army.

NOTE.—The acts of gallantry for which the following rewards have been conferred will be published in the London Gazette next month.

Awarded a Bar to the Distinguished Service Order.

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Capt. (tempy. Maj.) Henry St. George Stewart Scott, D.S.O., Gurkha Rif., Ind. Army. (D.S O. gazetted 29-10-15.)

Awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

Maj. Robert Geoffrey Baker, Punjabis, Ind. Army.

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Lt.-Col. and Bt. Col. Orlando George Gunning, C.M.G., Sikhs, Ind. Army.
Lt. Douglas Hamilton Gordon, Sikhs, Ind. Army.

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Captain Charles Robert Senhouse Pitman, Punjabis, Ind. Army.

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2nd Lt. Robert Tor Russell, I.A.R. of O.

Capt. Claude Innes Shepherd, Sikhs, Ind. Army.

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Awarded the Military Cross.

2nd Lt. Frank Addison Adlard, I.A.R. of O.
2nd Lt. James Dykes Aitkenhead, I.A.R. of O., attd. Sikhs.
2nd Lt. William Sidney Baker, I.A.R. of O., attd. Gurkha Rif.
Capt. Ronald Playfair St. Vincent Bernard, Gurkha Rif., Ind. Army.

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Temp. Lt. A. Yeshwant Dabholkar, I.M.S.
2nd Lt. Eric Raymond Sandars Dods, Grenadiers, Ind. Army.

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Lt. Douglas David Gracey, Gurkha Rif., Ind. Army.
Subadar Sarajit Gurung Bahadur, Gurkha Rif., Ind. Army.

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Lt. Frank Oswald Harris, I.A.R. of O., attd. Punjabis.
2nd Lt. Alfred Marshall Langton Harrison, Gurkha Rif., Ind. Army.

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Capt. Arthur John Lunn, Punjabis, Ind. Army.
Capt. Frank Alan Macartney, Sikhs, Ind. Army.

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2nd Lt. John Moriarty, I.A.R. of O., attd Punjabis.

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Lt. Dudley Clare Robinson, Sikhs, Ind. Army.

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2nd Lt. James Tate, I.A.R. of O., attd. Sappers & Miners.

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Fifth Supplement dated the 17th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 16th March 1917, pages 2723, 2724, 2725, 2726, 2727 and 2736.

War Office,
17th March 1917.

DARDANELLES DESPATCHES.

The names of the undermentioned officers, who fell in action or died of wounds, have been brought to the notice of the Secretary of State for War by General Sir Ian Hamilton, G.C.B., for distinguished and gallant service during the operations in Gallipoli. Their names should be included in the List of Mentions published in the London Gazette of the 5th November, 1915 (29354).

14th Sikhs.

Lt. L. F. Cremen.
Lt. L. R. Fowle.
2nd Lt. S. V. Haslack, Ind. Army Res. of Off.
2nd Lt. G. W. Hornsby, Ind. Army Res. of Off.
Lt-Col. F. A. Jacques.
2nd Lt. W. H. Lowry, Ind. Army Res. of Off.
Capt. A. F. Maclean, 33rd Punjabis.
Lt. G. E. Masters, 89th Punjabis.

Lt. M. C. G. Mathew, 28th Punjabis.
Capt. A. W. McRae.
Lt. R. J. F. P. Meade.
Lt. M. D. Spankie.
Maj. G. D. V. Swinley.
2nd Lt. G. H. Whitfield, Ind. Army Res. of Off.
Capt. H. G. Wilmer, Staff Capt., 29th Indian Infantry Brigade.

1-5th Gurkha Rifles.

Maj. H. M. Battye.
Lt. R. L. Beddy.
Lt. E. Birkbeck, 128th Pioneers.
Captain W. K. Brown.
Lt. H. J. Cummins.
2nd Lt. A. S. Fletcher, Ind. Army Res. of Off.
Major D. M. Govan.
2nd Lt. E. H. Hunter, Ind. Army Res. of Off.
Lt. D. I. B. Lloyd.
Capt. M. F. Reaney, Ind. Med. Service.
2nd Lt. J. E. B. Roberts, Ind. Army Res. of Off.
Capt. G. Turner.
Capt. A. B. H. Webb.

1-6th Gurkha Rifles.

Capt. J. S. Dallas.
Lt. H. Greene, 92nd Punjabis.
Capt. G. Tomes, 53rd Sikhs.
2nd Lt. H. C. Underhill, Ind. Army Res. of Off.
Capt. H. R. A. Whytehead.

1-10th Gurkha Rifles.

Capt. J. L. Higgin.
Lt. W. P. Moran.
Lt. J. F. Russell.
Capt. H. B. Stevenson, 2nd Rajputs.

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REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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INFANTRY.

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Middl'x R.—Lt. A. H. Cline is secd. for service with the Indian Army (on prob.). 8th Dec. 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

Col. (temp. Maj.-Gen.) J. MacN. Walker, C.B., D.S.O., to retain his temp. rank whilst empld. as an Inspr. of Administration in India. 5th Feb. 1917.

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TERRITORIAL FORCE.

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Lt.-Col. E. Wintour relinquishes his commission in the T. F. on relegation to the Unemployed List, Indian Army. 20th Feb. 1917

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No. 715.—The name of 1608 Havildar Naimay Singh, Bharatpur Imperial Service Infantry, is as now stated and not as in Army Department Notification No. 534, dated the 13th April 1917.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 716.—The following temporary promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

1st Garrison Battalion, The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles).

Lieutenant J. A. McIntosh to be Captain, to complete establishment. Dated 29th December 1916.

Lieutenant W. J. T. Mumford to be Captain, to complete establishment. Dated 8th January 1917.

2nd Lieutenant J. C. Munro to be Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant W. J. T. Mumford, promoted. Dated 8th January 1917.

No. 717.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

6th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery.

Second Lieutenant P. E. Hill to be temporary Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 20th February 1917.

Second Lieutenant J. F. Challice to be temporary Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 20th February 1917.

No. 718.—The undermentioned officer retains his temporary rank on alteration of posting :—

Royal Field Artillery, Territorial Force.

Temporary Lieutenant J. F. Malcolm. Dated 4th March 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 719—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

1st January 1917.

Edward Herbert Sweet, Commandant, 1st Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

No. 720—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified, but not to carry pay and allowances prior to the 27th July 1916 :—

Captain to be Major.

1st September 1915.

Charles John Gwynne Bird, Military Accounts Department.

No. 721.—The following promotions or antedates of promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified, but not to carry pay and allowances prior to 1st September 1916 :—

Captains to be Majors.

8th May 1916.

Ralph Edwin Hotchkin Griffith, C.I.E., Political Employ.
Rawdon James Macnabb, Political Employ.

7th December 1915.

Cecil Hamilton Gabriel, Supernumerary List.

18th January 1917.

Hardinge Monteith Hogg, 32nd Lancers. (Since deceased).
Bernard Rawdon Reilly, Political Employ.

15th February 1917.

Walter Gordon Neale, Supernumerary List

Lieutenants to be Captains.

1st September 1915.

Arthur Hill Neale, 1st Brahmans (Since deceased).
John Allan Mackay Scobie, 59th Scinde Rifles, (Frontier Force). (Since deceased).
Charles Stuart Browning, 129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis. (Since deceased).

6th September 1915.

Arthur Verney Hammond, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides, (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).

26th January 1916.

Arthur Herbert Fountaine Hogge, 23rd Sikh Pioneers.

22nd January 1917.

Robert Henry Stable, 122nd Rajputana Infantry.
Lionel Arthur Stuart, 123rd Outram's Rifles.
Atholl Gunning Hunter, 32nd Lancers. (Since deceased).

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 722.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Robert Mortimer Green, M.D., F.R.C.S., *vice* Colonel R. J. Macnamara, M.D., retired ; with effect from the 11th November 1916. Colonel Green's tenure of appointment will reckon from the 28th March 1917.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Madras Establishment.

No. 723.—The undermentioned 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

No. 1399, Puthussery Kunhi Raman	1st April 1917.
„ 1400, Daniel P. Joseph	1st April 1917.
„ 1401, Cornelius Sundararaj Gopal	1st April 1917.
„ 1404, Arangil Chandu	1st April 1917.
„ 1405, N. S. Daniel	1st April 1917.
„ 1403, Ignatius Daniel Joseph	15th April 1917.

MILITARY WORKS SERVICES AND PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, INDIA.

No. 724.—Staff Serjeant Hugh James Kilby, Supervisor, 2nd grade, Military Works Services, to be Sub-Conductor, *vice* Sub-Conductor Frank William Ellison, Supervisor, 1st grade, Military Works Services, transferred to the pension establishment ; with effect from the 9th November 1916.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 725.—The following promotions are made :—

2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse).

Jemadar Het Ram to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 19th May 1916, Jemadar Shiu Baksh Singh (5th Cavalry) to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 27th June 1915, Jemadar Molar to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 15th July 1916, Dafadar Muhammad Yusuf Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th May 1916, Kot-Dafadar Jang Bahadur Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th June 1916, Kot-Dafadar Lehri Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th July 1916, and Kot-Dafadar Abdul Wahid Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th August 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

Kot-Dafadar Devi Chand to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th May 1916 ; and to remain seconded.

32nd Lancers.

Jemadar Chawand Singh (3rd Skinner's Horse) to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 20th December 1916 and Jemadar Shaikh Hussain to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 9th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

37th Lancers (Baluch Horse.)

Kot-Dafadar Qazi Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 24th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

No. 14 Divisional Signal Company.

Jemadar Asa Ram to be Subadar and Havildar Saifur Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

No. 36 Divisional Signal Company.

Jemadar Dasaunda Singh (35th Sikhs) to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st August 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

No. 135 Machine Gun Company.

Havildar-Major Pakhar Singh (21st Kohat Mountain Battery, Frontier Force) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

17th Infantry (The Royal Regiment).

Jemadar Yakub Ali Khan to be Subadar and Havildar Muhammad Abdul Karim to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th December 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 19th Punjabis.

Jemadar Mehdi Khan and Bal Singh to be Subadars, Colour-Havildar Rur Singh, Havildars Santa Singh and Chaghta Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 14th January 1917: to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 23rd Sikh Pioneers.

Jemadars Binda Singh, Gurdit Singh and Chanda Singh II to be Subadars, Havildars Bishan Singh, Ladha Singh, Harnam Singh I, Fatteh Singh, Udham Singh, Teja Singh, Harnam Singh II, Bhagat Singh and Sadhu Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 3rd February 1917, to complete the establishment.

24th Punjabis.

Colour Havildar Ala Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd March 1917; to complete the establishment.

26th Punjabis.

Jemadar Ata Muhammad (87th Punjabis) to be Subadar, Colour-Havildars Hayat Muhammad (46th Punjabis), Narayan Singh and Ghulam Hussain (21st Punjabis) to be Jemadars, with effect from the 27th January 1917 and Colour-Havildar Fazal Din (46th Punjabis) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 25th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Jemadars Kaula Singh, Chandra Bir (Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides, Frontier Force, Lumsden's Infantry) and Hazara Singh to be Subadars, with effect from the 23rd February 1917 and Jemadar Indar Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 10th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).

Havildar Isa Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

62nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Abdulla Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 27th January 1917. Havildar-Major Man Lingh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th January 1917, and Colour-Havildar Manir Shah to be Jemadar, with effect from the 27th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

82nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Muhammad Saiyid to be Subadar, with effect from the 3rd February 1917, Havildars Gheba Khan, Balwant Singh and Kehr Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 27th January 1917 and Colour-Havildar Mastan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 25th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

The promotions of Colour-Havildar Mastan Singh and Havildar Kehr Singh are antedated without pay and allowances to the 1st July 1916 and 1st August 1916, respectively.

114th Mahrattas.

Havildar-Major Rama Bhosle to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st February 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 119th Infantry.

Havildars Harkishan and Qadir Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 20th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

120th Rajputana Infantry.

Havildar Lakha Rawat to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st January 1917; to complete the establishment.

129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.

Jemadar Sahib Dad (108th Infantry) to be Subadar, with effect from the 18th November 1916, Jemadar Sikandar Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 17th

December 1916, Jemadar Rahim Ali to be Subadar, with effect from the 23rd December 1916, Colour-Havildar Raj Wali Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th December 1916, Colour-Havildar Muhammad Jan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th December 1916, Colour-Havildar Nek Muhammad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 21st December 1916, Colour-Havildar Hashim Din (108th Infantry) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd December 1916, Havildar Bagh Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th December 1916, and Colour-Havildar Karam Dad Khan (Burma Military Police) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 21st January 1917; to complete the establishment.

130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).

Jemadar Ghulam Muhammad (127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry) to be Subadar, with effect from the 8th July 1916, Jemadar Alam Shah (127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry) to be Subadar, with effect from the 2nd October 1916, Jemadar Zaman Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 4th October 1916, Jemadar Nowsher and Sharaf Din to be Subadars, with effect from the 14th October 1916, Colour-Havildar Shaikh Sirajuddin to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st June 1916, Havildar Lal Sher (127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th July 1916, Colour-Havildar Isa Khan (127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 2nd October 1916, Quartermaster-Havildar Mir Zaman to be Jemadar, with effect from the 4th October 1916, Colour-Havildars Gul Khan and Muhammad Ali to be Jemadars, with effect from 14th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles. (The Malaun Regiment).

Havildar Ranbir Thapa to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd December 1916, and Colour-Havildar Gajbahadur Thapa to be Jemadar, with effect from the 2nd January 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Havildars Nain Singh Thapa and Manbahadur Gurung to be Jemadars, with effect from the 4th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

Havildar Budhichand Bura to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st July 1915; to complete the establishment.

Jemadar Budhichand Bura to be Subadar, with effect from the 15th February 1917, to complete the establishment.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 726.—Lieutenant George Stewart White Ross, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 3rd May 1917.

RETENTIONS.

BARRACK DEPARTMENT, PUNJAB-BENGAL.

No. 727.—Conductor Thomas Busby, Barrack Department, will be retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 29th May 1917, until further orders, and will be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 728.—Major Mansfield Elliot Nuttall, 105th Mahratta Light Infantry, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service on account of ill-health, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 21st March 1917.

No. 729.—Major Hugh William Knox-Niven, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force), has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service on account of ill-health, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 2nd April 1917.

REWARDS.

INDIAN ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 730.—The following correction is made to Army Department Notification No. 524, dated the 12th May 1916:—

For "(7) No. 3112 Havildar Shinghar Singh, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force)," *read* "(7) No. 3512 Havildar Shinghar Singh, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force)."

INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

No. 731.—The following correction is made to Army Department Notification No. 525, dated 12th May 1916:—

For "(67) No. 2416 Lance-Naik Ganeth Singh, 97th Deccan Infantry" *read* "(67) No. 2416, Lance-Naik Jaggernath Singh, 97th Deccan Infantry."

JUDICIAL.

No. 732.—In pursuance of Section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, published with the notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department No. 86, dated the 9th December 1915, as subsequently amended, namely:—

In rule 26 (1), for the words "or culvert" the words "culvert or wireless installation" shall be substituted.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps.

Naval Divisions.

No. 733.—John Robert Coulthard to be Sub-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 31st March 1917.

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 734.—Second Lieutenant Guy Talbot Lemon, seconded, to be Lieutenant and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st February 1915.

Second Lieutenant Hill Cecil Wallace to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st February 1915.

Second Lieutenant Maurice Conroy O'Brien, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st February 1915.

Second Lieutenant James Stuart Colquhoun, to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st February 1915.

Second Lieutenant Frederick Michael Daley, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st February 1915.

Second Lieutenant John Grove White to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st February 1915.

Second Lieutenant Thomas Pearce, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 30th June 1915.

Second Lieutenant Leslie Neeve Flatt to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 30th June 1915.

Lieutenant Frederick Ewart Robertson, seconded, to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated the 29th October 1915.

Lieutenant John Arthur Collister to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 29th October 1915.

Lieutenant William George Burn, seconded, to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st November 1915.

Lieutenant Hugh Augustus Macnish Hannay to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st November 1915.

Second Lieutenant Percy Harold Galvin, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 3rd December 1915.

Second Lieutenant William Sydney Baker, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 3rd December 1915.

Second Lieutenant Alexander Melidore Hunter to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 3rd December 1915.

Second Lieutenant Donald Macolm Francis Chisholm, seconded, to be Lieutenant and to remain seconded. Dated the 22nd April 1916.

Second Lieutenant Arthur Culham Dunsdon to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 22nd April 1916.

Lieutenant Henry Merson Davies, seconded, to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated the 11th May 1916.

Lieutenant George Reginald Graham Huddleston, seconded, to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated the 11th May 1916.

Lieutenant Robert Ewart Rutherford to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 11th May 1916.

Army Department Notification No. 491, dated the 21st May 1915, in so far as it relates to the promotions of Second Lieutenants Hill Cecil Wallace, James Stuart Colquhoun and John Grace White, is hereby cancelled.

Army Department Notification No. 1288, dated the 17th December 1915, in so far as it relates to the promotions of Lieutenants John Arthur Collister and Hugh Augustus Macnish Hannay and Second Lieutenant Leslie Neeve Flatt, is hereby cancelled.

Army Department Notification No. 398, dated the 11th April 1916, in so far as it relates to the promotion of Second Lieutenant Alexander Melidore Hunter, is hereby cancelled.

Army Department Notification No. 691, dated the 16th June 1916, in so far as it relates to the promotion of Second Lieutenant Arthur Culham Dunsdon, is hereby cancelled.

Army Department Notification No. 802, dated the 13th July 1916, in so far as it relates to the promotion of Lieutenant Robert Ewart Rutherford, is hereby cancelled.

Bombay Volunteer Rifles.

No. 735.—Bertram Durell Barnes to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy Dated the 30th March 1917.

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 736.—Lieutenant Vincent Howard Chabot to be Captain to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 12th November 1916.

Lieutenant George Humphreys Newton to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 28th November 1916.

Second Lieutenant Henry Noel Davies to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 12th November 1916.

Second Lieutenant Bernard Alfred Rose to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 28th November 1916.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

No. 737.—His Excellency the Governor-General of India is pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officers :—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Captain James Henry Wapshare.

Paymaster and Honorary Lieutenant William Henry Holton.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 11th May 1917.

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given :—

First.—That information has been received by me of the death of the officer named and described in the subjoined table.

Secondly.—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name in the same table.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Date of death.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of surplus.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	
Lieutenant Eugene Launcelot Erskine Lindop.	Indian Army	30th January 1916.	Testate ...	1,133 11 9	Secretary to the Government of India, Army Department.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 11th May, 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 22.—The following appointment is made in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 22nd March 1917 :—

To be temporary Lieutenant.

John Peter Cunningham.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 7th May, 1917.

No. 578-E-17.—Mr. F. W. Richardson, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, in Class III, grade 3, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent in Class II of that establishment, with effect from the 19th April 1917 and until further orders.

No. 601-E.—Mr. Ban Behari Sikdar, Probationary Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, in Class III, grade 5, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is confirmed in his appointment and promoted to Class III, grade 4, of that establishment, with effect from the 20th April 1917.

The 8th May, 1917.

No. 200-P-16.—The Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 1, Calcutta, having inspected the Indas Fakirpur Section of the Bankura-Damoodar River Railway, authorised its opening for passenger traffic from the 1st April 1917.

The Railway Board, after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

The 9th May, 1917.

No. 186-E-17.—Mr. C. D. Dove Wilson, Chief Engineer, North Western Railway, is granted privilege leave for 3 months combined with furlough for 3 months under Articles 233, 246 and 308, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd May 1917 or subsequent date of relief.

No. 186-1-E-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 186-E-17, dated the 9th May 1917, Mr. F. G. R. Dawson, Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 2, is appointed to officiate as Chief Engineer, North Western Railway.

No. 186-2-E-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 186-1-E-17, dated the 9th May 1917, Mr. A. R. Pakenham Walsh, Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 1, is appointed Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 2.

No. 186-3-E-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 186-2-E-17, dated the 9th May 1917, Mr. W. A. C. Sisson, Executive Engineer, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, is appointed to officiate as Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 1, with the officiating rank of Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, until further orders.

The 11th May, 1917.

No. 272-P-16.—The Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 5, Bombay, having inspected the Shivrajpur-Pani Extension of the Champaner-Shivrajpur Section of the Guzerat Railways, authorised its opening for passenger traffic, with effect from the 31st March 1917.

The Railway Board after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Simla, the 11th May, 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 5th May 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	86	76
		Ahmedabad City	1	2
		Kaira District	6	7
		Surat Town and Port	18	15
		Surat District	11	5
		Thana Port	2	2
		Thana District	55	49
	Central	Ahmednagar District	41	26
		East Khandesh District	96	72
		West Khandesh District	9	4
		Poona District	56	47
		Nasik District	36	26
		Satara District	317	228
		Sholapur District	101	77
	Southern	Panvel Port	3	2
		Kolaba District	14	10
		Bankot Port	4	1
		Ratnagiri Port	10	6
		Belgaum District	115	68
		Dharwar District	22	17
		Kanara District	1	...
		Bijapur District	36	30
	Sind	Karachi Town and Port	100	100
		Karachi District	12	12
		Hyderabad Town	43	37
		Hyderabad District	8	6

The following additions should be made in the returns noted below :—

21st April 1917— Nawabshah District 3 cases, 3 deaths.

28th „ „ Kanara District 12 „ 7 „

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind	Political Charges	Baroda State	8	4
		Mangrol Port	7	5
		Kathiawar Agency	13	9
		Mandvi Port	1	...
		Tuna Port	2	2
		Mundra Port	7	8
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	102	81
		Bijapur Agency	1	2
		Surat Agency	2	...
		Satara Agency	28	24
		Akalkot State	5	8
		Bhor State	5	3
		Aden Port	7	6
		TOTAL	1 391	1,067
Madras Presidency	...	Anantapur District	9	9
		Bellary District	16 (a)	12
		Chittoor District	2	5
		Coimbatore District	11	4
		Mangalore Port	7	6
		Salem District	2	2
		North Arcot District	3	4
		TOTAL	50	42
Bengal Presidency	Presidency	Calcutta	10	10
		TOTAL	10	10
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	Patna City	84	84
		Patna District	129	114
		Gaya City	9	9
		Gaya District	22	21
		Shahabad District	87	69
	Tirhut	Saran District	198	160
		Muzaffarpur District	187	183
		Darbhanga City	1	2
		Darbhanga District	148	127

(a) One imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	37	38
		Bhagalpur City	22	15
		Bhagalpur District	28	18
		TOTAL	902	790
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut	Saharanpur City	2	2
		Saharanpur District	36	17
		Muzaffarnagar District	32	30
	Agra	Mainpuri District	23	18
		Etah District	20	18
	Rohilkhand	Bareilly District	...	2
		Bijnor District	22	22
		Budaun District	28	27
		Moradabad District	65	60
		Pilibhit District	25	27
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City	11	10
		Farrukhabad District	31	29
		Etawah District	10	10
		Cawnpore City	48	48
		Cawnpore District	59	59
		Fatehpur District	26	24
		Allahabad City	13	13
		Allahabad District	98	97
	Jhansi	Jalaun District	56	36
	Benares	Benares City	2	2
		Benares District	31	18
		Mirzapur City	7	6
		Jaunpur District	123	99
		Ghazipur District	256	273

In the return for the week ending 28th April 1917, against Moradabad District *read* 42 cases for 40 cases.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
UNITED PROVINCES	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur City	5	4
		Gorakhpur District	115	105
		Azamgarh District	196	194
	Lucknow	Lucknow City	24	27
		Lucknow District	23	23
		Unao District	244	237
		Rae Bareli District	80	83
		Sitapur District	40	26
		Hardoi District	11	11
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad City	1	1
		Fyzabad District	24	20
		Gonda District	32	33
		Sultanpur District	65	48
		Partabgarh District	12	11
		Bara Banki District	46	42
		TOTAL	1,942	1,811
PUNJAB	Ambala	Karnal District	13	13
		Ambala District	118	89
	Jullundur	Jullundur District	33	17
		Ludhiana District	32	16
	Lahore	Lahore City	15	11
		Lahore District	70	20
		Amritsar District	7	6
		Gurdaspur District	28	18
		Sialkot District	8	3
		Gujranwala District	40	9

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District	4	4
		Shahpur District	8	1
		Jhelum District	51	27
		Rawalpindi District	23	17
	Multan...	Lyallpur District	4	3
	Native States	Jind State	11	11
		Patiala State	8	8
		Kapurthala State	1	1
		TOTAL	469	276
BURMA	Pegu ...	Rangoon Town	23	21
		Hanthawaddy District	3	3
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	2	1
		Bassein District	3	3
		Henzada District	7	5
		Myaungmya District	3	3
		Maubin District	1	1
		Pyapon District	1	2
	Tenasserim	Toungoo District	2	2
		Moulmein Town	8	8
	Magwe ...	Magwe District	1	1
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town	1	1

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BURMA	Shan States	Southern Shan States	2	1
		TOTAL	57	52
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur	Nagpur District	33	18
		Bhandara District	28	23
		Wardha District	1	1
		Balaghat District	2	1
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town and Cantonment	2	2
		Jubbulpore District	42	22
		Saugor District	2	2
		Seoni District	6	6
		Mandla District	6	5
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad Distric	1	1
		Nimar District	5	4
		Narsinghpur District	16	11
		Chhindwara District	3	3
	Chhatisgarh	Raipur District	1	1
		Bilaspur District	2	2
	Berar	Amraoti District	53	30
		Yeotmal District	10	8
		Akola District	44	41
		Buldana District	55	33
		TOTAL	312	214
ASSAM	...	......	...	...
COORG	...	......	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Mysore State	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	4	4
		Bangalore District	3	1
		Mysore District	21	17
		Kadur District	2	2
		Shimoga District	18	9
		Chitaldroog District	1	...
		Tumkur District	1	1
		Kolar Gold Fields	1	...
		Kolar District	8	4
		TOTAL	59	38
Hyderabad State	...	Aurangabad District	74	68
		Bir District	9	8
		Parbhani District	120	100
		Nander District	115	113
		Gulbarga District	50	48
		Raichur District	16	9
		Usmanabad District	240	200
		Bidar District	57	59
		Medak District	78	73
		Nalgonda District	4	3
		Warangal District	6	6
		TOTAL	769 (a)	687 (a)

(a) From the 23rd to the 29th April 1917.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore State	22	14
		Bhopal State	4	4
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	67	57
		Rewa State	2	4
		TOTAL	95 (a)	79
RAJPUTANA	...	Ajmer City	218	158
		Ajmer District	16	14
		Alwar State	29	24
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State	128	106
		Bharatpur State	14	10
		Mewar State	28	22
		Kishangarh State	1	3
		Jaipur State	8	7
		Sirohi State	1	1
		TOTAL	443	345
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	9	5
		TOTAL	9	5
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	6,503	5,116

(a) For the week ending 28th April 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 10th May 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. Weather was very unsettled in northern and central India, and the week's rainfall was much heavier than usual in Bihar and Orissa, the United Provinces, the east and north Punjab, Rajputana, Gujarat, Central India, the Central Provinces and on the north Madras coast.

2. *Burma.*—Only a few falls of rain occurred.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Nearly general rain fell in Assam on the 5th, 7th, 8th and 9th, in Bengal and Orissa on the 3rd, in Chota Nagpur from the 3rd to the 7th, and in Bihar on the 3rd and 4th.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—There was nearly general rain in the east of the United Provinces on the 4th, in Central India on the 5th and 7th, and in the Central Provinces on the 7th.

Northwest India.—Rain fell locally in the Punjab, the North-West Frontier Province, Kashmir, Rajputana and Gujarat.

The Peninsula.—A few falls of rain were reported, chiefly from the north Madras coast.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

May 3rd. Akyab 1·94", Port Blair 1·23", Kyaukpyu 1·08", Balasore 7·37", Burdwan 1·77", Naya Dumka 2·34", Berhampore 1·60", Chaibasa 1·14", Calcutta 1·09" and Barisal 1·08".

,, 4th. Port Blair 1·56", Sibsagar 1·05", Silchar 1·13", Cherrapunji 1·91", Darjiling 1·66", Patna 1·97" and Ajmer 0·97".

,, 5th. Dibrugarh 1·18", Shillong 1·33", Lucknow 3·15", Mukteswar 1·88" and Neemuch 1·30".

,, 6th. Udaipur 0·95" and Cocanada 1·00".

,, 7th. Dibrugarh 0·90", Sibsagar 1·01", Shillong 0·90", False Point 1·79", Neemuch 1·81", Hoshangabad 0·91", Jagdalpur 0·86", Meerut 0·77", Ludhiana 0·78", Murree 1·84", Udaipur 1·12" and Deesa 2·24".

,, 8th. Dhubri 1·28", Dinajpur 1·55", Naya Dumka 1·26", Benares 1·48", Ambala 1·68", Bikaner 1·30", Deesa 1·51" and Cocanada 1·65".

,, 9th. Mergui 1·60", Silchar 1·55", Cherrapunji 1·94", Calcutta 2·27", Burdwan 0·98", Patna 1·24", Allahabad 1·40", Sialkot 2·09", Udaipur 2·00", Surat 1·92", Masulipatam 1·90" and Cocanada 2·15".

4. The rainfall of the week was 20 per cent or more in excess over the greater part of the country. It was 20 per cent or more in defect in Burma, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Hyderabad North, Mysore, Malabar, Madras Southeast, and the Madras Deccan ; and was within 20 per cent of the normal in Assam, Bengal and the Punjab Southwest. No rain fell in Sind, but the absence of rain there is a normal feature of the weather at this time of the year.

A new rainfall period begins with this week and the departures from normal of the season's rainfall are thus the same as for the week.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 10th May 1917.			Rainfall data from 4th May to 10th May 1917.			Percentage departure from normal.	
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
Bay Islands	3·3	2·6	+0·7	3·3	2·6	+0·7	+27	
Lower Burma	1·1	2·0	—0·9	1·1	2·0	—0·9	—45	
Upper Burma	0·2	1·0	—0·8	0·2	1·0	—0·8	—80	
Assam	2·3	2·8	—0·5	2·3	2·8	—0·5	—18	
Bengal	1·6	1·5	+0·1	1·6	1·5	+0·1	+7	
Orissa	2·7	0·5	+2·2	2·7	0·5	+2·2	+440	
Chota Nagpur	2·1	0·4	+1·7	2·1	0·4	+1·7	+425	
Bihar	2·4	0·5	+1·9	2·4	0·5	+1·9	+380	
United Provinces, East	1·4	0·2	+1·2	1·4	0·2	+1·2	+600	
United Provinces, West	0·5	0·1	+0·4	0·5	0·1	+0·4	+400	
Punjab, East and North	1·1	0·2	+0·9	1·1	0·2	+0·9	+450	
Punjab, South-West	0·1	0·1	0	0·1	0·1	0	0	
Kashmir	0·2	0·5	—0·3	0·2	0·5	—0·3	—60	
N.-W. Frontier Province	0·1	0·2	—0·1	0·1	0·2	—0·1	—50	
Baluchistan	0	0·1	—0·1	0	0·1	—0·1	—100	
Sind	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Rajputana, West	0·9	0	+0·9	0·9	0	+0·9	—	
Rajputana, East	1·7	0·1	+1·6	1·7	0·1	+1·6	+1600	
Gujarat	1·3	0	+1·3	1·3	0	+1·3	—	
Central India, West	2·2	0	+2·2	2·2	0	+2·2	—	
Central India, East	0·9	0	+0·9	0·9	0	+0·9	—	
Berar	0·2	0	+0·2	0·2	0	+0·2	—	
Central Provinces, West	0·9	0·1	+0·8	0·9	0·1	+0·8	+800	
Central Provinces, East	1·0	0·1	+0·9	1·0	0·1	+0·9	+900	
Konkan	0·1	0	+0·1	0·1	0	+0·1	—	
Bombay Deccan	0·2	0·1	+0·1	0·2	0·1	+0·1	+100	
Hyderabad, North	0	0·1	—0·1	0	0·1	—0·1	—100	
Hyderabad, South	0·2	0·1	+0·1	0·2	0·1	+0·1	+100	
Mysore	0	1·0	—1·0	0	1·0	—1·0	—100	
Malabar	0	1·1	—1·1	0	1·1	—1·1	—100	
Madras, South-East	0	0·4	—0·4	0	0·4	—0·4	—100	
Madras Deccan	0	0·2	—0·2	0	0·2	—0·2	—100	
Madras Coast, North	1·8	0·2	+1·6	1·8	0·2	+1·6	+800	

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director-General of Observatories.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

SIMLA;
Dated the 10th May 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 5th May 1917.

Burma.—The rainfall during the week was general in Lower Burma and on the Arakan and Tenasserim coasts good rain fell. Sowing and transplantation of summer and spring rice are nearing completion in Upper Burma. Harvesting of miscellaneous crops and plucking of tobacco are progressing. Standing crops are in good condition. Cattle are generally healthy. The price of unhusked rice at Rangoon has declined to Rs. 103 per hundred baskets and is below normal. The market for white rice is dull.

Assam.—The weather is generally hot with very little rain which is badly wanted. Harvesting of spring rice continues with good outturn. Plucking and manufacture of tea and ploughing for and sowing of autumn and winter rice and jute are in progress. Cattle disease is reported from five districts. The price of common rice is practically stationary.

Bengal.—During the week general rain fell all over the Province. The fall was heavy in parts of west Bengal but generally light to moderate elsewhere. The rainfall has facilitated agricultural operations generally. Sowing of jute and autumn paddy is proceeding briskly. It is nearing completion in eastern districts. Weeding continues. Reaping of summer paddy is almost finished Prospects of standing crops have improved by the recent rainfall. Cattle disease is reported from nine districts. The average price of common rice for the Province has risen by about 0·60 per cent as compared with that of the preceding week.

Bihar and Orissa.—During the week the rainfall was general over the Province, the fall being generally moderate but heavy in some districts of Orissa especially in Balasore. Harvesting of spring crops has been nearly completed. Threshing continues. Preparation of lands for the next season's crops is going on. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has risen in two districts, fallen in two and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from eleven districts. The number of persons on test works in Puri and Singhbhum was 1,856 and 934 respectively while 518 persons were gratuitously relieved in Puri. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—During the week rain has again fallen throughout the Provinces Threshing and winnowing of spring crops still continue, though they have been retarded by rain in a few places Irrigation of extra crops and sugarcane is going on. Opium weighment is in progress in a few places. Sowing of indigo, cotton and sugarcane continues. Preparation of fields for autumn crops is in hand. Standing crops are doing well and prospects are good. Cattle disease is reported from only a few places and the condition of agricultural stock is, on the whole, satisfactory. The supply of fodder and water is ample. Prices are generally stationary but are slightly falling in a few districts.

Punjab.—Light rain has fallen in parts of nearly all the reporting districts. It has slightly damaged the harvested spring crops and retarded threshing operations in some districts. The condition of the irrigated standing crops is average and that of unirrigated crops below average. Reaping of spring crops has been nearly finished and threshing continues except in the southeast where it has been completed. The yield is normal or somewhat below normal on irrigated and below normal or poor on unirrigated areas. Sowings of extra spring crops have been completed and of sugarcane, cotton and other autumn crops are in progress and are below normal to normal. Germination of autumn crops is good. Cattle are generally healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are generally sufficient. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices are generally stationary but are falling slightly in some districts. They range between normal and scarcity rates except those of autumn food grains which range between normal and warning rates. Price of wheat:—Rawalpindi 9, Ferozepore and Lahore 10, Lyallpur 10½ and Ambala 10¾ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—Slight rain fell in one district during the week. The weather is moderate. The condition of standing crops both on irrigated and unirrigated areas is average except in one district where unirrigated crops are reported to be below average. Harvesting of spring crops is in progress. The outturn is expected to be average. Sowing of extra spring and of certain autumn crops is proceeding. The condition of cattle and the public health are generally good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The price of wheat in Peshawar was $9\frac{8}{16}$ and in Dera Ismail Khan 9¼ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8 to 12 and maize from 18 to 25 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is below average. There is no cattle disease. Fodder is insufficient in certain places.

Kashmir.—The rainfall during the week was good. Standing crops are in fair condition. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are normal. Cattle are healthy.

Rajputana.—During the week the rainfall in cents was :—Marwar 110, Shahpura 64, Kotah 84 and Bundi 90. Slight showers were received in Jaipur, Kishangarh, Jaisalmer, Mewar, Dungarpur, the eastern Rajputana States and Ajmer-Merwara. The weather is cloudy. Thunder storms occurred in several places. Harvesting of spring crops is nearing completion. Threshing and winnowing continue. Standing crops are in good condition. Agricultural stock is generally healthy except in Dungarpur, Kotah and Tonk where cattle disease is prevalent. Water and fodder are ample. Prices are falling in Jaisalmer, Tonk, Alwar and Ajmer-Merwara, rising in Jaipur, Kishangarh, Jhalawar and Bharatpur and are stationary elsewhere.

Central India.—The rainfall was general in Bhopal and partial in Indore, Baghelkhand, Bundelkhand and Malwa, the principal fall being over one inch in the Garot pargana of the Indore State. Harvesting and threshing of spring crops have been almost finished except in Bhopal. Land is being prepared for autumn crops in Indore, Malwa and the Southern States. Agricultural stock is in good condition except for some cattle disease. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are high in Bhopal, are normal in Baghelkhand, have fallen slightly in Gwalior and are steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather has been cloudy with light to moderate showers of rain all over the Provinces except at Nimar. The quantity registered at head-quarters ranged from 11 cents in Akola to about 1½ inches in Wardha. Threshing and winnowing of spring crops are well advanced and the outturn is satisfactory. Preparation of land for the sowing of the next autumn crops has been started in several districts. The supply of fodder and water is adequate. Cattle are faring well. The price of wheat and gram remained stationary or fluctuated slightly.

Feudatory States :—Five States received light showers. Threshing and winnowing of spring crops have been completed almost everywhere. Preparation of lands for autumn sowings is in progress.

Bombay.—Slight rain fell during the week throughout the Presidency. Standing crops are thriving. Harvesting is nearing completion. Cotton picking is progressing in Kaira, Surat, West Khandesh, the Karnatak, Baroda, Rewa Kantha and Kolhapur. Lands are being prepared for autumn sowings. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Thar and Parkar, Kaira and the Panch Mahals. Prices of food grains have fallen slightly in Sind, risen in the Karnatak and are generally steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—Isolated showers were received during the week. The average fall was 45 cents. The late rice crop is in fair to good condition and is being harvested. Lands are being prepared for the sowing of autumn crops. Cattle disease prevails in eight talukas. Prices of grains :—Wheat 7½, coarse rice 6½ and *juar* 11¾ seers per rupee. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 8 seers per rupee in Nander and Warangal and the lowest 18 seers per rupee in Bir and Usmanabad.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was practically *nil* in Tumkur and Chitaldrug and light elsewhere. Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition The outturn of the harvested sugarcane and paddy is fair. Ploughing and manuring operations and sowing of paddy and sugarcane are in progress in parts. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are healthy in the greater part of the State. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—No rain fell during the week. Prices of food grains are slightly lower. The public health is fair. Cattle disease is subsiding. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was good in Trichinopoly and in the south except Tinnevelly, fair in the Vizagapatam Agency, Godavari, Kurnool, Anantapur, North Arcot, Salem, Coimbatore and Cochin and light or *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally except in parts of one district where they require rain. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water supply is insufficient in parts of Godavari, Nellore, South Arcot, South Kanara, the central parts, the Deccan except Kurnool and the southern parts except Tinnevelly and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is insufficient in five districts and in parts of ten others. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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NOTIFICATION.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

No. 5557-C. W.

Simla, the 16th May, 1917.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in modification of this Department's Notification No. 5385-W., dated the 12th May 1917, in so far as it relates to the entries " (D) Coffee " and " (D) Tea " in the Schedule thereof, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the export of coffee and tea is also prohibited to the United Kingdom subject to the provisos contained in the said Notification.

C. E. LOW,

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A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 18th May, 1917.

No. 126.—Major H. B. Steen, M.D., I.M.S., is appointed temporarily to be Professor of Midwifery, Medical College, and Obstetric Physician and Surgeon of the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, with effect from the 24th December, 1916, until further orders.

POLICE.

The 9th May, 1917.

No. 234.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the exemption made by entry (13) of Schedule I of the Indian Arms Rules, 1909, in favour of Americans residing or travelling in India shall cease to extend to John Charles Mexia, an American, employed in the Dalbhoom Gold and Minerals Prospecting Company, Limited, Kunder Kochi, Holudpukur, Singhbhoom.

The 11th May, 1917.

No. 242.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in Schedule II of the Indian Arms Rules, 1909, as subsequently amended, namely :—

(1) In item no. 1 (area—British India) the following shall be added in columns (2) and (3) respectively as entry no. (*xi*).

(*xi*) Kirpans possessed or carried by Sikhs | Do.

2. The entries referring to Kirpans in items nos. 9, 10, 11 and 16 (areas—United Provinces, Punjab, Burma and North-West Frontier and Delhi Provinces), respectively, shall be deleted.

PORT BLAIR.

The 12th May, 1917.

No. 62.—Captain B. L. Jones, Executive Commissariat Officer, Port Blair, is appointed to be an Assistant Commissioner in the Settlement for so long as he holds his present office or until further orders.

The 17th May, 1917.

No. 65.—Mr. C. C. Chitham, Assistant Commissioner, Port Blair, is granted privilege leave for the period from the 18th October to the 20th November, 1916, both days inclusive.

No. 66.—Mr. C. C. Chitham, Assistant Commissioner, Port Blair, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 21st May, 1917, or any subsequent date on which he avails himself of it.

No. 68.—Mr. W. C. Rooke, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, Port Blair, is appointed to be an Assistant Commissioner in the Settlement for so long as he holds his present office or until further orders.

J. H. DuBOULAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 15th May, 1917.

No. 608-Est.-A.—Mr. H. R. C. Dobbs, C.S.I., C.I.E., a Resident of the 2nd class, on return from leave, is posted as Revenue and Judicial Commissioner in Baluchistan, with effect from the 26th April 1917.

The 16th May, 1917.

No 772-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made to the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 3510-I.B., dated the 3rd November 1913, as subsequently amended, applying certain enactments to Berar, namely :—

In the First Schedule, after entry No. 115, the following shall be inserted, namely :

116. The Super-tax Act, 1917 (VIII of 1917).	In section 2, sub-section (*1*) after the words " Indian Income-tax Act, 1886", the words " as applied to Berar " shall be added.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 17th May, 1917.

No. 132-F.—In consequence of the misconduct of Ghulam Kasim Khan of Tank, in the North-West Frontier Province, he is hereby deprived of the title of Nawab, which was conferred on his grandfather Shah Nawaz Khan, in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 5017, dated the 17th August 1859 and which was continued to Ghulam Kasim Khan on his succeeding to the Tank jagir in 1882.

No. 133-F.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General is pleased to confer upon Kutb-ud-din Khan, son of Ghulam Kasim Khan, of Tank, in the North-West Frontier Province, the title of Nawab, as a personal distinction.

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 623-Est.-A.—Major C. A. Smith of the Political Department, on return from leave, is placed on special duty under the orders of the Resident in Kashmir, with effect from the 29th April 1917.

No. 626-Est.-A—Mr. P. B. Warburton of the Political Department, on return from leave, was employed on special duty under the orders of the Agent to the Governor General in Central India from the 9th to the 25th April 1917, inclusive.

No. 627-Est.-A.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. G. Beville, C.I.E., of the Political Department, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for three months, with effect from the 26th April 1917, under Articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 628-Est.-A.—Mr. P. B. Warburton of the Political Department, is posted as Political Agent in Baghelkhand, with effect from the 26th April 1917.

No. 801-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917), as applied to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rules :—

Short title. **1.** These Rules may be called the Indian Defence Force (Bangalore) Rules, 1917.

Definitions. **2.** In these Rules, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(*a*) " the Act " means the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917, as applied to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore ;

(b) "the competent military authority" means the General Officer Commanding the Bangalore Brigade;

Prescribed military authority under section 3 of the Act.

3. For the purpose of the proviso to section 3 of the Act, the prescribed military authority shall be the General Officer Commanding the Bangalore Brigade.

Prescribed authority under sections 9 and 10 of the Act.

4. For the purposes of sections 9 and 10 of the Act, the prescribed authority shall be the competent military authority.

PART I.

EXEMPTION.

Persons who may apply for exemption.

5. An application for exemption from military service shall ordinarily be made by the person claiming to be exempted:

Provided that application may be made—

(a) on behalf of a person under 18 years of age, or of unsound mind, by his parent or legal guardian;

(b) on behalf of a person employed by any public authority, by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by the chief executive officer of such authority;

(c) on behalf of a person employed by any railway administration, by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by the head of such railway administration; and

(d) on behalf of any other person, by his employer or by a person specially authorised in this behalf by order in writing by such employer.

Applications for exemption.

6. (1) An application for exemption under section 11 of the Act shall be in writing and shall state concisely the grounds on which exemption is claimed, and whether permanent or temporary exemption is sought. It shall be signed by the person making the application, and shall be lodged with the District Magistrate of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.

(2) The District Magistrate shall forthwith forward every application lodged with him under this rule to the President of the exemption tribunals constituted under these rules

(3) Every application for exemption under this rule shall be made within one month from the date on which the person in respect of whom the application is made becomes liable to military service, or from the 17th May 1917, whichever date is later:

Provided that the exemption tribunal, where it is satisfied that the person making the application was prevented by any sufficient cause from making such application within the time specified in this rule, may hear and determine the application.

Exemption tribunals.

7. (1) In the Bangalore Military brigade area there shall be one or more exemption tribunals.

(2) Every such tribunal shall consist of three members, namely:—

(a) a civil officer nominated by the Resident in Mysore, who shall be the President;

(b) a military officer nominated by the competent military authority; and

(c) a non-official European British subject to be nominated by the President:

Provided that if any difficulty arises with respect to the constitution of any tribunal as regards the non-official member thereof, the Resident in Mysore may make any appointment and do anything which appears to him necessary or expedient for the representation on tribunals of non-official European British subjects.

(3) The Resident in Mysore shall frame lists of non-official European British subjects from among whom the President shall from time to time nominate the non-official member of an exemption tribunal. The person so nominated shall be a member of such tribunal for such period as the President may from time to time direct. In nominating members the President shall have regard to the nature of the claims pending before the tribunal:

Provided that no non-official European British subject shall sit as a member of an exemption tribunal, when such tribunal is adjudicating on the application of any person in his employment, or in the employment of the firm or company of which he is a member, agent or servant, or on any other application in which he is otherwise personally interested, of which fact the President shall be the sole judge.

(4) The decision of every exemption tribunal shall be in accordance with the opinion of the majority of the members.

(5) The President shall decide all questions which may arise as to points of order of procedure.

(6) A military representative authorised in this behalf by the competent military authority shall have the right to appear as a party to every application heard by the exemption tribunal to whom his name shall be duly notified.

(7) At least seven clear days before the hearing of an application the President shall send to the applicant and to the military representative notice of the time and place at which the application will be heard:

Provided that the President may in his discretion adjourn the hearing of any application to any subsequent day upon giving reasonable notice of that adjournment to the person concerned.

(8) All applications to the exemption tribunal shall be heard in public unless the tribunal in any particular case, due regard being given to the interests of the parties and of any other person concerned in the application, considers that an application or any part of the proceedings thereon should be heard in private. Provided that the exemption tribunal may exclude the parties and the public at any time during the hearing of an application for the purpose of conferring upon any question affecting the decision of the tribunal.

(9) The exemption tribunal shall hear every applicant appearing before it, and shall communicate its decision to the applicant and shall send a copy thereof to the competent military authority, and shall, if necessary, in accordance with such decision, issue under the signature of the President to the person by or in respect of whom the application has been made a certificate of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules.

PART II.

VOLUNTARY ENROLMENT.

Conditions to be satisfied by a person offering himself for enrolment under section 12 of the Act.

8. A person not being a European British subject may offer himself for enrolment for general military service, provided he satisfies the following conditions, namely:—

(1) He must not belong to any class from which the Indian Army is ordinarily recruited

(2) He must not be a member of a criminal tribe, or a person who at any time has been sentenced to a term of imprisonment or transportation, or has been ordered under the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, to give security for his good behaviour, such sentence or order not having been subsequently reversed or remitted, or the offender pardoned. [V of 1898.]

(3) He must not be a member of a menial class.

(4) He must bear a good character.

(5) He must for the time being have attained the age of 18 years but not the age of 30 years.

(6) He must have attained the standard of height, chest measurement and physical fitness required for recruits of the Indian Army.

Procedure.

9. (1) Every person offering himself for enrolment under the provisions of section 12 of the Act shall lodge with the District Magistrate Form II set out in Schedule I to these rules duly filled in and signed by him.

(2) The District Magistrate shall forward every Form lodged with him under the provisions of sub-rule (1) to the competent military authority, or to such other person as may be appointed in this behalf by the competent military authority.

Enrolment.

10. (1) In the case of every person so offering himself for enrolment, whose offer it is proposed to accept, the competent military authority shall, as soon as may be, cause a notice to that effect to be served upon him requiring him to attend for medical examination and thereafter for enrolment at such time and place as may be specified therein.

In all other cases notice shall, as soon as may be, be served on the person offering himself for enrolment stating that his offer is not accepted.

(2) When any such person, having been duly certified as medically fit, attends for enrolment, the enrolling officer shall put to him the questions in Form II set out in Schedule I to these rules, and shall, if necessary, amend the answers entered in the copy of the said Form lodged by such person. Such person shall be required to sign at the foot of the said Form a declaration that the answers given by him are true and that he is willing to fulfil the engagements made.

(3) If the enrolling officer is satisfied that the person desirous of being enrolled understands the questions put to him and consents to the conditions of service, he shall sign a certificate to that effect on the said Form, and such person shall then be deemed to be enrolled under section 12 of the Act.

(4) For the purposes of this rule, the enrolling officer shall be such officer as may be appointed in this behalf by the competent military authority.

Attestation.

11. (1) Every person so enrolled shall be attested in the presence of any one of the following attesting officers:—

(a) a Magistrate;

(b) an officer commanding a military station;

(c) an officer commanding a Regular or Territorial Unit, or

(d) an officer commanding an Indian Defence Force Corps.

(2) When any person is to be attested, an oath or affirmation shall be administered to him in one of the Forms specified in Form III set out in Schedule I to these rules, or in such other form to the same purport as the attesting officer ascertains to be in accordance with the religion of the person to be attested or otherwise binding on his conscience.

(3) An entry of the fact that an enrolled person has taken the oath or affirmation directed by this rule shall be endorsed on the copy of Form II signed by him, and shall be authenticated by the signature of the attesting officer.

Manner of quitting a corps or unit.

12. No person enrolled in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act shall quit such corps or unit, unless dismissed by a sentence of court-martial or dismissed or discharged by an order of the Governor General in Council or of the General Officer Commanding the Division.

Persons enrolled under section 12 of the Act to be deemed to be called out from the date of enrolment.

13. Every person enrolled in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act shall be deemed to have been called out for general military service from the date of his being so enrolled.

Penalty for making a false answer at enrolment or attestation.

14. Any person who, having offered himself for enrolment in a corps or unit constituted under section 12 of the Act, knowingly makes a false answer to any question put to him at the time of enrolment or attestation, shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

PART III.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

Liability to medical examination.

15. (1) Every person liable to general military service under the Act shall, if required present himself for medical examination and for that purpose shall comply with the directions of the examining officer.

(2) The competent military authority shall cause at least seven days' notice to be given to any such person of the time and place at which such person is to attend.

(3) If any such person refuses or, without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon such person), neglects to attend at the time and place specified in the notice given to him under sub-rule (2), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to one month, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

(4) The examining officer shall be an officer of the Indian Medical Service or the Royal Army Medical Corps, or a recognised medical practitioner appointed for that purpose by the competent military authority.

Categories of medical fitness.

16. The competent military authority shall cause every person who has been medically examined in accordance with rule 15 to be classified in one of the following categories of medical fitness:—

A. Fit for active work of a continuous nature as being organically sound, able to march and stand active service conditions, and to see and hear well;

B. Fit for active work not requiring prolonged and continuous strain, as being free from serious organic disease, able to march at least five miles, and to see and hear well;

C. Fit only for sedentary work;

D. Temporarily unfit for service, but likely to become fit for inclusion in category A, B or C within six months; or

E. Permanently unfit for any service.

Exemption on medical grounds.

17. (1) Persons who are classified in category D of medical fitness shall be temporarily exempted from general military service, and certificates of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules shall be issued to such persons accordingly by the competent military authority.

(2) Persons who are classified in category E of medical fitness shall be permanently exempted from military service, and certificates of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I to these rules shall be issued to such persons accordingly by the competent military authority.

Liability to medical re-examination.

18 Where, in accordance with the terms of a certificate of exemption issued under rule 17, any person is required to present himself for further medical examination, the provisions of sub-rules (2) and (3) of rule 15 shall apply.

PART IV.

OBLIGATIONS ON EUROPEAN BRITISH SUBJECTS ENROLLED FOR MILITARY SERVICE.

Duty to report for joining the corps when so required.

19. (*1*) Every person deemed to be enrolled for military service shall (unless an application for a certificate of exemption has been made by or on behalf of such person and has not been finally disposed of), report himself for the purpose of joining the corps or unit to which he may have been appointed on such date and at such place as he may be required to do by any general or special notice issued in this behalf by or under the orders of a competent military authority.

(*2*) If any such person refuses or, without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon such person), neglects to comply with any directions of a notice issued under sub-rule (*1*), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

Obligation to serve faithfully and to obey orders.

20. Every person deemed to be enrolled for military service, whether general or local, shall honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and shall go to any place in India or in the prescribed local area, as the case may be, to which he may be required to go by the orders of a competent authority. Every such person shall observe and obey all commands of any officer set over him.

Limits of local military service.

21. For the purpose of the proviso to section 7 of the Act the prescribed local area shall be the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.

Calling up for actual military duty persons deemed to be enrolled for local military service.

22. Any person deemed to be enrolled for local military service may, by general or special order of the Commander-in-Chief in India, be called upon to perform actual military duty within the local area prescribed by these rules.

PART V.

CALLING OUT.

Manner of calling out persons deemed to be enrolled for general military service.

23. Any European British subject who is deemed to be enrolled for general military service may be called out for general military service as follows:—

(*a*) for service with a corps or unit specially constituted and embodied for general service under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief—by order of the Commander-in-Chief in India;

(*b*) for service with the corps or unit to which he is appointed on such corps or unit being called out for general military service by the Commander-in-Chief—by order of the Commander-in-Chief in India calling out the corps or unit;

(*c*) for military duty or for training in camp—by order of the competent military authority.

PART VI.

PUNISHMENTS AND ARREST.

Offences punishable by courts martial.

24. Any person deemed to be enrolled for military service who, in circumstances when he is not subject to the Army Act, or to the Indian Army Act, 1911, does any act which is declared by Schedule II to these rules to be an offence against these rules may be tried and punished by a court-martial constituted under these rules.

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Punishments.

25. A court-martial constituted under these rules may inflict punishment in respect of the offences mentioned in Schedule II to these rules according to the following scale, namely:—

(*a*) imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months;

(*b*) dismissal from the Indian Defence Force;

(*c*) in the case of officers and warrant officers, suspension from rank, pay and allowances for any stated period;

(*d*) reduction, in the case of a warrant officer, to a lower grade or class (if any) of warrant officer, or, in the case of a non-commissioned officer, to a lower grade or to the ranks;

(*e*) in the case of officers, warrant officers and non-commissioned officers, forfeiture of seniority of rank;

(*f*) in the case of a person sentenced to dismissal from the Indian Defence Force, forfeiture of all arrears of pay and allowances and other public money due to him at the time of such dismissal;

(*g*) stoppages of pay and allowances until any proved loss or damage occasioned by the offence of which he is convicted is made good ; or

(*h*) fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Dismissal.

26. When an officer is sentenced to imprisonment, he shall at the same time be sentenced to dismissal from the Indian Defence Force.

Reprimand or severe reprimand.

27. When an officer is sentenced to forfeiture of seniority of rank, he may also be sentenced to receive a reprimand or severe reprimand.

Discharge with ignominy.

28. When a warrant officer, non-commissioned officer or man is sentenced to imprisonment, he may at the same time be sentenced to be discharged with ignominy from the Indian Defence Force.

Combination of punishments.

29. A court-martial may award, in addition to or without any one other punishment, any one or more of the punishments specified in clauses (*b*), (*d*), (*f*), (*g*) and (*h*) of rule 24.

Arrest and custody.

30. (*1*) Every person subject to the Act and these rules when charged with any of the offences specified in Schedule II to these rules may be taken into military custody, provided that in every case where any such person remains in military custody for a longer period than eight days without a court-martial for his trial being convened, a special report explaining the necessity for further delay shall be made by his commanding officer to the competent military authority, and a similar report shall be forwarded every eight days until a court-martial is convened, or such person is released from military custody.

(*2*) "Military custody" means the putting the offender under arrest or the putting him in confinement.

(*3*) The Commander-in-Chief in India shall prescribe by regulation made under the Act the persons subject to the Act by whom any person also so subject may be ordered into military custody.

(*4*) Whoever commits any person into military custody in accordance with these rules shall deliver, at the time of such committal or within twenty-four hours thereafter, to the commander of the guard into whose custody such person is committed, an account in writing signed by himself of the offence with which the person so committed is charged.

(*5*) The charge made against every person taken into military custody shall without unnecessary delay be investigated by the proper military authority and, as soon as may be, either proceeding shall be taken for punishing the offence or such person shall be released from military custody.

PART VII.

COURTS-MARTIAL.

Courts-martial.

31. For the purposes of these rules there shall be two kinds of courts martial, namely—

(*1*) a general court-martial, and

(*2*) a regimental court-martial.

Convening and constitution of general courts-martial.

32. (*1*) A general court-martial may be convened by the Commander-in-Chief in India or by any officer empowered in this behalf by warrant of the Commander-in-Chief in India.

(*2*) A general court-martial shall consist of not less than five officers of His Majesty's Regular or Territorial Forces or of the Indian Defence Force. The President of such Court shall not be below the rank of a Field Officer.

Convening and constitution of regimental courts-martial.

33. (*1*) A regimental court-martial may be convened by the Officer Commanding the corps or unit in which the person accused is for the time being serving.

(*2*) A regimental court-martial shall consist of not less than three officers, of whom two shall ordinarily be officers of the Indian Defence Force.

Powers of courts-martial.

34 (*1*) A general court-martial shall have power to try any person subject to the Act for any of the offences made punishable by rule 24, and to pass any sentence authorised by these rules.

(*2*) A regimental court-martial shall have power to try any person subject to the Act other than an officer for any of the offences made punishable by rule 24, and shall have power to pass a sentence of imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month, or fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or both, or any less sentence authorized by these rules.

Procedure for courts-martial.

35. The proceedings of courts-martial convened under these rules shall be conducted according to the laws and customs applicable to courts-martial held under the Army Act, and the said Act and the rules made thereunder shall, so far as may be, apply accordingly.

Finding and sentence invalid without confirmation

36. No finding or sentence of a court-martial shall be valid except so far as it may be confirmed as provided by these rules.

Power to confirm findings and sentences.

37. (*1*) The findings and sentences of general courts-martial may be confirmed by the Commander-in-Chief in India or by any other officer empowered in this behalf by warrant of the Commander-in-Chief in India.

(2) The findings and sentences of regimental courts-martial may be confirmed by the General Officer Commanding the brigade.

Power to mitigate, remit or commute punishments and to revise invalid sentences.

38. A confirming officer may, when confirming the sentence of a court-martial, mitigate or remit the punishment thereby awarded, or commute that punishment for any less punishment or punishments to which the offender might have been sentenced by the court-martial, and may, if the sentence passed by the court-martial is found for any reason to be invalid, pass a valid sentence, provided that the punishment awarded by the sentence so passed shall not be higher in the scale of punishments than, or in excess of, the punishment awarded by the invalid sentence.

PART VIII.

EXECUTION OF SENTENCES.

Detention in military custody.

39. (1) Whenever a sentence of rigorous imprisonment is passed under these rules, the Court or the confirming officer may direct that the sentence shall be carried out by detention in military custody.

(2) Whenever a sentence of simple imprisonment is passed under these rules, such sentence shall be carried out by detention in military custody.

Execution of sentences of imprisonment.

40. Sentences of imprisonment passed under these rules, whether directed to be carried out by detention in military custody or not, shall be carried out as in the case of sentences passed in British India under the Army Act on persons subject to that Act.

Execution of sentence of fine.

41. When a sentence of fine is imposed by a court-martial constituted under these rules a copy of such sentence signed and certified by the President of the Court may be sent to the District Magistrate, and in that case such Magistrate shall cause the fine to be recovered in accordance with the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, as applied to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, for the levy of fine as if it was a sentence of fine imposed by such Magistrate.

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PART IX.

SELECTION COMMITTEES.

Selection Committee.

42. The Resident in Mysore may constitute for the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore a Selection Committee.

Constitution of Selection Committee.

43. The Selection Committee shall consist of—

(1) a civil officer to be nominated by the Resident in Mysore who shall be President;
(2) a military officer to be nominated by the competent military authority; and
(3) not less than three non-official European British subjects to be nominated by or under the orders of the Resident in Mysore:

Provided that in case of difficulty the Resident in Mysore may make such arrangements as he may consider necessary for the due representation on the Selection Committee of non-official European British subjects.

Procedure and duties of Selection Committee.

44. The competent military authority may forward, or cause to be forwarded, to the Selection Committee nominal rolls of all Indian Defence Force corps or units in the area for which the Selection Committee is constituted showing all the men in such corps or units who are enrolled for general military service, and may furnish to the Committee a statement of the number of men required from such area for appointment to any corps or unit specially formed under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief in India for general military service. Thereupon the Selection Committee shall examine such nominal rolls, and shall, so far as may be, select from the men whose names appear thereon and who are not exempted from military service the requisite number of men to be assigned to the corps or unit so formed.

SCHEDULE I.

FORM I.

(See rule 7.)

CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION.

This is to certify that—

(*a*) ——————————

(*b*) ——————————

(*c*) of ——————————

has been exempted from (*d*) military service, absolutely / temporarily on the conditions set out below.

Conditions.

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Signature of the President of the Exemption Tribunal.

(*a*) Name, (*b*) occupation, (*c*) postal address, (*d*) general or local.

FORM II.

(See rule 9.)

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

Enrolment of

No. Name————————as a combatant in the Indian Defence Force.

Questions to be put before enrolment.

Question	Answer
1. What is your name ?	1.
2. What is your Father's name ?	2.
3. What is your religion, class and tribe ?	3.
4. What is your Village, Thana, Pargannah / Tahsil and District ?	4. Village. Thana. Pargannah / Tahsil. District
5. What are your educational qualifications ?	5.
6. Have you ever been imprisoned by the Civil Power ?	6.
7. Do you now belong to His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army ?	7.
8. Have you ever served in His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army ? If so, state in which and the cause of discharge (*a*) ?	8.
9. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your former service ?	9.
10. Are you in receipt of any allowance from Government ? If so, on what account ?	10.
11. Are you willing to be enrolled in the Indian Defence Force ?	11.
12. Are you willing to go wherever ordered in India by land or sea, and allow no caste usages to interfere with your military duty ?	12.
13. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated ?	13.
14. Are you willing to serve until discharged in accordance with the following conditions provided His Majesty shall so long require your services ? When you have served till the conclusion of the war you will be entitled to receive your discharge with all convenient speed.	14.

————————*Signature of applicant.*

(*a*) If so, the recruit should be asked to produce his Discharge Certificate.

FORM III.

(See rule 11.)

(Form of Oath.)

I,   do swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, the King-Emperor, his heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and go wherever I may be ordered in India by land or sea, and that I will observe and obey all commands of any officers set over me even to the peril of my life, so help me God.

(Form of Affirmation.)

I,   solemnly affirm that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, the King-Emperor, his heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully serve in the Indian Defence Force, and go wherever I may be ordered in India by land or sea, and that I will observe and obey all commands of any officer set over me even to the peril of my life.

SCHEDULE II.

(See rule 24.)

Whoever does any of the acts hereinafter specified shall be deemed to have committed an offence against these rules, that is to say—

1. Whoever being on parade or at the time of undergoing military training or of performing actual military duty—

(a) strikes, or uses or offers violence to, his superior officer, being in the execution of his office :

(b) strikes, or uses or offers any violence to, his superior officer, or uses threatening or insubordinate language to his superior officer :

(c) disobeys any lawful command given by his superior officer :

(d) neglects to obey any general or garrison or other orders :

(e) is in a state of intoxication :

(f) being an officer or non-commissioned officer strikes or otherwise ill-treats any person subject to military law who is his subordinate in rank and position :

(g) is guilty of any act or omission which is prejudicial to good order and military discipline.

2. Whoever absents himself from his station without leave properly obtained in the manner provided for by regulation, or without sufficient cause overstays leave granted to him :

3. Whoever without sufficient cause fails to appear at the place of parade at the time fixed, or, when on parade, without sufficient cause quits the ranks :

4. Whoever without sufficient cause fails to perform the drills, musketry or attendance at camp required of him by regulation :

5. Whoever strikes, or uses or offers violence to, any person whether subject to military law or not in whose custody he is placed, and whether he is or is not his superior officer :

6. Whoever resists an escort whose duty it is to arrest him or to detain him in custody :

7. Whoever being under arrest or detention or otherwise in lawful custody escapes or attempts to escape :

8. Whoever makes away with, or is concerned in making away with, his arms, ammunitions, equipments, instruments, tools, clothing or regimental necessaries, or any horse of which he has charge :

9. Whoever loses by neglect anything mentioned in clause 8 :

10. Whoever wilfully injures anything mentioned in clause 8, or any property belonging to Government or to any person subject to military law or to any military mess, band or institution :

11. Whoever ill-treats any horse or other animal used in the public service :

12. Whoever knowingly furnishes a false return or report of the number or state of men under his command or charge, or of any money, arms, ammunitions, clothing equipments, stores or other property in his charge, or through design or culpable neglect omits or refuses to make or send any return of the matters aforesaid :

13. Whoever when it is his official duty to make a declaration respecting any matter, knowingly makes a declaration which is false, and which he either knows or believes to be false, or does not believe to be true :

14. Whoever makes a false accusation against any person subject to military law knowing such accusation to be false :

15. Whoever in making a complaint to his superior officer when he deems himself wronged knowingly makes any false statement affecting the character of any person subject to military law, or knowingly and wilfully suppresses any material fact :

16. Whoever being duly summoned or ordered to attend as a witness before a court-martial intentionally omits to attend, or refuses to be sworn or affirmed, or to answer any question or to produce or deliver up any book, document or other thing which he may have been duly warned or called upon to produce or deliver up :

17. Whoever intentionally offers any insult or causes any interruption or disturbance to, or uses any menacing or disrespectful word, sign or gesture, or is insubordinate or violent in the presence of, a court-martial while sitting :

18. Whoever having been duly sworn or affirmed before any court-martial competent to administer an oath or affirmation makes any statement, which is false and which he either knows or believes to be false, or does not believe to be true :

19. Whoever refuses, or without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon him) neglects to comply with any order calling upon him to perform actual military duty or calling him out for general military service.

Explanation.—In this Schedule—

(1) "regulation" means a regulation made by the Commander-in-Chief in India under the Act ;

(2) the expression "superior officer," when used with reference to any person subject to the Act, means any person who under the regulations is the superior officer of such person ;

(3) references to persons subject to military law shall be deemed to include references to persons subject to the Act and these rules.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 17th May, 1917.

No. 533-F.E.—The Honourable Mr. H. F. Howard, C.I.E., I.C.S., has been appointed Secretary to the Government of India in the Finance Department, with effect from the 12th May 1917.

G. RAINY,

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 535-F.E.—Mr. M. M. S. Gubbay, C.I.E., I.C.S., Controller of Currency, sub. *pro tem.*, has been granted six months' combined leave, with effect from the 10th May 1917, consisting of such privilege leave as may be due to him and of furlough on medical certificate in continuation.

Mr. E. M. Cook, I.C.S., has been appointed to officiate as Controller of Currency, with effect from the 10th May 1917, *vice* Mr. Gubbay.

Mr. M. M. S. Gubbay, C.I.E., I.C.S., has been confirmed as Controller of Currency, with effect from the 12th May 1917.

Mr. G. Rainy, I.C.S., has been confirmed as Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Finance Department, with effect from the 12th May 1917.

No. 609-Accts.—Mr. W. A. Young, Senior Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Bihar and Orissa, has been placed on deputation as a gazetted officer, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 7th (Meerut) Division, with effect from the 14th March 1917.

The 18th May, 1917.

No. 538-F.E.—Mr. W. Alder, I.C.S., has been posted as Accountant General, Bombay, with effect from the 6th May 1917.

No. 539-F.E.—Mr. T. R. Masilamoni, Chief Accountant, Class II, office of the Accountant General, Burma, has been granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 26th April 1917.

No. 540-F.E.—Mr. F. L. Silva, Chief Superintendent, Class II, and Assistant Examiner, Local Fund Accounts, Bombay, has been granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 2nd May 1917.

Mr. R. V. Rege, an Accountant in the office of the Accountant General, Bombay, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Accountant, Class II, in that office with effect from the 1st May 1917 and until further orders.

No. 541-F.E.—Lala Chaman Lal, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Punjab, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, Class II, in that office with effect from the 27th April 1917 and until further orders.

Mr. S. C. Ghosh, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Bengal, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, Class II, in that office with effect from the 29th April 1917, and until further orders.

No. 542-F.E.—Mr. R. S. Jackson, an officer in Class III of the Public Works List of the Indian Finance Department, attached to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, has been granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 28th April 1917.

H. F. HOWARD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 15th May, 1917.

No. 13.—Lieutenant-Colonel S. G. Rivett-Carnac, R.E., Chief Engineer, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem.*, Buildings and Roads Branch, and Joint Secretary in the Public Works Department to the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, assumed charge of the office of Chief Engineer and Secretary in the Irrigation Branch in addition to his own duties, during the absence of Mr. A. J. Wadley on privilege leave, with effect from the afternoon of the 4th May 1917.

F. C. ROSE,

Secretary to the Government of India

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FORESTS.

Simla, the 14th May, 1917.

No. 281-F.-53-3.—The services of Mr. W. C. Rooke, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests on the Burma cadre, are placed at the disposal of the Superintendent, Port Blair, for employment in the Andamans Forest Department *vice* Mr. C. E. Parkinson, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, transferred to Burma.

Mr. Rooke assumed charge of his duties on the afternoon of the 17th April 1917.

METEOROLOGY.

The 15th May, 1917.

No. 496.—Mr. W. A. Bion, Assistant Meteorologist, Simla Meteorological Office, is appointed Imperial Meteorologist substantive *pro tempore* in place of Dr. G. C. Simpson, F.R.S., whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Indian Munitions Board, with effect from the forenoon of the 25th April 1917.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

GEOLOGY AND MINES ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 19th May, 1917.

No. 5598-M.—The services of Dr L. L. Fermor, D.Sc., A.R.S.M., F.G.S., Superintendent, Geological Survey of India, are placed at the disposal of the Indian Munitions Board for a period of three months with effect from the forenoon of the 1st April 1917.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 16th May, 1917.

No. 5557-C. W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in modification of this Department's Notification No. 5385-W., dated the 12th May 1917, in so far as it relates to the entries "(D) Coffee" and "(D) Tea" in the Schedule thereof, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the export of coffee and tea is also prohibited to the United Kingdom subject to the provisos contained in the said Notification.

The 19th May, 1917.

No. 5626-C.W.—The following excerpt from the Supplement to the Board of Trade Journal, dated the 29th March 1917, is published for general information :—

List of Articles covered by the Prohibition of Import Proclamations and of Decisions and Interpretations thereunder.

Revised List of all Interpretations, the subjoined Lists of Decisions cancelling all previous Rulings.

P. = Prohibited. N.P. = Not Prohibited.
G.L = Goods allowed import by General Licence.

* The General Licence permitting for the present the importation of these articles may shortly be revoked.

Description of Article.	Decision.
Absorbent duster, cotton	P.
Acetic acid—all kinds	G L
Acetic anhydride	N.P.
Adaptors for lamp holders	P.
Adding and listing machines ...	N.P.
Addressograph machines—parts of, such as—metal drawers, wooden stands with metal attachments and iron stands	G.L.*
Adjustable resistances	N.P.
Advertising signs—complete with letters, figures and frames	P.
Advocaat	P.
Agricultural implements and parts thereof	G.L *
Agricultural machinery includes any machine, implement, vehicle or other article, or any part thereof, designed or adapted or commonly used for agricultural or dairy purposes ...	...
Air compressors, electric	N P.
Air compressors, rotary blowers ...	N.P.
Air hoists	N.P.
Air pumps, electric	N.P.
Alabaster	P.
"Alaska" handles for boiler doors ..	P.
Almonds, sugared	P.
Aloxite hones (Stone.)	P.
Aluminium foil	P.
Aluminium leaves	P.

Aluminium schlag metal leaves ... P.
Aluminium sheets ... ... P.
Aluminium skimmings ... ... N.P.
Aluminium tanks, cylinders, pipes and parts of machines made of aluminium. P.
Alumishine (polishing soap) ... P.
Angostura bitters ... ... P.
Antifouling composition ... ... P.
Apple paring and coring machine (hand driven) ... ... P
Apple peelers (household appliance) ... P.
Apple waste ... ... N.P.
Applique machine ... ... N.P.
Arctic socks, made mainly of cotton ... P.
Armature magnets, for use in electric motors or dynamos ... ... P.
Armatures, for electric motors ... P.
Arm bands (made of elastic covered with cotton) ... ... P.
Artificial teeth containing gold ... G.L.
Artists' colours in oils ... ... P.
Artists' water colours ... ... P.
Asbestos rods ... ... N P.
Asbestos tape for electric motors and dynamos ... ... N.P.
Asbestos washers (other than for motor cars) ... ... N.P.
Ash trays (metal) ... ... P.
Asphaltum ... ... P.
Astrakan ... ... P.
Autopeds (motors) ... ... P.
Awl blades ... ... G.L.
Awls, stitching ... ... P.
Axes, safety, pocket ... ... P.

Bacon cutting machines ... ... N.P.
Bags, beaded, cotton ... ... P.
Bags—hand, mesh, vanity (metal) ... P.
Bags, imitation leather ... ... P.
Bags, mat, of rice straw ... ... P.
Bags, rush ... ... P.
Bag tyres, wire ties ... ... P.
"Bakelite" heads (polished) for umbrella handles ... ... N.P.
Balances, sash ... ... P.
Balances and weights for scientific purposes ... ... N P.
Ball bearings, steel ... ... G L.
Ball retainers ... ... G.L.
Balls, glass, coloured ... ... P.
Balls, tennis ... ... G L.
Baluch Rugs ... ... P.
Bamboo poles ... ... N.P.
Bamboo, split ... ... N P.
Band saw setting machines (hand driven) ... ... P.
Band saws, steel ... ... P.
Band steel ... ... P.
Bands—chrome leather picking ...G L.*
Banners and pennants, decorative ... P.
Banquet candle castings and fittings ... P.
Bar folder. (Tinsmiths' machines) ... P.
Barrels—tops and bottoms of ... P.
Barrels—wooden hoops for ... P.
Barytes ... ... P.
Barytes, sulphate of, powdered ... N.P.
Basalt lava stones ... ... P.
Basket making materials ... N P.
Bath chairs, motor ... ... P.
Bathroom accessories, *i.e.*, metal soap and sponge holders, metal racks, metal baskets, metal towel racks, metal tumbler holders, etc. ... P.
Bath showers, brass or copper ... P.
Battery cell (complete) or electric battery ... ... N.P.
Bayonets .. .. N P.
Beads made of metal, stone, glass, bone or wood. (Ojimes) ... ... P.
Bead fringes, glass ... ... P.
Beading machines. (Tinsmiths' machines) ... ... P.
Beads, imitation pearl ... ... P.
Beans and pork, tinned ... ...G.L.*
Beans, baked ... ... P.
Beans, baked, with pork and tomato sauce ... . G.L.*
Beans, dried .. ..G.L.*
Beans, haricot ... ... N.P.
Beans, lima ... ...G L.*
Beans, locust ... ... N.P.
Bearings, ball, steel ... ... G.L.
Beef stew (vegetables preserved) ... P.
Bee smokers, metal . ... P.
Belgian mattress ticks (cotton or flax and cotton mixed) ... P.
Bells and buzzer, electric (for use on telephones only) ... ... G.L.
Bells, electric, and relays for same (for purposes other than for use on telephones) ... ... P.
Bells, hand, call and door ... P.
Belt couplings, steel .. ... P.
Belt hooks, steel (for binding machinery belting) .. ... G.L.
Belt hooks (for use on belts of sewing machines)... .. ... G.L.
Belt laces, leather (for joining leather driving belts, etc.) ... ...G.L.*
Belting, Bitumen, *i.e.*, machine driving belting made of bitumen and cotton . N P.
Bergamot Oil ... ... N.P.
Bicycles accessories, metal ... P.
Bicycle forgings ... ... P.
Billets, steel ... .. N.P.
Billiard chalks ... ... G.L.
Binding, cotton bias (used on canvas and rubber shoes) ... ... P.
Bins and balers, steel, for waste paper P.
Birch in logs, waney timber from Canada, Labrador and Newfoundland ... ... P.
Birch, maple and persimmon blocks and squares for making bobbins, reels, shuttles and spools ... P.
Bit snaps ... ... P.
Bitumen belting, *i.e.*, machine driving belting made of bitumen and cotton N.P.
Bitumen for making black varnish ... P.
Black plate ... ... N.P.
Black split soap—hard tanners' dubbin (containing mineral wax and saponified fat) ... ... P.
Blades, circular (for paper slitting machines)... ... ... P.
Blades (for boring belting) ...G L.*
Blades, hack saw ... ...G.L.*
Blankets of shoddy .. ... P.
Blankets, printing machine (manufactured of cotton felt with a waterproof covering) ... ... P.
Blanks, steel, for safety razor blades... P.
Block fasteners, spring, for shoe lasts P.

Blotting stones ... ... P.
Blowers and forges, portable ... P.
Blow lamps and parts thereof .. P.
Blow pipes, gasolene. (Dentists' accessories) ... ... G.L.
Boards, emery (for abrasing hard skin and corns) ... ... N.P.
Boards, wall, and tiles, made of wood fibre ... ... P.
Boats, motor ... P.
Bobbins, reels, shuttles and spools ... P
Body water colours in glass bottles ... P.
Boiler feed pumps ... ... N.P.
Bold-headed screws or coach screws ... P.
Bolts and nuts, brass ... ... G.L.
Bolts and nuts, carriage ...G.L.*
Bolts and nuts, round headed, for stoves ... ... P.
Bolts—fin head (used for fastening wood battens to radiators) ... P.
Bolts, security and dummy ... P.
Bone ash ... ... N.P.
Bone glue ... ... N.P.
Bone pitch ... ... P.
Book-binding machines ... ... N.P.
Boot button fasteners ... ... P.
Boot protectors (made of wood and metal) ... ... P.
Boots and shoes, insoles for (manufactured of leather and wool, or felt)... P.
Bottle brushing and washing machines N P.
Bottle corking machines (hand) ... P.
Bottle making machines ... ... N.P.
Box boards ... ... P.
Box catch-fastening and punching machines. (Hand power.) ... P.
Boxes, ebonite, for accumulators other than for use on motor cars ... N.P.
Boxes, glass, pepper ... ... P.
Boxes, jewellery, other than plain cardboard boxes ... ... P.
Boxes, metal of all kinds .. ... P.
Boxes, paint, metal, containing cheap water colours. (Toys.) ... P.
Boxes, puff, fancy, metal, containing puffs ... ... P.
Box shooks ... . P.
Brackets, implement ... ... P.
Braids—
1. Hemp with cotton leaders ... N P.
2. Imitation of silk, *i.e.*, a mixture of coloured vegetable grass with cotton leaders. P.
3. Hemp and silk wool, made from wood pulp with cotton leaders .. P.
4. Artificial silk made from wood pulp with cotton leaders .. P.
5. Ramie ... ... N.P.
Braids and plaits, chip, straw or wood. P.
Braids or trimmings, metal thread. (Cotton manufactures.) ... P.
Brandy, compounds of ... ... P.
Brandy, imitation ... ... P.
Brassieres, *i.e.*, corset covers ... P.
Brass component parts, for electric lighting ... ... P.
Brass or metal leaf (imitation gold leaf) P.
Brass or phosphor bronze cloth ... P.
Brass sheet .. .. N.P.
Brass strips .. .. N.P.
Bread cutting machines... ... N P.
Bread making machines. (Hand driven.) ... ... P.
Bricklayers' and plasterers' trowels, as masons' tools ... ... G.L.
Brilliant ... ... P.
Brocade purses, cotton (cotton manufactures) ... ... P.
Bromide, liquid ... ... N.P.
Bronze blue .. .. P.
Bronze flower pots—Japanese art metal P.
Bronze leaf ... ... P.
Bronze powder ... ... P.
Bronze powder, gold ... ... P.
Bronze vases—Japanese art metal ... P.
Brooch joints and catches ... P.
Brooms and brushes, corn, *i.e.*, sweeping brooms made from broom corn P.
Broom handles ... ... P.
Brunswick black ... ... P.
Brush handles, painters' when made of ash or hickory (as tool handles) ... P.
Buckets, fibre ... ... P.
Buckles and tie fasteners ... P.
Buckles, brass ... ... P.
Buckles for braces ... ... P.
Buckles, metal, for ladies' belts ... P.
Buckles, papier-mâché (with metal bar and prong) ... ... P.
Bulbs of all kinds for electric lamps. (Glass manufactures)... ... P.
Bulbs of all kinds and lenses, for electric pocket lamps, hand lamps and torches. (Glass manufactures) ... P.
Bullet moulds ... ... G.L.
Bull rings, copper ... ... P.
Burners, gas or oil ... ... G.L.*
Burners, steatite ... ... N.P.
Burnt sienna .. ... P.
Burring machines. (Tinsmiths' machines.) ... ... P.
Bushings, bronze ... ... P.
Butter churns ... ... P.
Button covering machines (hand) ... P.
Button-hole machines ... ... N.P.
Button moulds, metal, fillings and backs ... ... P.
Button sewing-on-machine ... P.
Buttons of all descriptions ... P.
Butts, steel ... ... P.
By-passes, brass, gas burner ... P.

Cabbage, savoy, powder ... P.
Cabinets, seed, steel lined ... P.
Cable cash carrier, complete (electric). N.P.
Cable cash carrier, parts of .. P.
Calabash bowls for the manufacture of tobacco pipes ... ... N.P
Calculating machine, patent wage ... N.P.
Calendar frames (metal) ... P.
Callipers ... ... G.L.
Camel hair cloth (as woollen goods) ... P.
Camel hair noils ... ... P.
Camel hair waste ... ... N.P.
Cameos and similar articles mounted on base metal which does not contain any precious metal ... ... P.
Cameos, unmounted ... ... N.P.
Camera tripods, metal ... ... P.
Candlesticks, Glass ... ... P.
Cane Pins ... ... N.P.

Canisters, tin ... ... P.
Can keys and can openers ... P.
Canvas background, *i.e.*, unbleached linen used for photographic purposes ... ... P.
Canvas hemp, double japanned ... N.P.
Canvas lined rattan ... ... P.
Canvas, linen ... ... P.
Canvas, solution coated (used in the manufacture of boots and shoes) ... P.
Capers in kegs ... ... N.P.
Caps, bottle, gelatine ... ... N.P.
Caps, brass ... ... P.
Caps made of tinsel with wads and discs, for bottles ... ... P.
Caps, metal, for electric lamps ... P.
Caps, metal, for milk bottles or toilet powder tins ... ... P.
Caps of special character for cartridge-making ... ... G.L.
Capsules, lead foil ... .. P.
Caramel, liquid ... ... P.
Caramel, solid ... ... P.
Carbolene (crystaline chemical compound) ... ... N.P.
Carbon black ... ... P.
Card fasteners with brass sockets attached, for screwing blocks to wood lasts ... ... P.
Carmine ... ... P.
Carraway seeds ... ... N.P.
Carraway seeds, sugared ... P.
Carriage and motor car washers ... P.
Carriage heaters ... ... P.
Carriage tyring machines ... P.
Carrot powder ... ... P.
Cartridge cases ... ... N.P.
Carvings, ivory (old and modern) ... P.
"Carys" fasteners, seals and clasps ... P.
Case boards ... ... P.
Casein ... ... N.P.
Casing, lodar—substitute for sausage and preserved meat casing (not gut) made of wood pulp or other such materials of special preparation ... P.
Castings, iron fused with carborundum ... ... N.P.
Castor oil ... ... N.P.
Castors, furniture and truck ... P.
Catches and joints for brooches ... P.
Catches, plated (for drawers) ... P.
Catches, tin (used in the manufacture of radiator boiler castings) ... P.
Cattle dehorners ... ... N.P.
Cattle leaders (small steel fitment for use in leading cattle) ... ... P.
Caulking cotton ... ... N.P.
Caustic potash ... ... N.P.
Ceiling shades, enamelled iron ... P.
Celery seed ... ... N P.
Celluloid in rolls ... ... P.
Celluloid in sheets, rods, tubes and small unfinished blocks ... P.
Cement of all kinds other than for leather belting ... ... P.
Cement for leather belting ... G.L.
Ceramic feet for lamps ... ... P.
Chafing dishes ... ... P.
Chain, iron weldless ... ... P.
Chain making machine (power driven) N.P.
Chains, elevator ... ... P.
Chains, sherardized steel, for hanging sashes ... ... P.
Chair parts, lacquered ... ... P.
Chairs, cane, as basketware ... P.
Chairs, dental, surgical ... ... N.P.
Chalk ... ... N.P.
Chalks, billiard ... ... G.L.
Chaplet plugs, taper ... ... P.
Chaplets, copper (used in manufacturing radiator boiler sections) ... P.
Chaplets, perforated tin ... ... P.
Chargers, magnet ... ... N.P.
Chasers, taps, dies and stocks, thread milling cutters (screwing tackle) ... G.L.
Cheese presses, "gang" ... ... P.
Chenille plait, made principally of artificial silk and ramie ... P.
Cheque protectors ... ... P.
Cherry juice containing alcohol ... P.
Chestnut extract powder (chestnut extract) ... ... P.
Chicory root ... ... N.P.
Chimneys, glass, incandescent gas and lamp ... ... P.
China colours ... ... P.
China ink ... ... P.
China matting ... ... P.
China soy ... ... P.
China stone ... ... N.P.
Chinese ink ... ... P.
Chiropodists' appliances : Cabinet instrument steriliser ; chair, metal and leather ; instrument stands ; wash bowl and accessories ... ... P.
Choppers and hatchets ... ... G.L.
Choppers, food ... ... P.
Chromate of Lead ... ... P.
Chrome, green and yellow ... P.
Chrome leather picking bands ... G.L.*
Churns, butter ... ... P.
Cider vinegar ... ... N.P.
Cigar cutting machines (hand driven) P.
Cigarette cases (metal) ... ... P.
Cigarette holders, wooden (not cane) P.
Cinematograph films ... ... G.L.
Cinematograph machines... ... N.P.
Cinnabar native ... ... P.
Circuit breakers ... ... P.
Circular blades (for paper slitting machines) ... ... P.
Citric acid ... ... N.P.
Clamps, brass, with steel screw and nut (for connecting rubber and canvas hose to couplings) ... ... P.
Clamp for use with stitching awl ... P.
Clay rings for gas mantles ... P.
Clippers, hair ... ... P.
Clippers, horse ... ...G.L.*
Clipping machines, horse ... N.P.
Clips, clothes ... ... P.
Clips, copper test (for use in testing electrical instruments) ... ... P.
Clips, fountain pen ... ... P
Clips or clamps for wire rope ... P.
Clips, paper ... ... P.
Closing machines. (Tinsmiths' machines.) P.
Cloth, brass metal or phosphor bronze P.
Cloth, camel hair (as woollen goods) ... P.
Cloth, cotton knitted aercel (sanitary towel) ... ... P.
Clothes clips ... ... P.

Article	
Clothes dryers	P.
Clothes line reels, metal cases	P.
Clothes pins, wooden	P.
Cloth, grass	P.
Cloth, horse hair	N.P.
Clothing, ready made suits	P.
Cloth, leather (oilcloth)	P.
Cloth, leather, patent (as leather)	P.
Cloth matting, Japanies, made of rice pulp	P.
Cloth tape, gummed	P.
Cloth, woven galvanised iron wire	P.
Coach screws or bolt-headed screws	P.
Coaster slides (as games)	P.
Cobalt oxide	P.
Cocktail mixer, electro plate	P.
Cocoanut oil	N.P.
Cocoa pressing machines...	N.P.
Coffee-making machines	P.
Coffee-percolators (as hollow ware)	P.
Coil holders, metal	P.
Coils—induction—complete	N.P.
Coke forks, for gas-workers' use	P.
Combs, curry, steel, wooden handle	P.
Combs, tortoiseshell	P.
Commutator, copper segments	P.
Commutators for electric motors	P.
Conche machine (for refining)	N.P.
Condensed soup	N.P.
Condenser, "Killowatt"	N.P.
Condensers	N.P.
Confectionery—	
Almonds, hard, sugared	P.
Caramels	P.
Gums	P.
Gums containing spirit	P.
Jelly beans	P.
Liquorice (up to 30 per cent. added sugar)	P.
Marzipan	P.
Turkish delight	P.
Containers or founts for oil (used for ordinary oil lighting or heating lamps)	P.
Contractors for electric meters	P.
Converter, rotary, electric	N.P.
Cooking pots	P.
Coolers, cylindrical, for dairies	P.
Copper foil	P.
Copper oxide	P.
Copper plates or sheets cut to shape and size for engraving	P.
Copper pot scourer	P.
Copper rollers	P.
Coquilla nuts	N.P.
Cord, cotton ganging	P.
Cord, gold or tinsel	P.
Cork pressers, roller	P.
Cork pullers	P.
Corks, manufactured, for bottles	N.P.
Corks, sprinkler	P.
Corn brooms and brushes, *i.e.*, sweeping brooms made from broom corn	P.
Corset covers, Brassieres	P.
Corset eyeletting machines	N.P.
Cotter pins	P.
Cotton caulking	N.P.
Cotton duck for belting, weighing 18 oz. and upwards per square yard	G.L.*
Cotton "Duraduct" cotton woven conduit, *i.e.*, for protection of electric wires	P.

Article	
Cotton fabric, rubber-faced	P.
Cotton manufactures such as school satchels, map cases, music cases, fishing rod cases and tennis racket cases	P.
Cotton seed ...	N.P.
Cotton seed oil	N.P.
Cotton, silicate of, slabs ...	P.
Cotton wadding	P.
Cotton waste	N.P.
Cotton, waterproof fabric strap	P.
Counters, automatic	N.P.
Counters for marine indicators	P.
Counter weights, suspension, pulley and rings ...	P.
Couplings, belt, steel	P.
Covers, oil hole	P
Covers, spring, for lubricators	P.
Cramberry sauce	P.
Cranes, portable (machines)	N.P.
Crank shaft forgings	P.
Crash, Russia	P.
Crayons	N.P.
Crayons, marking, talc (for marking iron and steel)	N.P.
Cream separators	P.
Crepe cotton	P.
Crepe (wool), "Elastic"	P.
Crinoline or braid, artificial silk	P.
Crochet	P.
Crown cork openers	P.
Crystal granulated quartz	P.
Cups, grease	P.
Cups, metal, collapsible ...	P.
Cups, oil	P.
Curling tongs for waving hair	P.
Currants. The term "currants" applies only to dried	N.P.
Curry combs, steel, wooden handle	P.
Curtain rings, brass	P.
Curtain rods, metal	P.
Cutch extract	N.P.
Cut-outs (brass fitment mounted on earthenware base with earthenware cover (earthenware)	P.
Cutters, for card and lead, *i.e.*, card cutters and lead cutters...	G.L.*
Cutters, glass	G.L*
Cutters, white metal and brass pattern makers	P.
Cycle alarm "root-a-tooter"	P.
Cycle burner tips, manufactured from steatite and talc	N.P.
Cyclometer ...	P.
Cylinders, aluminium	P.
Cylinders for acetylene gas	P.
Cylinders, steel, for oxygen	P.
Cylindrical coolers for dairies	P.
Damper knobs, nickel plated, for use on boilers	P.
Damper regulators—for water and steam boilers	P.
Dating and numbering machines, hand, of all kinds, manufactured largely of metal ...	P.
Dating or name stamps, *i.e.*, metal or wood with rubber type	P.
Deacon welt ploughs (shoemaker's tools) ...	G.L.
Deals battens and boards (plain)	P.

Dentists' accessories, *i.e.*, absorbent cotton wool, belts (small leather driving for dental foot and electric engines), blow-pipe outfit, blow-pipes (gasolene), cabinets, chucks, collars (rubber and canvas), dental burrs, dental cement, dental pump chairs, disc cutters, discs, enamel cleavers, floss silk, forceps, gutta percha, lancets, leather bellows, ligatures, pliers, pluggers, polishing discs, presses and outfit, probes, punches and wedges, small lathe brushes, small leather buffs, spittoons, tooth brushes (mechanical), tooth polishing brushes tweezers, vulcanizers (dental) G.L.
Diamond dies for wire drawing ... P.
Dictating machine, parts and accessories G.L.
Dictaphone shaving machines ... N.P.
Dies and die stocks ... G.L.
Discs, emery cloth ... ... P.
Discs, metal, for centre of rubbers ... G.L.*
Discs, steel, for manufacture of adaptors P.
Discs, valve ... ... P.
Dolls ... ... P.
Door catches. (Stove fittings.) ... P.
Double seaming machines. (Tinsmiths' machines.) ... ... P.
Dovetails. (Stove fittings.) ... P.
Drawing pins ... ... P.
Drawn thread work ... ... P.
Dress shields ... ... P.
Dry colours ... ... P.
Duplicator steel file plates ... P.
"Duraduct" cotton woven conduit, *i.e.*, for protection of electric wires ... P.
Dusting mop, woollen, hand ... P.
Duster, cotton absorbent ... P.
Dutch tonic food, known as "Emergen" (substitute for "Sanatogen") ... N.P.
Dynamos and regulators ... N.P.

Earth colours ... ... P.
Earth sienna ... ... P.
Earmarkers, tin ... ... P.
Ebonite boxes for accumulators, other than for use on motor cars ... N.P.
Ebonite fork separators (for use in connection with electric train lighting) ... ... N.P.
Ebonite tubes for insulating ... N.P.
Edging, cotton canvas ... ... P.
Egg beaters ... ... P.
Egg timers, automatic ... ... P.
Elastic (of rubber and silk) ... N.P.
Elastic (of rubber and cotton) if cotton exceeds 50 per cent. of total weight P.
"Elastic" wool crepe ... ... P.
Electrical accessories and appliances, as follows :—

Adaptors for lamp holders ... P.
Adjustable resistances ... N.P.
Air compressors ... ... N.P.
Air pumps ... ... N.P.
Applique machines ... ... N.P.
Armature magnets for use in electric motors or dynamos ... P.
Armatures for electric motors ... P.
Battery or complete battery cell ... N.P.
Bells and buzzers (for use on telephones) ... ... G.L.
Bells and relays for same (for purposes other than for use on telephones) ... ... P.
Brass component parts for lighting P.
Bulbs of all kinds, for lamps (glass manufactures) ... ... P.
Bulbs of all kinds, and lenses for pocket, hand lamps and torches (glass manufactures) ... P.
Cable cash carriers, complete ... N.P.
Cable cash carriers, in parts ... P.
Caps, brass ... ... P.
Caps, metal, for lamps ... P.
Chargers, magnet ... ... N.P.
Circuit breakers .. P.
Coils, induction, complete ... N.P.
Commutators, copper segments ... P.
Commutators for electric motors ... P.
Condensers ... ... N.P.
Condenser, "Killowatt" ... N.P.
Contractors for electricity meters P.
Converter, rotary ... ... N.P.
Counter weights, suspension, pulley and rings ... ... P.
Cut-outs (brass fitment mounted on earthenware base with earthenware cover) (earthenware) ... P.
Dynamos and regulators ... N.P.
Ebonite tubes for insulating ... N.P.
Fans and parts thereof ... P.
Fitting connector (brass fitment on earthenware base) ... ... P.
Flat iron (as laundry iron) ... P.
Float switches ... ... N.P.
Fuse plugs, screw ... ... N.P.
Fuses, high tension, oil break ... N.P.
Fuses, knife blade and small round N.P.
Galvanic batteries or vibrators ... N.P.
Galvanometers ... ... N.P.
Grill ... . P.
Heater or radiator, portable ... P.
Hoists, chain, electric (Yale) ... N.P.
Hot plate ... ... P.
Induction coils, complete ... N.P.
Instrument counters (meter gears) N.P.
Insulators, complete (porcelain with metal contact parts) ... P.
Insulators made from mica and asbestos with steel centres or malleable iron ... ... N.P.
Insulators, telegraph or telephone (glass) ... ... P.
"Killowatt" condenser ... N.P.
Lamp-holders, brass or ebonite with or without switch or key ... G.L.
Lamp cases, hand and pocket, fitted with lenses or bulbs ... G.L.
Lamp cases, pocket and hand, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses or bulbs ... ... P.
Lamps, hand, complete ... G.L.
Lamps of all kinds (glass manufactures) ... ... P.
Lamps, pocket, complete ... G.L.
Laundry irons ... ... P.
Lenses, for hand and pocket lamps and torches ... ... P.
Lighting accessories, porcelain, with no brass fitment ... P.
Lightning arresters ... N.P.
Magnet chargers ... ... N.P.

Magnets, armature, for use in electric motors or dynamos ... P.
Magnets for electricity meters ... N.P.
Magnets, lifting, and accessories ... N.P.
Measuring instruments ... N.P.
Medical massage instruments ... N.P.
Metallic filament for lamps ... P.
Meter gears, prepayment ... N.P.
Meters, parts of ... ... P.
Morse sounders mounted on mahogany base ... ... N.P.
Motors for driving textile lace machinery ... ... N.P.
Motors for sewing machines ... N.P.
Motors for vacuum cleaners ... N.P.
Motors, small, for fans ... N.P.
Mouse power motors... ... N.P.
Muselaphone transmitters ... N.P.

Plugs, flush, consisting of brass fitment mounted on earthenware base ... ... P.
Plugs, wall, consisting of brass fitment mounted on earthenware base ... ... P.
Port-o-phone (vulcanite fitment and small battery) (for deafness) ... N.P.
Pumps, air ... ... N.P.
Radiator or heater, portable ... P.
Rectifiers for charging batteries ... N.P.
Regulators and dynamos ... N.P.
Rotary converter ... ... N.P.
Screw parts, brass, for use on telephones ... ... P.
Searchlights ... ... N.P.
Shaving pot (as Hollow-ware) ... P.
Splicing sleeves ... ... P.
Soldering irons ... ... P.
Sounders and keys ... ... P.
Standard for portable lamp, with ink-stand ... ... P.
Stoves (As Stoves and Ranges.) P.
Switches... ... ... P.
Tea pot (as Hollow-ware ... P.
Terminals, brass, for fuze board ... G.L.
Toaster for table use ... ... P.
Torch cases fitted with lenses or bulbs ... ... G.L.
Torch cases without lenses or bulbs, made of soft iron scrap ... P.
Torches, complete ... ... G.L.
Tramway signals ... ... N.P.
Transformer machines, *viz.*—paper spinning machines (for insulating the conductors forming the transformer coils) ... N.P.
Trolley pole catchers ... ... P.
Tubes, ebonite, for insulating ... N.P.
Tyre vulcaniser ... ... P.
Vibrators or galvanic batteries ... N.P.
Voltmeters ... ... N.P.
Vulcanite jars and battery parts ... N.P.
Vulcanizers, dental ... ... G.L.
Walnut enamelled pear push (consisting of turned wood with brass and bone mountings) ... ... P.
Watch-winding machines ... N.P.
Water heaters ... ... P.
White enamelled pear push consisting of turned wood with brass and bone mountings) ... P.
White enamelled pear switch (consisting of brass fitment mounted of earthenware and wood base) ... P.
White enamelled wall push (consisting of turned wood with metal mountings) ... ... P.
Wireless detectors ... ... N.P.
Wiring sockets (consisting of brass and porcelain) ... ... P.
"Electroshin" (liquid polish) ... N.P.
Electro type printing blocks ... P.
Elevator chains ... ... P.
Embossing stamp or press-monogram P.
Embroidery machines ... ... N.P.
Emeralite desk lamps ... ...G.L.*
"Emergen" Dutch tonic food (substitute for "Sanatogen") ... N.P.
Emery boards (for abrasing hard skin and corns) ... ... N.P.
Emery cloth discs ... ... P.
Emery wheel dressers and cutters (used for trueing up emery wheels) ... N.P.
Empties, returned ... ... G.L.
Emulsifiers, machines ... ... P.
Enamelled dial printing machine ... N.P.
Engraved plates, music, pewter ... P.
Envelope fasteners, steel ... ... P.
Envelope sealing machine ... N.P.
Envelopes, straw, for core making and packing iron ware ... ... N.P.
Erasers, sanitary, *i.e.*, thin strip of rubber in nickelled case ... P.
Essence of peach (as strong waters) ... P.
Essential oils, used in the manufacture of perfumery ... ... N.P.
Etch-o-lite dipping machines ... P.
Extracts—
Cutch ... ... N.P.
Fustic ... ... N.P.
Logwood ... ... N.P.
Sumac (containing 28 per cent. tannin) ... ... N.P.
Eye baths, glass ... ... P.
Eyeglass and spectacle cases, metal covered with imitation leather and lined with velvet, etc. ... ... P.
Eyeglass frames, steel and xylonite or steel and rubber ... ... P.
Eye guards, engineers' (consisting of wire gauze faced with glass, enclosed in sheet iron frame, for use on lathes, milling and grinding machines ... P.
Eyeletting machines (Corset) ... N.P.
Eye shades (linen) ... ... P.

Fabrikoid (basis:—cotton known as sheeting, drill, duck and sateen, coated with nitrocellulose, castor oil and pigments) ... ... P.
Face cream (not containing glycerine) N.P.
Fans, electric, and parts thereof ... P.
Fasteners and buckles for ties ... P.
Fasteners and press studs for wearing apparel ... ... G.L.*
Fasteners, boot button ... ... P.
Fasteners, card, with brass sockets attached, for securing blocks to wood lasts ... ... P.
Fasteners, "Carys" seals and clasps ... P.
Fasteners, corrugated saw edge ... P.
Fasteners, envelope (steel) ... P.

Fasteners, "Hotchkiss" automatic papers ... ... P.
Fasteners, paper (steel) ... ... P.
Fasteners, spring blocks, for shoe lasts P.
Faucet, molasses, suction and measuring ... ... P.
Feather materials (apparel) ... P.
Feathers, duck, goose and poultry, for stuffing beds and cushions (down) ... P.
Felspar ... ... N.P.
Felt for paper making machines ... P.
Felt, jute, roofing ... ... N.P.
Felt, roofing, made of refuse from cotton and woollen rags treated with asphalt ... ... P.
Felt, tarred ... ... P.
Felt, "Vulca Unit," used in the manufacture of boots and shoes ... P.
Fenders, ships', made of cane ... N.P.
Fern root (Osmanda), for potting orchids ... ... P.
Ferro-type plate, Japanned iron sheets (as photographic accessories) ... P.
Ferro-vanadium (an alloy of iron and vanadium used in the manufacture of steel) ... ... N.P.
Ferrules—German silver P.
Ferrules or nipples, steel for gas radiators ... ... P.
Ferrules—tin—for banding brushes ... P.
Fibre, horn, manufactured from flax, used for electrical insulating purposes N.P.
Fibre, Java ... ... N.P.
Fibre, palm leaf ... ... N.P.
Fibre, steel, polishing ... ... P.
Fibre—vulcanized ... ... N.P.
Figures, base metal, bronzed ... P.
Filament, metallic, for electrical lamps P.
File clip ... ... P.
Files, surgical ... ... P.
Files, watchmakers' ... .. G.L.
Filling cabinets, metal, accessories for P.
Filing cabinets, steel ... ... P.
Films, cinematograph ... ... G.L.
Filters, glass ... ... P.
Filters, oil ... ... P.
Filters, water, cast iron ... ... P.
Fire clay goods ... ... P.
Fire escape, automatic ... ... N.P.
Firelighters, Japanese ... ... N.P.
Fishing lines, saline enamelled silk ... P.
Fishing reels, brass . . ... P.
Fishing rod cases (cotton manufactures) ... ... P.
Fishing rods, bamboo ... ... N.P.
Fishing rods, split cane ... ... N.P.
Fittings, stove, *i.e.*, dovetails, door catches and hinged tubes ... P.
Flags, coopers' ... ... N.P.
Flashlight pencil (pencil holder and flash lamp combined) ... ... G.L.
Flasks, thermos ... ... P.
Flasks, vacuum ... ... P.
Flat iron, electrical (as laundry iron)
Flax seed ... ... N.P.
Float switches ... ... N.P.
Flooring boards, planed and prepared, tongued and grooved ... ... P.
Flour sifters... ... ... P.
Flour, wood ... ... N.P.
Flower pots, bronze—Japanese art metal ... ... P.
Flowers, imitation, and figures made of gum paste, sugar coated ... N.P.
Flowers, natural, dried and dyed ... N.P.
Fluting machine (used for the crimping or fluting of cloth) ... P.
Fly traps and killers ... ... P.
Fog horns, Norwegian machine ...G.L.*
Food choppers .. ... P.
Foot arch supports (metal and leather) P.
Forges and blowers, portable ... P.
Forgings, crank, shaft ... ... P.
Forgings for bicycles ... ... P.
Fork separators, ebonite (for use in connection with electric train lighting) ... ... N.P.
Forks, coke, for gasworkers' use ... P.
Forks, garden and agricultural, without handles ... ... P.
Forks, garden and agricultural, with handles ... ... G.L.
Forks, hay ... ... G.L.*
Foundry ladles or bowls—iron ... P.
Fountain pen clips ... P.
Fountain pens not containing gold nibs N.P.
Fountains, lawn (revolving) ... P.
Founts or containers for oil (used for ordinary oil lighting or heating lamps) ... ... P.
Founts, overhead washing, for carriages and motor-cars ... ... P.
Frames and fittings (metal), umbrella. P.
Frames, bag and pouch ... ... P.
Frames, complete or in parts, metal for ladies' hand bags ... ... P.
Frames, metal, loose-leaf (for perpetual ledger) ... ... P.
Freezers, ice-cream ... ... P.
Fringes, silk... ... ... P.
Fruit jellies ... ... P.
Fruit pectin (as bottled fruits) ... P.
Furnace blocks (made of refractory clay), for glass making furnaces ... P.
Furnace, gas, forced draught ... P.
Furs, uncut, unshaped or not partly manufactured ... ... N.P.
Fuse plugs, screw ... ... P.
Fuses—high tension oil break ... N.P.
Fuses—knife blades and small round (electric) ... ... N.P.
Fustic extract ... ... N.P.

Galalith—manufactures of ... N.P.
Galvanic batteries or vibrators ... N.P.
Galvanised iron wire cloth, woven ... P.
Galvanometers ... ... N.P.
Gamboge ... ... P.
Gamboge gum ... ... P.
Gammeter multigraph printing machine N.P.
Ganging cord, cotton ... ... P.
Garlic ... ... N.P.
Gas burner castings, iron for stoves ...G.L.*
Gas furnace, forced draught ... P.
Gas Lamps and parts of, other than burners ... ... P.
Gas lighters—Simplex (as wood manufactures) ... ... P.
Gas mantle holders, metal ... P.
Gas meters, brass, parts of ... P.
Gas meters, cast iron, parts of ... P.
Gas regulators, iron, parts of ... P.
Gasolene blow-pipes (dentists' accessories) ... ... G.L.

Gates or taps for oil or molasses ... P.
Gauze, brass wire ... ... P.
Gear pumps ... ... N P.
Gear wheels, raw hide ... ... N.P.
Giant strides (as games) ... P.
Gilding solution ... ... P.
Glass cutters ... ... G.L.*
Glass grinding machines ... N.P.
Gloves :—
Housemaids', made of cotton fabric (for cleaning purposes) ... P.
Leather, with astrakan backs and lined with wool ... ... P.
Motor, made of sheep skins and cotton fabric ... ... P.
Woolen, knitted (as hosiery) ... P.
Gloves or mitts for polishing (made of wool front and American cloth) ... P.
Glue, bone ... ... N.P.
Goats' hair cashmere ... ... N.P.
Goldbeaters' skin ... ... G L.
Gold essence... ... ... P.
Gold foil, imitation ... ... P.
Gold leaf .. .. P.
Gold leaf, imitation (brass or metal leaf) ... ... P.
Gold paint ... ... P.
Gold wire ... ... P.
Gong shells, steel ... ... P.
Goods consisting wholly or mainly of rubber ... ... G.L.
Goods of prohibited kinds (Government property) consigned to officers in H. M. service ... ... G.L.
Goose quill cuttings ... ... N.P.
Government property (goods of prohibited kinds) consigned to officers in H. M. service ... ... G.L.
Graphite ... ... N.P.
Grapho-grease ... ... N.P.
Grass cloth ... ... P.
Grasses, dried ... ... N.P.
Grease cups ... ... P
Grease—Grapho ... ... N.P.
Grease paints ... ... P.
Gredag, mineral grease with small percentage of graphite... ... N.P
Grill, electric heating ... ... P.
Grinding machine (hand power) ... P.
Grinding plates for coffee grinding mill ... ... P.
Grinding stones ... ... G.L.
Grindstone frames and fixtures, metal P.
Grips, wooden, for electric lamps ... P.
Ground nut oil ... ... N.P.
Guillotine, rubber (hand power) ... P.
Gum, box toe, made of shellac and coal tar benzol ... . N P.
Gumming machines, hand ... N.P.
Gun barrels, locks and furniture ... N.P.
Gunwad, made entirely of cowhair ... N.P.
Gut, silk worm ... ... N.P.
Gut strings ... ... G.L.

Hack saw blades ... ...G.L.*
Hair clippers ... ... P.
Hammers and hammer heads ... G.L.
Handkerchiefs, cotton, plain, with drawn thread border ... ... P.
Hand lamps, electric, complete ... G.L.
Handles, "Alaska," for boiler doors P.
Handles, broom ... ... P.
Handles, brush, painters, made of ash or hickory (as tool handles) ... P.
Handles, cover (of wood and metal) for repairing tea-pots ... P.
Handles, umbrella (lacquered) (as wood manufactures) ... ... P.
Handwarmers for muff or pocket ... P.
Hangers, cast iron, for shafting ... P.
Hangars or tags, suspension, cotton cloth gummed ... ... P.
Hardware—
This is taken to include all articles of base metal which are not—
1. Materials used for constructional purposes such as plates, bars, angles, rods, etc, which are not sold in the retail trade.
2. Articles highly manufactured of a special character such as complex machines, scientific instruments, etc.

(*See separate Hardware List*).

Haricot beans ... ... N.P.
Harness snap ... ... P.
Hasps ... ... P.
Hat bodies, wool and fur ... P.
Hatchets and choppers ... ... G.L.
Hay forks .. .. G.L.
Heater or radiator, portable, electric ... P.
Heaters, carriage ... ... P.
Heaters, water (electric) ... ... P.
Heaters, water (gas) ... ... P.
Heddles, steel ... ... P.
Helmets, pith ... ... P.
Hematine crystals ... ... N.P.
Hemp ... ... N.P.
Hem yarns ... ... N.P.
Hemp manufactures of ... ... N.P.
Henna leaves ... .. N.P.
Hide, enamelled patent leather) .. P.
Hide fleshings ... ... N.P.
Hinged tubes (stove fittings) ... P.
Hinge pins, with cone heads ... P.
Hinges of all metals ... ... P.
Hob nails ... ... P.
Hoes, garden and agricultural, without handles ... ... P.
Hoes, garden and agricultural, with handles .. .. G.L
Hoists, air ... ... N.P.
Hoists, chain, electric (Yale) ... N.P.
Holders, coil (metal) ... ... P.
Holders for rubber, stamps *i.e.*, metal base with wooden handle ... P.
Holders—roll paper ... ... P.
Honey ... ... N.P.
Hoods, felt ... ... P.
Hoof horn, manufacturers of ... P.
Hooks, brass .. .. P.
Hooks, cargo .. .. P.
Hooks, coat and hat, wire ... P.
Hooks shoe lacing ... ... P.
Hooks, screw, for coat hangers ... P.
Hooks, steel, belt (for binding machiney belting) ... ... G.L.
Hooks, tenter ... ... P.
Hooks, wire (other than coat or hat hooks) ... ... G.L.
"H.O." slides ... ... P.
Hooping, iron or steel ... ... P.

Hoops, wooden, for barrels ... P.
Horn fibre, manufactured from flax, used for electrical insulating purposes N.P.
Horn piths ... ... P.
Horns, rhinoceros ... ... P.
Horse clippers ... ...G.L.*
Horse clipping machines .. ... N.P.
Horse-hair cloth ... ... N.P.
Horse-hair, imitation ... ... N.P.
Horse raddish, evaporated ... P.
Hose, garden, mainly of rubber ... N.P.
Hose, rubber ... ... N.P.
"Hotchkiss" automatic paper fasteners .. .. P.
"Hotchkiss" staple presses ... P.
"Hotchkiss" tag machines ... P.
Hot-plate (electric) ... ... P.
Household appliances :—Apple peelers, potato peelers, flour sifters, knife sharpeners, etc. ... ... P.
Hydraulic rams ... ... N.P.
Hypodermic syringes ... ... N.P.

Ice-cream freezers ... ... P.
Iceland moss ... ... N.P.
Ignition wheels for automatic lighters P.
Implement brackets ... ... P.
Incubators, cast iron wood ...G.L.*
Indian ink .. .. P.
Induction coils, complete... ... N.P.
Insect powder ... ... N.P.
Insoles for boots and shoes (manufactured of leather and wool or felt) P.
Instrument counters (meter gears) ... N.P.
Instruments, medical massage (electro) N.P.
Insulating silks and cloths for electrical works (as oilcloths) ... ... P.
Insulators complete, porcelain with metal contact parts ... ... P.
Insulators made from mica and asbestos with steel centres or malleable iron N.P.
Insulators, telegraph or telephone (glass) ... ... P.
Ipecacuanha ... ... N.P.
Iron oxide ... ... P.
Irons, laundry ... ... P.
Iron sheets (japanned), ferrotype plate (as photographic accessories) ... P.
Iron-ware and furniture used for poultry farming ... ... P.

Jacks, lifting ... ... G.L.
Jam ... ... P.
Japanese bronze flower pots (art metal) P.
Japanese bronze vases (art metal) .. P.
Japanese cloth matting, made of rice pulp .. ... P.
Japanese pin cushions (covers made of silk and stuffed with bran or rice) P.
Japan wax, used for lubricating cotton driving ropes ... ... N.P.
Jars, pickle (glass, ornamental) ... P.
Jars, vacuum ... ... P.
Java fibre ... ... K.P.
Jelies. fruit ... ... P.
Jerseys. (As hosiery).
Jewel cases, small, for packing jewellery (of wood and imitation leather, lined with velvet, satin, etc.) ... P.
Jewellery—
1. Beads, imitation pearl ... P.
2. Cameos and similar articles mounted on base metal which does not contain any precious metal ... ... P.
3. Cameos unmounted ... N.P.
4. Jewellery, imitation, manufactured of base metal (including base metal covered with gold, silver or platinum) ... P.
5. Mosaic, mounted on base metal P.
6. Necklets, bead and coral ... P.
7. Pearls and unset precious stones other than unset diamonds ... G.L.*
8. Pearls, imitation, and imitations of other precious stones ... P.
9. Rings for chains (base matel) P.
Jewellery boxes other than plain cardboard ... ... P.
Joints and catches for brooches ... P.
Jute, woven... ... ... N.P.

Key blanks ... ... P.
Key buttons, celluloid ... ... P.
Key rings, steel ... ... P.
Keys, for opening cans ... ... P.
Khaki webbing (cotton) ... ... P.
"Killowatt" condenser... ... N.P.
Kirschwasser ... ... P.
Kitchen utensils ... ... P.
Knife sharpeners (household appliances) P.
Knobs, damper, nickel plated, for use on boilers ... ... P.
Knobs or pegs, japanned iron ... P.
Kolynos ... ... P.

Label dampers, metal ... ... P.
Labels, metal ... ... P.
Laces, leather belt (used for joining driving belts, etc.) ... ... G.L.
Laces, shoe (cotton) ... ... P.
Lacquered umbrella handles (as wood manufactures) ... ... P.
Lactometers ... ... N.P.
Ladder tape, cotton, for venetian blinds P.
Ladders, horizontal (as games) ... P.
Ladles or bowls, foundry, iron ... P.
Lakes of all colours ... ... P.
Lamp black... ... ... P.
Lamp burners, gas or oil... ...G.L.*
Lamp cases, hand and pocket, electric fitted with lenses or bulbs ... G.L.
Lamp cases, hand and pocket, electric, made of soft iron scrap, not fitted with lenses or bulbs ... P.
Lamp holders, electrical, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key G.L.
Lamps, blow, and parts thereof ... P.
Lamps, electric, of all kinds (glass manufactures) ... ... P.
Lamps, emeralite, desk .. ...G.L.*
Lamps gas, and parts of, other than burners ... . P.
Lamps, hand electric, complete ... G.L.
Lamps, oil, of all kinds ... ... P.
Lamps, pocket electric, complete ... G.L.
Lanterns, hurricane ... ...G.L.*
Lanterns, tubular, for farm use .. .G.L*
Laths, wood .. .. P.
Laundry irons .. ... P.
Laundry tablets ("La France") ... P.
Lava stone (basalt) ... ... P.

Lawn fountains (revolving) ... P.
Lawn Sprinklers ... ... P.
Leaders, cattle (small steel fitment for use in leading cattle) ... ... P.
Lead foil ... ... P.
Leather (artificial), made of cotton ... P.
Leather boards ... ... P.
Leather cloth (oilcloth) ... ... P.
Leather cloth, patent as leather ... P.
Leather cut stock :—Heels, inner soles, lifts, middles, outsoles, vamps, quarters, stiffeners, skivings, split lifts, toe caps, toe pieces, toe puffs ... P.
Leather, patent (enamelled hide) ... P.
Leather, Russia (for book-binding) ... P.
Leather sheets ... ... P.
Ledger binders, loose leaf, complete (cover made of cardboard covered with cotton canvas) ... ... P.
Leme green ... ... P.
Lemon squeezers, glass ... ... P.
Lentils (dried) ... ... N.P.
Letter franking and obliterating machine ... ... N.P.
Lever fittings (metal) for correspondence files ... ... P.
Lever or lifter, steel, for metal bungs P.
Levers, cycle tyre ... ... P.
Lichens and moss ... ... N.P.
Lids, metal movable, for tins or glass bottles ... ... P.
Lighters, gas, "Simplex" (as wood manufactures) ... ... P.
Lighters, metal, pocket ... ...G.L.*
Lighting arresters ... ... N.P.
Lima beans ... ...G.L.*
Linen canvas ... ... P.
Linen, sensitised, for engravers ... P.
Linseed ... ... N.P.
Linseed oil ... ... N.P.
Liquorice root ... ... N.P.
Lisodis fount or distributor ... P.
Litharge ... ... P.
Lithographic printing, shading medium plates ("Days") ... ... N.P.
Lithopone ... ... P.
Locks and padlocks ... ... P.
Locust beans ... ... N.P.
Lodar casing—substitute for sausage and preserved meat casings (not gut), made of wood pulp or other such materials of special preparation ... P.
Logwood extract ... ... N.P.
Loofah, and loofah socks (dried vegetable substance with cotton binding) ... N.P.
Looms, netting (machinery) ... N.P.
Loops, brass... ... ... P.
Lubricator spring covers... ... P.
Lubricators, gunmetal, for refrigerating machinery ... ... P.
Lubricators, iron and steel ... P.
Lug straps (cotton) ... ... P.

Machines :—
  Adding and listing ... ... N.P.
  Addressograph, parts of, such as metal drawers, wooden stands with metal attachments, and iron stands ... ...G.L.*
  Apple paring and coring (hand power) ... ... P.
  Applique ... ... N P.
  Automatic slot game... ... P.
  Bacon cutting ... ... N.P.
  Band saw setting (hand driven) ... P.
  Bookbinding ... ... N.P.
  Bottle brushing and washing ... N.P.
  Bottle corking (hand) ... P.
  Bottle making ... ... N.P.
  Box catch fastening and punching (hand power) ... ... P.
  Bread cutting ... ... N.P.
  Bread making (hand driven) ... P.
  Button covering (hand) ... P.
  Button hole ... ... N.P.
  Button sewing-on ... ... P.
  Calculating, patent wage ... N.P.
  Carriage tyring ... ... P.
  Chain making (power driven) ... N.P.
  Cigar cutting (hand driven) ... P.
  Cinematograph ... ... N.P.
  Clipping, horse ... ... N.P.
  Cocoa pressing ... ... N.P.
  Coffee making ... ... P.
  Conche (for refining)... ... N.P.
  Corset eyeletting ... ... N.P.
  Cranes, portable ... .. N.P.
  Dating and numbering, all kinds, manufactured largely of metal (hand) ... ... P.
  Dictaphone shaving ... ... N.P.
  Dictating, parts and accessories ... G.L.
  Embroidery ... ... N.P.
  Emuslifiers ... ... P.
  Enamelled dial printing ... N.P.
  Envelope sealing ... ... N.P.
  Etch-o-lite dipping ... ... P.
  Fluting (used for the crimping or fluting of cloth) ... ... P.
  For working on glass, such as grinding prisms for field glasses N.P.
  Foundation mill for waxcomb making ... ... N.P.
  Gammeter multigraph printing ... N.P.
  Grinding (hand power) ... P.
  Gumming (hand) ... ... N.P.
  Hand button covering ... P.
  Hosiery weighing (scales) ... P.
  Letter franking and obliterating ... N.P.
  Looms, netting ... ... N.P.
  Meat chopper and sausage filler combined ... ... P.
  Milk weighing ... ... N.P.
  Mincing (power driven) ... N.P.
  Mitring and wood trimming (hand power) ... ... N.P.
  Numbering and dating, all kinds, manufactured mainly of metal (hand) ... ... P.
  Over-edge sewing ... ... P.
  Paint spraying ... ... P.
  Pencil sharpening ... ...G.L.*
  Potato mashing (hand) ... P.
  Potato mashing (power driven) (Peerless) ... ... N.P.
  Rivet setting (hand power) ... P.
  Scroll shears (hand driven) ... P.
  Sealing, rapid ... ... P.
  Shoe stretching ... ... P.
  "Speedograph" letter producing N.P.
  Spraying, for white and lime washing and paint ... ... P.

Stamp fixing ... ... N.P.
Stencil cutting ... ... N.P.
Tag, "Hotchkiss" ... ... P.
Textile weighing ... ... P.
Timing, automatic ... ... N.P.
Tinsmiths' (hand driven) ... P.
Bar folder ... ... P.
Beading ... ... P
Burring ... ... P.
Closing ... ... P.
Double seaming ... ... P.
Paning-down ... ... P.
Tinsmiths' (power driven) ... N.P.
Watch winding (electric) ... N.P.
Wire stitching ... ... N.P.
Wood mitring and trimming (hand power) ... ... N.P.
Yarn testing ... ... N.P.
Yeast separating ... ... N.P.
Machine parts (aluminium) ... P.
Machine pumps ... ... N.P.
Machine tools. (See footnote.†)
Magnesia rings (manufactured of magnesia and potters' clay), for incandescent gas mantles ... ... P.
Magnesite .... G.L.
Magnesium mantle rings ... P.
Magnet chargers ... ... N.P.
Magneto, motor car ... ... P.
Magnets, armature, for use in electric motors or dynamos ... ... P.
Magnets and accessories, lifting ... N.P.
Magnets for aviation ... ... P.
Magnets for electricity meters ... N.P
Magnets, steel ... ... P.
Mails, weaver, steel ... ... P.
Mandalay sauce ... ... P.
Mangano silico aluminium ... N.P.
Manicure sets (consisting of scissors, nail files, tweezers, polishers, etc.) ... P.
Map cases. (Cotton manufactures)
Marble—ordinary tombstones and mantelpieces to be regarded as stones and slates... ... ... P.
Marble, powdered ... . G.L.
Marine motors and shafting (if clearly not applicable to motor cars) ... N.P.
Marmalade ... ... P.
Massage instruments ... ... N.P.
Mat bags made of rice straw ... P.
Match stands (metal) ... ... P.
Mathematical drawing instruments, *i.e.*, drawing pens, compasses, dividers, spring bow-pens, and pencils ... . N.P.
Matting, China ... ... P.
Matting, Japanese, made of rice pulp (cloth) ... . P.
Matting, Japanese, willow ... P.
Mattress ticks, Belgian (cotton or flax and cotton mixed) ... ... P
Maw skins or "veils" ... ... P.
Measuring instruments, electrical ... N.P.
Measuring instruments, optical (aluminium) ... ... P.
Measuring pumps ... ... N.P.
Measuring tapes and rules of any material excepting wood ... G.L.

† Machine tools, being covered by the Machine Tool Proclamation of 1915, are not dealt with by the Department of Import Restrictions.

Measuring rules, wood . ... P.
Meat chopper and sausage filler combined ... ... P.
Meat seals made of cold rolled steel strip ... ... G.L.*
Medical massage instruments, electro N.P.
Mem-index (small card-index cabinet) P.
Mesh in strips or rolls for the manufacture of bags, base metal G.L.*
Metal, pulverised (used for hardening concrete floors in factories and other buildings) ... ... N.P.
Meter gears, prepayment (electric) ... N.P.
Meters, gas—brass parts of ... P.
Meter, gas, cast iron and parts of ... P.
Meters, parts of (electrical) ... P.
Meters parts of, steel ... ... P.
Meters, petrol ... ... N.P.
Meters, tally, used in lumber trade ... N.P.
Meters, water ... ... N.P.
Methyl acetone ... ... N.P.
Metronomes... ... ... P.
Mica, raw ... ... N.P.
Microscopes ... ... N.P.
Milk food, Nestles ... ... P.
Milk powder (dutiable) ... ... P.
Milk-weighing machines ... N.P.
Mincing machine, worked by power ... N.P.
Minium ... ... P.
Mirrors, mounted and unmounted, of all sorts ... ... P.
Mitring and wood trimming machine (hand power) ... ... N.P.
Mitts or gloves for polishing (made of wood front and American cloth) ... P.
Mohair plush ... ... P.
Moisteners, glass, with felt tongues ... P.
Monogram embossing stamp or press P.
Mopheads (wood handle with metal fitting) ... ... P.
Mops, hand dusting, woollen ... P.
Morse sounders, mounted on mahogany base ... ... N.P.
Mosaic jewellery, mounted on base metal ... ... N.P.
Mosaic, ordinary ... ... P.
Moss and lichens ... ... N.P.
Moss, Iceland ... ... N.P.
Motor bath chairs ... .. P.
Motor boats ... ... P.
Motor car washer ... ... P.
Motors and shafting, marine (if clearly not applicable to motor cars) ... N.P.
Motors, electrical, for sewing machines. N.P.
Motors (engines and magnetos), for agricultural motor ploughs .. P.
Motors, electric, for driving textile machinery ... ... N.P.
Motors, electric for vacuum cleaners .. N.P.
Motors, small, for electric fans ... N.P.
Motor wrenches (motor car accessories) P.
Moulds, Bullet ... ... G.L.
Moulds, button, fillings and backs ... P.
Moulds, porcelain, for the manufacture of rubber gloves ... ... P.
Moulds, wood .. ... P.
Mounts (metal) for ice bags ... P.
Mouse power motors ... ... N.P.
Mouse traps (wood and wire) .. P.
Mouthpieces, bamboo ... ... N.P.
Mushrooms, dried ... ... N.P.

Music cases, (cotton manufactures) ... P.
Musk, raw ... ... N.P.
Muslins (cotton) ... ... P.
Musolaphone transmitters ... N.P.
Mustard ... ... N.P.*
Mustard dressing ... ... P.

Nail or tack pullers ... ... P.
Nails and tacks made of scrap metals P.
Nails, brass ... ... P.
Nails, hob ... ... P.
Nails, iron, cut ... ... P.
Nails, iron, with all brass heads ... G L.
Nails, iron, with brass covered heads G L.
Nails or studs for boots and shoes for mountaineering purposes ... P.
Nails upholstery, made of wood and metal ... ... P.
Nails, wire ... ... G.L.
Naval instruments, brass screw parts P.
Necklets, bead and coral ... P
Needles, hosiery ... ... G.L.
Needles, sewing machine ... P.
Nestlé's milk food ... ... P.
Netting looms ... ... N.P.
Nickel oxide ... ... P.
Nippers, wire ... ... G.L.
Nipples or ferrules, steel, for gas radiators ... ... P.
Noils, camel hair ... ... P.
Noils, white merino wool (semi-manufactured article) ... ... P.
Norwegian for horns (machine) ... G.L.
Numbering and dating machines, hand, of all kinds, manufactured largely of metal ... ... P.
Nuts and bolts, brass ... ... G.L.
Nuts and bolts, carriage ... G.L.*
Nuts and bolts, round headed, stove P.
Nuts, brass, for aneroid barometers... G.L.
Nuts, Coquilla ... ... N.P.
Nuts, ground, canned, bottled dried, or preserved ... ... P.
Nuts, ground, not canned, bottled, dried, or preserved ... ... N.P.
Nuts, iron or steel ... ... G.L.*

Oars made from ash wood ... P.
Ochre ... ... P.
Officers in his Majesty's service, goods of prohibited kinds consigned to. (Government property.) ... G.L.
Oil cans, mower machine ... P.
Oil cans, reaper ... ... P.
Oil cleanser, "Wondermist" ... N.P.
Oil containers or founts (used for ordinary oil lighting or heating lamps) P.
Oil cups ... ... P.
Oildag. (Concentrated lubricant composed of Acheson graphite, mineral oil, rice powder, and ammonia) ... N.P.
Oilers, pocket ... ... P.
Oil hole covers ... ... P.
Oil lamps of all kinds ... ... P.
Oil pumps, brass ... ... P.
Oils :—
- Bergamot ... ... N.P.
- Castor ... ... N.P.
- Cocoanut ... ... N.P.
- Cotton seed ... ... N.P.
- Essential, used in the manufacture of perfumery ... ... N.P.
- Ground nut ... ... N.P.
- Linseed ... .. N.P.
- Rape seed ... ... N.P.
- Soya bean ... ... N.P.
- Sperm ... ... N.P.

Oil stones ... ... G L.
Oil stoves ... ... P.
Ojimes, *i.e.*, beads made of base metal, stone, glass, bone or wood ... P.
Oleine ... ... P.
Olives ... ... P.
Olives in brine ... ... N.P.
"Omo" sheeting (cotton fabric coated with waterproof solution) ... P.
Onions ... ... N.P.
Onion powder ... ... P.
Optical measuring instruments (aluminium) ... ... P.
Osmonda, root of fern (used for potting orchids) ... ... P.
"Orona" soap cleanser ... ... P.
Orpiment ... ... P.
Orris root ... ... N.P.
Over-edge sewing machines ... N.P.
Overhead wash founts for the cleaning of carriages and motor cars ... P.
Oxide of cobalt ... ... P.
Oxide of copper .. ... P.
Oxide of iron ... ... P.
Oxide of nickel ... ... P.
Oxide of tin ... ... P.
Oxide of zinc ... ... P.
Oxygen containers (steel cylinders) ... P.

Packing, manufactured mainly of cotton for engines of all kinds (cotton manufactures) ... P.
Padlocks and locks ... ... P.
Pads, rubber stamp inking, in tin boxes ... ... N.P.
Paint boxes, small metal, containing cheap water colours (toys) ... P.
Paints in wooden boxes ... P.
Paint in tin boxes ... ... P.
Paint spraying machines ... P.
Palms, dried ... ... N.P.
Paning-down machines (tinsmiths' machines)... ... ... P.
Pans (vacuum) copper, for use in dairies ... ... P.
Paper roll holders ... ... P.
Paper tester (Mullen's) ... ... P.
Paragon tape (for insulating joints in electric cables and wires) ... P.
Parasols, children's, cotton and bamboo (toys) ... ... P.
Parisian blue ... ... P.
Parquet woods (manufactured wood) P.
Pastry boards ... ... P.
Patent wage calculating machines ... N.P.
Pattern racks (of metal) as used by clothiers and tailors... ... P.
Pavements blocks, glass ... P.
Peach essence (as strong water) ... P.
Pearl beads, imitation ... ... P.
Pearls and unset precious stones other than unset diamonds ... ... G L.*
Pearls, imitation, and imitations of precious stones ... ... P.

Peas, dried ... ... N.P.
Peat dust ... ... P.
Peel in brine ... ... N.P.
Pegs or knobs, japanned iron ... P.
Pencil flashlight (pencil holder and flashlamp combined) ... ... G.L.
Pencil holders, metal (no wood) ... G.L.*
Pencil sharpening machines ... G.L.*
Pencil sharpeners (metal) ... P.
Pencil tips (brass) ... ... P.
Pencils, lead ... ... N.P.
Pencils, slate ... ... N.P.
Pen holders (metal) ... ... G.L.*
Pen holders (with metal grip) ... N.P.
Pen holders, wooden sticks for ... P.
Pen holders, wooden stick with vulcanite fitment... ... ... N.P.
Pennants and banners, decorative ... P.
Pen nibs, gold ... ... P.
Pen nibs, steel ... ... P.
Pens, fitted with gold nibs ... P.
Pens, fountain, not containing gold nibs ... ... N.P.
Pens, stylographic ... ... N.P.
Perambulator joints, steel ... P.
Percolators, coffee (as Hollow-ware) P.
Percussion cap shells ... ... N.P.
Perfectol (a liquid cleaner, not a soap) N.P.
Perforators, letter (for filing purposes) P.
Perfumes, synthetic ... ... P.
Personal effects of British officers and soldiers killed in action ... G.L.
Phosphate of lime ... ... N.P.
Phosphate (tri-basic) of lime ... N.P.
Phosphate rock ... ... N.P.
Phosphor bronze or brass metal, cloth P.
Photographic apparatus includes any article or part thereof designed or adapted or commonly used for the taking and developing of photographs ... P.
Photographic films ... ... P.
Photographic glass ... ... P.
Photographic printing frames, wooden P.
Photographic shutters, metal ... P.
Photomicrographic apparatus ... N.P.
Picking bands, chrome leather ...G.L.*
Piercers, round hole ... ... P.
Pig-skin riddles, wooden rim, pig-skin centre ... ... P.
Pile drive hammers (power driven) ... N.P.
Pimentos and pimientos ... ... N.P.
Pincers, steel ... ... P.
Pin cushions, Japanese (covers made of silk and stuffed with bran or rice husks) ... ... P.
Pine blocks (for match-making) ... P.
Pins, cane ... ... N.P.
Pins, drawing ... ... P.
Pins, hinge, with cone heads ... P.
Pins, push, made chiefly of glass ... P.
Pins, taper, steel ... ... P.
Pins, wire ... ... G.L.
Pipe fittings, cast, *i.e.*, bends, bushings, caps, couplings, crosses, elbows, lockouts, nipples, plugs, tees ... P.
Pipes, aluminium ... ... P.
Pipes (clay), tobacco ... ... N.P.
Pipes, tobacco ... ... N.P.
Plait, chenille, made principally of artificial silk and ramie ... ... P.
Plait, rush ... ... N.P.
Plait (Swiss), mohair and imitation silk P.
Plait, visca ... ... P.
Plaits and braids, chip, straw, or wood P.
Plaits, artificial silk with chip foundation ... ... P.
Plants, small parcels of, sent as gifts to the Royal Gardens at Kew from similar institutions abroad ... G.L.
Plant sprayer, hand (also used for distributing disinfectants)... ... P.
Plate, black ... ... N.P.
Plates, for duplicator steel file ... P.
Plates, grinding, for coffee mill ... P.
Plates, pewter, engraved for music ... P.
Plates or sheets, copper, cut to shape and size for engraving ... ... P.
Plates, steel for patterns ... P.
Plasterers' and bricklayers trowels (as masons' tools) ... ... G.L.
Pliers. ... ... G.L.
Plugs, chaplet taper ... ... P.
Plum water ... ... P.
Plush, mohair ... ... P.
Plywood ... ... P.
Pocket lighters, metal ... ...G.L.*
Pocket oilers .. .. P.
Polish, liquid, "Electroshine" ... N.P.
Pomades (Perfumery) ... ... P.
Porcelain electric light accessories (no brass fitment) ... ... P.
Pork and beans, tinned ... ...G.L.*
Port-o-phone (vulcanite fitments and small battery) (for deafness) ... N.P.
Postal packets, original consignments of, non-delivered to addressees, returned intact to this country ... G.L.
Potash, caustic ... ... N.P.
Potato mashing machine (hand) ... P.
Potato mashing machine (Peerless) (power driven) ... ... N.P.
Potato peelers (household appliances)... P.
Pot cleaners (strands of cotton with a thin interwoven twist of copper, the whole mounted on a wooden stick) ... P.
Pots, cooking ... ... P.
Pots, flower, Japanese bronze (art metal) ... ... P.
Pots, glass, jam, ornamental ... P.
Poultry farming ironware and furniture P.
Pourers, glass ... ... P.
Powder bronze (gold) ... ... P.
Powder colours ... ... P.
Powderpaint ... ... P.
Precious stones, Pearls and unset precious stones other than unset diamonds ... ...G.L.*
Presses, trouser ... ... P.
Press for transformer cores ... N.P.
Pressing machines (cocoa) ... N.P.
Press studs and fasteners metal) for wearing apparel ... ...G.L.*
Primus stoves, burners for, and tools for removing nipples from the burners ... P.
Printers, iron spacing material ... P.
Printing blocks, electrotype ... P.
Printing machine blankets ... P.
Printing machines, for enamelled dials N.P.
Printing tie-ups ... ... P.
Printing type (as Hardware) ... P.
Prohibited goods (Government property) consigned to officers in His Majesty's service ... ... G.L.

Puff boxes, fancy, metal, with puff ... P.
Puffs, power ... ... P.
Pulleys and pulley blocks ...G.L.*
Pulleys, wooden ... ... P.
Pulverised metal in powder (used for hardening factory and other concrete floors) ... ... N.P.
Pumice stone and pumice powder ... G.L.
Pumps, air (electric) ... ... N.P.
Pumps, boiler feed ... ... N.P.
Pumps, gear... ... ... N.P.
Pumps, machine ... ... N.P.
Pumps, measuring ... ... P.
Pumps, not driven by power ... P.
Pumps, oil, brass ... ... P.
Pumps, power driven ... ... N.P.
Punches for poultry ... ... P.
Punches for sealing outfits ... P.
Punches, steel, letters and figures ... P.
Purses, brocade, cotton (cotton manufactures) ... ... P.*
Purses, metal ... ... P.
Push pins, made principally of glass ... P.

Quaboag, *i.e.*, leather sheet composed of ground and shredded sole cuttings compressed ... ... P.
Quartz, granulated crystal ... P.
Quinquina bark ... ... N.P.

Racks, pattern, metal, used by clothiers and tailors ... ... P.
Racks, tin, for holding rubber stamps P.
Racks, toast, bamboo ... ... P.
Radiator or heater, electric, portable... P.
Radiolaria (diatomite) ... ... P.
Rags, angola (as woollen rags) ... N. P.
Rags, woollen ... ... N. P.
Rails, tramway ... ... N. P.
Rakes, garden and agricultural, without handles ... ... P.
Rakes, garden and agricultural, with handles ... ... G. L.
Ramie braid ... ... N. P.
Rams, hydraulic ... ... N. P.
Rape seed ... ... N. P.
Rape seed oil ... ... N. P.
Rattan, canvas lined ... ... P.
Rattans ... ... N. P.
Rat traps (wood and wire) ... P.
Razor blade sharpeners, safety ... G. L.*
Razor holders, safety ... ... P.
Razor safety blades, steel blanks for P.
Razor sharpeners, mechanical ... G. L.*
Razor strops and razor stroppers, automatic .. .. G. L.*
Reamers, as taps ... ... G. L.
Reaper oil cans .. ... P.
Recorders, mono-combustion ... N. P.
Rectifiers for charging batteries ... N. P.
Red argol lees ... .. N. P.
Red lead ... ... P.
Red oxide ... ... P.
Reeds .. .. N. P.
Reels, fishing, brass ... ... P.
Reels, iron, for papers slitting machines .. ... P.
Reels, shuttles, spools, and bobbins ... P.
Reflectors, enamelled iron ... P.
Regulators and dynamos ... N. P.
Regulators, damper, for water and steam boilers .. ... P.
Regulators, gas, iron, and parts of ... P.
Regulators, temperature ... N. P.
Rennet (bladders, casings, etc.) ... P.
Ribbons, typewriter ... ... P.
Riddles, pig-skin, wooden rim, pig-skin centre ... ... P.
Rifles of all kinds ... ... P.
Rings and screws (for compasses) ... P.
Rings, clay, for gas mantles ... P.
Rings, curtain, brass ... ... P.
Rings for chains, base metal (imitation jewellery) ... ... P.
Rings, key, steel ... ... P.
Rings, magnesia (magnesia rings, etc.) P.
Rings, magnesium, mantle ... P.
Ripolin ... ... P.
Rivets ... ... P.
Rivet setting machine (hand power) P.
Rivets, punched steel ... ... P.
Rods, asbestos ... ... N. P.
Rods, curtain, metal ... ... P.
Rods, fishing bamboo ... ... N. P.
Rods, fishing, split cane... ... N. P.
Rods, wire ... ... P.
Roller bearings ... ... G. L.
Rollers, copper ... ... P.
Rollers, rubber-covered for clothes wringers ... ... G. L.
Roofing felt, made of refuse from cotton and woollen rags treated with asphalt ... ... N. P.
"Root-a-tooter" cycle alarm ... P.
Root of fern, Osmunda (used for potting orchids) ... ... P.
Ropes, straw ... ... N. P.
Rosaries ... ... G. L.
Roses, shower, brass and copper ... P.
Roses, sprinkler (for watering cans)... P.
Rotary blowers, air compressors ... N. P.
Rotary converter, electric ... N. P.
Rota strop (mechanical razor sharpener) ... ...G. L.*
Rubber-covered rollers, for clothes wringers ... ... G. L.
Rubber-faced cotton fabric ... P.
Rubber, goods wholly or mainly of... G. L.
Rubber guillotine (hand power) ... P.
Rubber stamp inking pads in tin boxes N. P.
Rubies, synthetic ... ... N. P.
Rugs, Baluch ... ... P.
Rugs, hemp and jute ... ... N. P.
Rugs, made of cow-hair ... N. P.
Rulers, bamboo ... ... N. P.
Rules and tapes, measuring, of any material excepting wood ... G. L.
Rules, measuring, of wood ... P.
Rum, compounds of ... ... P.
Rum, imitation ... ... P.
Rushes ... ... N. P.
Rush plait ... ... N. P.
Russia crash ... ... P.

Safes, as hardware ... ... P.
Safety razor holders ... ... P.
Saffron ... ... N. P.
Salt-cellars ... ... P.
Samples, all *bona fide* commercial, however imported ... ... G. L.*

Sandals, cotton and felt, cotton, straw and felt, cotton, felt and loofah ...	P.
Sand-stone, Scotch stone ...	P.
Sanitary towels	P.
Sapolio (as soap)	P.
Sash balances	P.
Satin, white	P.
Sauces, cranberry, tomato-fish, Mandalay	P.
Saw blades, fret	P.
Saw blades, back	G. L.*
Sawdust	N. P.
Saw screws...	P.
Saw, steel band, setting machine (hand driven)	P.
Saws, steel band	P.
Scales, hosiery	P.
Scales, household	P.
Scissors	P.
Scissors or shears, hospital ...	P.
Screw brass parts (for naval instruments)	P.
Screw brass parts (for use on telephone)	P.
Screwing tackles, *i.e.*, taps, dies and stocks, thread milling cutters, chasers	G. L.
Screws and rings for compasses ...	P.
Screws brass	G. L.*
Screws, coach or bolt-headed ...	P.
Screws of all metal other than brass	P.
Screws, saw...	P.
Screws, thread (American), as iron and steel nuts...	G. L.*
Screws, wire	G. L.
Screws made of wood	P.
Scroll shears (hand driven) ...	P.
Scourer, copper pot (copper pot, etc.)	P.
Scythes and sickles ...	G L.
Sealing machines, rapid... ..	P.
Sealing outfit, *i. e*, seals and small candle-sticks (metal)	P.
Sealing outfit for timber ...	P.
Seal pincers	P.
Seals, cold rolled steel strip (for meat)	G. L.*
Searchlights	N. P.
Security and dummy bolts ...	P
Seed cabinets, steel lined ...	P.
Seed, flax	N. P.
Seeds :—	
Cotton	N. P.
Linseed	N. P.
Rape	N. P.
Sessamum	N. P.
See-saws (as games)	P.
Separators, cream	P.
Separators, oil	P.
"Serax" corks, *i.e.*, tin discs with lining of cork	P.
Sessamum seed	N P.
Shades, ceiling, enamelled iron ...	P.
Shades, eye (linen)	P.
Shades, glass, gas	P.
Shading medium plates ("Days") for litho printing	N.P
Shafting couplings and hangers, iron	P.
Sharpeners for safety razor blades...	G.L.*
Sharpeners, mechanical, for razors ..	G L.*
Sarpening stones ...	G.L.
Shaving-pot, electric heated (as hollow-ware)	P.
Shaving-stick cases, nickelled and polished	P.
Shawls, cotton, knitted ...	P.
Shears, as tools	G.L.
Shears, definition of—when 6 inches or over in length and shaped as shears	G.L.
Shears or scissors, hospital ...	P.
Shears, scroll, hand driven ...	P.
Sheeting, "Omo" (cotton fabric coated with waterproof solution) ...	P.
Sheets or plates, copper, cut to shape and size, for engraving ...	P.
Sheets, steel, planished ...	N.P.
Sheets, tinned, nickelled and polished, commonly known as tin-plates ...	N.P.
Shells for percussion caps ...	N.P.
Ships fenders, cane ...	N.P.
Shoddy (cotton manufacture) ...	P.
Shoe laces, cotton	P.
Shoes or slippers, bathing, plaited, hemp soles, cotton uppers *i.e*, mainly of hemp	N.P.
Shoes, cotton canvas for bathing, no leather stiffeners, and no heels ...	P.
Shoes, cotton, felt, thin leather soles	P.
Shoes, jute and cotton, *i.e.*, jute sole and cotton uppers	N.P.
Shoe stretching machines ...	P.
Shoes, velvet uppers, leather heels, soles and stiffeners	P.
Shower roses, brass and copper ...	P.
Showers for baths, brass or copper ...	P.
Shutters, photographic (metal) ...	P.
Shuttles, spools, bobbins and reels ...	P.
Sickles and scythes	G.L.
Sifters, flour	P.
Sifters, sugar, glass holders with metal mount	P.
Signals—steel, for card index systems	P.
Signals, tramway (electrical) ..	N.P.
Signs, advertising, complete with letters, figures and frames ...	P.
Signs—show—metal enamelled ...	P.
Silicate cotton, slabs of ...	P.
Silk, artificial, manufactures of, made of Viscose	P.
Silk, raw, waste	N.P.
Silk-worm gut	N P.
Silver leaf	P.
Sink cleaners	P.
Skins, for capping medicinal preparations	G.L.
Skins, goat and sheep, tanned but unfinished	P.
Skins or "vells," Maw ...	P.
Slate pencils	N.P.
Sliding-door fittings, ball bearings ...	P.
Slippers, bathing, etc. (See shoes)	
Slippers, plush, with stout leather soles and heels	P.
Slot game machines, automatic ...	P.
Smalts	P.
Smoking pipes, clay	N.P.
Soap, black split, hard tanners' dubbin, containing mineral wax and saponified fat	P.
Soap cleanser, "Orona" ..	P.
Soap, polishing, "Alumishine" ...	P.
Soap, "Sapolio"	P.

Article	
Sockets (iron) for iron wire rope ...	P.
Socks, arctic, made mainly of cotton	P.
Socks, felt	P.
Socks, goatshair	P.
Socks, grass	P.
Socks, loofah	N.P.
Soda fountains, accessories imported as parts of fountains... ...	N.P.
Soldering iron, combination ...	P.
Soldering iron, electrical ...	P.
Sole cuttings, shredded—compressed	P.
Soles for clogs, etc. (steel) ...	P.
Sounders and keys	P.
Sounders (Morse), mounted on mahogany base	N.P.
Soup, condensed	N.P.
Soups—celery, green pea and tomato	N.P.
Soya bean oil	N.P.
Spacing material, iron, for printers...	P.
Spaghetti a l'Italienne... ...	N.P.
Spanners	G.L.
Sparterie, imitation, cotton and gum	P.
Sparterie, real	P.
"Sparto" (headache remedy) ...	N.P.
Spectacle cases. (See eye-glass cases)	N.P.
Spectacle cases, metal, lined with fabric of any description	P.
Spectacles with lenses	N.P.
"Speedograph" (letter reproducing machine)	N.P.
Sperm oil	N.P.
Spirit levels	G.L.
Splicing sleeves	P.
Splints (for match-making) ...	P.
Spools, bobbins, reels and shuttles ...	P.
Spools, typewriter	P.
Spoons, enamelled (tea) ...	P.
Spoons, metal-plated (tea) ...	P.
Spoons, tinned iron	P
Sprayer, plant, and also used for distributing disinfectants ...	P.
Spraying machines (for white and lime washing and paint) ...	P.
Spring block fasteners (for shoe lasts)	P.
Spring chuck, steel	P.
Spring steel sheets	N.P.
Springs (small) for petrol lighting machines	P.
Springs, spiral	P.
Spring corks	P.
Sprinkler roses (for watering cans) ...	P.
Sprinklers, lawn	P.
Stamp fixing machines... ...	N.P.
Stampings, steel	P.
Stamp or press, monogram embossing	P.
Stamps, dating or name, *i.e.*, metal or wood with rubber type ...	P.
Standard for portable lamp (electric) (with inkstand)	P.
Stands, match (metal)	P.
Staple presses "Hotchkiss" ...	P.
Staples, iron or steel	G.L.
Staples, steel (used for tacking labels on boxes, wagons, etc., and in connection with patent automatic machines)	P.
Staples, wire	G.L.
Statuettes, lead, small	P.
Staves	P.
Steam traps	P.
Stearine (not being stearic acid) ...	N.P.
Steatite	N.P.

Article	
Steatite burners	N.P.
Steel band	P.
Steel blue	P.
Steel in sheets, planished ...	N.P.
Steel plates for patterns ...	P.
Steel, strip, for the manufacture of tubes, band saws, and other articles of steel	G.L.
Steel strips, toothed	P.
Steel wool	N.P.
"Stek O" (powder used for fixing by bootmaking and stationery trades)	P.
Stencil cutting machine ...	N.P.
Stencils	P.
Stockinette	P.
Stones, grinding	G.L.
Stones, oil	G.L.
Stoppers, "Serax," *i.e.*, tin disc with lining of cork	P.
Stove cases (spirit), empty, made of cardboard with tin lid	P.
Stove fittings, *i.e.*, dovetails, door catches and hinge tubes	P.
Stoves, electric (as stoves and ranges)	P.
Stoves, oil	P.
Stoves or travelling comfort ...	P.
Strap pullers for sealing outfit ...	P.
Straps, leather (for the manufacture of chrome tanned leather belting) ...	P.
Straps, lug (cotton)	P.
Straps, tie (cotton cord with metal) ...	P.
Strip steel for the manufacture of tubes band saws, and other articles of steel	G.L.
Strop-rota, mechanical razor sharpener	G.L.*
Strops and stroppers for razors (automatic)	G.L.*
Struts, trenching	G.L.
Studs, metal with celluloid backs ...	P.
Studs or nails for boots and shoes for mountaineering purposes ...	P.
Studs, press, metal, and fasteners for wearing apparel	G.L.*
Sugar corn	N.P.
Sugar sifters, glass holder with metal mount	P.
Sugar almonds	P.
Sugared caraway seeds	P.
Suit cases, vulcanised fibre ...	N.P.
Sulphate of baryta	P.
Sultanas	P.
Sumac extract (containing 28 per cent. tannin)	N.P.
Surgical dressings, absorbent cotton, surgeon's lint, and other medical requirements of cotton manufacture ...	P.
Surgical files	P.
Surgical trusses, elastic	N.P.
Suspender fittings, metal ...	P.
Swing outfits (as games) ...	P.
Swiss plait (mohair and imitation silk)	P.
Switches, electric	P.
Syringes, hypodermic	N.P.
Tablets or signs, show, metal, enamelled	P.
Table-ware, porcelain	P.
Tack lifters	P.
Tack or nail pullers	P.
Tacks and nails made of scrap metal ...	P.
Tag machine, "Hotchkiss" ...	P.
Tags or hangers, suspension, cotton cloth gummed	P.

Tags, tin ... ... P.
Talc crayons (for marking iron and steel) ... ... N.P.
Talcum powder (toilet requisite) ... N.P.
Tally meters (used for recording lineal feet of lumber as it passes through machine) ... ... N.P.
Tanks, aluminium, cylinders, pipes and parts of machines made of aluminium P.
Tanks of enamelled steel with glass lining ... ...G.L.*
Tape, cloth, gummed ... ... P.
Tape, paragon, for insulating joints in electric cables and wires ... P.
Taper pins, steel ... ... P.
Tapes and rules, measuring, of any material excepting wood ... G.L.
Tapes, steel, cold rolled ... N.P.
Taps, dies and stocks, thread milling cutters, chasers, (screwing tackle) ... G.L.
Taps (for screwing) ... ... G.L.
Taps or gates, for oil or molasses ... P.
Tea pot, electric heated (as hollow-ware) ... ... P.
Tea spoons, enamelled ... ... P.
Tea spoons, metal plated ... P.
Telegraph and telephone insulators, glass ... ... P.
Telephone, brass screw parts for use on P.
Telephones and telephone parts (except telephone brackets and parts thereof) N.P.
Temperature regulators ... ... N.P.
Templates, propeller cone ... N.P.
Tenter hooks ... ... P.
Terminals, brass, for electric fuse boards ... ... G.L.
Test clips, copper (for use in testing electrical instruments) ... ... P.
Textile weighing machines ... P.
Thermometers ... ... N.P.
Thermos flasks ... ... P.
Thermostats... ... ... N.P.
Thorium nitrate ... ... N.P.
Thread, gold, gilt, silver... ... P.
Thread milling cutters, chasers, taps, dies, and stocks (screwing tackle) ... G.L.
Tie fasteners and buckles ... P.
Tie straps (cotton cord with metal) ... P.
Timing machines, automatic ... N.P.
Tin-foil ... ... P.
Tinned sheets, nickelled and polished, commonly known as "Tin plates"... N.P.
Tin oxide ... ... P.
Tin plates (tinned sheets, nickelled and polished, commonly known as "Tin plates") ... ... N.P.
Tinsmiths' machines, (power driven)... N.P.
Tinsmiths' machines, *viz*:—beading, burring, paning-down, double-seaming, closing, bar folder (hand driven) P.
Tins, with printed label ... ... P.
Toaster, electric, for table use ... P.
Tobacco cases, metal ... ... P.
Tobacco pipes ... ... N.P.
Tomatoes, canned ... ... P.
Tomatoes, preserved, and preparations thereof ... ... P.
Tomato chutney ... ... P.
Tamato fish sauce ... ... P.
Tomato ketchup ... ... P.
Tomato paste ... ... P.
Tomato soup ... ... N.P.
Tongs, for curling and waving hair ... P.
Tonic food, Dutch, known as "Emergen" (substitute for "Sanatogen") N.P.
Tool handles, including painters' brush handles, of ash and hickory ... P.
Tools (agricultural, carpenters', coopers' engineers', joiners', masons', shipwrights' and edge)... ... ... G.L.
Tools, machine. (See machine tools.) ...
Torch cases fitted with lenses or bulbs G.L.
Torch cases not fitted with lenses or bulbs, made of soft iron scrap ... P.
Torches, electric, complete ... G.L.
Towels, sanitary ... ... P.
Tractors, agricultural (agrimotors) driven by motor power ... ... P.
Tramway rails ... ... N.P.
Tramway signals (electrical) ... N.P.
Transformer coil winding machine ... N.P.
Transformer machines, *viz.*:—Paper spinning machines (for insulating the conductors forming the transformer coils) ... ... N.P.
Traps and killers for flies ... P.
Traps for vermin (wood and wire) ... P.
Traps, steam ... ... P.
Trays, ash, metal ... ... P.
Trenching struts ... ... G.L.
Tri-basic phosphate of lime ... N.P.
Trimmings or braids, metal thread (cotton manufactures) ... ... P.
Trinkets, metal, other than jewellery as toys ... . P.
Trinkets, small, other than jewellery P.
Tripods, camera (metal) ... ... P.
Trolley pole catchers ... .. P.
Trolley wire splicers ... ... P.
Trolleys, girder ... ... P.
Trouser presses ... .. P.
Trowels, bricklayers' and plasterers', as masons' tools ... . G.L.
Trucks—warehouse or wharf, hand propelled ... ... P.
Truffles—dry ... ... N.P.
Trusses, surgical, elastic ... ... N.P.
Tube cleaners ... ... P.
Tubes—brass coated ... ... G.L.
Tubes (brass or copper) ... ... G.L.
Tubes, collapsible, leaden... ... P.
Tubes, collapsible, tin ... ... P.
Tubes, ebonite, for insulating ... N.P.
Tubes for large locomotive flues ... N.P.
Tubes, inner, for motor cars, included in tyres ... ... N.P.
Tubes, hinged (stove fittings) ... P.
Tubes, weldless steel, boiler . N.P.
Tubing, metallic flexible of one inch in circumference ... ... P.
Tubing—solid drawn weldless ... G.L.
Tubs, wood pulp ... ... P.
Turbines, water ... ... N.P.
Turnbuckles—solid drop-forged mild steel (for use in connection with constructional engineering work and railway carriage work) ... ... N.P.
Type, printing (as hardware) ... P.
Typewriter ribbons ... ... P.
Typewriter spools ... ... P.
Tyre levers, cycle ... ... P.
Tyre vulcanizing plant (hand). (Motor accessory.) ... ... P.
Tyre vulcanizer, electric ... ... P.

Ultramarine blue ... ... P.
Umber ... ... P.
Umbrella frames and fittings (metal) P.
Umbrella handles—lacquered (as wood manufactures) ... ... P.

Vacuum flasks ... ... P.
Vacuum jars ... ... P.
Vacuum pans—copper—for use in dairies (hollow-ware) ... ... P.
Valve discs ... ... P.
Valves—pneumatic tyre (unless fixed in tubes) ... ... P.
Vanadium, ferro (an alloy of iron and vanadium used in the manufacture of steel) ... ... N.P.
Vanilloes ... ... N.P.
Vases, bronze, Japanese art metal ... P.
Vases, glass ... ... P.
Vegetable colour, *i.e.*, extract from vegetables, with added water or spirits for confectionery use ... ... N.P.
Vegetable galls ... ... N.P.
Vegetables in brine ... ... N.P.
Vegetables—prepared ... P.
" Vegpara " edible vegeteble wax ... N.P.
" Vells " or maw skins ... ... P.
Velure ... ... P.
Ventilators ... ... P.
Vermilion ... ... P.
Vibrators or galvanic batteries ... N.P.
Vices combination foot ... ... P.
Vinegar, cider ... ... N.P.
Visca chenille ... ... P.
Visca plait ... ... P.
Voltmeters ... ... N.P.
Vulcanised fibre ... ... N.P.
Vulcanite jars and battery parts ... N.P.
Vulcanisers, dental ... ... G.L.

Wadding—black ... ... P.
Walking sticks, bamboo ... ... N.P.
Wall boards and tiles made of wood fibre ... ... P.
Wall plugs (electrical accessories) ... P.
Warehouse or wharf trucks, hand propelled ... ... P.
Warp droppers ... ... P.
Washers, asbestos, other than for motor cars ... ... N.P.
Watch case opener (small metal disc) ... P.
Watches :—
  Base metal (even if containing gilt parts as below) ... ... G.L.
  Gold or gilt (gold manufactures) ... P.
  Platinum, if set with stones or otherwise intended to be used as jewellery ... ... P.
  Platinum, intended for ordinary use as watches ... ... G.L.
  Silver (even if they contain gilt movements, dials, hands, bezels, etc.) ... ... N.P.
Watchmakers' files ... ... G.L.
Watch movements, gilt or gold-plated imported separately ... ... P.
Watch winding machine electric ... N.P.
Water heaters (electric) ... ... P.
Water heaters (gas) ... ... P.
Watermeters ... ... N.P.
Waterproof cuttings ... ... P.
Waterproof fabric strap ... ... P.
Water saver, automatic, for attaching to hose pipes ... ... P.
Wax comb foundation mill (machine) N.P.
Wax, edible vegetable ("Vegpara")... N.P.
Wax, Japan, used for lubricating cotton driving ropes ... ... N.P.
Wax, shoemakers' ... ... N.P.
Weavers' steel mails ... ... P.
Webbing, cotton, khaki ... ... P.
Webbing for chairs, cane... ... P.
Webbings for incandescent mantles . P.
Weighing machine, textile ... P.
Welt ploughs, " Deacon " (shoemakers tool) ... ... G.L.
Wheel dressers, and cutters (used for trueing up emery wheels) ... N.P.
Wheels, gear, for use on tramway cars P.
Wheels, gear, row hide ... ... N.P.
Wheels, ignition, for automatic lighters ... ... P.
Wheels, iron cog ... ... P.
Wheels, pinion, for use on tramway cars ... ... P.
Wheels, tracing ... ... P.
Whips, excepting those made of wooden sticks, cotton twine and hide thongs plaited ... ... N.P.
Whistles, steam, brass ... ... P.
White lead ... ... P.
Willow matting (Japanese) ... P
Willow sheet ... ... P.
Willow sticks ... ... N.P.
Wire ... ... G.L.
Wire, all manufactures of, except hooks (other than coat and hat), nails, pins, screws, staples ... ... P.
Wire, barbed ... ... G.L.
Wire cloth (woven galvanised iron) ... P.
Wire gauze, brass ... ... P.
Wire, gold ... ... P.
Wireless detectors (electrical accessories) N.P.
Wire nippers ... ... G.L.
Wire rods .. .. P.
Wire stitching machine ... ... N.P.
Wire straighteners ... ... P.
Wire sockets (consisting of brass and porcelain). (Electric) . ... P.
" Wondermist " oil cleanser ... N.P.
Wood :—
  Barrels, tops and bottoms of ... P.
  Barrels—wooden hoops for ... P.
  Beefwood, boxwood, dogwood, greenheart, hickory, lancewood, lignum vitae, padouk, sabicu, and sandalwood ... ... P.
  Birch in logs (waney timber) from Canada ... ... P.
  Birch in logs (waney timber) from Labrador ... ... P.
  Birch in logs (waney timber) from Newfoundland ... ... P.
  Birch, maple and persimmon blocks and squares for making bobbins, reels, shuttles and spools ... P.
  Bobbins, reels, shuttles and spools... P.
  Box boards ... ... P.
  Box shooks ... ... P.
  Case boards ... ... P.
  Flooring boards, planed and prepared, tongued and grooved ... P.
  Oars, made from ash wood ... P.

Pine blocks for match-making ... P.
Plywood ... ... P.
Rules, measuring ... ... P.
Screws made of wood ... P.
Tool handles, including painters' brush handles, of ash and hickory P.
Wood flour ... . N.P.
Wood pulp wool or wadding for surgical purposes ... ... P.
Wood trimming and mitring machine (hand power) ... ... N.P.
Wood wool ... ... P.
Wool noils ... ... P
Wool waste ... ... N.P.
Wool, white merino noils (semi-manufactured article) ... ... P.
Wool steel ... ... N.P.
Wrenches, motor ... ... P.

X-ray apparatus ... ... N.P.

Yarn testing machine ... ... N.P.
Yeast separating machines ... N.P.
Zaffre ... ... P.
Zinc oxide ... . P.
Zinc plates or sheets for photo engraving ... ... P.

HARDWARE LIST.

Hardware is taken to include all articles of base metal which are not :—

(1) Materials used for constructional purposes, such as plates, bars, angles, rods, etc., which are not sold in the retail trade.

(2) Articles highly manufactured of a special character, such as complex machines, scientific instruments, etc.

The following articles, which will be found in their alphabetical order in the preceding list, are here grouped for convenience under the heading of Hardware.

* The [illegible] permitting for the present the importation of these articles may shortly be revoked.

Adaptors for electric lamp holders.
*Addr[illegible] machines, parts of, such as metal [illegible], wooden stands with metal attach[illegible] iron stands. (G.L.)
Advert[illegible] —complete with letters, figures [illegible].
*Agri[illegible] implements and parts thereof. (G.L.)
" Al[illegible] handle for boiler doors.
Apple [illegible] coring machines. (Hand power
Apple [illegible] household appliances.)
Armatures [illegible] for use in electric motors or dy[illegible]
Arma[illegible] motors.
Ash trays [illegible] metal.
Awl [illegible]. (G L.)
Awls, [illegible].
Axes, safety, pocket.

Bag ty[illegible], wire ties.
Balances, sash.
Ball bearings, steel. (G.L.)
Ball retainers (G.L.)
Band saw setting machine. (Hand driven.)
Band saws, steel.
Band steel.
Banquet candle castings and fittings.
Barbed wire. (G.L.)
Bar folder (Tinsmiths' machines.)
Bathroom accessories, *i.e.* :—
- Metal baskets.
- Metal racks.
- Metal soap and sponge holders.
- Metal towel racks
- Metal tumbler holders, etc.

Bath showers, brass or copper.
Beading machine. (Tinsmiths' machine.)
Bearings, ball, steel. (G.L.)
Bee smokers, base metal.
Bells and buzzers, electric (for telephones). (G.L.)
Bells, electric, and relays for same for purposes other than for use on telephones.
Bells, hand, call and door.
Belt couplings, steel.
Belt hooks (for use on belts of sewing machines). (G.L)
Belt hooks, steel (for binding machinery belting) (G.L)
Bicycle accessories, metal.
Bicycle forgings.
Bins and balers, steel, for waste paper.
Bit snaps.
Blades, circular, for paper slitting machines.
*Blades for boring belting (G.L.).
Blades, hack saw (G.L)
Blanks, steel for safety razor blades.
Block fasteners, spring for shoe lasts.
Blowers and forges, portable
Blow lamps and parts thereof.
Bolt-headed screws or [illegible] screws.
Bolts and nuts, brass (G L).
*Bolts and nuts, carriage (G.L.).
Bolts and nuts, round headed, stove.
Bolts, fin head (used for fastening wood battens to radiators).
Bolts, security and dummy.
Boot button fasteners
Boot protectors (made of wood and metal).
Bottle corking machines (hand).
Box catch fastening and punching machines (hand power).
Boxes, metal, of all kinds.
Brackets, implement
Brass component parts for electric lighting.
Brass or metal leaf (imitation gold leaf).
Brass or phosphor bronze cloth
Bread making machines (hand driven).
Bricklayers and plasterers' trowels, as masons' tools (G.L.).
Bronze leaf.
Bronze powder (gold).
Brooch joints and catches.
Buckles and tie fasteners.
Buckles, brass.
Buckles for braces.
Buckles, metal, for ladies' belts.

Buckles, papier mâché with metal bar prong.
Bullet moulds (G.L.).
Bull rings, copper.
*Burners, gas or oil (G.L.).
Burring machines (tinsmiths' machines).
Bushings, bronze.
Button covering machine (hand).
Button sewing on machine.
Button moulds, metal, fillings and backs.
Butts, steel.
By-passes, brass gas burner.

Cabinets, seed, steel lined.
Cable cash carriers, parts of.
Calendar frames.
Callipers (G L).
Canisters, tin.
Can keys and can openers.
Cans, brass.
Caps, made of tinsel, with wads and discs, for bottles.
Caps, metal, for electric lamps.
Caps, metal, for milk bottles or toilet powder tins.
Caps of special character for cartridge making (G.L.).
Capsules, lead foil.
Card fasteners with brass sockets attached, for screwing blocks to wood lasts.
Carriage heaters.
Carriage tyring machines.
"Cary's" fasteners, seals and clasps.
Castors, furniture and truck.
Catches and joints for brooches.
Catches, plated (for drawers).
Catches, tin (used in the manufacture of radiator, boiler castings).
Cattle leaders (small steel fitment for use in leading cattle).
Ceiling shades, enamelled iron.
Chafing dishes.
Chain, iron weldless.
Chains, elevator.
Chains, sherardized steel for hanging sashes.
Chaplet plugs, taper.
Chaplets (copper), used in manufacturing radiator boiler sections.
Chaplets, perforated tin.
Chasers (screwing tackle) (G.L.).
Cheese presses, "Gang."
Cheque protectors.
Chiropodists' appliances :—
Cabinet instrument sterilizer.
Chair, metal and leather.
Instrument stands.
Wash bowl and accessories.
Choppers and hatchets (G.L.).
Choppers food.
Cigar cutting machines, hand driven.
Cigarette cases (brass metal).
Circular blades (for paper slitting machines).
Circuit breakers.
Clamp for use with stitching awl.
Clamps, brass, with steel screw and nut (for connecting rubber and canvas hose to couplings).
Clippers, hair.
*Clippers, horse (G.L.).
Clips, copper test (for use in testing electrical instruments).
Clips, fountain pen.
Clips or clamps for wire rope.
Clips, paper.
Closing machines. (See tinsmiths' machines.)
Cloth, brass metal or phosphor bronze.
Clothes line reels, metal cases.
Cloth, woven galvanised iron wire.
Coach screws or bolt-headed screws.
Cocktail mixers, electroplate.
Coffee making machines.
Coil holders, metal
Coke forks for gas workers' use.
Combs, curry, steel with wooden handles.
Commutator copper segments.
Commutators for electric motors.
Containers or founts (oil) used for ordinary oil lighting or heating lamps.
Contractors for electric meters.
Coolers, cylindrical, for dairies.
Copper foil.
Copper plates or sheets cut to shape and size for engraving.
Copper rollers.
Cork pressers, roller.
Cork pullers
Corks sprinkler.
Cotter pins
Counters for marine indicators.
Counter weights, suspension, pulley and rings.
Couplings belt, steel.
Covers, oil hole.
Covers, spring lubricator.
Crank shaft forgings.
Crown cork openers.
Cups, grease
Cups, metal, collapsible.
Cups, oil.
Curling tongs, for waving hair.
Curry combs, steel, wooden handle.
Curtain rings, brass
Curtain rods, metal.
*Cutters for card and lead (G.L.).
*Cutters, glass (G.L.).
Cutters, white metal and brass, pattern makers.
Cycle alarm, "Root-a-tooter."
Cyclometers.
Cylinders, steel, for oxygen.
Cylinders for acetylene gas.
Cylindrical coolers for dairies.

Damper knobs, nickel plated for use on boilers.
Damper regulators, for water and steam boilers.
Dating and numbering machines (hand) all kinds, manufactured largely of metal.
Dating or name stamps, *i.e.*, metal or wood with rubber type.
Deacon's welt ploughs (shoemakers' tool) (G L.).
Dentists' accessories (G.L).
Diamond dies for wire drawing.
Dictating machines, parts and accessories (G.L.)
Dies and die stocks (G L)
*Discs, metal, for centre of rubbers (G.L.).
Discs—steel for manufacture of adapters.
Discs—valve.
Door catches (stove fittings).
Double seaming machines (tinsmiths' machines).
Dovetails (stove fittings).

Drawing pins.
Duplicator, steel file plates.

Earmarkers, tin.
Egg beaters.
Egg timers, automatic.

Electrical accessories and appliances, as follows:—
- Adaptors for lamp-holders.
- Armature magnets for use in electric motors or dynamos.
- Armatures for electric motors
- Bells and buzzers (for use on telephones) (G.L.).
- Bells and relays for same other than for use on telephones.
- Brass component parts for lighting.
- Cable cash carriers, parts of.
- Caps, brass.
- Caps, metal, for lamps.
- Circuit breakers.
- Commutator copper segments.
- Commutators for electric motors.
- Contractors for electric meters.
- Counter weights, suspension, pulley and rings.
- Fans and parts thereof.
- Fitting connector (brass fitment on earthenware base).
- Flat iron (as laundry iron).
- Fuse plugs, screw.
- Grill.
- Heater or radiator, portable.
- Hot plate.
- Insulators, complete (porcelain with metal contact parts).
- Lamp cases, hand and pocket, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses or bulbs.
- Lamp cases, hand and pocket, fitted with bulbs or lenses (G.L).
- Lamp holders, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key (G. L.).
- Lamps, hand, complete (G. L.).
- Lamps, pocket, complete (G. L.).
- Laundry irons.
- Metallic filament for lamps.
- Meters, parts of.
- Plugs, flush (consisting of brass fitment mounted on earthenware base).
- Plugs, wall (consisting of brass fitment mounted on earthenware base).
- Screw parts, brass, for use on telephones.
- Soldering irons.
- Sounders and keys.
- Splicing sleeves.
- Standard for portable lamp with ink-stand
- Switches.
- Terminals, brass, for fuse boards (G. L.).
- Toaster, for table use.
- Torch cases fitted with lenses or bulbs (G. L.).
- Torch cases made of soft iron scrap, without lenses or bulbs.
- Torches, complete (G. L.).
- Trolley pole catchers.
- Water heaters.
- Wiring sockets (consisting of brass and porcelain).

Electrotype printing blocks.
Elevator chains.
Emulsifiers, machine.
Embossing stamp or press-monogram.
*Emeralite desk lamps (G. L.).
Engraved plates, music, pewter.
Envelope fasteners steel.
Erasers, sanitary, *i.e.*, thin strip rubber in nickelled case.
Etch-o lite dipping machines.
Eyeglass frames, steel and xylonite or steel and rubber.
Eye guards, engineers' (consisting of wire gauze faced with glass enclosed in sheet iron frame, for use on lathes, milling and grinding machines).

Fans and parts thereof, electric.
Fasteners and buckles for ties.
*Fasteners and press studs for wearing apparel (G.L.).
Fasteners, boot button.
Fasteners, card, etc. (Card fasteners)
Fasteners, "Cary ss" seals and clasps.
Fasteners, corrugated, sawedge.
Fasteners, envelope, steel.
Fasteners, paper, "Hotchkiss," automatic.
Fasteners, spring block, for shoe lasts.
Fasteners (steel), paper.
Faucet, molasses, suction and measuring.
Ferrules—german silver.
Ferrules or nipples, steel, for gas radiators.
Ferrules, tin, for banding brushes.
Fibre, steel, polishing.
Filament, metallic, for electric lamps.
File clip.
Files, surgical.
Files, watchmakers' (G.L.).
Filing cabinets, metal accessories for.
Filing cabinets, steel.
Filters, oil.
Filters, water, cast iron.
Fishing reels, brass.
Fitting connector (brass fitment on earthenware base).
Fittings, stove, *i.e.*, dovetails, door-catches, hinged tubes.
Flat iron, electric, as laundry iron.
Flour sifters.
Fluting machine (used for the crimping or fluting of cloth).
*Fog horn, Norwegian machine (G. L.).
Food choppers.
Foot arch supports.
Forges and blowers, portable.
Forgings, crank shaft.
Forgings for bicycles.
Forks, coke, for gasworkers' use.
Forks, garden and agricultural, without handles
Forks, garden and agricultural, with handles. (G L.).
*Forks, hay (G. L.).
Foundry ladles or bowls—iron.
Fountain pen clips.
Fountains, lawn, revolving.
Founts or containers (oil) for ordinary oil lighting or heating lamps (brass).
Founts, overhead washing, for carriages and motor cars.
Frames, bag and pouch.
Frames, complete or in parts, metal, for ladies handbags.

Frames and fittings, umbrella.
Frames, metal, loose leaf, for perpetual ledger.
Freezers, ice cream.
Furnace, gas, forced draught.
Fuse plugs, screw.

Galvanised iron wire cloth, woven.
*Gas burner castings, iron, for stoves (G. L).
Gas furnace (forced draught).
Gas lamps and parts of, other than burners.
Gas mantle holders, metal.
Gas meters, brass parts of.
Gas meters, cast iron, and parts of.
Gas regulators, iron, and parts of.
Gates or taps for oil or molasses.
Gauze, brass wire.
Glass cutters (G L)
Gold foil, imitation.
Gold leaf, imitation (brass or metal leaf.)
Gong shells, steel.
Grease cups.
Grill, electric heating.
Grinding machine (hand power).
Grinding plates, for coffee grinding mill.
Grindstone frames and fixtures, metal.
Guillotine, rubber, hand power.

*Hack saw blades (G.L.).
Hair clippers.
Hammers and hammer heads (G.L.).
Handles, "Alaska," for boiler doors.
Handles, cover (of wood and metal) for repairing tea pots.
Handwarmers—for muff or pocket.
Hangers, cast iron for shafting.
Harness snap.
Hasps.
Hatchets and choppers (G.L.).
*Hay forks (G.L.).
Heater or radiator, electric (portable).
Heaters, carriage.
Heater or radiator, electric (portable).
Heaters, carriage.
Heaters, water (electric).
Heaters, water (gas).
Heddles (steel).
Hinged tubes (stove fittings).
Hinge pins with cone heads.
Hinges of all metals.
Hob nails.
Hoes, garden and agricultural, without handles.
Hoes, garden and agricultural, with handles (G.L.).
Holders, coil (metal).
Holders for rubber stamps, *i.e.*, metal base with wooden handle.
Holders—roll paper.
Hooks, brass.
Hooks, cargo.
Hooks, coat and hat, wire.
Hooks, screw, for coat hangers.
Hooks, shoe lacing.
Hooks, steel, belt, for binding machinery belting (G.L.).
Hooks, tenter.
Hooks, wire other than coat or hat hooks (G.L.).
Hooping, iron or steel
* Horse clippers (G.L.).
H.O. slides.

"Hotchkiss" automatic paper fasteners.
"Hotchkiss" staple presses.
"Hotchkiss" tag machines.
Hot-plate, electrically heated.
Household appliances:—
  Apple peelers.
  Potato peelers.
  Flour sifters.
  Knife sharpeners, etc.

Ice cream freezers.
Ignition wheels, for automatic lighters.
Implement brackets.
* Incubators, cast iron and wood (G.L.).
Insulators complete (porcelain with metal contact parts).
Irons, laundry.
Iron-ware for poultry farming.

Jacks, lifting (G L.).
Joints and catches for brooches.

Key blanks.
Keys rings, steel.
Keys for opening cans.
Kitchen utensils.
Knife sharpeners.
*Knobs, damper, nickel plated for use on boilers.
Knobs or pegs, japanned iron.

Label dampers, metal.
Labels, base metal.
Ladles or bowls, foundry, iron.
*Lamp burners, gas or oil (G.L.).
Lamp cases, hand and pocket, electric, made of soft iron ser p without lenses or bulbs.
Lamp cases, hand and pocket, electric, fitted with lenses or bulbs (G L.).
Lamp-holders (brass or ebonite with or without switch or key) (G.L.).
Lamps, blow, and parts thereof.
*Lamps, emeralite, desk (G.L.).
Lamps, gas and parts of, other than burners.
Lamps, hand, electric, complete (G L).
Lamps, oil, of all kinds.
Lamps, pocket, electric, complete (G.L.).
*Lanterns, hurricane (G L.).
*Lanterns, tubular (for farm use) (G L.).
Laundry irons.
Lawn fountains, revolving.
Lawn sprinklers.
Leaders, cattle (small steel fitment for use in leading cattle).
Lead foil.
Lever fittings, for correspondence files.
Lever or lifter, steel, for metal bungs.
Levers, cycle tyre.
Lids, metal, movable, for tins or glass bottles.
*Lighters, metal pocket (G.L).
Lisodis fount or distributor.
Locks and padlocks.
Loops, brass.
Lubricators—gun-metal, for refrigerating machinery.
Lubricators, iron or steel.
Lubricator spring covers.
Machines:—
  * Addressograph, parts of, such as metal drawers, wooden stands with metal attachments and iron stands (G L.).

Apple paring and coring (hand driven).
Band saw setting (hand driven).
Bread making (hand driven).
Bottle corking (hand).
Box catch fastening and punching (hand power).
Button covering (hand).
Button, sewing on.
Carriage tyring.
Cigar cutting (hand driven).
Coffee making.
Dating and numbering, hand, all kinds, manufactured largely of metal.
Dictating, parts and accessories (G.L.).
Emulsifiers.
Etch-o-lite dipping.
Fluting, used for the crimping or fluting of cloth.
Grinding (hand driven).
Hosiery scales.
Meat chopper and sausage filler combined.
Numbering and dating, hand, all kinds. manufactured largely of metal.
Overedge sewing.
Paint spraying.
* Pencil sharpening (G.L.)
Potato mashing (hand).
Rivet setting (hand driven).
Scroll shears (hand driven).
Sealing, rapid.
Shoe stretching.
Slot game, automatic.
Spraying for lime and white-washing and paint.
Tag, "Hotchkiss."
Textile weighing.
Tinsmiths' (hand driven) :—
Bar folder.
Beading.
Burring.
Closing.
Double-seaming.
Paning-down.

Magnets, armature, for use in electric motors or dynamos.
Magnets, for aviation.
Magnets, steel.
Mails, weaver, steel.
Match stands.
Measuring tapes and rules of metal (G.L.).
Meat chopper and sausage filler combined.
*Meat seals made of cold rolled steel strip (G.L.)
Mem-index (small card index cabinet).
*Mesh in strips or rolls for the manufacture of bags (base metal) (G.L.)
Meter parts, steel.
Meters, gas, brass, parts of.
Meters, gas, cast iron, and parts.
Meters, parts of (electric).
Monogram embossing stamp or press.
Moulds, bullet (G.L.).
Moulds, button, fillings and backs.
Mounts, metal, for ice bags.
Mouse traps (wood and wire).

Nail or tack pullers.
Nails and tacks made of scrap metals.
Nails, brass.
Nails, hob.
Nails, iron, cut.
Nails, iron, with all brass heads (G.L.).
Nails, iron, with brass covered heads (G.L.).
Nails or studs for boots and shoes for mountaineering purposes.
Nails, upholstery, made of wood and metal.
Nails, wire (G.L.).
Naval instruments, brass screw parts.
Needles, hosiery (G.L.).
Needles, sewing machine.
Nippers, wire (G.L.).
Nipples or Ferrules, steel, for gas radiators.
*Norwegian fog-horn machine (G.L.).
Numbering and dating machines, hand, of all kinds, manufactured largely of metal.
Nuts and bolts, brass (G.L.).
*Nuts and bolts, carriage, (G.L.)
Nuts and bolts, round-headed, stove.
Nuts, brass, for aneroid barometers (G.L.)
*Nuts, iron and steel (G.L.).

Oil cans, mower machine.
Oil cans, reaper.
Oil containers or founts, metal (used for ordinary oil lighting or heating lamps).
Oil cups.
Oilers, pocket.
Oil hole covers.
Oil lamps of all kinds.
Oil pumps brass.
Overedge sewing machine.
Overhead wash founts for cleaning of carriages and motor cars.
Oxygen containers (steel cylinders).

Padlocks and locks.
Paint spraying machines.
Paning-down machines (Tinsmiths' machines).
Paper roll holders.
Paper tester (Mullens).
Pattern racks (of metal) as used by clothiers and tailors.
Pegs or knobs, Japanned iron.
*Pencil holders, metal (no wood) (G.L.).
*Pencil sharpening machines (G.L.).
Pencil sharpeners (metal).
Pencil tips (brass).
*Pen holders (metal) (G.L.).
Pen-nibs, steel.
Perambulator joints, steel.
Perforators, letter for filing purposes.
Phosphor bronze or brass metal cloth.
Piercers, round hole.
Pincers, steel.
Pins, drawing.
Pins, hinge, with cone heads.
Pins, taper, steel.
Pins, wire (G.L.).
Pipe fittings, cast.
Plant sprayer, hand (also used for distributing disinfectants).
* Plasterers' and bricklayers' trowels, as mason's tools (G.L.).
Plates, for duplicator steel file.
Plates, grinding, for coffee mill.
Plates or sheets, copper, cut to shape and size for engraving.
Plates, pewter, engraved for music.
Plates, steel, for patterns.
Pliers (G.L.).
Plugs, chaplet, taper.
Plugs, flush (consisting of brass fitment mounted on earthenware base).

Plugs, wall (consisting of brass fitment mounted on earthenware base).
*Pocket lighters (G.L.).
Pocket oilers.
Potato mashing machine (hand).
Potato peelers.
Poultry farming ironware.
Powder, bronze (gold).
Presses, trousers.
*Press studs and fasteners for wearing apparel, etc. (G.L.).
Primus stoves, burners for, and tools for removing nipples from the burners.
Printers iron spacing material.
Printing blocks, electrotype.
Printing tie-ups.
Printing type.
*Pulleys and pulley block (G.L.).
Pumps (not driven by power).
Pumps, oil (brass).
Punches for poultry.
Punches for sealing outfits.
Punches, steel, letters and figures.
Purses, metal.

Racks, pattern, metal, used by clothiers and tailors.
Racks, tin, for holding rubber stamps.
Radiator or heater, electric, portable.
Rakes, garden and Agricultural, without handles.
Rakes, garden and Agricultural, with handles (G.L.).
Rat traps (wood and wire).
*Razor blade sharpeners (safety) (G.L.).
Razor holders, safety.
Razor safety-blades—steel blanks.
*Razor sharpeners, mechanical (G.L.).
*Razor strops and razor stroppers, automatic (G.L.).
Reamers, as taps (G.L.).
Reaper oil cans.
Reels, fishing, brass.
Reels, iron, for paper slitting machines.
Reflectors, enamelled iron.
Regulators, damper, for water and steam boilers.
Regulators, gas, iron and parts.
Rings and screws for compasses.
Rings, curtain, brass.
Rings, key, steel.
Rivets.
Rivets, punched steel.
Rivet setting machines (hand power).
Rods, curtain.
Rods, wire.
Roller, bearings (G.L.).
Rollers copper.
" Root-a-tooter " (cycle alarm).
Roses, shower, brass and copper.
Rose sprinklers (for watering cans).
*Rota strop (mechanical razor sharpeners) (G.L.).
Rubber guillotine (hand driven).
Rules and tapes, measuring.

Safes.
Safety razor holders.
Sash balances.
Saw blades, fret.
*Saw blades, hack (G.L.).
Saw, steel band, setting machine (hand driven)
Saw screws.
Saws, steel, band.
Scales, hosiery.
Scales, household.
Scissors.
Scissors or shears, hospital.
Screw brass parts (for naval instruments).
Screw brass parts (for telephone instruments).
Screwing tackle, *i.e.*, chasers, dies and stocks, taps and thread milling cutters (G.L.).
Screws and rings for compasses.
*Screws, brass (G.L.).
Screws, coach or bolt-headed.
Screws of all metals other than brass.
Screws, saw.
*Screws, thread (American), as iron and steel nuts (G.L.).
Screws, wire (G.L.).
Scroll shears (hand-driven).
Scythes and sickles (G.L.).
Sealing machines, rapid.
Sealing outfit for timber.
Sealing outfit, metal, *i.e.*, seals and small candlesticks.
Seal pincers.
*Seals—cold rolled steel strip (for meat) (G.L.).
Security and dummy bolts.
Seed cabinets, steel-lined.
Separators, oil.
" Serax " corks, *i.e.*, tin discs with lining of cork.
Shades, ceiling, enamelled iron.
Shafting couplings and hangers, iron.
*Sharpeners, mechanical, for razors (G.L.).
*Sharpeners for safety razor blades (G.L.).
Shaving stick cases, nickelled and polished.
Shears (as tools) (G.L.).
Shears, definition of, when six inches or over in length and shaped as shears (G.L.).
Shears or scissors, hospital.
Shears, scroll (hand-driven).
Sheets or plates, copper, cut to shape and size for engraving.
Shoe-stretching machines.
Shower roses, brass or copper.
Showers, for baths, brass or copper.
Sickles and scythes (G.L.).
Sifters, flour.
Signals, steel, for card index systems.
Signs, advertising, complete with letters, figures and frames.
Signs (show), metal, enamelled.
Silver leaf.
Sink cleaners.
Sliding door fittings, ball bearings.
Slot game machines, automatic.
Sockets (iron) for iron wire rope.
Soldering iron, combination.
Soldering iron, electrical.
Soles for clogs (steel).
Sounders and keys.
Spacing material (iron) for printers.
Spanners (G.L.).
Spectacle cases, metal, lined with fabric of any description.
Spirit levels (G.L.).
Spools, typewriter.
Spoons, tinned iron.
Splicing sleeves.

Sprayer, plant, and also used for distributing disinfectants.
Spraying machines for lime and whitewash and paint
Spring block fasteners (for shoe lasts).
Spring chuck, steel.
Springs (small), for petrol lighting machines.
Springs, spiral.
Sprinkler corks.
Sprinkler roses (for watering cans).
Sprinklers, lawn.
Stampings, steel.
Stamp or press, monogram embossing.
Stamps, dating or name, metal, with rubber type.
Standard for portable lamp (electric), with inkstand.
Stands, match, base metal.
Staple presses, "Hotchkiss."
Staples, steel (used for tacking labels on boxes, wagons, etc., and in connection with patent automatic machines).
Staples, iron or steel (G.L.).
Staples, wire (G.L.).
Statuettes, lead, small.
Steam traps.
Steel band.
Steel plates for patterns.
Steel strip for the manufacture of tubes, band saws, and other articles of steel (G.L.).
Steel strip, toothed.
Stencils.
Stoppers—"Serax" *i.e.*, tin discs with lining of cork.
Stove fittings, *i.e.*, dovetails, door catches, hinged tubes.
Strap pullers for sealing outfits.
*Strop, Rota, mechanical (G.L.).
*Strops and stroppers (automatic) for razors (G.L.).
Struts, trench (G.L.).
Studs, metal, with celluloid backs.
Studs or nails for boots and shoes for mountaineering purposes.
*Studs, press, metal, and fasteners, for wearing apparel (G.L.).
Surgical files.
Suspender fittings.
Switches, electric.

Tablets or signs (show), metal, enamelled.
Tack lifters.
Tack or nail pullers.
Tacks and nails made of scrap metal.
Tags, tin.
Tag machine, "Hotchkiss."
*Tanks, enamelled steel, with glass lining (G.L.).
Taper pins, steel.
Tapes and rules, measuring, metal (G.L.).
Taps (for screwing) (G.L.).
Taps or gates, oil or molasses.
Taps (screwing tackle) (G.L.).
Tea spoons, metal plated.
Telephone, brass screw parts for use on.
Tenter hooks.
Terminals, brass, for electric fuse boards (G.L.).
Test clips, copper (for use in testing electrical instruments).
Textile weighing machine.
Thread milling cutters. (Screwing tackle.) (G.L.).
*Thread screws (American) as iron and steel nuts. (G.L.).
Tie fasteners and buckles.
Tin foil.
Tinsmiths' machines (hand driven), *viz.*:—
- Beading machines.
- Burring machines.
- Paning-down machines.
- Double seaming machines.
- Closing machines.
- Bar folder.

Tins with printed label.
Toaster, electric, for table use.
Tobacco cases, metal.
Tongs, for curling and waving hair.
Tools (agricultural, carpenters', coopers', engineers', joiners', masons', shipwrights', and edge tools.) (G.L.).
Torch cases, electric, fitted with lenses or bulbs. (G.L.).
Torches, electric, complete. (G.L.).
Torch cases, electric, made of soft iron scrap, not fitted with lenses or bulbs.
Traps for vermin (wood and wire).
Traps, steam.
Trays, ash, base metal.
Trench struts. (G.L.).
Trolleys, girder.
Trolley pole catchers.
Trolley wire splicers.
Trousers presses.
Tube cleaners.
Tubes, brass coated (G.L.).
Tubes (brass or copper) (G.L.).
Tubes, collapsible, leaden.
Tubes, collapsible, tin.
Tubes, hinged (stove fittings).
Tubing—sold-drawn weldless.
Tubing, metallic flexible, of one inch in circumference.
* Tubular lanterns (for farm use) (G.L.).
Type, printing.
Typewriter spools.
Tyre levers, cycle.

Umbrella frames and fittings, base metal.

Valve discs.
Valves, pneumatic tyre, unless fixed in tubes.
Ventilators.
Vices, combination foot.

Warp droppers.
Watch case opener (small metal disc).
Watchmakers' files (G.L.).
Water heaters (electric).
Water heaters (gas).
Water saver, automatic (for attaching to hose pipes).
Weavers' steel mails.
Weighing machine, textile.
Welt ploughs, Deacons' (Shoemakers' tool) (G.L.).
Wheels, gear, for use on tramway cars.
Wheels, ignition, for automatic lighters.
Wheels, iron cog.
Wheels, pinion, for use on tramway cars.
Wheels, tracing.

Whistles, steam, brass.
Wire (G.L.).
Wire, all manufactures of, except hooks (other than coat and hat), nails, pins, screws and staples.
Wire, barbed (G.L.).
Wire cloth (woven galvanised iron).
Wire gauze, brass.
Wire nippers (G.L.).
Wire rods.
Wire straighteners.
Wiring sockets (consisting of brass and porcelain) electric.

Zinc plates or sheets for photo-engraving.

N.B.—The above list contains only articles which have already been the subject of a decision, and does not claim to be exhaustive.

NOTE.

The articles shown in the preceding pages are those in respect of which application for licences should be addressed to The Controller, Department of Import Restrictions, 22, Carlisle Place, Westminster, London, S.W.1.

Applications in respect of the following articles, the importation of which is also prohibited, *should be made to the authority shown against each*:—

Articles	Authority
All materials for the manufacture of paper including wood pulp, esparto grass, and linen and cotton rags. Paper and cardboard (including strawboard, pasteboard, millboard and wood pulp board) and manufactures of paper and cardboard, books, magazines, and printed music.	Royal Commission on Paper, Central House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2.
Machine tools, and parts thereof, including small tools.	The Assistant Secretary, Commercial Department, Board of Trade, Gwydyr House, Whitehall, S.W. 1.
Diamonds, unset ...	... The Controller, Foreign Trade Department, Lancaster House, St. James', London, S.W. 1.
Sugar	... The Royal Commission on Sugar Supply, Scotland House, London, S.W.1.
Cocaine and opium ...	... The Under Secretary of State, Home Office, Whitehall, London, S.W. 1.

No. 5677-C. W. In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 5041-C.W., dated the 5th May 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz* :—

ADDITIONS.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Accumulatoren Fabrik, A.G., Calle Tucuman 900, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Aischmann, Luis, & Company, (Sucesores), Calle Sarmiento 1143 and 1147, Buenos Aires; and Calle Independencia 44, Mendoza, Argentina.
Caro Brothers, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Curt Berger & Company (see Berger, Curt, & Company).
Fadun & Company, Calle San Martin 1485-89, Mendoza, Argentina.
Hasche, M. E., Calle Tucuman 900, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Herbon, Maximo, Uruguay.

BOLIVIA.

Cerveceria Germania (see Schnorr, Guillermo).
Schnorr, Guillermo (Sucesion) "Cerveceria Germania," Tarija.
Weber, Albert, Oruro.

BRAZIL.

Casa Lucas (see Molina, Manoel Lopes Agero).
Casa Rosenhain (see Schmidt & Company).
Georg, Otto, (Partner of Dannemann & Company).
Leyser, Rodolfo, Rua da Industria 8, Balem, Para.
Molina, Manoel Lopes Agero Casa Lucas), Avenida Passos 36-38, Rio de Janeiro.
Siepmann, Fritz, (Partner of Dannemann & Company).
Vasconcellos, C., & Company, Praça da Republica 87, Santos.

CHILE.

Benedetti, Juan B., Valparaiso.
Frey and Elkan, Roco 904, Punta Arenas.
Galeria Rossi (see Rossi, Alfredo).
Greene, Ignacio, Anguita, Punta Arenas.
Rossi, Alfredo, (Galeria Rossi), Calle San Diego 649, Santiago.

LIBERIA*.

Bent, A. A.
Bucholtz, G.
Buhring, F.
Franck, A.
George, Aaron.
Hinz, M.
Lange, Gustave.
Lapple, Otto.
Phelps Brothers & Company.
Simpson, P. F.
Stevens, A. B.

NETHERLANDS.

Bataafsche Industrie en Handel Maatschappy, Hobbemakade 29, Amsterdam.
Ferner, Eugen, Stadhouderskade 156, Amsterdam.
Heinrici's, (Otto) Internationale Handelsvereeniging, N. V., Westzeedijk 48, Rotterdam.
Onnes, P., & Zoon, Schuilendiep 82, Groningen ; Singel 250, Amsterdam ; Wijnhaven 103, Rotterdam ; and Haarlem.
Rompu, Hubert van, Terneuzen.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Pistorius, K., (*alias* Pistoreks), Juliana Boulevard 86, Soerabaya.

NORWAY.

Enderle, G., Kongensgt. 6, Christiania.
Flornaes, Kristian K., Toldbodgaten 3, Christiania.
Maeland, Johs., Opheimsgt. 50, Stavanger.
Neptune Canning Company, A/S., Haukeligt. 86, Stavanger ; and Harstad.
Norwegisches Kontor, Zentral Einkaufsgesellschaft, A/S., Bygdo Alle 5, Christiania.
Raakvaagen Preserving Company, Raakvaag, Sondre Trondjhems Amt.
Sorensen, O., Moleergate 34, Christiania.
Zentral Einkaufsgesellschaft Norwegisches Kontor, A/S., Bygdo Alle 5, Christiania.

PERSIA.*

Bozorg (see Haji Mirza Bagher Tabrizi).

Haji Mirza Bagher Tabrizi (or Teheranji), (*alias* Meshidi Agha Bozorg Tabrizi), Tehran.

(Telegraphic Address "Bozorg.")

Meshidi Agha Bozorg Tabrizi (see Haji Mirza Bagher Tabrizi).

PERU.

Mojovich, Jorje J., Plateros de San Pedro 146, Lima.

SPAIN.

Bahlsen, Carlos, Almdravillas, Almeria.
Brown, Alexander (see Bruns, Alexander).
Bruns, (*alias* Brown) Alexander, Madrid.
Corrales, José Garcia (see Garcia Corrales, José).
Cuadrillero, Mariano, Plaza de Oriente 3, Madrid.
Ferrer, Antonio, Tarragona.
Garcia Corrales, José, Calle Alfonso XIII. 76 and 78, Santa Cruz de Tenerife.
Garriga y Torrents, Antonio, Calle Lauria 104, Barcelona.
Gutman y Reinhardt, Calle Gravina 21, Seville.
Torrents (see Garriga y Torrents, Antonio).

VENEZUELA.

Rincon Junior, Alfredo, Maracaibo.

REMOVALS.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Ortiz, Waldino, Calle Carlos Pellegrini 354, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

DENMARK.

Interchange Limited (Manager E. U. Landgraff), Holbergsgade 3, Copenhagen.
Landgraff, E. U., B.W or E. M., (of Interchange Limited), Holbergsgade 3, Copenhagen

ICELAND AND FÄROE ISLANDS.

Thordarsson, Svein, Hverfisgota, Reykjavik.

JAPAN.

All persons and bodies of persons.

MOROCCO.

Calduch Gila, F., Tangier.

NORWAY.

Interchange Limited, Toldbodgate 11, Christiania.

SPAIN.

Algarra y Postius, Jaime, Trafalgar 37, Barcelona.

VARIATIONS.

Corrections in the names and alterations in and additions to addresses of persons or firms whose names have been included in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No 5041-C.W., dated the 5th May 1917, as subsequently amended, are made as under :—

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Aders, Alberto, and Company, Calle Venezuela 165-99 and Paseo Colón 486-94, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Agencia Marítima "Kosmos" (Kosmos Steamship Line), Calle Sarmiento 442, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Arnold, H., c/o North German Lloyd, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Austro-American Steamship Company, Calle San Martin 470, Buenos Aires, Argentina ; Montevideo, Uruguay ; and all branches in Argentina and Uruguay.

Banco Aleman Transatlantico (Deutsche Ueberseeische Bank), Calle Reconquista corner of Bartolomé Mitre, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Banco Germanico de la America del Sud (Deutsche Sud-Amerikansche Bank), Calle Reconquista 37-41, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Brauss, Mahn & Company, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Calle Cerrito 407, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Buch, A., & Company, Calle Mercedes 967, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Buddensieg, Juan, Calle Moreno 655, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bunge, Ernesto A., & Born, J., Calle Sarmiento corner of 25 de Mayo, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Bustamente, Miguel, Calle Suipacha 128, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Cadenas, Enrique, Calle Juncal 1388, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Defesche, Juan, Calle Moreno 508 and Calle Newbery 2671, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Fuhrmann, H., & Company, Calle Peru 1182, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
German Coal Depôt (Compania Alemana de Depositos de Carbon or Deutsches Kohlen Depôt), Calle Peru 375, Buenos Aires Argentina.
Hamburg-American Steamship Company, Calle Sarmiento 442-448, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hamburg South American Steamship Company, Calle Sarmiento 442-448, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hansa Steamship Line (Deutsche Dampfschiff Gesellschaft).
Hardt, Engelbert, & Company, Calle Bartolome Mitre 853-871, and Calle Patricios 1937, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Montevideo, Uruguay.
Hartrodt, A., Casilla de Correo 1280, Calle Corrientes 685 and Calle Maipú 427, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hasenclever & Company, Calle Belgrano 673 and Calle Ayolas 458, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Horn & Company, Calle Cangallo, 499, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hosmann, Julio, Calle Cangallo 319, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Kobelt, G., (of "La Germano Argentina"), Calle Avellaneda 1914, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
"La Germano Argentina" Insurance Company, Calle Reconquista 37, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Lahusen & Company, Calle Defensa 542 and Calle Pedro Mendoza 3457, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and C. Orillas del Plasa 927, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Lasker & Company, Calle Florida 355, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Calle Misiones 1430, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Meyer, D., & Company, Calle San Martin 222 and Calle Belgrano 139, Bahia Blanca; Trelew, Chubut; and Puerto Madryn, Patagonia, Argentina.
Moller & Company, Calle Alsina 484, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Monje, Fernandez, Puerto Deseado, Gobernacion de Santa Cruz, Argentina.
Orenstein & Koppel, Calle San Martin 66, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Quincke, Ernesto, Calle Cerro Largo 851, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Rhodius & Company, Calle Rivadavia 812, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Rossi, Francisco, c/o Hasenclever & Company, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Sassoli, A., (of Staudt & Company), Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Montevideo, Uruguay.
Sociedad Anonima Argentina, Hidraulico-Agricola, Calle Moreno 411, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Sociedad Financiera é Industrial Sud Americana, Calle Sarmiento corner of Calle 25 de Mayo, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Staudt & Company, Calle Bernardo de Irigoyen 330, Avenida Montes de Oca 1599 and Calle General Hornos 1720, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Calle Rincon 458, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Stubenrauch & Company, Puerto Deseado, Gobernacion de Santa Cruz, Argentina.
Velasquez, Pedro,

should read

Velazco, Pedro, care of Osten & Company, Uruguay.
Weil Harmanos & Company Calle Reconquista 450, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Weygand & Zum Felde, Calle Venezuela 141, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wolff, Buchholz & Company, Calle Cangallo 521, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

BRAZIL.

Buhle, C., Rio Grande do Sul.
Camiconde, Epaminondas, Porto Alegre
Companhia Graphica Rio Grandense O Diario, Porto Alegre.
Hackradt, Fernando. & Company, Rua A. Penteado 15, Sao Paulo; Rua Voluntarios da Patria 113, Porto Alegre; and Coritvba.
Schmidt & Campany (Casa Rosenhain), Rua Sao Bento 60, Sao Paulo.

DENMARK.

Albeck, A., & Company, A/S., Osterbrogade 124, (formerly of Strand Boulevard 61), Copenhagen.

ICELAND AND FÄROE ISLANDS.

Obenhaupt, A., Hverfisgota, Reykjavik.

NORWAY.

Guthormsen, C., Karl Johansgade 8[11], Christiania.

SPAIN.

Sanchez, Eduardo, Malaga,

should read

Sanchez Rueda, Eduardo, Calle Torrijos 21, Malaga, and Rueda, Eduardo Sanchez, (see Sanchez Rueda, Eduardo).

No. 5680-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 66-C.W.D., dated the 13th January 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz* :—

Additions.

Chinese, S. K. F. Company, Limited, Shanghai.

Eastern Fur and Skin Company, Shanghai.

Glikin, E. I.

Kopelman, S. I.

St. Vourvoulias, Tientsin.

No. 5681-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that " Wall Norman (Agent for C. Faberge Ltd. of Petrograd)" shall be added to the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2981-C.W., dated the 24th March 1917, as subsequently amended.

INLAND NAVIGATION.

The 19th May, 1917.

No. 5448-S.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 6 of the Freight (Railway and Inland Steam-vessel) Tax Act, 1917 (XIII of 1917), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that all goods carried by inland steam-vessels between the ports of Calcutta and Chandbally, which have been booked at or between those places for destinations within the same limits, shall be exempt from the payment of the tax imposed under the said Act.

SALT.

The 19th May, 1917.

No. 5542-G.—Mr. P. C. Scott O'Connor, Deputy Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue, is granted such privilege leave as may be due to him on the afternoon of the 12th May 1917, in combination with furlough of such duration as will bring the whole period of his absence up to one year.

Mr. C. S. Haygarth, Senior Assistant Commissioner is appointed to officiate as Deputy Commissioner during the absence on leave of Mr. Scott O'Connor.

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 18th May 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 738.—The undermentioned appointments are made :—

BRIGADE COMMANDER.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) C. E. G. Norton, 7th (Queen's Own) Hussars. Dated the 24th March 1917.

GENERAL STAFF OFFICERS.

1st Grade.

Lieutenant-Colonel L. H. R. Pope-Hennessy, D.S.O., The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry. Dated the 20th March 1917.

ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL.

Major F. W. Barron, Royal Artillery. Dated the 4th May 1917.

ASSISTANT ADJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. Le G. Jacob, C.I.E., D.S O., Indian Army. Dated the 21st March 1917.

DEPUTY ASSISTANT ADJUTANT GENERAL.

Captain T. F. V. Foster, M.C., The Connaught Rangers. Dated the 4th March 1917.

STAFF CAPTAIN.

Captain R. H. R. Parminter, The Manchester Regiment. Dated the 4th March 1917.

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

Camp Commandant (Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Captain).

2nd-Lieutenant (temporary Captain) F. E. A. Hewetson, Herts Yeomanry. Dated the 2nd February 1917.

Treasure Chest Officer.

Lieutenant O. L. Triphook, Royal Field Artillery. Dated the 21st April 1917.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES AND DEPARTMENTS.

Assistant Director of Medical Services.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel F. Wall, C.M.G., Indian Medical Service. Dated the 15th January 1917.

Deputy Assistant Director of Medical Services.

Captain W. E. R. Williams, Indian Medical Service. Dated the 9th January 1917.

Assistant Director of Veterinary Services.

Captain (acting Major) E. G. Turner, Army Veterinary Corps. Dated the 23rd December 1916.

ATTACHED TO HEAD QUARTER UNITS.

Deputy Director of Works.

Major (temporary Colonel) H. L. Pearson, Royal Engineers. Dated the 27th March 1917.

No. 739.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer to be Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

The Leicestershire Regiment.

Acting Serjeant Major Samuel Claydon. 7th May 1917.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 740.—Consequent on the return from field service of Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Field, Indian Army, Supernumerary List, 1st Grade Cantonment Magistrate, the following reversions are ordered with effect from the 19th April 1917 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel C. Herbert, D.S.O., Indian Army, Supernumerary List, sub. *pro tem.* 1st Grade Cantonment Magistrate, to be 2nd Grade Cantonment Magistrate.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. L. Cowie, Indian Army, Supernumerary List, sub. *pro tem.* 2nd Grade Cantonment Magistrate, to be 3rd Grade Cantonment Magistrate.

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 741.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Cavalry Branch.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Name	Date
Frank Clelend Foreman.	Dated 1st March 1917.
William George Mortimer. William Mitchell. James Parry Wilson. William Born Allen. Arthur Charles Carter.	Dated 11th May 1917.
Jesse Fletcher Burgess. Charles Reginald Drinkwater.	Dated 12th May 1917.
Reginald Meyrick. Alan James Richardson. James Stewart.	Dated 14th May 1917.
William Frank Bagg.	Dated 15th May 1917.

Infantry Branch.

To be Captain.

Name	Date
Joseph Ramsay Tainsh.	Dated 10th May 1917.

To be Lieutenant.

Name	Date
Herbert George Muggridge.	Dated 10th May 1917.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Name	Date
De[illegible] [illegible]maurice O'Donovan.	Dated 1st March 1917.
Percy J[illegible] Danckley.	Dated 18th March 1917, but to rank from the 30th December 1915.
Philip Lamb.	Dated 13th April 1917.
Reginald [illegible] [illegible] Franc[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]	Dated 5th May 1917.
Harold William Connell.	Dated 8th May 1917.
John Henry Metcalfe.	Dated 11th May 1917.
Harry Percival Swaffer. Sydney Sweeney Horace William Woodness Henderson.	Dated 12th May 1917.
Edward Francis Adams.	Dated 16th May 1917.

No. 742—Frank Leslie Pettmen [Temporary Second Lieutenant, 9th (Reserve) Battalion, The Buffs, (East Kent Regiment)], to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 12th May 1917, but to rank from the 12th May 1915.

No. 743—Howard Fletcher (Lieutenant, 6th Battalion, The Welsh Regiment) to be Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 12th May 1917, but to rank from the 7th September 1915.

No. 744.—Captain Joseph Ramsey Tainsh, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Major while holding the appointment of Locomotive Superintendent, Works Directorate, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 10th May 1917.

No. 745.—Lieutenant Herbert George Muggridge, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Assistant Commandant, 23rd Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 10th May 1917.

No. 746.—Lieutenant Albert John Moone, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Officer in charge of the Electric Installation, Karachi, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 4th February 1917.

No. 747.—Lieutenant Robert Henry Pollaco, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Local Purchase Officer, Mesopotamia, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 9th March 1917.

No. 748.—Lieutenant Donald Guthrie Robinson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Garrison Engineer, Hoogly Defences, and Officer Commanding, Defence Light Section, Calcutta, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 5th May 1917.

No. 749.—Second Lieutenant Ernest Arthur Greswell, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed with the Engineer Stores Depôt, Bombay, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 30th January 1917.

No. 750.—Lieutenant John Matthew Blackwood Stuart, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Officer Commanding Depôt, No. 15 (Burma) Company, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 22nd February 1917.

No. 751.—In Army Department Notification No. 624, dated the 27th April 1917, *for* "Bernard Frank Mathews" *read* "Bernard Frank Matthews".

No. 752.—In Army Department Notification No. 489, dated the 6th April 1917, against the name of Anthony Forster Wise, *for* "1st April 1917," *read* "10th March 1917".

No. 753.—In Army Department Notification No. 711, dated the 11th May 1917, against the name of Arthur Llewellyn Gorton, *for* "5th May 1917," *read* "30th April 1917".

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 754.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Sixth Supplement dated the 19th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 16th March 1917, pages 2739 and 2745.

War Office,
19th March 1917.

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The undermentioned temp. appts. are made in India :—

Dir. Gen. of Ord.—Col. S. M. Renny, C.I.E., and to be temp. Maj.-Gen. whilst so empld. 10th Feb. 1917.

Dir. of Ord. Fac.—Lt.-Col. (temp. Col.) H. A. Young, C.I.E., R.A., and to retain his temp. rank while so empld. 17th Feb. 1917.

Dir. of Ord. Inspn.—Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) J. H. Lawrence-Archer, R.A., and to be temp. Col. whilst so empld. 17th Feb. 1917.

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MACHINE GUN CORPS.

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2nd Lt. G. C. L. Howell (from Ind. Army. Punjab Light Horse) to be temp. 2nd Lt. 8 Feb. 1917.

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London Gazette dated the 20th March 1917, pages 2752, 2753, 2766 and 2769.

War Office,
20th March, 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

PERSONAL STAFF.

A.D.C.—Capt. D. H. Powell, Ind. Inf., from 27th Sept. to 17th Dec. 1914.

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ATTACHED TO HD. QR. UNITS.

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Draft Conducting Officers.—(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 2nd Cl.)

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Bt.-Col. C. J. W. Grant, V.C., ret. pay, Ind. Army, relinquishes his appt. 21st Mar. 1917.

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The undermentioned temp. appts. are made at the War Office :—

G.S.O.—2nd Grade.—Capt. (temp. Maj.) I. F. C. Carter, Ind. Army, and to retain his tem. rank whilst so empld., *vice* Bt. Maj. R. J. Drake, Res. of Off. 1st Mar. 1917.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

FLYING OFFICERS.

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Lt. (temp. Capt.) G. A. R. Spain, Ind. Army, from a Flying Officer (Observer). 16th Feb. 1917, with seniority from 1st Dec. 1915.

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India Office,
20th March 1917.

The KING has approved the appointment of Major-General George de Symons Barrow, C.B., Indian Army, to be Colonel of the 35th Scinde Horse.

The KING has approved the promotion of the following officers of the Indian Army, Indian Medical Service and Indian Army Reserve of Officers :—

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INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Edward Surman Peck, M.B. Dated 12th December 1914.
Thomas Alfred Ollivant Langston. Dated 25th December 1915.

Major to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel.

George McPherson, M.B. Dated 1st Feb. 1917.

Temporary Lieutenants to be temporary Captains.

Dated 24th November 1916.

Richard Charles Palmer Berryman.

Dated 26th November 1916.

Arthur Williams.

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The KING has approved the relinquishment of the temporary rank of Second Lieutenant in the Indian Army by the undermentioned gentlemen :—

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Richard Clarke Glover. Dated 4th December 1916.

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The KING has approved the resignation of the undermentioned officers of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers :—

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2nd Lieutenant Geoffrey Harry Rolles Hoare (on transfer to the British Service) Dated 21st February 1917.

The KING has approved the retirement of the undermentioned officers of the Indian Army and Indian Medical Service on account of ill-health :—

INDIAN ARMY.

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Major Mansfield Elliot Nuttall. Dated 21st March 1917.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Major George King. Dated 28th January 1917.

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Second Supplement dated the 22nd March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 20th March 1917, pages 2841, 2846, 2849, and 2850.

War Office,
22nd March 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned to be acting Capts. :—

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2nd Lt. T. C Thorn, Ind. Army Res. of Off., whilst comdg. a Field Troop, R.E , from 15th Oct. to 25th Nov. 1916.

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MEMORANDUM.

Maj. F. W. Evatt (ret., Ind. Army), late temp. Lt.-Col., comdg. a Serv. Bn., W. York. R., is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. 5th Oct. 1916.

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TERRITORIAL FORCE.

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INFANTRY.

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Lancashire Fus.—Harry Chambers Toller, late 2nd Lt., Indian Army R. of O., to be Lt. (temp.). 25th Nov. 1916. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 24th Nov. 1916.)

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London Gazette dated the 23rd March 1917, pages 2860, 2861, and 2862.

War Office,
23rd March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

PERSONAL STAFF.

A.-D.-C.—

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19th Feb. 1917.

Maj. A. A. Irvine, Supern. List, Ind. Army.

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GENERAL STAFF.

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Brig.-Gen.—Bt. Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) L. R. Vaughan, D.S.O., Ind. Inf., and to retain his temp. rank whilst so empld., *vice* Lt.-Col. (temp. Maj.-Gen.) W. H. Anderson. 4th Feb. 1917.

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War Office,
23rd March, 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMAND AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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GENERAL STAFF.

G. S. Os., 2nd Grade.—Maj. A. G. C. Hutchinson, Ind. Army. 8th Mar. 1917.

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SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purpose of pay as a Staff Lt., 1st Cl.)—7th Mar. 1917 :—
Lt.-Col C. P. Egerton, Supern. List, Ind. Army.

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Third Supplement dated the 26th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 23rd March 1917, pages 2967 and 2968.

War Office,
26th March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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MEMORANDA.

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Capt. (temp. Maj.) G. L. Colvin, D.S.O., Ind. Vols., to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst Asst. Dir. of Railway Trans. 27th Aug. 1916.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 755.—The following temporary promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

1st Garrison Battalion, The Lincolnshire Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant A. E. Turnley to be temporary Lieutenant, *vice* R. H. Hurst, transferred. 13th December 1916.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 756.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

5th May 1917.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Reginald Scott-Elliot, Commandant, 61st King George's Own Pioneers.

No. 757.—The following promotions or antedates of promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

1st September 1915.

Robert Sandeman Peisley MacIvor, 129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.
Evelyn Lindsay-Young, attached 19th Punjabis.
Gerald Ralph Kidd, attached 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).
Mervyn Palles Pratt, attached 121st Pioneers.
Alan Ivor Grey McConkey, 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Geoffrey Horsburgh Lane, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.
Alexander Lionel William Neave, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).
Henry Noel Christian, 120th Rajputana Infantry.
Reginald Arthur Savory, M.C., 14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.
Walter Raleigh Fetherstonhaugh Trevelyan, 93rd Burma Infantry.
Francis Ivan Simms Tuker, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).
Hugh de Lisle Penfold, 9th Gurkha Rifles.
Benjamin Going White, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Neville Harris Broadway, 2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse).
William Alexander Broadfoot, 3rd Skinner's Horse.
Roger Cormell Fletcher, 23rd Sikh Pioneers.
Walter Fendall Campbell. 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Herbert Dryden Home Yorke Nepean, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Kenneth Alfred Garrett, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Trevor Gordon Lewis, 10th Jats.
Donald Stewart Frazer, 18th King George's Own Lancers.
Charles Humphrey Casamaijor Gore, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Leslie Howard Brunlees, 4th Gurkha Rifles.
Eric Vernon Robert Bellers, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
George Roy Dowland, 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Harold Somerville Gordon, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Henry Everton Robertson, 107th Pioneers.
John Allan Glegg, 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Jack Hulme Taylor, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
William Rudolph Moll, 9th Bhopal Infantry.
Harry Montgomery Hamilton, 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).
John Parke Fullerton, 41st Dogras.
John Pitt Dening, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).
Edmund James Fulton, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).
Allan George Charles Bidie, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
Francis Norman Maltby, 125th Napier's Rifles.
Douglas Hamilton Gordon, 34th Sikh Pioneers.
Bertram William George Walker, 23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Cuthbert William Arthur Barwis, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Anthony Aloysius Emmanuel Filose, attached 39th King George's Own Central India Horse.
Alexander Donald Powys Campbell, 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Hubert Thomas de la Motte, 29th Punjabis.
Brian Kingsley Dymott, attached 31st Punjabis.
Michael Rookherst Roberts, attached 113th Infantry.

Lancelot George Werge Hamber, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
Frank Powell, M.C., 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Alec Palmer ffleetwood Churchill, 37th Dogras.
Carleton Stuart Searle, M.C., attached 97th Deccan Infantry.
Kenneth O'Brien Harding, attached 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).
Stephen Vaughan Palmer, 84th Punjabis.
Lancelot Lawrence Thwaytes, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).
William Robert Lambert, 97th Deccan Infantry.
Aubrey Rivett Whistler, attached 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
Duncan St. Vincent Gordon, attached 39th King George's Own Central India Horse.
Charlton Walter Palin, 129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.
Alfred Cyril Curtis, M.C., attached 45th Rattray's Sikhs.
Rowland Eustace, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Noel Alick Watson, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Robert Hamilton Birch Wilson, 9th Gurkha Rifles.
David Walter McLeod Prinsep, 3rd Skinner's Horse.
Neville Edward Marriott, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Arthur Amys Faussett-Baker, 21st Punjabis.
John William Guise, 45th Rattray's Sikhs.
Eric Raymond Sandars Dods, attached 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.
Arthur Eustace Stirling Miller-Stirling, Indian Army.
Douglas David Gracey, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
Colin Sutherland Lynden-Bell, attached 99th Deccan Infantry.
Ronald Eric Greenhouse, 83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.
Arthur Fancourt Logan, M. C., attached 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).
Gerald Antony Gordon Young, 6th Jat Light Infantry.
Harold Rawden Briggs, attached 31st Punjabis.
Reginald Humphrey Loder Minchin, attached 45th Rattray's Sikhs.
Henry James Hambleton, attached 88th Carnatic Infantry.
Henry Gerrard Reed, attached 114th Mahrattas.
Donald Franklyn Hubert, attached 83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry. (Since deceased.)
Ronald Leslie Piper, 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force).
James Clyde Johnson, attached 97th Deccan Infantry.
Humphrey Norman Loch, attached 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
John Lionel Miller-Hallett, attached 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles)
Roger Eustace Le Fleming, attached 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.
Robert Robington Everard Upton, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).
Douglas Albert Christie, 14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.
Francis Robert Roy Bucher, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.
James Donald Fraser, attached 32nd Lancers.
Clarence Moores Childe Barker, 126th Baluchistan Infantry. (Since deceased.)
John Waugh Davidson, 12th Cavalry.
George Francis Bunbury, 14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.
Mark Symonds Teversham, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.
Charles Herbert Harberton Eales, M.C., attached Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).
Harold Douglas Kyrle Money, attached Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).
Leslie Faithfull Mercer, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

16th September 1915.

Charles Reginald Glyn, 110th Mahratta Light Infantry. (Since deceased.)
Gordon West Hodgen, attached 123rd Outram's Rifles.

1st October 1915.

Godfrey Hugh St. Pierre Bunbury, 15th Ludhiana Sikhs. (Since deceased.)
Heber Jackson Ackland, 1st Brahmans.
Berthold Wells Key, 45th Rattray's Sikhs.
Vernon Hamilton Raynor, 87th Punjabis.
John Wolseley Ansell, 8th Rajputs.
Gerald Alexander Leith Farwell, 26th Punjabis.
George Geoffrey Voelcker, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
William Reginald Bridgewater Williams, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Cyril Muncaster Percy-Jones, 21st Punjabis.
Gerald Carr-White, 23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Alan David Eugene Reiche, 38th Dogras.
Eric Giles Savage, 112th Infantry.
Edmund Leonard James Barstow, 35th Sikhs. (Since deceased.)
Geoffrey Raymond Clarke, 72nd Punjabis.
Hilton Light, 84th Punjabis.
Arthur Ulric Molyneaux Spottiswoode, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Henry Rauthwells Traill, 87th Punjabis.
Robert Louis Victor Flemming, 116th Mahrattas.
George Eric Fitzgerald Shute, 19th Punjabis.
John Rochfort Armstrong Henry, 10th Jats.
Roger Gillies Ekin, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Edward Richard Kennedy, 18th Infantry.
Maurice Henry Howard Smith, 6th Gurkha Rifles.
William Ivor Parsons Feltham, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Henry Richmond Crichton, 54th Sikh (Frontier Force). (Since deceased.)
Mervyn Robert Keene, 97th Deccan Infantry.
Lewine Charles James Bendyshe Walton, 4th Gurkha Rifles.
Joseph Osborne Hanwell, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).

11th November 1915.

Edward Maxwell West, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Alfred John Hume Ross, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Geoffrey Pigot, 19th Punjabis.
Donald Powell, 30th Punjabis.
Arthur Michael Austen Collins, 38th Dogras.
Roland Richardson, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).
George Alexander Maconchy, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Jasper Searle Lloyd, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).
Douglas Maxwell Arthur Herbert, 82nd Punjabis.
Charles James Stewart Fraser, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).
William George Hugh Gough, M C., 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles.)
Edward Alfred Stead, 35th Sikhs.

16th December 1915.

Reinzi Stephen Barry Beckett, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
John Montgomerie Hunt, 87th Punjabis.
Richard de Beauvoir De Lisle, 97th Deccan Infantry. (Since deceased).
Charles Wilbraham Watson Ford, 35th Sikhs.
John Richard Landon Bradshaw, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers.
Cyril Percy Hancock, 114th Mahrattas.
Arthur Handcock Bagley, 8th Rajputs.

23rd December 1915.

Charles Champion Jerome Kellie, 1st Brahmans.
Harry Frederick Cortlandt Anderson, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers. (Since deceased.)
Drury Ronald Critchley, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.
Wam Russell Willoughby Weallens, 4th Gurkha Rifles.
Montague Hay Hawkes, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
Sydney Henry Woolf, 19th Punjabis.
Creemer Paul Clarke, 30th Punjabis.

13th January 1916.

Reginald George Sanders, 38th Dogras.
John Huntley Wickham Stevenson, 46th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Charles Edward Elliott Palin, 43rd Erinpura Regiment.
Ian Alastair Seymour Hale Monro, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

22nd January 1916

Robert Maitland Roy, 73rd Carnatic Infantry.
Douglas Miller Ham, 75th Carnatic Infantry.

17th April 1916.

John Wickham, 21st Punjabis, attached.

12th May 1916.

Harold Keith Salvesen, attached 42nd Deoli Regiment.
Timothy Nevill, attached 87th Punjabis.
Kenneth John Thriepland Ridge, attached 99th Deccan Infantry.

16th June 1916.

Cyril James Oldridge de la Hey, 27th Light Cavalry.
Humphrey St. John Carruthers, attached 7th Gurkha Rifles.
John Oswald Fulton, attached 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

14th July 1916.

Francis Henry Bourdillon, attached 36th Sikhs.
Gervase Mignon Borlase Cooke, attached 27th Light Cavalry.
Richard Drummond Hay Bucknal, attached 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).
Charles Geoffrey Prior, attached 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.
Ewen Cameron, attached 113th Infantry.

4th August 1916.

William Edward Harper Talbot, attached 83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.
Herbert Vero Shaw Page, attached 123rd Outram's Rifles.
Arthur Stanford Matthewman, attached 94th Russell's Infantry.

11th August 1916.

Victor Curle, attached 81st Pioneers.
Henry George Theodore Rossel, attached 64th Pioneers.
Harold Bradley Roberts, attached 75th Carnatic Infantry.
Ernest Rupert Ridley, attached 80th Carnatic Infantry.

9th October 1916.

Jack Montfort Stanley Gardner, attached 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.

20th October 1916.

Ingoldsby Philip Massy, attached 81st Pioneers.

11th November 1916.

Philip Berkeley Anderson, attached 116th Mahrattas.

15th November 1916.

Basil Jerome Amies, attached 21st Punjabis.
Hubert Baines, attached 75th Carnatic Infantry.
Herbert Reginald Robinson, attached 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry).
Greville Wynne Thomas, attached 4th Gurkha Rifles.
Edward Pye Rich, attached Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).
Joseph Edward Hirst, attached 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
Leopold Brilliant, 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.
Alan David Wilson, attached 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).
Edward Christopher Robinson, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
William Reginald Howe Browne, attached 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.
Raphael Joseph Power, attached 46th Punjabis.
John Miles Stapylton, attached 1st Duke of Yorks Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).
Francis Victor Reginald Woodhouse, attached 99th Deccan Infantry.
Guy Nadin, 12th Cavalry.
James Jarvie Purves, attached 35th Sikhs.
Donald Clive Anderson, attached 122nd Rajputana Infantry.
Maurice Leslie Hayne, 37th Dogras.
Joseph Clifford Heraper, attached 113th Infantry.
Francis Valentine Goold Barton, 1st Brahmans.
Gordon Edward Hawkes, attached 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Kenneth Christopher Beresford Dawes, 24th Punjabis.
Edward Arthur Titchmarsh, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.
James Newton Soden, attached 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry.
Ernest Dudley Cant, attached 84th Punjabis.
John Pratt, 5th Light Infantry.
Michael Long Barrett, attached Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).
Mead Slade, 64th Pioneers.
Oliver Alfred Rowlinson, attached 80th Carnatic Infantry.
Geoffrey Edward Fenwicke-Clennell, attached 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Oswald Bede Plowden Russell, attached 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
George Edward Tinney, 28th Punjabis.
Reginald Keith Peckover, 33rd Punjabis.

Charles Edmund Vyvyan Phillips, attached 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Basil Marcus Blackburn, 61st King George's Own Pioneers.
Douglas Arthur Charles Dunn, attached 8th Rajputs.
Thomas Edward Hayward, attached 32nd Sikh Pioneers.
Melvin Howard Challoner Cutler, attached 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Stanley Jepson, 40th Pathans.
Geoffrey Plomer, attached 107th Pioneers.
Godfrey Herbert Thomas, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
John Cuthbert Coates, attached 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Harold Ayton Wilkinson, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).
Robert Joseph Dudley Teague, attached 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment).
Geoffrey Percival Troughton-Dean, 24th Punjabis.
Basil John Devenish-Meares, attached 38th Dogras.
Henry Allan Leggatt, attached 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Edward Claude Pine-Coffin, attached 22nd Punjabis.
Dermot Patrick O'Shea, 69th Punjabis.
Wilfred Arthur Whitehead, 76th Punjabis.
John Walter Williams, attached 87th Punjabis.
Douglas Heins Ellison, 95th Russell's Infantry.

24th November 1916.

Reginald William Hargreave Grey, attached 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

22nd December 1916.

Eric William Tyson, attached 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Thomas Charles Donald Ricketts, attached 46th Punjabis.
Andrew Vivian Aldie Mercer, attached 7th Gurkha Rifles.

26th January 1917.

Leonard William McKay Forbes, attached 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
James Hugh Copleston Wooldridge, attached 126th Baluchistan Infantry.
Henry Lowrie Davies, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Francis John Rimell, attached 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).
Frederick Arthur Davies, attached Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).

18th February 1917.

Herbert Maurice Tulloch, attached 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.

No. 758.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, from the dates specified, but not to carry pay and allowances prior to the 1st September 1916 :—

Captains to be Majors.

18th January 1917.

Cecil Jarvis, 20th Deccan Horse.

29th January 1917.

Edward Douglas Struan Robertson, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).
Henry Algernon Hildebrand, 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.

15th February 1917.

Charles Dalton Gregson, 20th Deccan Horse.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

6th September 1915.

Gerard Oliver Simson, 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.
Francis Benton Newport Tinley, M.C., 20th Deccan Horse.
Charles Francis Linnaeus Stevens, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
Cyril George Royston, 18th King George's Own Lancers.

20th January 1916.

Reginald Alfred Carr-White, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.
Rayner Oswald Bradley, 29th Lancers (Deccan Horse).
Henry William Luttman-Johnson, 9th Hodson's Horse.

3rd August 1916.

Arthur Beaumont Beggs, 29th Lancers (Deccan Horse).

22nd January 1917.

Arthur Francis Gordon Forbes, 18th King George's Own Lancers.
Frank Walter Messervy, 9th Hodson's Horse.
Charles Edward Stuart-Prince, 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Madras Establishment.

No. 759.—The undermentioned 2nd class Assistant Surgeon, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 1st class Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 15th April 1917 :—

George Harold King.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 760.—The undermentioned 2nd class Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 1st class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 15th April 1917 :—

Ashley Edwin Dunbar Harvey.
Maurice Camillus Pinto.
Robert John Fitzpatrick.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bombay Establishment.

No. 761.—The undermentioned 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 1st April 1917 :—

No. 394 Dhondo Narayan Kadhe.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 762.—The undermentioned 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, having completed five years' service in that class and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 1st April 1917 :—

No. 1246 Nagendra Nath Das Gupta.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 763.—The honorary rank of Jemadar is conferred, on retirement, on No. 1190 Salutri Ashak Ali, 36th Jacob's Horse, with effect from 1st November 1916.

No. 764.—The following appointments are made :—

27th Light Cavalry.

Dafadar Aulia Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

6th Cavalry Brigade, Ammunition Column, Royal Horse Artillery.

Havildar Narigan Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th October 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

1st King George's Own Sappers and Miners.

Havildar Hukam Singh, Colour-Havildar Harnam Singh, Havildars Rambharose Misr, Din Muhammad, Ramayan Singh and Neki Ram to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

5th Labour Corps.

Havildar-Major V. Jivarathnam to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).

Jemadar Allah Bakhsh to be Subadar and Havildar Chand Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

24th Punjabis.

Jemadars Ghulam Muhammad and Bahadur Singh to be Subadars, Havildars Suba Khan, Firoz Khan, Hakam Singh and Lal Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 14th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

36th Sikhs.

Jemadar Bara Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 30th January 1917, Jemadars Narang Singh and Sewa Singh to be Subadars, Havildars Fateh Singh, and Jodh Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 2nd February 1917 and Colour Havildar Nand Lal to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

44th Merwara Infantry.

Colour-Havildars Kundan Lal and Anna, Havildars Lakha and Anna to be Jemadars, with effect from the 7th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

45th Rattray's Sikhs.

Havildars Kesar Singh, Bishan Singh and Attar Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 2nd February 1917; to complete the establishment.

69th Punjabis.

Jemadar Ahmad Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 27th June 1916; to complete the establishment.

112th Infantry.

Havildar Dilsukh Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

122nd Rajputana Infantry.

Jemadar Angad Ram to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Jokhi Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 7th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.

Havildar Ghaus Muhammad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd February 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadar Chitrabir Thapa to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Nathu Thapa to be Jemadar, with effect from the 3rd April 1917; *vice* Kirpa Ram Bisht, transferred to the pension establishment.

Havildar-Major Bhimraj Gharti to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st March 1917, *vice* Lilambar Thapa, transferred to the pension establishment.

1st Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles.

Havildar Hastabir Limbu to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 9th Gurkha Rifles.

Havildars Dilbahadur Khattri, Dasrath Khattri and Jitbahadur Khattri to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st April 1917; to complete the establishment.

17th Cavalry.

No. 765.—Army Department Notification No. 21, dated the 5th January 1917, so far as it relates to the promotion of Jemadar Wazir Khan, *I.O.M.*, is hereby cancelled.

30th Punjabis.

No. 766.—Army Department Notification No. 501, dated 6th April 1917, so far as it relates to the promotion of Havildar Bahar Khan, is hereby cancelled.

1st Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

No. 767.—The promotion to Jemadar of Havildar Kharak Sing Rana should have effect from the 20th January 1917 and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 632 dated 27th April 1917.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

No. 768.—The following promotions are made :—

Base Transport Depôt, Makina Masus.

No. 212C Kot-Dafadar Fazal Khan, 1st Mule Corps, to be Jemadar, to complete the establishment; with effect from 7th February 1917.

36th Mule Corps.

Kot-Dafadar Ali Muhammad, 31st Mule Corps, to be Jemadar, to complete the establishment; with effect from 24th February 1917.

15th Indian Divisional Troops Transport.

No. 285 Kot-Dafadar Fakir Muhammad, 26th Mule Corps, to be Jemadar, to complete the establishment; with effect from the 14th March 1917.

46th Mule Corps.

Kot-Dafadar Saif Ali, 31st Mule Corps, to be Jemadar, to complete the establishment; with effect from the 12th April 1917.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 769.—Second Lieutenant Cyril Willoughby Foster, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval ; with effect from the 7th May 1917.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 770.—Army Department Notification No. 189, dated the 9th February 1917, regarding the transfer of Major William Weymouth Van Someren, D.S.O., 45th Rattray's Sikhs, to the Temporary Half-Pay List, is cancelled.

REWARDS.

INDIAN ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 771.—In Army Department Notification No. 1385, dated 17th November 1916, *for* " Jemadar (now Subadar) Khan Gul, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force) " *substitute* " Subadar Khan Gul, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force)."

INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

No. 772.—The Governor-General in Council has been pleased to sanction the award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the undermentioned Indian officer for gallantry :—

Jemadar Ragha, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).

SPECIAL.

No. 773.—With reference to paragraph 305, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the undermentioned officers, having been absent from military duty for 10 years, are transferred to the Supernumerary List, with effect from the dates specified :—

Major Edward Butterfield, D.S.O., Civil Employ. 1st May 1916.

Major William Cortlandt Anderson, Cantonment Magistrates' Department. 31st December 1916.

Major Everard Graham Stanley Trotter, Cantonment Magistrates' Department. 2nd March 1917.

JUDICIAL.

No. 774.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Rule 11-A of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that all persons engaged in the production, manufacture, purchase, sale, distribution, transport, storage or shipment of steel plates suitable for ship, barge or boat building, and of thickness ½", ⅜", $\frac{5}{16}$", ¼" and ⅛" shall submit to the Secretary of the Indian Munitions Board, Simla, by the 10th of June 1917, returns furnishing full particulars of their stock in hand of such plates and of any stocks of such plates of which they have reasonable expectation of receiving consignments from outside India within three months from the date of this order.

No. 775.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 112 of the Indian Army Act, 1911 (VIII of 1911), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the Rules published with the Army Department Notification No. 911, dated the 3rd November 1911, as subsequently amended, shall be amended as follows :—

To Clause (A) of rule 7, the following shall be added, namely :—

" (xxiii) The Principal of a Government Medical School | As regards Indian Military Medical pupils."

No. 776.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 113 of the Indian Army Act, 1911 (VIII of 1911), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that persons wishing to be admitted as military medical pupils in Government Medical Schools shall be enrolled on the following form :—

FORM No. IV-A.

NON-COMBATANTS.

(*Military Medical pupils.*)

Enrolment of

No.________ Name________________________ as a military medical pupil.

Questions to be put before enrolment.

1. What is your name?	1.________________
2. What is your Father's name?	2.________________

You are warned that if after enrolment it is found that you have given a wilfully false answer to any of the following five questions you will be liable to be punished as provided in the Indian Army Act.

3. What is your religion, class and tribe?	3.________________
4. What is your Village, Thana, Pergunnah / Tehsil and District?	4. Village ________ Thana ________ Pergunnah / Tehsil ________ District ________
5. Have you ever been imprisoned by the Civil Power?	5.
6. Do you now belong to His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State?	6.________________
7. Have you ever served in His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State? If so, State in which and the cause of discharge (*a*).	7.________________
8. Are you willing to be enrolled as a military medical pupil?	8.________________
9. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?	9.________________
10. Are you willing to remain subject to military law as a soldier till you accept service under Government as a sub-assistant surgeon?	10.________________

(*a*) If so the person should be asked to produce his discharge certificate.

I..do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

Signature of person enrolled ....

Signature of witness ....

CERTIFICATE OF ENROLLING OFFICER.

The conditions of the service for which he is now enrolled were read and explained to the above-named person by me (in my presence).

After having cautioned him that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions, Nos. 3 to 7, he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Indian Army Act, I put these questions to him and his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to.

I am satisfied that he fully understands the questions put to him and consents to the conditions of service.

Signed at..........................this..........................day of 19 .

Signature of Enrolling Officer ....

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

RESOLUTION.

No. 777.—The Government of India have noted with concern the disappointing response which has been made to the opportunity afforded to the people of India of enrolling themselves for service in the Indian Defence Force; and since they have also observed, in the press and elsewhere, that the conditions of that service have been a good deal criticised, they deem it advisable to recapitulate briefly the circumstances in which the scheme was initiated, and to explain the necessity of the conditions which at present apply to it.

Owing to the prolongation of the war, and the enforcement of universal military service in England, it was thought desirable to impose some obligation of a similar nature upon every European British subject of military age in India. Under these circumstances, though there was no necessity for a corresponding measure applicable to Indian subjects of His Majesty, the Governor-General in Council was anxious that the opportunity should be afforded to Indians also to enrol themselves in the Indian Defence Force. He was aware that there had for long been a desire that volunteering should be thrown open to Indian as well as to European British subjects, and was assured that, if that opportunity could be afforded to them, a ready and enthusiastic response would be made. Since, with the passing of the Indian Defence Force Act, volunteering on the old basis practically ceased to exist, it was proposed to provide other means by which Indians could come forward and offer their services for the defence of India as a part of the general military organisation of the country, and this proposal was accepted by the Indian Legislative Council and embodied in the Act.

It should be obvious that, during the progress of the greatest war in history, it was not possible to reorganise or modify radically the general conditions governing the military service of the country, and that any endeavour to do so might only result in deferring the day of final victory to which India, in common with the rest of His Majesty's Dominions, is so earnestly looking forward. It has therefore been a source of keen disappointment to the Governor-General in Council to observe, from utterances on the public platform and in the press, that the conditions of service in the Defence Force, which are the same as those applying to His Majesty's Indian forces in the regular army, have been represented as being such as to deter volunteers from coming forward for the defence of their country.

The leaders of Indian opinion are doubtless aware that the pay of the Territorial force in England was the same as that of the regular army, and that men of position and means in the United Kingdom, and even in distant parts of the Empire, did not think it derogatory to join the ranks both of the Territorials and of the new army and to serve as private soldiers shoulder to shoulder with those of other classes; and many of them have given their lives in such service in France and elsewhere during the present war. They asked no questions as to pay or other conditions; they put forward no pretensions or demands; their one ambition was to serve their country in her hour of need, and their memories will ever be honoured by the nations in whose defence they fought.

The Governor-General in Council was assured that a similar ambition prevailed in India, and that it was only necessary to throw open the ranks of the Defence Force to Indians to secure a hearty response. At a time when military organisations are strained to the uttermost, it was not possible to provide for the training of an indefinite number of small units all over the country on such a scale as to place a newly-constituted force of this character upon an efficient basis. Endeavour was, however, made to afford such facilities as were possible to those who were anxious to enrol themselves in the service of their country, and arrangements were made in the first instance for recruiting six battalions of a thousand men each at convenient centres. It was fully anticipated that further expansion might be required as the movement developed, but it was thought that a reasonable commencement might be made on these lines, and the military authorities were satisfied that this was all that they could undertake at the outset. It is, therefore, a matter of disappointment to the Government of India to find that, during the first two months after the passing of the Act, only 300 men have been enrolled in place of the 6,000 for which preparations were made. It is felt that all who take an interest in the Defence Force, and believe in those sentiments of patriotism which have brought it into being, and who have the good name of India at heart, will be disheartened to learn that out of the six months for which recruiting is open so much time should have elapsed without any adequate response being made.

The Government of India recognise that the conditions of service in the Defence Force may be open to criticism in some respects; but, as has already been stated, it was impossible to recast the existing organisation during the continued pressure of a great emergency, and all that could be attempted was to engraft the new force on to the great Indian army which was already in being.

There are doubtless particular conditions of service in the Indian army which may be thought to be unsuitable to men who enrol themselves in the new force, and the Government of India have no hesitation in declaring that considerations of this sort will always be taken into account, and that, so far as is consistent with the maintenance of the necessary standard of discipline, sympathetic treatment will be accorded to all those who come forward voluntarily to serve their country.

The Government of India are also aware of Indian aspirations with reference to commissioned rank. It is, however, perfectly well known that this matter is separately under consideration, and is engaging the earnest and sympathetic attention of Government. The whole frame-work of the Indian army is affected by that discussion, and it must be obvious to every thinking man that the enrolment of a purely temporary force constituted on a voluntary basis owing to the emergencies of a great war could not justify the hurried determination of so important and difficult a question, in respect of which the Government of India are not the ultimate arbiters.

In conclusion, the Government of India deem it expedient to draw attention once more to the words of His Excellency the Viceroy in the speech which brought to a close the last meeting of the Indian Legislative Council—

"The Act is confessedly a war measure and therefore temporary, but it will prove a most invaluable experiment. We shall have—it is no secret, for he who runs may read—to re-organise our Indian army after this war, and some form of second line force will probably be required. In the Indian Defence Force, raised temporarily under stress of war, there may lie the germ of such new second line. Do not ask us at such a moment as this to give answers to problems which will have to be solved at a time when there is more leisure. When that time arrives, then criticise, as you will, the Government in respect of its policy. But for the moment I would assure you that all the subjects of your criticism, are engaging our most sympathetic consideration, and I would ask your co-operation in making this present scheme a success, but do not let it be marred on the ground that it does not contain all that you would desire."

These words were accepted in the spirit in which they were offered by the non-official Members of the Council, and constitute a sufficient pledge of the earnest consideration by Government of the future needs of India. It is not claimed that the present scheme is perfect; it is admittedly in the nature of a make-shift; but it is the best that could be devised in the conditions obtaining at the moment, and it has great possibilities. That such a scheme, conceived in the general interests of Imperial defence, should, in spite of its modest dimensions, prove a hopeless failure at such a time and in a country which, whatever its deficiencies, is not lacking in man power, can hardly fail to create an impression throughout the Empire prejudicial to the good name of India. It is, therefore, the sincere hope of the Governor-General in Council that the leaders of public opinion in this country will realise their full responsibilities in this matter, and take all possible steps forthwith to make the recruitment of these Indian units worthy of the name and aspirations of India.

ORDER.—Ordered that this Resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India.* Ordered also that it should be communicated to all Local Governments and Administrations.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps.

No. 778.—The Right Hon'ble Baron Carmichael of Skirling, G.C.I.E., K.C.M.G., resigns his appointment as Honorary Colonel of the Corps. Dated the 26th March 1917.

Assam Valley Light Horse.

No. 779.—Second Lieutenant Frederick John Spaull to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 22nd January 1917.

Robert Charles Radcliffe Cockburn to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 22nd January 1917.

Chota Nagpur Light Horse.

No. 780.—Lieutenant George Ernest Fawcus to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy Dated the 8th February 1917.

Noel Graham Dunbar to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 8th. February 1917.

Cossipore Artillery Volunteers.

No 781.—The Righ Hon'ble Baron Carmichael of Skirling, G.C.I.E., K.C.M.G., resigns his appointment as Honorary Colonel of the Corps. Dated the 2nd April 1917.

James Prentice to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 27th March 1917.

Norris Rupert Gray to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 27th March 1917.

David Kinnear Hall to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 27th March 1917.

John Williamson to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 27th March 1917.

David Cruickshanks Steen to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 27th March 1917.

Robert Balfour Laird to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 27th March 1917.

John Alexander Murray to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 27th March 1917.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 782.—The Right Hon'ble Baron Carmichael of Skirling, G.C.I.E., K.C.M.G., resigns his appointment as Honorary Colonel of the Corps. Dated the 2nd April 1917.

Madras Volunteer Guards.

No. 783.—In Army Department Notification No. 455, dated the 23rd March 1917, *for* "Richard Little-Hailes," *read* "Richard Littlehailes."

Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 784.—Second Lieutenant James Samuel Goss to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Second Lieutenant Warren Kirkham Guest-Williams, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Second Lieutenant Leonard John Powis, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Second Lieutenant Charles Henry Cooper Angell to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Second Lieutenant Charles Stuart Ritchie to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

Second Lieutenant Richard Cecil Moss to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st December 1916.

North-Western Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 785.—In Army Department Notification No. 457, dated the 23rd March 1917, *for* " Albert Bradford Taylor " *read* " Ernest Bertram Neave Taylor."

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 786.—Lieutenant Percy Rothera is granted the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Adjutant. Dated the 14th March 1917.

The Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Rifles.

No. 787.—James Mathew Bourne to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 2nd February 1917.

James Williamson Simpson to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 3rd February 1917.

John Haughton Peebles to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 6th February 1917.

Eastern-Bengal Volunteer Rifles.

No. 788.—The Right Hon'ble Baron Carmichael of Skirling, G.C.I.E., K.C.M.G. resigns his appointment as Honorary Colonel of the Corps. Dated the 26th March 1917.

Calcutta Scottish Volunteers.

No. 789.—The Right Hon'ble Baron Carmichael of Skirling, G.C.I.E., K.C.M.G., resigns his appointment as Honorary Colonel of the Corps. Dated the 26th March 1917.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

No. 790.—His Excellency the Governor General of India is pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officer :—

1st Battalion, Great Indian Peninsula Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Captain (Honorary Major) William Herbert Schroder Scott.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 18th May 1917.

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given :—

First.—That information has been received by me of the death of the officer named and described in the subjoined table.

Secondly.—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name in the same table.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of surplus.	REMARKS.
					Rs. A. P.	
Lieutenant-Colonel J. J. P. Quinn.	117th Mahrattas	Bombay ...	25th September 1915.	Testate ...	972 9 6	Administrator-General, Bombay.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 15th May, 1917.

No. 336-P.-16.—The Senior Government Inspector of Railway, Circle No. 5, Bombay, having inspected the Masor Road-Jambusar Extension of the Vishwamitri-Masor Road Section of the Baroda State Railways, authorised its opening for passenger traffic, with effect from the 1st May 1917.

The Railway Board, after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

No. 346-E.-17.—Mr. R. W Rogers, Sub-Engineer, North Western Railway, is granted the honorary rank of Assistant Engineer.

No. 346-2-E.-17.—Mr. T. R. James, Foreman Boilermaker, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, is granted the honorary rank of Assistant Locomotive Superintendent.

No. 346-3-E.-17.—Mr. E. Manners, Interlocking Inspector, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, is granted the honorary rank of Assistant Signal Engineer.

No. 346-4-E.-17.—Mr. D. H. Whalley, Goods Supervisor, Eastern Bengal Railway, is granted the honorary rank of Assistant Traffic Superintendent.

No. 346-5-E.-17.—Mr. F. F. W. Browne, Locomotive Inspector, Eastern Bengal Railway, is granted the honorary rank of Assistant Locomotive Superintendent.

The 16th May, 1917.

No. 169-F.-17.—In pursuance of Sub Section 1 of Section 135 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the Administration of the Eastern Bengal Railway shall be liable to pay in aid of the funds of the local authority set out in the schedule hereto annexed the taxes specified in the second column thereof :—

Schedule.

Local Authority.	Taxes.
1	2
Barrackpore Municipality.	House and latrine taxes.

The 18th May, 1917.

No. 570-E.—Mr. F. V. Mahony, Storekeeper, is transferred from the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway to the North Western Railway.

No. 570 2-E.—Mr. P. D. Woods, Assistant Storekeeper, and officiating Storekeeper, temporarily employed on the North Western Railway, is retransferred to the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.

F. A. HADOW,

Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE

Simla, the 18th May, 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India during the week ending the 12th May 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures	Plague deaths
DELHI ...		...		...
Bombay Presidency and Sind	Northern	Bombay City	66	65
		Ahmedabad City	5	5
		Kaira District	1	1
		Broach Port	1	..
		Surat Town and Port	6	5
		Surat District	6	7
		Thana District	31	29
	Central	Ahmednagar District	17	13
		East Khandesh District	57	45
		Poona Town	1	..
		Poona District	44	40
		Nasik District	23	18
		Satara District	143	101
		Sholapur District	30	27
	Southern	Panvel Port	1	1
		Thal Port	2	2
		Kolaba District	10	9
		Ratnagiri Port	13	4
		Belgaum District	1[illegible]0	69
		Dharwar District	95	47
		Kanara District	4	2
		Bijapur District	14	9
	Sind	Karachi Town and Port	137	121
		Karachi District	2	2

In the return for the week ending 5th May 1917 the following corrections and additions should be made —

Karachi Town and Port *read* 101 cases *for* 100 cases.
Nawabshah District *add* 2 „ 1 death.
Sukkur District „ 2 „ 2 deaths

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Political Charges	Baroda State	6	5
		Mangrol Port	5	8
		Kathiawar Agency	...	8
		Mandvi Port	1	1
		Tuna Port	8	9
		Mundra Port	2	3
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	64	48
		Bijapur Agency	2	1
		Satara Agency	21	18
		Akalkot State	12	8
		Aden Port	16	18
		TOTAL	986	733
MADRAS PRESIDENCY	...	Anantapur District	9	10
		Bellary District	17	10
		Chittoor District	1	2
		Coimbatore District	13	7
		Kistna District	1 (a)	...
		Mangalore Port	6	4
		Salem District	1	1
		North Arcot District	4	3
		Tanjore District	1 (a)	1 (a)
		TOTAL	53	38
BENGAL PRESIDENCY	Presidency	Calcutta	7	7
		TOTAL	7	7
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Patna	Patna City	13	13
		Patna District	107	69
		Gaya City	3	3
		Gaya District	13	13
		Shahabad District	85	84
	Tirhut	Saran District	181	189
		Muzaffarpur District	135	130
		Darbhanga City	2	1
		Darbhanga District	40	42

(a) One imported.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	52	42
		Bhagalpur City	10	6
		Bhagalpur District	10	6
		TOTAL	651	6[illegible]7
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut...	Saharanpur City	4	5
		Saharanpur District	23	16
		Muzaffarnagar District	18	16
		Bulandshahr District	1	1
	Agra	Mainpuri District	11	10
		Etah District	32	19
	Rohilkhand	Bareilly City	1	12
		Bareilly District	1	2
		Bijnor District	26	21
		Budaun District	24	10
		Moradabad District	38	25
		Pilibhit District	4	6
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City	38	37
		Farrukhabad District	46	40
		Etawah District	11	11
		Cawnpore City	29	29
		Cawnpore District	90	90
		Fatehpur District	24	17
		Allahabad City	1	1
		Allahabad District	77	74
	Jhansi ...	Jalaun District	47	33
	Benares	Benares District	19	16
		Mirzapur City	2	1
		Jaunpur District	103	84
		Ghazipur District	220	231
		Ballia District	165	155

In the return for the week ending 5th May 1917, *add* Ballia District 289 cases, 278 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
UNITED PROVINCES	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur District	121	116
		Basti District	114	77
		Azamgarh District	120	115
	Kumaun...	Naini Tal District	3	3
	Lucknow	Lucknow City	16	12
		Lucknow District	42	42
		Unao District	202	223
		Rae Bareli District	65	48
		Sitapur District	58	38
		Hardoi District	14	14
		Kheri District	4	3
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	20	18
		Sultanpur District	17	21
		Bara Banki District	26	26
		TOTAL	1,877	1,718
PUNJAB	Ambala	Gurgaon District	8	8
		Karnal District	5	5
		Ambala District	116	90
	Jullundur	Jullundur City.	1	1
		Jullundur District	48	28
		Ludhiana District	41	26
	Lahore	Lahore City	15	6
		Lahore District	71	31
		Amritsar District	96	16
		Gurdaspur District	12	11
		Gujranwala District	57	88

In the return for the week ending 5th May 1917, *add* Kheri District 21 cases, 17 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District	4	1
		Shahpur District	17	...
		Jhelum District	48	33
		Rawalpindi District	16	16
	Multan	Lyallpur District	5	...
	Native States	Jind State	5	5
		Patiala State	12	12
		TOTAL	517	327
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	14	15
		Pegu District	2	2
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	4	4
		Bassein District	9	8
		Henzada District	7	7
		Myaungmya District	8	8
		Pyapon District	4	4
	Tenasserim	Moulmein Town	3	3
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	1	1

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BURMA	Shan States	Southern Shan States	2	1
		TOTAL	54	53
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur	Nagpur District	7	4
		Bhandara District	8	7
		Balaghat District	8	5
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town and Cantonment	3	2
		Jubbulpore District	12	7
		Seoni District	5	5
		Mandla District	9	8
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District	9	4
		Nimar District	2	...
		Narsinghpur District	10	7
		Chhindwara District	5	3
	Chhatisgarh	Raipur District	14	7
		Bilaspur District	4	4
	Berar	Amraoti District	44	25
		Yeotmal District	14	12
		Akola District	34	21
		Buldana District	25	25
		TOTAL	2[illegible]3	146
ASSAM ...	...	......	...	...
COORG ...	...	......	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	5	5
		Bangalore District	1	1
		Mysore City	1	...
		Mysore District	19	8
		Shimoga District	27	16
		Chitaldroog District	5	2
		Tumkur District	1	1
		Kolar District	8	7
		TOTAL	67	40
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	262	153
		Bir District	5	12
		Parbhani District	209	168
		Nander District	12	10
		Gulbarga District	...	1
		Raichur District	2	1
		Usmanabad District	172	131
		Bidar District	14	10
		Medak District	203	187
		Atrafibalda-Sarfikhas District	9	14
		Warangal District	1	1
		TOTAL	829 (a)	689 (a)

(a) From the 30th April to the 6th May 1917.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths
Central India	...	Indore State	13	17
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	49	45
		TOTAL	61 (a)	61 (a)
Rajputana	...	Ajmer City	141	107
		Ajmer District	18	12
		Alwar State	7	6
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State	38	33
		Bharatpur State	8	3
		Mewar State	4	1
		Jaipur State	11	3
		Sirohi State	3	2
		TOTAL	230	172
N.-W. F. Province	...	......	...	...
Kashmir	...	Jammu Province	33	28
		TOTAL	33	28
Baluchistan	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	5,588	4,629

(a) For the week ending 5th May 1917.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 17th May 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. With the exception of one or two days, weather continued unsettled throughout the week in northern and central India, where rainfall was generally above the average. There was much less rain than usual in Burma.

2. *Burma.*—Rain fell locally in Lower Burma and the extreme north of the province.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—There was nearly general rain in Assam on the 10th, 11th and 12th, and in Chota Nagpur on the 11th, 12th and 15th; rain fell locally in the rest of the division.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Nearly general rain fell in Central India West on the 10th and 15th. Local falls were reported from the United Provinces and the Central Provinces.

Northwest India.—Rainfall was nearly general in the southwest Punjab on the 10th. Local rain fell elsewhere.

The Peninsula.—There was nearly general rain in the Madras Deccan on the 16th. A few falls were reported from Hyderabad, Mysore and the north Madras coast.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows:—

May 10th. Cherrapunji 2·87″, Calcutta 1·64″, Burdwan 1·10″, Bogra 1·36″, Bahraich 1·15″, Mussooree 1·05″, Murree 1·81″, Khushab 0·95″ and Surat 1·32″

" 11th. Tezpur 1·08″, Cherrapunji 4·02″, Berhampore 1·02″, Mymensingh 2·13″, Bogra 1·58″, Hazaribagh 1·38″, Patna 1·18″, Mussooree 1·11″ and Bikaner 1·58″.

" 12th. Jalpaiguri 1·77″, Barisal 1·48″, Narayanganj 4·78″, Purnea 1·46″ and Naya Dumka 1·28″.

" 13th. Dibrugarh 1·54″, Cox's Bazar 1·37″; Jessore 1·36″, Jalpaiguri 1·85″ and Balasore 1·25″.

" 14th. Cherrapunji 1·75″, Dinajpur 1·18″ and Malegaon 0·90″.

" 15th. Narayanganj 1·11″, Calcutta 0·97″, Naya Dumka 0·93″ and Cocanada 3·52″.

" 16th. Hoshangabad 0·97″, Simla 1·90″, Hyderabad (Deccan) 1·23″ and Cuddapah 1·75″.

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Burma, Assam, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, the Central Provinces East, Mysore, Malabar and Madras Southeast, and was within 20 per cent of the normal in Orissa, Baluchistan, Central India East and the Bombay Deccan. No rain fell in Sind and the Konkan, but no rain usually falls in those divisions at this time of the year. In all the remaining divisions rainfall was 20 per cent or more in excess.

The rainfall from the 4th May to date is 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Burma, Assam, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, Mysore, Malabar and Madras Southeast, and is normal in Hyderabad North. No rain usually falls at this time in Sind, but in all the remaining divisions rainfall is 20 per cent or more in excess.

Division.	RAINFALL DATA FOR WEEK ENDING ON 17TH MAY 1917.			RAINFALL DATA FROM 4TH MAY TO 17TH MAY 1917.			PERCENTAGE DEPARTURE FROM NORMAL.	
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
Bay Islands	0·1	4·4	—4·3	3·4	7·0	—3·6	—51	+27
Lower Burma	0·8	3·0	—2·2	1·9	5·0	—3·1	—62	—45
Upper Burma	0·1	1·1	—1·0	0·3	2·1	—1·8	—86	—80
Assam	1·5	2·4	—0·9	3·8	5·2	—1·4	—27	—18
Bengal	2·4	1·6	+0·8	4·0	3·1	+0·9	+29	+7
Orissa	0·6	0·6	0	3·3	1·1	+2·2	+200	+440
Chota Nagpur	1·3	0·4	+0·9	3·4	0·8	+2·6	+325	+425
Bihar	1·5	0·5	+1·0	3·9	1·0	+2·9	+290	+380
United Provinces, East	0·5	0·2	+0·3	1·9	0·4	+1·5	+375	+600
United Provinces, West	0·3	0·2	+0·1	0·8	0·3	+0·5	+167	+400
Punjab, East and North	0·3	0·2	+0·1	1·4	0·4	+1·0	+250	+450
Punjab, South-West	0·9	0·2	+0·7	1·0	0·3	+0·7	+233	0
Kashmir	0·3	0·7	—0·4	0·5	1·2	—0·7	—58	—60
N.-W. Frontier Province	0·1	0·2	—0·1	0·2	0·4	—0·2	—50	—50
Baluchistan	0·1	0·1	0	0·1	0·2	—0·1	—50	—100
Sind	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rajputana, West	1·3	0·1	+1·2	2·2	0·1	+2·1	+2100	—
Rajputana, East	0·6	0·1	+0·5	2·3	0·2	+2·1	+1050	+1600
Gujarat	0·3	0	+0·3	1·6	0	+1·6	—	—
Central India, West	1·4	0	+1·4	3·6	0	+3·6	—	—
Central India, East	0·1	0·1	0	1·0	0·1	+0·9	+900	—
Berar	0·8	0	+0·8	1·0	0	+1·0	—	—
Central Provinces, West	0·6	0·1	+0·5	1·5	0·2	+1·3	+650	+800
Central Provinces, East	0·2	0·3	—0·1	1·2	0·4	+0·8	+200	+900
Konkan	0	0	0	0·1	0	+0·1	—	—
Bombay Deccan	0·1	0·1	0	0·3	0·2	+0·1	+50	+100
Hyderabad, North	0·2	0·1	+0·1	0·2	0·2	0	0	—100
Hyderabad, South	0·4	0·2	+0·2	0·6	0·3	+0·3	+100	+100
Mysore	0·3	0·8	—0·5	0·3	1·8	—1·5	—83	—100
Malabar	0	1·2	—1·2	0	2·3	—2·3	—100	—100
Madras, South-East	0	0·5	—0·5	0	0·9	—0·9	—100	—100
Madras Deccan	0·7	0·3	+0·4	0·7	0·5	+0·2	+40	—100
Madras Coast, North	1·3	0·4	+0·9	3·1	0·6	+2·5	+417	+800

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 12th May 1917.

Burma.—The rainfall during the week was general throughout the province except in the dry zone. Six districts report falls exceeding an inch. Reaping of spring and summer rice has commenced in Upper Burma. Plucking of tobacco and harvesting of miscellaneous crops continue. Cultivation of groundnut, cotton and early sesamum has commenced. Standing crops are in good condition. Cattle are generally healthy. The price of unhusked rice at Rangoon remained unchanged at Rs. 103 per hundred baskets, and is below normal. The market for white rice continues dull.

Assam.—The weather is generally seasonable. Moderate rain fell in all districts but more rain is wanted in Kamrup and Nowgong. Harvesting of spring rice continues with good outturn. Sowing of autumn rice and jute has been finished and that of winter rice continues. Planting of sugarcane and manufacture of tea are in progress. Cattle disease is reported from seven districts. The price of common rice has fallen slightly.

Bengal.—The rainfall during the week was general throughout the Province, being fairly heavy in some places. It has been beneficial to autumn paddy and jute and has facilitated ploughing of fields for winter rice. Weeding of autumn paddy and jute is proceeding in Eastern Bengal but in Western Bengal sowings are still going on. Harvesting of summer rice and of other spring crops is practically over. Cattle disease is reported from eight districts. The average price of common rice for the Province had a slight tendency to fall as compared with that of the previous week.

Bihar and Orissa.—Light to moderate rain was general over the province. Threshing of spring crops has been nearly finished. Preparation of lands for autumn crops is in progress. Standing crops are doing well and have been benefited by the recent rainfall. The price of common rice has risen in three districts and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from eight districts. The number of persons on test works in Puri and Singhbhum was 1,919 and 1,299 respectively while 947 persons were gratuitously relieved in Puri. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—The rainfall during the week was general throughout the Provinces. It was beneficial to sugarcane but did some damage to melon and extra crops in many districts. Threshing and winnowing of spring crops continue though retarded by rain in some places. The condition of standing crops is on the whole good. Prospects are fair. Cattle disease exists in a few districts and the condition of agricultural stock is good. Sowing of indigo, cotton and sugarcane and irrigation and hoeing of sugarcane are in progress. Markets are well stocked. Fodder and supplies are adequate. Exports are moderate. Prices are steady.

Punjab.—During the week light or moderate rain was general. It was fairly heavy in parts of a few districts. Rain has slightly damaged the harvested crops and retarded threshing operations in most districts. Reaping of spring crops has been completed and threshing continues with yield normal or somewhat below normal on irrigated and below normal or poor on unirrigated areas. Sowing of sugarcane, cotton and other autumn crops continues and is below normal to normal. The condition of standing extra spring and autumn crops is average to good. Cattle are generally healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices are generally stationary and range between normal and scarcity rates except those of autumn food grains which range between normal and warning rates. Price of wheat:—Rawalpindi 9, Ferozepore 10½, Lahore and Lyallpur 10½ and Amballa 10⅛ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—Rain fell throughout the Province, benefiting extra spring sowings. Hailstorm also occurred in one district but no damage was caused to standing crops. The weather is cloudy and temperate. The condition of standing crops both on irrigated and unirrigated areas is average except in one district where unirrigated crops are reported to be below average. Harvesting of spring crops is in progress and their outturn is expected to be average. Sowing of extra spring and of certain autumn crops is still proceeding. The condition of cattle and the public health are generally good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The price of wheat in Peshawar was 9$\frac{9}{16}$ and in Dera Ismail Khan 9½ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 12 and maize from 12 to 25 seers per rupee The condition of standing crops is below average. Cattle disease prevails in the Basohli Tahsil. Fodder is insufficient in certain places

Kashmir.—Report not received.

Rajputana.—The rainfall during the week was general. The maximum fall was 4 inches 82 cents in Mewar. The weather is cloudy and pleasant. Harvesting is nearing completion and preparation of land for autumn crops has commenced. Some damage has been done to grain on threshing floors owing to untimely rains in Mewar and Merwara. Agricultural stock is generally healthy. Some cattle disease prevails in Dungarpur and Kotah. Water and fodder are ample. Prices are easy with a tendency to rise.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was partial in Gwalior and general elsewhere except in the Nimar district of the Indore State, the principal falls being over 4 inches in Mehidpur, over 2 inches in Alirajpur and over 1 inch in Garot, Dhar, Barwani and Jhabua. Spring crops are being threshed in Bhopal and Malwa. Land is being prepared for autumn crops in Indore and in the Southern States. Agricultural stock is in good condition except for some cattle disease. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are high in Bhopal. have slightly fallen in Gwalior and are steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather continues to be cloudy and cooler than usual. During the week light to moderate rain was received almost throughout the Provinces Threshing and winnowing of spring crops are proceeding but operations were somewhat retarded owing to rains. Ploughing of fields for the sowing of the next autumn crops continues. Fodder and water are ample. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Fluctuations in prices of food grains are irregular and unimportant.

Feudatory States:—Light to moderate showers were received in nine States. Land is being prepared for the sowing of the next autumn crops.

Bombay.—Slight rain fell during the week throughout the Presidency except Karachi, Hyderabad. Ahmednagar, Poona, Bijapur, Belgaum, Kolhapur and Savantvadi. Standing crops are thriving Harvesting is nearing completion. Cotton picking is progressing in Surat, West Khandesh. the Karnatak, Baroda and Kolhapur. Lands are being prepared for autumn sowings The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Thar and Parkar, Kaira and the Panch Mahals. Prices of food grains are generally steady.

Hyderabad.—Slight showers were received during the week. The average fall was 45 cents. The late rice crop is in fair to good condition and is being harvested. Land is being prepared for monsoon sowings Cattle disease prevails in five talukas. Prices of grains are almost constant. Coarse rice is selling at 8 and white *juar* at 12 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city The highest price of *juar* in districts is 8 seers per rupee in Nander and Warangal and the lowest 18 seers per rupee in Bir.

Mysore.—Rainfall *nil*. Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of the harvested sugarcane and paddy is fair. Ploughing and manuring operations and sowing of paddy and sugarcane are in progress in parts. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—No rain fell during the week. Prices of food grains are slightly lower. The public health is fair. Cattle disease is subsiding. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was good in the Circars except Guntur, fair in Guntur and light or *nil* elsewhere Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally except in parts of one district where they require rain. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water supply is insufficient in parts of Godavari, Nellore, South Arcot, South Kanara, Central, Deccan except Kurnool and South except Tinnevelly and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is insufficient in five districts and in parts of ten others. Fodder is generally available. Prices are fairly steady.

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Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

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Statement of Approximate Gross Earnings of Indian Railways.

N.B.—As regards the figures in column *Total earnings*, audited figures have been used as far as possible.

RAILWAYS.	Average earnings per mile per week During official year 1915-16.	Mean mileage worked. 1913.	1916.	1917.	Total earnings for week ending 9th May 1913.	5th May 1916.	5th May 1917.	Earnings per mile open for week 1913.	1916.	1917.	Total earnings from 1st April to— 9th May 1913.	5th May 1916.	5th May 1917.	Compared with corresponding period, 1913-14, +4 days. Increase.	Decrease.	Compared with corresponding period, 1916-17. Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
State and Guaranteed Railways.																	
Bengal-Nagpur (including 2' 6" gauge lines)	318	2,571	2,691	2,691	8,52,772	10,52,445	10,67,000	332	391	374	47,56,602	51,82,580	51,64,000	4,07,398	...	...	18,580
Bezwada Extension	437	21	21	21	7,785	9,418	9,800	371	448	467	49,295	49,488	46,200	...	2,085	...	3,288
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	717	946	1,000	1,000	8,86,143	8,62,002	8,85,000	948	862	885	47,87,238	42,00,850	43,30,000	...	4,57,238	1,29,150	...
Eastern Bengal (including 3' 3⅜" and 2' 6" gauge lines)	409	1,578	1,629	1,629	5,67,474	6,28,519	6,58,000	360	384	404	32,24,505	30,74,152	31,78,000	...	46,505	1,04,848	...
East Indian	786	2,551	2,573	2,619	21,52,452	23,83,201	21,31,000	844	926	814	1,20,47,620	1,14,56,303	1,12,30,000	...	8,17,620	...	2,26,303
Great Indian Peninsula	674	2,537	2,605	2,605	18,45,474	20,98,103	19,12,000	727	805	734	1,01,49,215	1,03,76,428	1,04,74,000	3,24,785	...	97,572	...
Agra-Delhi Chord	449	126	126	126	42,962	61,415	65,100	341	487	517	2,30,487	3,49,756	3,32,000	1,01,513	...	...	17,756
Paran-Kotah	106	40	40	40	3,201	6,563	5,500	80	164	137	16,520	29,017	25,700	9,180	...	...	3,317
Bhopal-Itarsi (British Section)	1,035	*57	12	12	*39,557	18,080	16,300	696	1,507	1,358	*2,18,502	86,305	80,200	...	1,78,602	...	6,105
Cawnpore-Banda	103	33	76	76	734	10,810	10,000	22	142	131	1,472	52,074	48,900	47,438	...	...	3,174
Madras and Southern Mahratta (including 2' 3⅜" gauge lines)	313	2,585	2,567	2,567	8,86,056	9,22,574	9,64,000	343	359	376	46,57,435	45,68,175	46,33,000	...	24,435	64,825	...
North-Western (including 2' 6" gauge lines)	403	3,804	4,056	4,076	16,61,673	14,84,675	19,50,000	437	366	481	88,80,033	79,64,182	1,08,10,000	19,29,967	...	28,45,518	...
Oudh and Rohilkhand (including Cawnpore-Burhwal 3' 3⅜" link)	268	1,600	1,606	1,606	5,70,201	4,89,833	7,16,000	356	305	446	29,31,607	25,51,041	33,19,000	3,87,393	...	7,67,959	...
Assam-Bengal	161	805	809	847	1,09,840	1,37,751	1,27,000	137	156	150	6,19,947	6,52,745	6,00,000	...	19,947	...	12,745
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	337	1,829	1,828	1,828	6,03,600	7,92,008	6,49,000	332	434	355	32,42,570	35,70,985	31,83,000	...	59,570	...	3,87,985
Burma	287	1,545	1,342	1,342	4,93,652	4,42,206	4,27,000	319	330	318	28,47,394	22,26,166	23,56,000	...	4,91,394	1,29,834	...
Burma Extensions	181	...	187	187	...	46,354	39,000	...	248	209	...	2,43,648	2,16,000	2,16,000	...	...	27,648
Southern Shan States	85	...	70	70	...	6,247	7,000	...	89	100	...	27,341	34,000	34,000	...	6,659	...
Dhone-Kurnool	79	...	32	32	...	2,810	2,800	...	88	87	...	13,732	12,900	12,900	...	...	832
Jodhpur-Hyderabad (British Section)	197	124	124	124	41,091	29,118	40,000	331	235	323	1,92,659	1,38,958	1,93,000	341	...	54,042	...
Lucknow Bareilly	135	293	308	314	43,875	52,249	55,000	147	170	175	2,60,249	2,47,622	2,41,000	...	16,249	...	6,622
Mysore (including Kolar Gold Fields, 5' 6")	176	411	411	411	86,657	87,212	74,300	211	212	181	4,29,651	4,29,126	3,65,000	...	64,651	...	64,126
South Indian (including 5' 6" and 2' 6" gauge lines)	391	1,396	1,455	1,455	5,69,418	6,41,338	6,79,000	408	441	467	31,79,986	31,79,734	33,64,000	1,84,014	...	1,84,266	...
Travancore Branch	176	108	108	108	15,761	19,687	20,700	146	182	192	85,544	97,190	1,02,000	16,456	...	4,810	...
Tirhoot	220	792	826	826	2,24,735	2,22,890	1,99,000	284	270	241	12,18,385	11,08,511	9,87,000	...	2,31,385	...	1,21,511
Broach-Jambusar	53	...	30	30	...	2,025	2,600	...	67	87	...	8,801	14,400	14,400	...	5,599	...
Jorhat (Provincial)	84	32	32	32	2,186	2,563	2,800	68	80	87	12,925	12,735	15,900	2,975	...	3,165	...
TOTAL	417	25,790	26,574	26,653	1,17,16,955	1,25,03,038	1,26,55,800	454	470	475	6,40,38,921	6,18,97,545	6,53,58,300	13,19,379	...	34,60,755	...
All other Railways.																	
Amritsar-Patti	233	56	56	56	10,636	11,309	7,500	190	202	134	59,577	59,182	46,600	...	12,977	...	12,582
Bhopal-Itarsi (Native State Section)	53	...	44	44	...	22,313	19,700	...	509	448	...	1,05,734	97,000	97,000	...	...	8,734
Bhopal-Ujjain	182	114	114	114	26,508	39,744	32,100	233	349	282	1,21,801	2,11,115	1,73,000	51,199	...	...	41,115
Bina-Goona-Baran	70	149	148	148	11,746	16,000	15,200	80	108	103	68,522	67,474	66,000	...	2,522	...	1,474
Delhi-Umballa-Kalka	321	192	192	192	59,773	72,035	82,700	311	375	356	3,75,315	3,58,745	3,96,000	20,685	...	37,255	...
Hardwar-Dehra	306	32	32	32	10,759	10,868	11,600	336	350	362	61,683	68,587	62,000	317	...	...	6,587
Jammu-Kashmir (Native State Section)	164	16	16	16	3,652	3,022	1,800	227	189	112	20,843	13,375	10,300	...	10,543	...	3,075
Jullundur-Mukerian	91	...	45	45	...	5,211	3,400	...	...	76	...	19,818	18,600	[illegible]	...	...	1,218
Khanpur-Chachran	29	22	22	22	675	916	1,000	30	37	45	4,456	3,567	4,400	...	56	833	...
Ludhiana-Dhuri-Jakhal	221	79	79	79	11,804	16,961	18,500	149	215	234	88,862	71,379	76,700	...	12,164	5,321	...
Mandra-Bhaun	68	...	47	47	...	2,603	2,800	...	55	60	...	14,147	16,300	16,300	...	2,153	...
Nagda-Ujjain	197	34	34	34	7,525	8,507	7,200	220	250	212	37,986	47,007	31,000	...	6,986	...	16,007
Nizam's Guaranteed State	373	334	334	334	1,37,164	1,11,789	1,25,000	411	335	374	7,15,259	6,68,511	6,24,000	...	91,259	...	44,511
Petlad-Cambay	196	34	34	34	8,484	8,664	6,700	250	255	197	40,251	40,192	33,300	...	6,951	...	6,892
Phagwara-Rahon	108	...	27	27	...	3,267	2,300	...	121	85	...	11,134	10,900	10,900	...	...	234
Rajpura-Bhatinda	298	108	108	108	43,683	31,563	27,100	404	292	251	2,11,233	1,72,646	1,65,000	...	46,233	...	7,646
Sara Sirajganj	...	...	22	53	...	561	3,500	...	25	66	...	1,726	18,800	18,800	...	17,074	...
Sialkot-Narowal	113	...	38	38	...	3,555	3,700	...	94	97	...	18,630	21,100	21,100	...	2,470	...
Southern Punjab (Main Line)	286	425	425	428	97,311	88,930	83,500	229	212	195	5,44,937	4,44,165	5,22,000	...	22,937	77,835	...
Jullundur-Doab	65	33	133	133	3,500	6,615	9,500	106	50	71	15,846	33,746	43,600	27,754	...	9,854	...
Ludhiana Extension	155	155	155	155	18,350	21,217	21,300	118	137	137	1,38,666	1,00,898	1,28,000	...	10,666	27,102	...
Sutlej Valley	59	208	208	208	9,642	8,431	8,400	46	41	40	58,161	46,003	45,400	...	12,761	...	603
Tapti Valley	214	155	155	155	33,416	34,495	33,100	215	222	214	1,83,903	1,71,769	1,54,000	...	29,903	...	17,769
Tenali-Repalli	75	...	21	22	...	2,307	2,300	...	110	105	...	10,772	10,700	10,700	...	...	72
Ahmedabad-Dholka	70	34	34	34	3,091	2,687	2,800	91	81	82	15,523	13,411	12,700	...	2,823	...	711
Ahmedabad-Parantij	83	89	89	89	9,004	8,150	8,000	101	95	90	54,627	40,370	45,600	...	9,027	5,230	...
Bengal and North-Western	158	1,238	1,241	1,239	2,56,527	2,62,520	2,30,000	231	212	186	13,69,004	12,53,857	11,47,000	...	2,22,004	...	1,06,857
Bengal-Dooars	208	153	153	153	21,799	23,249	22,300	142	152	146	1,17,419	1,59,001	1,51,000	33,581	...	...	999
Bezwada-Masulipatam	155	52	52	52	8,041	8,833	8,200	154	170	158	42,543	44,024	38,300	...	4,243	...	5,724
Bhavnagar State	127	194	249	249	32,642	38,371	43,000	168	154	173	1,82,807	1,80,999	2,23,000	40,193	...	42,001	...
Cooch Behar State	154	33	33	33	4,834	5,927	6,500	146	150	197	32,480	29,695	28,500	...	3,980	...	1,195
Dibru-Sadiya	317	86	86	86	27,500	24,348	26,800	320	283	312	1,66,599	1,33,531	1,40,000	...	26,599	6,466	...
Gaekwar's Mehsana (including Vijapur-Kalol Kadi)	85	191	199	209	19,439	21,048	22,000	106	106	105	1,19,879	1,06,420	1,02,000	...	17,879	...	4,420
Gondal-Porbandar State	132	211	220	231	32,076	30,963	32,200	152	111	139	1,74,072	1,48,039	1,57,000	...	17,072	8,961	...
Hyderabad-Godavari Valley (including Hingoli Branch)	201	442	442	442	84,223	91,297	85,500	191	184	193	5,36,636	4,14,237	4,32,000	...	1,04,636	17,763	...
Jaipur State	104	73	73	109	6,867	12,575	6,700	94	172	61	33,918	55,471	34,700	782	...	...	20,771
Jamnagar	115	54	54	54	8,004	8,750	7,400	148	162	137	40,553	38,146	38,700	...	1,853	554	...
Jodhpur-Bikaner	118	995	1,106	1,092	1,38,398	1,51,201	1,38,000	139	137	126	7,07,065	7,63,105	6,20,000	...	87,065	...	1,43,105
Junagad State	111	113	121	121	14,610	16,211	16,600	129	134	137	76,888	83,827	86,400	9,512	...	2,573	...
Kolhapur State	215	29	29	29	7,365	7,199	7,700	254	248	265	44,738	38,336	36,400	...	8,338	...	1,936
Mirpur Khas-Jhudo (including Khadro Section)	55	100	100	100	5,042	5,395	6,900	50	54	69	25,108	21,182	30,300	5,192	...	9,118	...
Morvi (including Vankaner-Morvi, 2' 6" gauge)	160	93	93	93	20,426	17,116	15,800	220	184	170	86,082	78,940	71,000	...	15,082	...	7,940
Mymensingh-Jamalpur-Jagannathganj	196	55	54	56	7,110	8,826	9,200	129	163	164	39,053	54,550	51,200	12,147	...	...	3,350
Rohilkund and Kumaon	126	268	270	270	43,892	45,055	47,900	161	167	177	2,53,012	2,48,114	2,34,000	...	19,012	...	14,114
Sangli State	163	5	5	5	1,282	997	1,000	256	199	200	5,217	5,514	4,800	...	417	...	714
Secunderabad-Gadwal (a)	...	...	...	104	...	...	5,600	...	...	54	...	...	26,900	26,900	...	26,900	...
Shoranur-Cochin	207	65	65	65	13,510	11,456	15,200	208	222	235	83,467	77,611	82,000	...	1,467	4,389	...
Tanjore District Board	173	103	112	112	22,679	21,680	22,800	214	194	204	1,23,513	1,06,424	1,11,000	...	12,513	4,576	...
Udaipur-Chitorgarh	93	67	67	67	6,035	9,048	5,100	90	135	76	34,391	42,788	29,100	...	5,291	...	13,688
Barsi	175	116	117	118	18,102	20,238	19,500	156	173	166	1,53,994	1,12,972	1,00,000	...	53,994	...	12,972
Bilimora-Kalamba	34	...	26	26	...	1,890	1,600	...	73	62	...	16,114	14,800	14,800	...	...	1,314
Champaner-Shivrajpur	71	20	20	20	1,673	2,227	1,800	84	111	90	14,773	13,931	11,100	...	3,673	...	2,831
Dhond-Baramati	49	...	27	27	...	2,647	4,200	...	98	156	...	11,615	18,500	18,500	...	6,885	...
Ellichpur-Yeotmal	73	...	117	117	...	11,950	13,600	...	102	116	...	60,509	59,700	59,700	...	...	809
Gaekwar's Dabhoi	93	118	147	147	17,725	20,384	20,600	117	139	140	99,056	1,07,296	95,500	...	3,556	...	11,796
Godhra-Lunavada	40	...	25	25	...	1,280	1,000	...	51	40	...	5,430	6,600	6,600	...	1,170	...
Jacobabad-Kashmor	35	...	76	76	...	2,433	2,500	...	32	37	...	11,800	14,600	14,600	...	2,800	...
Kolar District (including Bangalore-Chick-Ballapur)	36	...	69	99	...	3,430	4,800	...	50	48	...	17,992	24,400	24,400	...	6,408	...
Kosamba-Zankhvav	23	26	26	26	767	891	700	27	34	27	3,898	3,327	3,100	...	798	...	227
Nadiad-Kapadvanj	92	28	28	28	2,630	3,408	3,400	94	124	121	13,221	16,068	14,200	979	...	...	1,868
Petlad-Vaso	55	...	19	19	...	1,391	1,400	...	73	74	...	6,263	5,600	5,600	...	...	663
Rajpipla State	67	37	37	37	3,227	3,111	2,500	87	84	68	19,286	17,251	11,900	...	7,386	...	5,351
Darjeeling-Himalayan	449	51	51	51	30,344	27,091	29,250	595	513	573	1,55,223	1,19,520	1,34,000	...	22,223	...	16,520
Darjeeling-Himalayan Extensions	62	...	100	100	...	5,425	7,300	...	54	73	...	32,910	34,000	34,000	...	1,090	...
Pipar-Bilara	26	25	25	25	562	769	400	22	31	16	2,782	2,989	2,700	...	82	...	289
TOTAL	161	7,299	8,346	8,592	13,93,008	14,64,070	11,38,000	191	175	167	75,74,328	74,80,934	72,58,000	...	3,16,328	...	2,22,934
GRAND TOTAL	356	33,089	34,920	35,252	1,31,09,963	1,39,67,108	1,40,93,800	396	400	400	7,16,13,249	6,93,78,479	7,26,16,300	10,03,051	...	32,37,821	...

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APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

May 8.

3052. A. Craven. *Improvements in central buffing gear.*

May 10.

3053. E. H. Keelan. *A latrine flusher.*

May 11.

3054. E. Moss. *Improvements in and relating to postal franking machines.*

May 12.

3055. S. N. Srivastavya. *Cooker.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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2685. H. Bateson. *Improvements in steam generators.*

2686. H. Bateson. *Improvements in the settings of steam generators, or for analogous purposes where it is desirable to prevent air passing through brickwork.*

2775. The Vulcan Foundry, Limited. *Improvements in or relating to tube joints.*

2858. R. L. Powell. *Railway signal midway wire compensator.*

2948. L. C. St. G. Carey and R. M. Ash. *Improvements in rain shields for rubber trees and the like.*

2978. J. H. Marshall and G. E. Moore. *Improvements in apparatus for sorting, classifying or grading, tea leaf or other produce.*

3016. A. A. Crozier. *Improvements in or relating to pneumatic tyres for the wheels of motor cars and other vehicles.*

3017. A. A. Bachmann. *A new or improved receptacle for the storage and for retail sale of groceries, tea, tobacco and the like.*

3018. Minerals Separation, Ld. *Improvements in ore concentration.*

3019. New Motor Speciality (Empire Automatic Petrol Economiser) Co., Ld. *Improvements in or relating to auxiliary air valves for internal combustion engines.*

3021. J. L. McKim. *Improvements in pneumatic apparatus for applying rough cast or other plaster to the walls of buildings or structures or other surfaces.*

3022. H. A. Humphrey and W. J. Rusdell. *Improvements in internal combustion engines.*

3023. Roushan Ali Khan. *Improved lock brick.*

3027. Hari Shanker. *Lower lid retractor for surgical use.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

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2986. W. J. Johnston and J. R. C. Hodgson. *Improvements in motor attachments for boats.*

2987. A. H. Lymn, L. A. Riley and N. E. Rambush. *Improvements in and relating to gas producers.*

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2454. Allies Electric Lamp Co., Ld.
2684. Monotype Machine (Colonial Patents) Syndicate, Ld.
2715. Monotype Machine (Colonial Patents) Syndicate, Ld.
2716. Monotype Machine (Colonial Patents) Syndicate, Ld.
2763. Key.
2796. Sykes.
2808. Moffat.
2839. Haywood, Kershaw, Saxby & Farmer, Ld., and Saxby & Farmer (India), Ld.
2867. Beyts.
2872. Theriot.
2873. Hinchley.
2874. Gowlland.

PATENTS SEALED.

2362. Lister.
2368. General Electric Co.
2369. MacLean.
2380. Jha.
2845. Garbis.
2846. Stewart.
2850. Miles.

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376 of 1903. Siegwart. (To 11 May 1918.)
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517 of 1906. Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co., Ld. (To 8 May 1918.)
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RANGOON	Office of the Revenue Secretary, Government of Burma.
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7. *Specifications* of inventions which have been notified in the *Gazette of India* as filed under the provisions of the Inventions and Designs Act (V of 1888) are not printed, but copies may be inspected on payment of a fee of one rupee at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta; the Record Office, Egmore, Madras; the Record Office, Bombay; the Office of the Revenue Secretary to the Government, Rangoon; and the Office of the Director of Industries, United Provinces, Cawnpore. Specifications and other publications of the United Kingdom Patent Office can also be seen in the Patent Office, Calcutta, in the Record Office, Bombay, and in the Connemara Library, Madras.

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Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 15th May 1917.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up				2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	2,13,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	63,00,000	0	0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				63,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	6,71,26,399	9	11	9,11,79,589	1	7
Public Deposits at Branches	2,37,53,189	7	8			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				21,32,38,604	1	1
Bank Post Bills, etc.				14,73,657	12	9
Sundries				26,42,323	2	5
RUPEES				34,98,34,174	1	10

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities				6,57,83,517	12	0
Other authorized Investments				1,24,26,040	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities				7,19,41,442	12	9
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities				4,49,79,272	1	4
Bills discounted and purchased				3,28,83,804	0	11
Balances with other Banks				40,49,262	2	5
Bullion				......		
Dead Stock				29,27,869	8	0
Stamps				11,411	6	11
Sundries				3,93,142	12	6
				23,53,95,762	8	10
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	7,60,34,143	2	9	11,44,38,411	9	0
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches †	3,84,04,268	6	3			
RUPEES				34,98,34,174	1	10

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,172 8 0
† Do. do. do. „ 5,18,587 8 0

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By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 17th May 1917.

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Quinoidine tab. 1 lb. Weg. 3 lbs. Postage	Re.	0	10	0
,, ,, 2 ,, ,, 6 ,, ,,	Re.	1	0	0
,, ,, 3 ,, ,, 9 ,, ,,	Re.	1	8	0

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	FICTION—HINDI.		
1	**Holi Daya Ram Gujar.** A song about Daya Ram Gujar by Phul Singh, Sulla Singh, and Mathura Singh. No. of pages 20. Published by R. B. Sharma of Sikandarabad. 15th January 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 26}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-1-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	500
2	**Sangit Rani Manjhawati.** Story of the birth of Raja Nal by Ustad Phul Singh, Pt. Bhim Sain and Ch. Chander Singh. No. of pages 80. Published by Sukhdeo Das of Dankaur. 17th February 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 26}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-5-0.**	Do.	500
3	**Holi Birat Parb, Yáni Kichak ka marna.** Story of the death of Kichak by Phul Singh, Bhim Sain and Ch. Devi Singh. No. of pages 64. Published by Sukhdeo Das of Dankaur. 17th February 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 26}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-4-0.**	Do.	500
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4	**Sangit Sabz Pari.** A poem by L. Budh Sain of Hathras. No. of pages 35. Published by Shiamlal of Muttra. 13th February 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-3-0.**	Do.	2,000
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	FICTION—HINDI.		
6	**Hali-Lanka Charhai.** A story about Raja Ramchandra's invasion of 'Ceylon' by Chandhri Ghisa Ram. No of pages 16. Published by Basdeo Sahai of Meerut. 22nd March 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 26}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-1-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	1,000
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7	**Sangit Lakha Banjara.** A love story by Budh Sain. No. of pages 35. Published by Lala Shiam Lal of Muttra. 14th March 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-2-0.**	Do.	2,200
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	HISTORY—URDU.		
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10	**Khulasa Tarikh-i-Hind, Hissa Doyam.** An Abstract of the History of India, Part II, by Master Lakshmi Narain, B.A. No. of pages 116. Published by Messrs. Jagat Narain & Bros., Meerut. 5th March 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 30}{16}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-6-0.**	Do.	2,000

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	LANGUAGE—HINDI.		
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13	**Urdu Translation and Glossary of the Matriculation Persian Course** of the Punjab University by Professor Anand Nath, M.A., Hindu College, Delhi. No. of pages 166. Published by the Author. 15th December 1916. Size $\frac{22 \times 29}{16}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-6-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	500
	LANGUAGE—URDU, ENGLISH.		
14	**The Munshi.** A Standard Hindustani Grammar, by M. Akbar Khan Haidari, Delhi. No. of pages 182. Published by the Author. 18th February 1917. Size $\frac{22 \times 29}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 3-12-0.**	Imperial Book Depôt Press, Delhi.	1,000

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	MEDICINE—URDU.		
15	**Ifadai-Kabir.** Translation of the Movajjezul Qanun by Zubdatul Hukama Hakim Mohammed Kabiruddin of Delhi. No. of pages 142. Published by the Author. 26th December 1916. Size 18 × 22. 1st Edition. **Price 1-0-0.**	Hilali Press, Delhi.	1,000
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16	**Prospectus and rates of the Public Educational Relief Society, Ld., Delhi,** by Mr. L. R. Sethi, Secretary. No of pages 11. Published by the Author. 20th February 1916. Size $\frac{20 \times 30}{16}$. 1st Edition. **Free.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	2,000
17	**Report of the Committee of the Punjab Chamber of Commerce for the year 1916,** by Mr. J. Renton Denning, Secretary. No. of pages 19. Published by the Author. February 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 26}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Free.**	Do.	150
	MISCELLANEOUS—URDU.		
18	**All India Vedik and Yunani Tibbi Conference ki Chhate Salana Ijlas ki Ru-e-dad.** Proceedings of the 6th annual meeting of the All India Vedik and Younani Tibbi Conference, by Man Singh, of Delhi. No. of pages 400. Published by the Tibbi Conference. 10th January 1917. Size 20 × 26. 6th Edition. **Free.**	J. and Sons, Electric Press, Delhi.	500
19	**Sham-i-Zindgi.** A guide for the girls, by Maulana Rashid-ul-Khairi of Delhi. No. of pages 120. Published by Mohd-ul-Wahidi, Darwesh Press, Delhi, 12th March 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 1-0-0.**	Darwesh Press, Delhi.	500

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	MISCELLANEOUS—URDU—*contd.*		
20	**Biwi ki Talim.** Education of Wife, Part I, by Khwaja Hassan Nizami. No. of pages 144. Published by Mohd. Saddiq, Arab Sarai. 28th February 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-12-0.**	Darwesh Press, Deli.	1,000
21	**Infantry Training.** Translated in Urdu by Subedar-Major Mian Sita Ram Singh. No. of pages 296. Published by the Author. 22nd February 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{16}$. 2nd Edition. **Price 1-2-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	1,000
22	**Amurati-Khanadari ki Pahli Kitab.** First book on household economy by Mrs. Mubarak Ali. No. of pages 32. Published by Manzur-ul-Nisa Begam c/o Mohd. Ibrahim, Bara Hindu Rao, Mohalla Sheikhan, Delhi. 28th February 1917. Size $\frac{22 \times 29}{16}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-2-6.**	Do.	500
	POETRY—URDU.		
23	**Gul-i-Tar** by Mohd. Nazir Ahsan Nasim of Azimabad. No. of pages 8. Published by the Author. 5th January 1917. Size $\frac{22 \times 29}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-1-0.**	Hilali Press, Delhi.	500
24	**Yadgar-i-Nizami.** Life and Work of M. Mirza Muinuddin Ahmad Nizami by M. Murtaza Hussain. No. of pages 168. Published by the Author. 5th February 1917. Size 20 x 26. 1st Edition. **Price 1-8-0.**	J. and Sons, Electric Press, Delhi.	1,000

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	POETRY—URDU—PERSIAN.		
25	**Jalwai-Sahifai Zaerinwa Nayyar-i-Rakhshan** poems by Nawab Ziauddin Ahmad Khan Bahadur, Rais Loharu State. No. of pages 212. Published by the Author. 11th January 1917. Size Royal Octavo. 1st Edition. **Price 1-2-0.**	Haqqani Press, Delhi.	500
	RELIGION—ARABIC—URDU.		
26	**Salatul Momenat fi Jawab Salatul Salehat.** A reply to objections to women attending the Idgah, by Sadiq Husain Ausarie. No. of pages 24. Published by the Author. 15th December 1916. Size $\frac{22 \times 29}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-1-0.**	Hamiul Islam Press, Delhi.	500
27	**Ejaz-e-Khairul Bashar fi asbat-i-Shaqul Qamar.** The miracle of the Prophet Mohammad—by Hakim Mohammad Rashidur Rahman of Rampur State. No. of pages 60. Published by Hakim Mohammad Raza Khan. 20th January 1917. Size $\frac{22 \times 29}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-4-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	600
28	**Huzurul Salehat Fil Idain Waljaniaat.** Prayers and directions for Mohammadan women—by Maulvi Ahmad of Multan. No. of pages 36. Published by the Author. 14th February 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 26}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price *Nil*.**	Do.	1,000
29	**Sawaut-Tariq, Hissa Dowam.** Directions for the Mohammadans. Part II—by M. M. Hafiz Abdul Aziz. No. of pages 92. Published by Maulvi Abdulla. 10th March 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 26}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-8-0.**	Faruqi Press, Delhi.	1,000

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	RELIGION—HINDI.		
30	**Mera Bala Pritam**—My Young Lord. Translated from a Punjabi tract by Sardar Sharnagat Singh of Ambala City. No. of pages 56. Published by the Author. 27th December 1916. Size $\frac{17 \times 27}{16}$. 1st Edition. **Price *Nil*.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	3,000
31	**Arya Kumar Sammelan ke Sabhapati Shriman Balkrishna ki Bakrita.** Presidential address of Arya Kumar Sammelan, Lucknow. No. of pages 38. Published by the Author. 20th December 1916. Size 20 × 30. 1st Edition. **Price *Nil*.**	Sat-Dharam Pracharak Press, Delhi.	2,000
32	**Prem Payonidhi Nami Manmohini Bani, Dusra Bhag.** A collection of hymns, Part II, by Munshi Kewal Krishna, Government Pensioner. No. of pages 136. Published by the Author, Brindaban. 2nd February 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-8-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	500
33	**Prem Payonidhi Nami Manmohini Bani, Tissira Bhag.** A collection of hymns, Part III, by Munshi Kewal Krishna, Government Pensioner. No. of pages 152. Published by the Author, Brindaban. 2nd February 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-8-0.**	Do.	500
34	**Shri Jogdish Bilas Bhajan Mala.** A collection of hymns by Pearey Lal Johri. No. of pages 57. Published by the Author. 23rd February 1917. Size 20 × 30. 1st Edition. **Price 0-2-0**	Sat-Dharam Pracharak Press, Delhi.	500

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	RELIGION—HINDI—*contd.*		
35	**Bhajan Bahar.** A collection of hymns by Basheshar Nath, Delhi. No. of pages 8. Published by Pt. Tansukh Ram, Delhi. 12th February 1917. Size Demy. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Sat-Dharam Pracharak Press, Delhi.	1,000
36	**Dhwani Premanand.** A collection of hymns by Joti Pershad Sharma, Delhi. No. of pages 36. Published by the Author. 5th March 1917. Size Demy. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Do.	1,000
	RELIGION—HINDI—SANSKRIT.		
37	**Brahmanon Se Prarthna.** An appeal to the Brahmans, by Mangat Ram Sharma. No. of pages 20. Published by the Author. 28th February 1917. Size 20 × 26. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Do.	1,000
	RELIGION—URDU.		
38	**Tablighul Quran, Hissa Doyam.** Holiness of the Quran, Part II, by Maulvi Sanaullah. No. of pages 32. Published by the Author. 7th December 1916. Size $\frac{20 \times 26}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	1,000
39	**Khulasai Dinul Haq.** A guide for the Mohammadans by M. Mohammad Ziaullah. No. of pages 68. Published by the Author. 29th January 1917. Size 18 × 22. 2nd Edition. **Price 0-2-0.**	Hilali Press, Delhi.	1,000
40	**Sachche Rishyon Ke Pahchhan.** First specimen of the Vedic History by Abu Rahmat Hasan, Meerut. No. of pages 16. Published by the Author. 25th December 1916. Size 20 × 26. 1st Edition. **Price 0-1-0.**	Do.	1,000

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	RELIGION—URDU—*contd.*		
41	**Diwana Mowakkal.** A poem in praise of Khwaja Moinuddin Cheshti of Ajmere, by Mowakkal Ali and Lutf Ali, Delhi. No. of pages 8. Published by the Author. 1st January 1917. Size 18 × 22. 1st Edition. **Price 0-0-6.**	Hilali Press, Delhi.	1,000
42	**Milad Nama aur Rasul Biti.** Life of Hazrat Mohammed, by Khwaja Hasan Nizami. No. of pages 178. Published by Saiyed Mohammed Siddiq, Arab Sarai. 18th January 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 1-0-0.**	Darwesh Press, Delhi.	1,000
43	**Urdu Duaen.** Prayers for the use of the Mohamadans by Khwaja Hasan Nizami. No. of pages 160. Published by Saiyed Mohammed Siddiq, Arab Sarai. 18th January 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{11}$. 2nd Edition. **Price 0-6-0.**	Do.	500
44	**Faislai Asmani, Hissa Awal.** Heavenly decision, Part I, by M. Saiyyed Abu Ahmad Rahman. No. of pages 112. Published by Maulana Mohammed Ali of Monghir. 1st February 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 26}{8}$. 3rd Edition. **Price 0-8-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	1,500
45	**Bewa Ki Munajat.** A widow's prayer, by Wilayat Shah. No. of pages 16. Published by Ramcharanlal, Book-seller, Bareilly. 31st January 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-1-0.**	Do.	1,000

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	RELIGION—URDU—*contd.*		
46	**Mubahesa, Delhi, No. 1.** A religious debate in Delhi, No. I, by Jai Narayan Arya, teacher, Ramjas High School, Delhi. No. of pages 64. Published by Manager, Indraprastha Arya Book Agency, Delhi. 17th February 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-4-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	2,000
47	**Qatai Gansia.** Life of the Prophet Mohammed, by Mirza Hairat of Delhi. No. of pages 32. Published by the Author. 21st February 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 30}{16}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-2-0.**	Do.	1,000
48	**Qabron-Ke-Ghaibi Nawishte.** Secret inscriptions on tombs by Khwaja Hassan Nizami of Delhi. No. of pages 56. Published by Saiyed Mohammed Siddiq of Arab Serai. 28th February 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-8-0.**	Darwesh Press, Delhi.	1,000
49	**Chutkujan w'as Gudgudyan.** Short stories, moral and religious, by Khwaja Hassan Nizami. No. of pages 112. Published by Saiyyed Mohammed Siddiq, Arab Serai. 28th February 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-8-0.**	Do.	1,500
50	**Tazkarai Namazian. Hissa Awal.** A description of Namazis (those who pray), by Khurshid Ali. No. of pages 62. Published by the Author. 14th March 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 26}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-4-0.**	Faruqi Press, Delhi.	1,000

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	RELIGION—URDU—*concld.*		
51	**Ruku-i-Mohammadi.** A religious debate, by Maulvi Mohammad. No. of pages 60. Published by the Author, Delhi. 16th March 1917. Size $\frac{22 \times 29}{16}$. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Faruqi Press, Delhi.	1,000
	RELIGION—URDU-PERSIAN-ARABIC.		
52	**Yadgar-i-Jahangiri wa Ainai Jahangiri.** Life and work of Jahangir, by Moulvi Abdul Qadir, Delhi. No. of pages 72. Published by the Author. 19th February 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 26}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price *Nil*.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	1,000
	RELIGION—SANSKRIT-HINDI.		
53	**Hindi Nirukta Bhumika.** First part, by Pt. Sita Ram Shastri, Delhi. No. of pages 68. Published by the Author. 29th December 1916. Size Demy 8 pages. 1st Edition. **Price 0-6-0.**	Satdharam Pracharak Press, Delhi.	1,000
54	**Sandhya.** Prayer for the use of the Hindus by Jog Mathil Maha Sabha, Delhi. No. of pages 47. Published by the Maha Sabha. 8th February 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 26}{16}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-1-0.**	Do.	1,000
	SCIENCE, MATHEMATICAL AND MECHANICAL—URDU.		
55	**Riyaz-i-Naim, Hissa Awal.** Mental Arithmetic, Part I, by Khalil Hussain Naim. No. of pages 18. Published by Ram Charan Lal of Bareilly. 31st January 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 30}{16}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-1-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	1,000

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	SCIENCE, MATHEMATICAL AND MECHANICAL—URDU—*contd.*		
56	**Riyaz-i-Naim, Hissa Awal.** Mental Arithmetic, Part II, by Khalil Hussain Naim. No. of pages 14. Published by Ram Charan Lal of Bareilly. 31st January 1917. Size $\frac{20 \times 30}{16}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-0-9.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	1,000
	SCIENCE, MORAL—HINDI.		
57	**Ballabhacharya Ki "Pushti Marg'ka Sankshipt Itihas.** A brief account of a Sect of Vaishnav Mat, by Govind Ram Hasa Nand Verma, Calcutta. No. of pages 16. Published by the Author. 16th January 1917. Size 20 × 26. 1st Edition. **Price 0-0-6.**	Sat-Dharam Pracharak Press, Delhi.	2,000
58	**Yadava kul Durdasha Darshan.** A Warning to Ahirs, by Gampat Rao Yadava. No. of pages 20. Published by the Author. 25th February 1917. Size 20 × 30. 1st Edition. **Price Free.**	Do.	1,000
	SCIENCE, MORAL—URDU.		
59	**Ainai Hamdardi.** Sayings of great men regarding sympathy, flesh-eating, etc., by L. Paras Das, Government Treasurer, Delhi. No. of pages 386. Published by the Author. 20th February 1917. Size Demy Octavo $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. **Price 0-12-0.**	Lakshmi Press, Delhi.	1,000
	SCIENCE—URDU.		
60	**Beopar Sahayak.** Aids to the Tradesmen, by Pandit Govind Ram Vaid Jotshi. No. of pages 24. Published by the Author. 25th March 1917. Size $\frac{18 \times 22}{8}$. 1st Edition. **Price 0-1-0.**	Delhi Printing Works, Delhi.	500

M. M. L. CUNNING,
Deputy Commissioner, Delhi.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 11th May 1917.

No. 3777-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 5th May 1917, is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	Delhi .	225,471	85	84	169	63	63	126	...	3	...	59	7	45	...	12	...	21	20	41	38·98	26·06
	Notified Area	3,678	4	1	5	4	1	5	...	...	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	70·78	70 78
	Total .	229,144	89	85	174	67	64	131	...	3	...	62	7	47	...	12	...	21	20	41	39·48	29 73

No. 3782-*Education*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 242 (1) (*f*) of Punjab Municipal Act, III of 1911, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to extend the provisions of Section 52 of the said Act to the Notified Areas of Shahdara, Mehrauli and Najafgarh in the Delhi Province.

The 15th May 1917.

No. 1723.—With reference to the Resolution of Government of India in the Home Department, No. 7-582-594, dated the 28th August 1889, laying down scale of remuneration for Superintendents of District Jails, the following classified list of District Jails in the Delhi Province, for the year 1917-18, is published for general information.

First class Jail.

Remuneration Rs. 150 per mensem. Delhi District Jail.

Statement showing the proposed classification of District Jail in the Delhi province for the year 1917-18.

Serial No.	Jail.	Number for which there is accomodation.	Average number of prisoners during the previous 12 months *i.e.*, 1st April 1916 to 31st March 1917.	Class of of jail as at present.	Class in which jail should be placed according to the average population.	REMARKS.
1	Delhi	626	607	I	I	

No. 3888.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 38 (1) of the Indian Income Tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886) as amended by the Indian Income Tax (Amendment) Act, 1916 (V of 1916) delegated to him by clause 16 of the Rules prescribed by the Governor General of India in Council under the said Act published with the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department Notification No. 2763, dated the 6th June 1890 the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following rule for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of Section 14A of the Act as introduced by the Indian Income Tax (Amendment) Act, 1917 (VII of 1917).

RULE.

Any person served with a notice under Section 14 A of the Act, shall furnish a return in the form attached within such period as may have been specified in the notice, setting forth (along with such other particulars as may be provided for in the notice) the income accruing to him during the year ending on the day on which his accounts have been last made up or, if his accounts have not been made up within the year ending on the 31st day of March in the

year immediately preceding that for which the assessment is to be made, then the income accruing to him during the year ending on the said 31st day of March.

Form of Return and Declaration under Section 14A of the Indian Income Tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886) as amended by the Indian Income Tax (Amendment) Act, 1917 (VII of 1917).

I do hereby state that my income from all sources during the year ending 31st March 19 as shown below, amounted to Rs.

2. The counterpart of dividend warrants and certificates for payment of Income-tax under Part III are herewith attached.

Source.		Amount of income.	REMARKS.
PART I.			
Salary, annuity, pension or gratuity received during the year ending 31st March 19 .			
(NOTE.—Payments received outside British India on account of services rendered in British India to be declared under Part IV-G. below.)			
PART II.			
Dividends from companies during the year ending 31st March 19 . .			
PART III.			
Interest on securities during the year ending 31st March 19 . . .			
(NOTE.—Securities include— (a) Promissory notes, debenture, stock or other securities of the Government of India, and (b) Debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company.)			
PART IV.			
Income received under the following heads during the year ending 31st March 19 .			
A. Trade or Profession	Rs.		
B. Profits accrued in Partnership with others	„		
C. Interest on mortgages, fixed deposits, current accounts, sums lent to traders and loans to others, club debentures, etc.	„		
D. House property* and land (including agricultural) . .	„		
E. Director's fees, survey fees, University and other Examination fees, etc.	„		
F. Income received from outside British India including pensions dividends, and income from agricultural land not paying land revenue to the British Government.	„		
G. All other income not specified, *e.g.*, rewards, honoraria, lottery prizes, etc.	„		
TOTAL PART IV. .	„		
GRAND TOTAL .	„		

I hereby declare that my income from all sources as stated above includes my share in the joint family income and is the only income that actually accrued to me, and that I had no other income from any other source accruing, arising or received in British India during the year in question.

Address in full—

Before me :

Collector of Income Tax
Justice of the Peace
Magistrate.

Dated 19

* *House property Income.*—Proprietors of houses residing on their own premises are exempted from tax on 1-6th of the rental value of such portion self occupied. 5-6th of the rental valuation should be declared as income.

Penalty.—By section 177, Indian Penal Code (Act XLV of 1860), it is provided that whoever, being legally bound to furnish information on any subject to any public servant, as such, furnishes, as true, information on the subject which he knows or has reason to believe to be false, shall be punished with simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

No. 3891.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 9 (1) of the Super Tax Act, 1917 (VIII of 1917), delegated to him by the notification of the Government of India in the Finance Department, No. 760-F., dated the 6th April 1917, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following rule for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of Section 5 (1) of the said Act.

RULE.

Any person or company served with a notice under Section 5 (1) of the Act, shall furnish a return in the form attached within such period as may have been specified in the notice, setting forth (along with such other particulars as may be provided for in the notice) the income accruing to him or it during the year ending on the day on which his or its accounts have been last made up or, if his or its accounts have not been made up within the year ending on the 31st day of March in the year immediately preceding that for which the assessment is to be made, then the income accruing to him or it during the year ending on the said 31st day of March.

Form of Return and Declaration under Section 5 (1) of the Indian Income Tax Act, 1917 (VIII of 1917).

I do hereby state that my income from all sources during the year ending 31st March 19 as shown below, amounted to Rs.

2. The counterpart of dividend warrants and certificates for payment of Income-tax under Part III are herewith attached.

Source.	Amount of income.	REMARKS.
PART I. Salary, annuity, pension or gratuity received during the year ending 31st March 19 .		
(NOTE.—Payments received outside British India on account of services rendered in British India to be declared under Part IV-G below.)		
PART II. Dividends from companies during the year ending 31st March 19 .		
PART III. Interest on securities during the year ending 31st March 19 .		
(NOTE.—Securities include— (*a*) Promissory notes, debenture, stock or other securities of the Government of India, and (*b*) Debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company.)		
PART IV. Income received under the following heads during the year ending 31st March 19 .		
A. Trade or Profession . . . . Rs.		
B. Profits accrued in partnership with others . . . . . „		
C. Interest on mortgages, fixed deposits, current accounts, sums lent to traders and loans to others, club debentures, etc. . . „		
D. House property* and land (including agricultural) . . . „		
E. Director's fees, survey fees, University and other Examination fees, etc. . . . . „		
F. Income received from outside British India including pensions, dividends, and income from agricultural land not paying land revenue to the British Government . . . . . „		
G. All other income not specified *e.g.*, rewards, honoraria, lottery prizes, etc. . . . . „		
TOTAL PART IV . „		
GRAND TOTAL . „		

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I hereby declare that my income from all sources as stated above includes my share in the joint family income and is the only income that actually accrued to me, and that I had no other income from any other source accruing, arising or received in British India during the year in question.

Address in full—

Before me.

Collector of Income Tax
Justice of the Peace
Magistrate.

Dated 19

By order,

D. JOHNSTONE,
Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 12th May 1917.

No. 1248.—The undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed the prescribed tests in the Brahui language at an examination held at Quetta on the 7th May 1917 :—
Major R. Stewart, Supply and Transport Corps.

No. 1270-*R*.—The Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General and Chief Commissioner in Baluchistan is pleased to permit K. S. Muhammad Gul Khan, an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 5th grade to resign his appointment under Government with effect from the forenoon of the 1st December 1916.

By order,

R. H. CHENEVIX TRENCH,
First Assistant.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 12th May 1917.

No. 1505-*D*.—Pandit Shridhar Rao, Head Clerk of the Office of the Political Agent n Bundelkhand, assumed charge of the duties of the Treasury Officer, Nowgong, from Lieutenant-Colonel H de. V. Harvest on the forenoon of the 5th April 1917.

By order,

A. R. JELF,
First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

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NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 9th May 1917.

No. 1054.—The following finance statements of the Central (Co-operative) Banks in Ajmer-Merwara for the quarter ending 31st March 1917, are published for information:—

CENTRAL BANKS.

QUARTERLY FINANCE STATEMENTS.

PART I.

Liabilities and Quasi-Liabilities. Assets and Quasi-Assets.

Name of Bank.	Liabilities: Outside the Movement: Deposits, fixed current or savings bank by non-members or by members in an individual capacity.	Debentures.	Overdrafts from outside banks, e.g., Presidency or Joint Stock.	Other items.	Liabilities: Within the Movement: Fixed deposits or loans received from Societies or Central Banks or Provincial Bank.	Drawn portion of cash credit with Provincial Bank.	Savings bank or current accounts held in favour of Societies or Central Banks.	Reserve fund of bank itself.	Paid-up share capital.	Other items.	Undrawn liabilities e.g. cash credit accounts guaranteed by the Provincial Banks to Central Banks or to Societies and by Central Banks to other Central Banks or Societies: To cover deposits.	For loans transaction.	Assets: Outside the Movement: Cash in hand and in outside banks.	Government paper.	Post office savings bank deposits.	Other investments of a liquid nature in outside concerns.	Undrawn balance of assured cash credit: With Presidency or Joint Stock Bank.	With Provincial Bank.	Assets: Within the Movement: Loans to Agricultural Societies.	Loans to Non-Agricultural Societies.	Loans or deposits due to the Central Bank by the Provincial Bank or other Central Banks.	Loans and deposits due to Provincial by Central Banks	Uncalled share capital.	Guaranteed share capital.	Other investments inside the movement.	Net profit of past year.	Rates of interest on which money is usually: Borrowed.	Lent.	Last dividend declared.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Ajmer Central Bank Limited.	5,03,017	...	...	...	54	...	..	20,069	1,00,000	3,574	...	7,000	1,29,749	6,927	...	..	...	...	4,97,766	...	9,839	..	...	...	1,12,581	15,732	% 5 and 6	% 9 and 10.	% 11	
Nasirabad Co-operative Bank. Limited.	45,957	...	...	..	...		...	790	16,450	...	...	...	20,018	...	...		...	...	43,236	..	...	...	...	...	786*	1,619	6, 7 and 8.	9 and 10.	12	*Loans to individual members.
Pisangan Co-operative Bank, Limited.	6,915	...	...	...	7,095		...	375	8,875	...	...	...	60	...	..	..	..	...	18,976	..	...	...	...	...	...	496	6, 7 and 7-4.	10	12	
Kekri Central Bank, Limited.	15,030	..	...	...	51	..	...	132	4,275	...	...	...	1,089	...	..	...	..	...	19,702	...	...	...	...	...	71	365	6 and 7-8.	9 and 10.	10	
TOTAL AJMER DISTRICTS.	5,70,949	...			7,663	..	...	21,366	1,24,600	3,574	...	7,000	1,50,911	6,927	...	...	.	..	5,79,680	..	9,839	...			1,13,438	19,112	...	...	...	
Beawar Central Bank, Limited.	2,41,313	...	...	...	..	...	...	6,546	83,575	...	...	...	53,548	...	...		.	...	2,80,098	..	...	...	..		9,004	6,713	6-8-0 7-4-0 8-0-0	10	12	
TOTAL BEAWAR DISTRICT.	2,41,313		...	...				6,546	83,575		...	...	53,548	..			.	...	2,80,098	..	.	.			9,004	6,713	...	...	...	
GRAND TOTAL	8,12,262		.		7,668		...	27,912	2,08,175	3,574	...	7,000	2,04,459	6,927	..	..	...	...	8,59,778	...	9,839	..	...	...	1,22,442	24,825	...	...	...	

CENTRAL BANKS.

PART II.

Name of Bank	Deposits or debentures of the kind dealt with in columns 2 and 3 of Part I.		Other deposits and debentures falling due				Repayment of loans by societies. Estimated		
	On current or savings bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next 12 months.	In 12 months following.	In subsequent years.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months	Actual in 12 months preceding present quarter
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Ajmer Central Bank, Limited .	...	..	4,59,190	1,537	1,530	40,850	3,31,000	50,000	3,18,819
Nasirabad Co-operativ Bank, Limited	...	..	17 134	14,500	14,323		24,716	18,520	40,622
Pisangan Co-operative Bank, Limited	..	...	5,400	900	615	...	15,000	3,976	15 660
Kekri Central Bank, Limited .	.	..	13 060	2,000	..	.	14 000	5,773	6 920
Total Ajmer District	..	.	494,694	18,037	16,468	40,850	3 84,716	78,269	3,81 921
Beawar Central Bank, Limited .	...	...	1,69,201	18,134	53,978	...	1,75,000	1,05,000	80,090
Total Beawar District .		...	1,69,201	18,134	53,978	.	1,75,000	1,05 000	80,090
GRAND TOTAL .	...	...	6,63,803	37,071	70,446	40,850	5,59,716	1,83,269	4,62 011

NOTE TO PART II.—When deposits are taken on a certain term of notice —

if the notice required is for not more than 3 months, they should be shown under column 3;
if the notice is for not more than a year they should be shown under column 4,
if the notice is for a year, should be shown under column 5, and
if for longer periods under columns 6 and 7.

PART III.

Name of Bank.	Portion of deposits or debentures of the kind dealt with in columns 2 and 3 of Part I falling due in each quarter in twelve months from commencement of present quarter (4th column of Part II).				Repayment of loans by Societies estimated in each quarter in twelve months from commencement of present quarter. (Column 8 of Part II).			
	I Quarter	II Quarter	III Quarter	IV Quarter	I Quarter	II Quarter	III Quarter.	IV Quarter
Ajmer Central Bank Limited	1,37,272	2,18,731	75,420	32,068	2,50,000	56 000	13 0 0	12 000
Nasirabad Co-operative Bank Limited	6,938	70.	2 493	7,000	12 000		5,000	1,716
Pisangan Co-operative Bank, Limited	4,350	950	...	100	6 000	..	3,000	6,000
Kekri Central Bank Limited	5,000	7,000	1,050	...	12,000		2 000	.
Total Ajmer District .	1,53,560	2 23 384	78,962	39,768	2,80,000	56,000	26 000	22 716
Beawar Central Bank, Limited	35,413	48,670	25 820	59 298	80 000	...	35,000	60 000
Total Beawar District .	35,413	48,670	25,820	59 298	80 000	.	35,000	60 000
GRAND TOTAL .	1,88 973	2,71,054	1,04,802	99,066	3 60,000	56,000	61,000	82 716

By order,

GOPI NATH,
Extra Asst. Commr in charge
Co-operative Society, Ajmer-Merwara

T. B. RUSSELL,
for 1st Asst to the Govr-Genl.'s Agent, Rajputana,
and Chf. Commr., Ajmer-Merwara.

Abu, 10th May 1917.

No. 1061—4.—In accordance with the provisions of section 25 of the Ajmer Municipalities Regulation (V of 1886), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to notify the appointment of Kishen Singh, Kamdar of Junia, *vice* Sri Niwas Rathi as a nominated member of the Kekri Municipal Committee, with effect from the 1st April 1917.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, RAJPUTANA, AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mount Abu, the 14th May 1917.

No. 1964.—Mr. B. G. P. Thomas, Officiating Superintendent of the United Provinces Police, whose services have been placed at the disposal of this Administration, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, Government Railway Police, Ajmer, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Mr. R. E. Coupland, whose services have been placed temporarily at the disposal of the Home Department of the Government of India.

No. 1970.—The services of Mr. R. E. Coupland, Superintendent, Government Railway Police, Ajmer, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Home Department of the Government of India with effect from the date on which he relinquishes charge of his duties in Rajputana.

By order,

H. G. RICHARDSON,

Police Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 11th May 1917.

No. 10.—No. 1321 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon M. Kuppu Sami Pillai, I.S.M.D., Madras, attached to the Medical Store Depôt, Rangoon, is granted, under the terms of paragraph 269, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, 45 days' privilege leave, with effect from the 25th April 1917.

R. A. NEEDHAM, Major, I.M.S.,

for Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, 8th May 1917.

No. 15.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave out of India on medical certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name.

Engineer-Lieutenant F. A. Wood, R.I.M. . . . 6 months, with effect from 19th April 1917.

The 9th May 1917.

No. 16.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave in India on medical certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name.

Temporary Lieutenant W. McClure . . . . 2 months and 23 days, with effect from 16th April 1917.

G. WILSON,

for Director, Royal Indian Marine.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
239—1917	Dinshaji Dorabji Fatakia	Parsi	Tardeo	Lately clerk in the Simplex Mills and now unemployed.	8th	May	1917	8th	May	1917
241—1917	Abdulrajak Alabakhash Delhiwala	Mahomedan	Pukai Molla, Nalbazar	Lately trunk and steel boxes maker and dealer in trunk and steel boxes and now unemployed.	9th	"	"	9th	"	"
242—1917	Sidik Mahomed Memon	"	Jakeria Masjid	Formerly carrying on business as dealer in Mahomedan Religious books in partnership with Essac Haji Essa in the name of Sayed & Co., and lately dealer in purses on his own account and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
243—1917	Abdulhusein Mahomedali Dawoodi Vora and Gulamali Mahomedali Dawoodi Vora.	"	Fullgully	Doing business in partnership as dealers in velvet caps, etc., in the name of Abdulhusein Mahomedali.	10th	"	"	10th	"	"
231—1917	Jamsedji Sorabji Kavarana	Parsi	Khetwadi Back Road	Lately hawker in Kerosene Oil and now unemployed.	"	"	"	11th	"	"
244—1917	Jusab Arbi Memon	Mahomedan	Elphinstone Road	Lately petty dealer in spices in partnership with Hassam Arbi (since deceased) under the name of Hassam Arbi and now servant in the employ of Jusab Dawood.	14th	"	"	14th	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,
Fort Bombay, this 14th day of May 1917.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 1 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 26th April 1917.

In the matter of China Marica, Broker of No. 29, 29th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said China Marica an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 25th day of April 1917.

CASE No. 12 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 2nd May 1917.

In the matter of Batchamya, Revittor, No. 67, Dalla, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Batchamya an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 30th day of April 1917.

CASE No. 74 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 27th April 1917.

In the matter of Maung Po Aung, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Po Aung, Clerk, of No. 40, 22nd Street, Rangoon, on the 26th day of April 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Po Aung.

CASE No. 75 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th April 1917.

In the matter of Gooroocharan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Gooroocharan, of No. 30, Lewis Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of April 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Gooroocharan.

CASE No. 76 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th April 1917.

In the matter of Ramasawmy Soobayah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ramasawmy Soobayah, of No. 54, Dhoby Line, Rangoon, on the 28th day of April 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ramasawmy Soobayah.

CASE No. 77 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th April 1917.

In the matter of Solangi Reddy, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Solangi Reddy, Rickshaw Maistry, of No. 18, 17th Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of April 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Solangi Reddy.

CASE No. 78 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 1st May 1917.

In the matter of Ah Htone, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ah Htone, Proprietor of Fone Chow shop, at No. 15, Upper Pazundaung, Rangoon, on the 1st day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ah Htone.

CASE No. 138 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 4th May 1917.

In the matter of A. K. Nagoor Gunny Ravuther, of No. 36, 30th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said A. K. Nagoor Gunny Ravuther an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 2nd day of May 1917.

CASE No. 79 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th May 1917.

In the matter of V. Hamid Sultan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by V. Hamid Sultan, of No. 43, 28th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said V. Hamid Sultan.

CASE No. 80 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th May 1917.

In the matter of Alexander Anthoney, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Alexander Anthoney, of No. 46, 37th Street, Rangoon, on the 8th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Alexander Anthoney.

CASE No. 81 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 9th May 1917.

In the matter of Maung Po Wa, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Po Wa, Clerk, of No. 20, 61st Street, Rangoon, on the 2nd day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 8th day of May 1917 against the said Maung Po Wa.

CASE No. 82 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 10th May 1917.

In the matter of Felix Michael Quinlivan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Felix Michael Quinlivan, of No. 5, 16th Street, Rangoon, on the 10th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Felix Michael Quinlivan.

R. R. BROWN,

Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 23 OF 1912.

Dated the 15th May 1917.

Re Nagendra Nath Sen.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 7th day of April 1914, the order of adjudication made herein on the 30th day of January 1912, was annulled.

No. 263 OF 1914.

Dated the 16th May 1917.

Re Purno Chandra Barick.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 25th day of May 1915, the order of adjudication made herein on the 19th day of November 1914, was annulled.

No. 158 OF 1914.

Dated the 11th May 1917.

Re Dulal Chunder Sil and Fanindra Nath Mookerjee.

Ex parte the debtors.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtors having applied for their discharge, the Court has fixed the 3rd day of July 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 216 OF 1915.

Dated the 11th May 1917.

Re Kissory Lall Khettry.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 3rd day of July 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 69 OF 1917.

Dated the 11th May 1917.

Re Daguram Pulin Chunder Halder, a firm lately carrying on business of piece goods, ice and fishery at No. 16, Scott's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and residing at the same place and in Bataleanda village in the District of Pabna and also at Goalando in the District of Faridpore, whereof the partners were Bholanath Halder, Pulin Chunder Halder Kedarnath Halder and Sitanath Halder.

Ex parte Jogendra Narain Mazumdar—the creditor. Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys for the creditor.

On the 9th day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 70 OF 1917.

Dated the 14th May 1917.

Re Tulsiram Ramprotap, a co-partnership firm, carrying on business in piece goods at No. 6-3, Lindsay Street, in the town of Calcutta, and also at Exchange Buildings, Darjeeling, the members whereof are Tulsiram Behani and Ramprotap Behani, both lately residing at No. 228, Harrison Road, in Calcutta aforesaid, the former at present a prisoner in the civil jail and the latter at present in Darjeeling, now without any employment.

Ex parte the debtor. Debi Prosad Khaitan—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 11th day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 71 OF 1917.

Dated the 15th May 1917.

Re Reuben Joseph Sultoon, residing at No. 6, Blackburn's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately doing business in Silver and Jute and at present doing nothing.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 14th day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 72 OF 1917.

Dated the 15th May 1917.

Re Thaddins Marood Jordan, residing at No. 3-1, Royd Street, in the town of Calcutta, without occupation.

Ex parte the debtor. B. B. Palit.—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 14th day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 75 OF 1917.

Dated the 17th May 1917.

Re Jaques Despard, lately residing at the Continental Hotel, Calcutta, at present residing at No. 62, Dhurrumtolla Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately the Manager of the Indian and Eastern Engineering Company, Ltd., at No. 6, Mangoe Lane, in Calcutta aforesaid, but at present of no occupation.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—in person.

On the 16th day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

FORM NO. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 17 OF 1917.

Dated the 9th May 1917.

In the matter of Moula Bakhsh, son of Alla Bakhsh of Kuncha Chelan, Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 22nd February 1917, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

FORM NO. 5.

Order Appointing a Receiver.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

SECTION 18.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 17 OF 1917.

Dated the 9th May 1917.

In the matter of Moula Bakash, son of Alla Bakhsh of Kunchu Chelan, Delhi, Debtor.

Whereas Moula Bakash was adjudicated an insolvent by order of this Court, dated 9th May 1917, and it appears to the Court that appointment of a Receiver for the property of the insolvent is necessary.

It is ordered that a receiving order be made against the insolvent and a receiving order is hereby made against insolvent and Clerk of Court is hereby constituted Receiver of the property of the said insolvent.

FORM NO. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI (INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION).

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 22 OF 1917.

Dated the 7th May 1917.

In the matter of Badri Das, son of Gordhun Das of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 10th April 1917, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

SUIT No. 28 OF 1917.

In the matter of Piare Lal, son of Makhan Lal, caste Brahman, proprietor of Piare Lal Shib Shanker of Delhi. Nahar Saadat Khan, Debtor.

Whereas Amir Singh and Ram Chand, sons of L. Sanhai Lal, and Jungli Mal, son of Bulla Mal of Delhi, creditors of the said debtor have made application to this Court under section 11 (2), Act 3 of 1907, for an order that the above named debtor be adjudicated an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to the other creditors if any and to the Insolvent that the said application will be heard at Delhi on the 29th day of May 1917 at 10 o'clock.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this 10th May 1917.

SUIT No. 29 OF 1917.

Dated the 10th May 1917.

In the matter of insolvency of Zara Mal, son of Panna Lal, caste Oswal Kattra Kush Lal Rai, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Zara Mal to be adjudicated him an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 11th June 1917.

SUIT No. 30 OF 1917.

Dated the 11th May 1917.

In the matter of insolvency of Azizur Rahman, son of Sheikh Alladia of Bara Hindu Rao, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Azizur Rahman to be adjudicated him an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 13th day of June 1917.

RAHIM BAKHSH,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 15th May 1917.

No. 682-G.—Mr. H. F. Playne, B.A., Military Accountant, 2nd Class, Military Accounts Department, is granted leave for fifteen days in extension of that granted in Military Accounts Department Notification No. 875-G.—Camp, dated the 21st February 1917.

No. 683-G.—Mr. Ramjee Dass, Superintendent (temporary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 4th May 1917.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant-General.

REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry, dated at Nowshera, this 6th day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—10550, Private Victor Reeves.
Age—27 years and 9 months.
Height—5 feet 10 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, medium; hair, brown; eyes, blue.
Trade—Green grocer.
Date of Enlistment—15th October 1908.
Place of Enlistment—London.
Parish and County in which born—Christchurch, Croydon, London.
Date of Desertion or absence—30th April 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Nowshera.
Marks—Scar knuckle, little finger less, left eyebrow and forehead. Mole back left chest.
Over 8 years' service.

H. RICHARDSON, Captain, *for* Major,
Commanding 1st Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry, dated at Nowshera, this 6th day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—24204, Private Harry Collville.
Age—23 years and 10 months.
Height—5 feet 6 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, sallow; hair, black; eyes, brown.
Trade—Miner.
Date of Enlistment—7th July 1914.
Place of Enlistment—Kilmarnock.
Parish and County in which born—Kilmarnock, Ayrshire.
Date of Desertion or absence—30th April 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Nowshera.
Marks—Several round scars back and side of right calf.
Tattoo mark right forearm. M. McKenna on scroll.
Under 3 years' service.

H. RICHARDSON, Captain, *for* Major,
Commanding 1st Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 2nd Battalion, "The King's" Regiment, dated at Peshawar, this 12th day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—42466, Private L. Jones.
Age—24 years.
Height—5 feet 3¾ inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, brown; eyes, brown.
Trade—Casual Labourer.
Date of Enlistment—12th November 1912.
Place of Enlistment—London.
Parish and Country in which born—Middlesex.
Date of Desertion or absence—5th May 1917.
Place of desertion or absence—Peshawar.
Marks—1. Scar right eyebrow.
2. Scar right elbow.
4. Wounded in each arm.
Absent without leave.
Under 5 years' service.

G. C. CROSS, Captain,
Commanding (Wing) 2nd Battalion, "The King's" Regiment.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 7th May 1917.

No. 1034-*s-Ap*.—Mr. N. Narasimhulu Naidu, Superintendent of post offices, 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the 15th May 1917.

Mr. P. S. Thiagaraja Iyer, Supernumerary Inspector, Office of the Postmaster-General, Madras, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. G. Narasimhulu Naidu, or until further orders.

Simla, the 14th May 1917.

No. 1080-*s-Ap*.—Babu Nalini Kanta Roy, Superintendent of post offices, 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for 2 months with effect from the 1st June 1917 or from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. C. J. F. Kilman, Probationary Superintendent of post offices, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Babu Nalini Kanta Roy, or until further orders.

No. 1091-*s-Ap*.—Babu Baidya Nath Banerjee, Head Assistant, office of the Inspector General, Railway Mail Service and Sorting, Eastern Circle, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, with effect from the 27th April 1917 and until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 16th May 1917.

No. 2830-*T*.—Mr. O. A. D. Ross, Deputy Superintendent, 1st class, has been granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-seven days with effect from the 6th April 1917.

Mr. A. H. Raikes, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 1st class, and Mr. C. H. Davis, Telegraph Master, as Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, during the absence of Mr. Ross or until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 16th May 1917.

No. 2845-*T*.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 10th May to 16th May 1917.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	Remarks.
	Government Telegraph Offices.		
Akola Tajnapeth	Central Provinces	24th April 1917	Opened.
Kayatar	Madras	16th " "	"
Rewat Camp	Punjab	28th " "	"
Tangmarg	Kashmir	24th " "	"
	Railway Telegraph Offices.		
Fadkipur	East Indian Railway	1st May 1917	Closed.
Kevdi Road	Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway.	1st April "	Opened.

W. SUTHERLAND,
Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 8TH TO 15TH MAY 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for Ceylon Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native States.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from currency balance.	Cents coined and paid over.	Closing balance
Calcutta . .	62	...	...	62	45	...	45	11	(a) 58	1	6	76	...	...	...	...	...	15
Bombay . .	66	...	...	66	57	...	57	...	(b) 129	1	...	130	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 8 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(b) Exclusive of 86 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, LT.-COLONEL, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

HIS MAJESTY'S MINT;
Calcutta, the 18th May 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 18th May 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 15th May 1917.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE.										REMARKS.
				COIN AND BULLION.							SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).		TOTAL.	
				In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.					
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta	1,58,05,500	30,49,94,955	32,08,00,455	3,48,24,927	1,57,96,590	1,04,24,332	5,17,50,000	13,52 919	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 45,01,77,100	66,43,25,814	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500.
Cawnpore	...	99,62,485	99,62,485	1,21,80,216	92,93,987	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,14,79,203	(b) Nominal value—R46,62,66,571.
Lahore	...	6,94,59,030	6,94,59,030	1,82,94,450	1,81,22,820	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,64,17,270	(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Section 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Ordinance No. 11 of 1917, at a cost of R36,51,77,100.
Bombay	23,71,890	27,20,02,180	27,43,74,070	3,61,62,927	4,49,21,329	75,05,304	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,85,89,560	
Karachi	...	3,15,11,850	3,15,11,850	54,83,272	36,75,430	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	91,08,752	
Madras	72,11,400	9,28,92,355	10,01,03,755	1,31,69,270	1,17,68,520	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,49,37,790	
Rangoon	...	5,90,33,880	5,90,33,880	1,74,91,816	48,74,955	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,23,66,771	
	2,53,88,790	83,98,56,735	86,52,45,525	13,75,56,878	10,54,58,681	1,79,29,636	5,17,50,000	13,52,919	...	...	9,99,99,946	45,01,77,100	86,72,25,160	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			1,98,365	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									21,78,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			86,50,47,160	TOTAL RESERVE R									86,50,47,160	

Gold worth £19,000, (R2,85,000) was transferred to the Paper Currency Reserve from the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 15th May 1917.
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E. M. COOK,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL (FORTNIGHTLY) PRICES

RETURN SHOWING the WHOLESALE and RETAIL PRICES of CEREALS, PULSES, OILSEEDS, SUGAR (RAW), SALT, ETC., in INDIA by DISTRICTS for the FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH APRIL 1917

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA
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SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 15th April, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916.

Index number of prices during the fortnight ending 15th April of

Province.	Rice (Common)		Wheat		Barley		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma	100	92	100	100	...	...	100	88	100	86	100	98	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	100
Assam	100	96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	106	100	102	100	106
Bengal	100	92	100	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	102	100	92	100	112	100	112	100	100
Bihar and Orissa	100	74	100	102	100	87	100	84	100	94	100	100	100	92	100	116	100	92	100	97
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	100	90	100	104	100	95	100	103	100	97	100	95	100	79	100	113	100	99	100	93
Delhi	100	85	100	111	100	94	100	93	100	80	100	94	100	75	100	116	100	106	100	106
Punjab	100	96	100	119	100	106	100	106	100	120	100	106	100	86	100	116	100	82	100	121
North-West Frontier Province	100	90	100	120	100	106	100	102	100	126	100	100	100	82	100	112	100	78	100	136
Sind and Baluchistan	100	97	100	118	100	102	100	98	100	127	100	106	100	77	100	113	100	94	...	...
Bombay	100	93	100	98	100	93	100	98	...	...	100	102	100	95	100	128	100	89	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	100	100	109	...	...	100	123	...	...	100	96	100	85	100	118	...	...	100	114
Madras	100	106	...	...	...	...	100	112	...	...	100	103	100	89	100	99	100	88	100	104
India	100	93	100	108	100	97	100	110	100	103	100	100	100	87	100	112	100	94	100	108

NOTE.—The rise in the prices of salt in the North-West Frontier Province and the Punjab of maize in Sind and the North-West Frontier Province, of ghi in the Bombay Presidency, and of jawar in the Central Provinces and Berar is noteworthy. The fall in the prices of rice in Bihar and Orissa, of Arhar dál in Delhi, Sind, and the United Provinces, and of raw sugar (gur) in the North-West Frontier Province is noticeable.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 15th April, 1917, as compared with the previous fortnight.

Index number of prices during the fortnight ending

Province	Rice (common)		Wheat		Barley		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	31st Mar. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	31st Mar. 1917	15th Apr. 1917
Burma	100	95	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	95	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	100
Assam	100	101	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	93	100	110	100	100
Bengal	100	97	100	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	99	100	100	100	100
Bihar and Orissa	100	97	100	91	100	99	100	100	100	100	100	96	100	101	100	100	100	98	100	104
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	102	100	92	100	92	100	95	100	93	100	92	100	93	100	100	100	104	100	97
Delhi	100	100	100	100	100	90	100	93	100	95	100	97	100	100	100	101	100	105	100	100
Punjab	100	101	100	99	100	97	100	108	100	103	100	92	100	100	100	100	100	99	100	99
North-West Frontier Province.	100	100	100	97	100	94	100	106	100	100	100	88	100	100	100	99	100	101	100	97
Sind and Baluchistan.	100	98	100	105	100	96	100	100	100	98	100	92	100	110	100	100	100	102	...	...
Bombay	100	101	100	96	100	82	100	101	...	...	100	97	100	100	100	101	100	99	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	100	100	105	...	...	100	101	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	97
Madras	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	102	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	102	100	105	100	100
India	100	99	100	98	100	98	100	101	100	99	100	95	100	100	100	100	100	102	100	99

NOTE.—The rise in the price of raw sugar (gur) was greatest in Assam. The fall in the price of barley in the Bombay Presidency and of gram in the North-West Frontier Province is noteworthy.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 8.

WHOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82⅐ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at certain selected markets during the fortnight ending 15th April of the years 1917, 1916 and 1915.

Marts	Wheat			Rice (common)			Jawar (*Andropogon sorghum*)			Bajra (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)			Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		
	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	4 12 0	4 8 0	5 9 0	5 10 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	4 6 0
Bombay	5 8 1	4 13 11	5 11 5	4 9 10	4 12 2	4 11 3	3 4 0	3 1 0	3 2 0	3 9 7	3 11 3	3 4 6	3 6 2	3 6 2	4 3 9
Karachi	4 14 0	4 2 0	4 15 4	5 1 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	2 14 0	3 3 0	2 14 0	2 13 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	5 13 3	5 4 10	5 4 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 4	4 5 5	5 0 3
Rangoon	4 8 1	...	5 1 3	2 15 5	3 6 8	2 11 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 9 10	3 10 10	4 0 10
Dacca	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 9 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Patna	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	3 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	2 5 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	...	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 1 0	3 2 0	3 8 0
Ranchi	5 12 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	4 9 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	3 12 0	4 3 0
Cuttack	4 5 8	4 5 9	4 11 3	3 9 6	3 15 4	4 11 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11
Benares	4 3 1	4 1 2	4 15 3	4 8 8	5 6 1	5 8 3	2 12 3	...	...	2 13 2	...	..	2 12 10	2 13 2	3 5 4
Cawnpore	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 9 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	2 5 0	2 4 0	2 13 0	2 7 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	2 10 0	2 11 0	3 3 0
Meerut	4 1 6	3 9 0	4 8 6	5 11 3	5 11 0	5 8 3	2 9 9	2 8 0	2 15 3	2 12 9	...	3 1 3	3 1 3	3 1 3	3 3 9
Agra	4 9 1	4 3 4	4 11 3	6 10 8	6 2 5	6 6 4	2 4 6	...	2 12 1	2 0 0	2 4 2	3 5 4	2 9 9	3 1 3	3 3 2
Lucknow	3 12 11	3 11 6	4 5 3	4 8 4	4 11 3	4 1 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 5 8	2 9 3	3 5 4
Ferozepur	3 14 6	3 7 9	5 0 0	5 5 3	5 0 0	5 8 3	3 7 9	3 5 0	3 4 3	2 13 9	4 0 0	3 3 8	2 15 6	2 15 8	3 5 3
Lahore	4 3 8	3 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	5 5 3	3 0 3	3 1 3	3 7 6	2 14 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 1 3	2 15 6	3 1 3
Amritsar	3 15 0	3 6 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 11 6	3 2 0	...	...	2 8 0	...	...	3 2 0	2 13 9	3 10 3
Rawalpindi	4 9 0	3 10 0	4 3 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	3 2 0	3 6 0	3 1 6	3 8 0
Lyallpur	4 1 0	3 1 6	4 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	2 10 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	2 14 0	3 13 6	3 3 0
Ambala	3 15 0	3 11 0	5 4 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	2 11 0	3 4 0
Delhi	4 7 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 10 0	6 10 0	6 10 0	2 9 0	2 12 0	2 15 0	2 7 0	3 3 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	3 1 0	3 0 0
Peshawar	4 10 2	3 13 4	4 8 7	5 7 6	5 13 11	6 2 5	3 13 4	3 11 6	2 5 9	3 5 4	4 1 7	3 5 1	3 3 9	3 2 5	3 4 0
Quetta	5 5 0	4 5 0	5 2 0	...	...	...	3 6 9	3 8 0	2 11 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poona	...	4 4 11	5 7 10	5 1 4	5 12 4	4 11 0	2 8 0	2 10 8	2 11 3	3 9 9	3 10 4	3 4 3	3 9 3	3 10 5	3 15 7
Ahmednagar	3 15 5	3 9 10	4 1 1	...	...	...	2 3 3	2 4 4	2 2 10	...	2 8 1	2 6 3	3 3 11	3 4 4	4 3
Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 14 0	7 0 0	6 6 0	5 10 0	2 2 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	3 14 0	3 8 0	3 6 0	3 3 0	3 6
Nagpur	4 0 4	3 11 2	4 5 0	4 8 8	4 3 8	4 2 1	2 11 8	2 4 10	2 13 2	...	...	...	3 4 2	3 7 6	4 0
Jubbulpur	4 1 8	3 10 2	4 8 2	4 8 5	4 3 4	4 11 4	...	...	2 15 5	...	...	...	3 1 2	3 1 0	3 7
Godavari	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 0 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malabar	...	...	...	4 15 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF APRIL

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma *—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	34·78	42·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy(a)	..	...	...	32·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	32·99	30·19	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	29·63	34·22	45·07	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	32·47	36·78	82·05	82·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	35·75	36·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	35·75	35·75	68·68	68·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	31·84	31·77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	32·99	44·14	38·79	45·07	...	...	...	...	19·69	22 38	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	35·75	35·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	36 36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam*—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	35	...	43·12	46·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	25	25	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati (a)	...	26·25	...	48 75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal *—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	25·62	26·87	46·25	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	30	37·5	50	55·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	26·25	31·25	56·25	60	47·5	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	21·25	30	35	46·87	55	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapore	20	25·62	42 5	46·25	50	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	25	28·12	45	50	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	25	25	45	47 5	52 5	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Bihar and Orissa*—															
Bihár, north—															
Bhágalpur	...	...	35	52·5	37·5	37·5	...	...	20	25 62	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	44·87	66·25	40	38·12	...	...	22·19	25	...	...	.	...	...
Bihár, south—															
Patna	...	...	35·62	44·37	39·37	40	...	...	21·87	25	23·12	27·5	..	40	...
Orissa—															
Cuttack	...	...	35·94	39·58	43·54	43·59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—															
(a) Agra—															
Eastern—															
Benares	24·48	26·67	45·42	53·8	41·93	40·73	44·43	50·36	28·28	28·23	27·66	...	28·23	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	23·75	28·75	51·25	55	38·75	38·12	47·5	47·5	26·25	28·59	23·12	22 5	24·37	30	...
Jhánsi	...	...	48·44	48·44	39·74	40	...	...	24·53	27·66	19 06	21·46	...	...	...
Western—															
Meerut	...	...	57·08	56·87	40·94	35·62	45·62	42·19	27·08	30·16	25·78	25	27·5	...	...
Agra	...	...	66·67	61·51	45·68	42·08	51·56	47·03	26·67	31·35	22·81	...	20	32·66	...
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	22·5	30	38·75	50	37·5	34·69	44·22	39·06	24·37	25·47	28·44	25	...	...	...
(b) Oudh—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	...	42·08	47·08	38·07	37·19	47·03	45·78	25·78	26·67	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	28·44	25·94	46·25	51·87	40	38·44	...	...	28·75	27·5	....	25	..	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice
(a) Figures have not so far been reported

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district head-quarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	...	61·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	65·98	65·98	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	36·16	36·78	57·14	58·18	57·66	62·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	60·95	56·64	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	42·88	43·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	42·95	42·95	75·29	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	18·71	21·84	34·41	32·47	64·65	68·82	57·66	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	34·41	34·41	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakókku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	60·67	57·14	...	66·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	10	...	...	Balaganj (Sylhet)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37·5	40	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37·5	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	50	50	60	70	...	...	...	...	100	80	55	55	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	70	70	...	...	...	...	60	55	57·5	60	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	32·5	32·5	47·5	60	...	...	...	...	52·5	50	55	46·25	Calcutta
															Western—
...	...	...	41·25	40	45	50	...	...	...	...	65	55	52·5	52·5	Burdwan
...	...	...	40	40	60	55	...	...	...	...	47·5	42·5	56·25 to 61·75	52·5	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	60	72·5	...	...	...	...	62·5	53·44	62·5	55	Pabna
...	...	...	72·5	70	75	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa—
															Bihar, north—
...	25	20·56	27·5	31·25	47·5	52·5	22·5	28·75	...	...	50	52·5	40 and 45	42·5 and 50	Bhágalpur
...	25	30	32·66	31·87	50	53·12	23·44	23·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
...	24·37	25	30·62	31·25	35·62	45	22·5	32·5		...	50	46·25	46·87	44·37	Patna
															Orissa—
...	...	...	38·07	38·07	50·78	68·07	38·07	43·59	...	...	...	...	61·04	68·07	Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) AGRA—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	28·02	28·23	34·9	46·11	...	...	...	27·6	50·05	46·87	47·92	47·92	Benares
															Central—
...	...	...	26·25	26·87	33·75	40	37·5	...	27·5	25	53·12	48·75	44·37	39·37	Cawnpore
...	...	...	25·42	26·72	...	...	...	...	...	30·78	48·44	42·19	44·37	38·12	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	23·44	22·19	30·78	30·78	44·37	50	...	...	...	...	...	61·56	42·19	35·41	Meerut
...	21·04	24·22	25·78	30·78	50	44·43	...	...	25	28·54	50	50	42·08	47·03	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	26·25	...	25	28·12	33·59	40	...	...	23·48	25	43·12	40	46·25	41·87	Shahjahánpur
															(b) OUDH—
															Southern—
...	...	...	23·54	25·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	42·08	57·13	44·43	Lucknow
															Northern—
...	23·12	23·75	28·12	26·07	...	44·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF APRIL—*continued*

DISTRICTS	SESAMUM (*Til* or *jinjili*)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (*Gúr*)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURMERIC		GRASS		STRAW
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	581·82	640	...	...	27·47	22·86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy *	...	...		640	...	...	...	25·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457·14	457·14	...	...	24·62	24·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	533·33	533 33	...	...	33·16	33·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manbin	...	...	492·31	492 31	...	...	40	39 26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	45·71	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	533·33	492·31	...	...	35·75	35·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·16	36·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	711·11	640	...	...	40	36·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	45·39	45·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	581·82	581·82	...	...	30·77	36·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	...	...	480	490	60	67·5	33·12	33·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	...	...	520	450	60	70	36·87	32·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati *	...	...	...	480	...	80	...	31·25 and 40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong (a)	...	...	580	540	75	55	31·25	31·95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	600	550	110	85	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	...	...	550	480	63·75	63·75	33·75	33·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	...	...	570	480	57·5	60	33·12	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	550 to 580	550 to 570	75	62·5	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	...	...	600	530	80	75	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	580	500	80	80	50	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—															
Bihar, north—															
Bhágalpur	60	70	640	490	55	63·75	40	35	10·5	100	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	533·12	426 25	44·37	50	28·59	31·87	236·56	160	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—															
Patna	57 5	50	500	420	45	55	36·25	38·75	25	20	...	...	5	...	4·06
Orissa—															
Cuttack	76·15	68 07	533·33	533·33	57·13	53·33	20	20	91·41	90	...	...	5	5·02	5·62
United Provinces															
(a) AGRA—															
Eastern—															
Benares	54·17	48·91	531·41	490·43	55·73	50·05	29·32	31·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	67·5	56·25	520	425	53·75	57·5	21·25	21·87	120	92·5	145	90	...	...	...
Jhánsi	...	43·12	474·37	406·25	60	60·56	23·75	25	...	...	...	...	...	3·33	...
Western—															
Meerut	...	...	512·19	457·19	57·03	53·12	23·44	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	57·13	59·22	533·33	457·13	66·67	72·71	21·04	25·62	120	160	150	130	6 67	10	12·5
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahanpur	57·5	50	485	440	62·5	60·56	23·44	25	180	170	155 to 180	80	...	...	...
(b) OUDH—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	...	510	470	...	...	25·78	30	...	...	...	90	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	...	...	530	500	44·37	50	25·62	26·67	...	...	...	...	5	...	...

* Figures have not so far been reported

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw	Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Coal (Bengal)		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	22·86	20·58	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·62	3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	2	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	11·9	11·9	...	7·35	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·56	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	28·83	36·99	12·86	8·45	...	...	...	...	2	1·87	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	8·58	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	28·83	30·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·06	2·06	Pakôkku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9·18	7·35	...	...	...	...	2·81	2·44	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·44	1·94	Balaganj (Sylhet)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·75	3·12	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·62	...	...	...	...	...	1·94	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·06	1·81	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·08	2·78	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·75	3·75	...	...	...	...	2·89	2·3	Calcutta
															Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·87	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·75	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·22	2·81	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·25	2·75	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa—
															Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	...	20	28·75	...	1·47* to 1·84	...	...	...	...	2·34	2	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	10	3·75	24·22	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·05	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
5·62	...	...	11·25	8·12	20	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·17	2·44	Patna
															Orissa—
5·62	...	...	...	...	7·5	7·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·12	2·75	Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) Agra—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	23·54	..	3·96 to 7·92	3·96 to 7·92	...	...	...	...	3·62	2·69	Benares
															Central—
...	...	...	6·25	8·12	26·25	28·12	7·5	...	85	65	...	...	3·31	2·91	Cawnpore
6·72	...	3·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·5	2·56	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	...	...	10	10	26·56	26·56	10	7·5	...	...	...	...	3·56	3·12	Meerut
10	...	...	6·67	7·97	23·67	30·78	...	...	...	...	...	80	...	3·22	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	...	...	10	10	35	36·25	6·25	6·25	90 and 100	50 and 70	60 and 100	60 and 80	3·53	3·06	Shahjahánpur
															(b) Oudh—
															Southern—
...	...	...	6·67	8·91	23·75	27·5	...	6·25	...	...	...	...	3·37	2·77	Lucknow
															Northern—
...	...	...	10	10	...	...	12·5	10	...	...	50	50	3·28	2·62	Fyzabad

* Price of 1st class coal at Jharia

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF APRIL—continued

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (Wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Rajputana—															
Eastern— Ajmer(a)	...	26·67	...	...	...	51·61	...	...	...	37·24	..	31·09	...	34·79	...
Delhi— Delhi	...	...	56·25	66·25	44·37	40	46·25	42·5	28·75	30·62	25·62	27·5	24·37	31·67	...
Punjab—															
Southern— Ferozepur	27·66	30·78	53·28	50	39·06	34·84	45·47	33·12	29·69	29·53	34·84	33·28	28·59	40	...
Central— Lahore	25	34·69	47·03	48·44	42·08	35·62	50	40·94	30·16	26·72	30·16	30·78	29·06	36·41	...
Submontane— Amritsar	28·75	30·62	51·25	55	39·37	38·75	44·37	35·47	25·78	...	31·25	...	25	...	...
Northern— Rawalpindi	...	...	47·5	52·5	45·63	36·25	48·44	40·94	28·12	27·5	35	40	30	40	...
Western— Lyallpur		...	55	55	40·62	30·94	45·62	35·94	27·5	27·81	32·5	32·5	26·25	35	...
Multan	28·75	25	45·62	44·37	40·94	33·12	43·91	37·19	29·37	30	30	31·41	28·44	29·06	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	...	54·69	58·7	46·35	38·33	52·03	42·34	27·03	21·2	38·33	37·19	33·33	40·99	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	57·55	36·04	45·1	38·12	47·86	42·03	27·97	30·57	31·35	31·41	26·04	31·41	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karachi	...	...	50·62	50	48·75	41·25	...	...	...	...	28·75	31·87	28·12	36·25	...
Shikarpur	21·25	26·41	55·62	60	45·47	31·37	...	...	32·5	32·81	23·91	...	25	...	...
Quetta	...	...	...	...	51·87 to 54·37	42·19 to 44·06	67·5 to 75	72·5 to 75	38·12	36·25	33·75	35	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan— Bombay	31·09	31·77	46·15	47·6	55·05	48·7	...	...	32·81	35·99	32·5	30·62	35·99	37·03	...
Deccan and Karnátak— Dharwar (Hubli)	...	...	..	...	35·88	29·95	...	...	...	...	26·72	20·42	...	...	...
Sholapur	...		47·13	47·76	41·2	43·85	...	...	...	...	23·23	21·04	...	29·06	...
Poona	..	45·73	50·83	57·71	...	43·07	...	...	...	...	25	26·41	36·09	36·45	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmednagar	...	...	...	...	39·63	36·15	...	...	...	...	22·03	22·71	..	25·05	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	57·13	...	41·67	...	...	...	...	...	27·29	35·73	34·01	...
Gujarat— Surat	...	...	...	...	44·32	54·79	...	...	...	...	...	30·99	...	41·82	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	70	63·75	45	43·75	...	...	28·75	30·62	21·25	28·75	22·5	38·75	...
Central Provinces*—															
Western— Nagpur	32·69	36·5	42·31	42·31	40·19	37	47·06	57·12	...	...	27·31	23	...	...	...
Central— Jubbulpore	...	...	42·12	42·06	41·06	36·37	53·37	48·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern— Raipur	35	34	40	38	38	34·5	45	42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	...	...	40·75	41·62	34·69	39·69	...	...	...	...	24·81	20·81	...	...	...
Amráoti	...	...	44·44	44·44	42·75	42·87	...	...	...	...	27·19	22·19	...	...	...
Madras—															
South, central— Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·6	34	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32·1
Central— Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21·7	22·2	...	...	...
Cuddapah	39·7	40·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·7	27·8	...	26	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·5
East Coast, south— Madras	30·4	29·7	58·3	58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	27·1	32·2	45·5	44·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·6
Southern— Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37·2	32·5	43	36·6	...
Mysore—															
Mysore	20	22	50	54	54	56	60	60	...	...	24	24	...	...	24
Bangalore	24	22	60	56	54	54	67·76	67·76	...	...	28	28	...	...	26

(a) Figures have not so far been reported

* The figures under "Rice, husked," represent the prices of cleaned rice

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dal		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Rajputana—
...	...	29·63	...	35·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	94·06	...	...	*Eastern—* Ajmer
...	24·37	27·5	28·75	30·62	37·5	50	...	...	29·37	28·75	60	55	42·5	40	**Delhi—** Delhi
															Punjab—
...	27·60	21·56	29·09	29·53	66·72	72·66	...	...	32·03	32·66	60	66·72	...	...	*Southern—* Ferozepur
...	29·06	24·22	30·78	29·69	58·28	66·72	30·78	40	30·78	33·91	55·16	55·16	50	47·03	*Central—* Lahore
...	26·09	...	31·25	28·59	...	...	...	...	33·12	31·87	65	...	45	46·25	*Submontane—* Amritsar
...	32·5	25	33·75	30·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	47·5	43·12	40	*Northern—* Rawalpindi
...	20·87	20	28·75	28·44	...	...	...	...	31·25	32·5	...	...	40·62	41·25	*Western—* Lyallpur
...	29·37	25	31·25	29·06	60	70	31·25	32·19	30	31·25	60	60	42·5	45	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	36·36	28·96	32·34	31·51	42·85	58·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·34	50	Peshawar
...	32·71	...	31·85	32·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27·84	30·94	...	...	...	...	Karachi
...	...	...	33·12	31·25	...	81·25	...	...	...	33·75	...	...	35	37·5	Shikarpur
...	37·5 to [illegible]·75	31·87	...	...	57·5 to 64·37	73·75 to 82·75	62·5	53·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
															Bombay—
...	...	...	33·85	33·85	60·1	62·5	35·73	42·86	24·48	25	61·15	51·46	...	...	*Konkan—* Bombay
...	...	...	36·46	34·03	...	...	...	...	20·83	19·01	...	...	...	...	*Deccan and Karnátak—* Dharwar
...	...	...	30·86	31·51	...	46·56	...	...	20	21·67	52·03	47·71	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	35·78	38·51	...	50·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poona
...	...	...	32·45	32·71	...	...	...	...	...	20·62	53·07	51·61	...	...	*Khandesh and N.-F. Deccan—* Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	37·5	...	...	...	...	...	22·97	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Gujarat—* Surat
...	...	...	33·75	31·87	60	65·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
...	...	...	32·62	34·09	40·94	46·94	...	...	24·5	23·75	59·09	55·44	...	...	*Western—* Nagpur
...	...	...	30·75	30·62	34·75	48·5	40	44·44	26·69	25	53·37	48·5	37·19	...	*Central—* Jubbulpore
...	...	...	31	28	40	40	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	*Eastern—* Raipur
															Berar—
...	...	...	35·94	34·12	39·69	47·87	...	...	21·44	...	58·5	55·5	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	36·19	36·12	40·41	42·75	...	...	21·44	20·31	63·37	57·94	...	...	Amráoti
															Madras—
...	...	...	55·8	55·8	...	...	...	...	40	32	...	...	...	...	*South, central—* Coimbatore
26·3	...	...	...	...	33·6	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salem
...	...	...	37	46·3	35·8	35·3	...	...	63	28·8	...	...	...	...	*Central—* Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
28·3	...	...	...	...	34	42·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, central—* Nellore
...	...	...	47·7	43·4	...	...	51·5	68·4	57·6	57·6	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, south—* Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Southern—* Madura
															Mysore—
24	...	...	22	27	46	56	70	70	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	...	...	Mysore
22	...	...	26	28	64	56	...	...	[illegible]	[illegible]	...	...	...	...	Bangalore

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF APRIL—*concluded*

DISTRICTS	Sesamum (*Til* or *Jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gúr*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass		Straw
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Rajputana—															
Eastern—															
Ajmer (a)	..	69 53	.	474 06		69 53				...	...	...	...	8·91	...
Delhi—															
Delhi	57 5	60	570	490	58·75 to 68 75	60	21 25	20	80	80	170	187 5	10	13·12	...
Punjab—															
Southern—															
Ferozepur	72 66		533 28	474 06	69 58	78·69	23·59	20	133·28	133·28	153 34	80	...	...	...
Central—															
Lahore	57 19	(L·)	609 53	492 34	58 28	78·91	22·19	18 12	133·28	114 22	200	133·12	10	10	...
Submontane—															
Amritsar	61 25	62 5	520	466	44 8	63·91	17 5	17 5	100	.	158 75	85	...	...	...
Northern—															
Rawalpindi	.	..	540	480	51 25	80	20 94	15 62	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Lyallpur	52·5	55	515	441 87	46 25	60	23 19	17 5	122·5	110	177 5	180	10	10	...
Multan			540	441 25	58 28	61 25	20 94	8 12							...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	..	533 33	482 97	61·56	77·08	19 27	17 08	166 67	186·15	...	...	..	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	..	581 82	511 41	52 71	68 96	24 79	15 86	..	.	...	...	12 03	15·36	...
Sind and Baluchistan															
Karáchi	...	...	...				...	..		...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	...	..	535	493 75	57 5	60 94	...	...	2" 5	..	...	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	..	570 to 610	510 to 525	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan—															
Bombay	65 78	62 86	628 59	521·41	74 84	61 61	...		...	...	180 62	108 85	14 01	10	...
Deccan and Karnátak—															
Dharwar (Hubli)	..	...	.	..	65 99	66 98	...	...	...		–	..	...	...	...
Sholapur	..	...	438 5	400 52	61 84	68 9	...	..		91 93	154 95	115 72	...	...	...
Poona	...	...	487 71	445 62	72 61	77 19	...	...	210 52	200	...		...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—															
Ahmednagar	...	56 8	500	441 67	70	7·33	...	...			..	96 67	...	...	...
Dhulia		51 58	...	.	..	73 33	...	...	..	51 67	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat—															
Surat		...	616 2	475 68	..	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad		..	600	450	...	...	.	.		...	.	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces—															
Western—															
Nagpur	75 56	63 31	583 31	483 81	.	...	27 ..	25	100	91 62		90	11·12	5·87	
Central—															
Jubbulpore	48 5	51·62	490	400	...	...	26·69	13 5	88 87	80	160	110	5 69	6 62	
Eastern—															
Raipur	..	...	520	440	...	...	29	25·12	160	160	120	64	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	60 19	53 56	495 25	419		...	23 31	20	104 75	105 19	...	...	...	..	...
Amráoti	69 25	55 44	540	410	...	...	25	22 5	142 45	128	...	...	.	3 19	...
Madras—															
South, central—															
Coimbatore	87 9	77 6	487 8	487 8	54 4	78·4	22 6	23 2	.	...	112	100	...	...	...
Salem	..	...	4 2·5	4·6 4		...	...	...	171 3	171·3	91 4	67	...	...	7·6
Central—															
Bellary	62	51 5	471 7	476 2	71 4	79·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	493·4	460 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	115 3	84	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66 7	133 3	98 8	75 2	...	...	...
East Coast, central—															
Nellore	...	...		416 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·7
East Coast, south—															
Madras		71 ..	559·6	559 6	69 1	64 2	16 3	15 8	139 9	131·7	115·2	85 6	...	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466·7	466 7	...	...	23·4	23·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	473	540 5	...	...	13 1	20 6	123 4	123·4	...	...	...	...	...
Southern—															
Madura	60 ..	66 7	675·7	675·7	...	...	...	...	141 1	141·1	...	...	...	...	15
Mysore—															
Mysore	72	72	480	480	111·41	111·25	...	...	214 27*	214·27*	222 86	102·86	5·1	4·79	5 1
[illegible]	64	64	348 54	548 51	77 13	68·54	...		240*	274·27*	85 68	[illegible]	8·8	8·8	8 8

(a) Figures have not so far been reported
* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 103 per 10 maunds

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw	Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Coal (Bengal)		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil per tin		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Rajputana— *Eastern—*
2·50	...	8·91	...	...	...	34·79	...	...	...	...	...	80 to 90	...	2·75 to 3·75	Ajmer
															Delhi—
...	8·75	15·62	11·25	10	22·5	30	10	6·25	80	80	250	150	2·58	2·2	Delhi
															Punjab— *Southern—*
...	...	...	10	10	25	30	...	8·75	142	142·5	225	225	3·5	3·09	Ferozepur
															Central—
...	...	...	11·41	9·53	26·72	26·72	11·25	7·5	150	160	170	170	3·62	3·12	Lahore
															Submontane—
...	...	...	12·5	10	23·75	25	12·5	10	120	130	250	120	3·56	3·55	Amritsar
															Northern—
...	...	...	15	11·41	...	...	17·5	7·5	100	90	120	120	3·75	2·75	Rawalpindi
															Western—
...	...	...	12·5	7·97	23·75	25	11·25	12·5	112	100	130	140	3·5	3·19	Lyallpur
...	...	10	8·91	8·91	25·94	25·78	...	...	105	100	...	...	3·5	3·17	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	...	...	7·34	6·77	23·65	20·52	14·63	11·15	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	3·87	3·41	Peshawar
...	...	...	10·16	15·36	27·97	29·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·87	...	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·03	2·72	Karachi
...	...	...	7·81	8·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·27	3·03	Shikarpur
...	...	...	13·12	14·69	25·62	30	14·14	11·02	120 to 220	120 to 220	...	...	2·84	2·7	Quetta
															Bombay— *Konkan—*
...	...	...	...	...	20·99	30·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·84	Bombay
															Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	...	...	3·31	3	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·22	2·09	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·11	2·8	Poona
															Khandesh and N.-W. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	27·13	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·80	2·98	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·31	2·91	Dhulia
															Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	22·5	21·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·69	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces— *Western—*
4·5	18·56	8	...	...	...	...	8·12	6·25	...	70 to 80	...	120 to 190	2·62	2·62	Nagpur
															Central—
...	...	...	10	8	28·56	32·5	...	...	60	60	70	70	2·37	2·06	Jubbulpore
															Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·25	Raipur
															Berar—
...	5·5	9·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	99	95	64	76	2·81	3	Akola
...	...	3·09	...	...	...	...	5·69	...	70	65	70	70	2·5	3·06	Amraoti
															Madras— *South, Central—*
...	4	4	...	...	90·4*	90·4*	...	...	...	...	60	60	3·28	2·9	Coimbatore
7·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100	...	...	...	2·56	Salem
															Central—
...	10·3	10·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	150	140	3·32	2·79	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·05	2·47	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·75	3·25	Karnul
															East Coast, Central—
5·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·08	2·04	Nellore
															East Coast, South—
...	...	...	...	...	29·4	37·5	9·2	5·2	202·5†	195†	...	...	...	...	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	9·5	5·6	...	...	170†	170†	...	...	2·65	2·73	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	33·2	44·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·53	3·11	Trichinopoly
															Southern—
15	...	...	...	...	20·4	20·4	...	...	...	...	60	60	3·75	2·63	Madura
															Mysore—
5·1	3·18	4·48	...	...	40	40	...	...	50 to 100	50 to 100	50 to 100	50 to 100	3·75	2·78	Mysore
3·6	...	...	...	...	33·3	33·8	...	...	160	160	120 to 150	120 to 150	3·25	2·62	Bangalore

* Superior quality † Sheep or goats

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF APRIL 1917

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half month of report	Previous half month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	...	...	...	...
Tavoy*	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	...	10 2	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	5 1	5 1	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Maubin	4 10	4 10	...	...	10 7	10 7	12 2	11 3	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	...	...	10 13	10 13	10 13	10 13	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 14	14 —	13 2	...	...	...	...
Henzada	5 9	5 9	...	...	10 12	10 6	10 12	10 6	...	...	...	...
Prome	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	10 7	10 7	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	...	...	...	...	9 7	7 7	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	9 9	9 9	...	...	8 13	8 13	11 8	11 8	17 14	17 14	...	...
Bhamo	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Meiktila	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	16 3	16 3	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway	2 10	2 10	...	...	10 10	10 10	12 12	12 12	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyu	3 8	2 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	9 —	8 8	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
Surma—												
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Cachar	3 12	4 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 12	7 —	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts—												
Khási and Jáintia Hills	5 11	5 11	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Manipur	16 —	16 —	...	...	22 —	22 —	24 —	24 —	...	...	...	...
Nágá Hills	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	15 —	15 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	9 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Kámrúp (Gauhati)*	...	7 —	...	...	...	6 8	...	8 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Sibságar	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Backerganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 12	8 —	...	...	...	...
Maimonsingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 9	7 9	...	...	...	...
Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 2	8 3	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 14	8 14	...	...	...	...
Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Faridpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 10	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.

* Figures have not so far been reported.

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	Mergui
...	...	...	...	.	6 6	...	...	...	...	.	14 —	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 8	11 8	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	4 9	4 9	10 2	10 2	Pegu
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 8	11 8	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 6	9 6	Maubin
...	...	...	...	8 9	8 —	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 9	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 8	9 9	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Henzada
...	...	...	...	11 7	11 7	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 8	9 8	Prome
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	8 4	8 13	...	...	4 10	4 10	8 5	8 5	Thayetmyo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	19 10	19 10	5 14	5 14	8 —	8 9	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Pakókku
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	32 1	32 1	...	...	9 6	9 6	Meiktila
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4	3 4	14 9	14 9	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	15 —	15 —	Kyaukpyu
...	...	...	...	5 3	5 3	...	...		...	10 8	11 —	Akyab
												Assam—
												Surma—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	6 —	5 12	9 —	9 —	Cachar
												Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	8 14	8 14	6 6	6 6	7 8	7 8	Khási and Jáintia Hills
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Gáro Hills
...	...	...	...	4 8	4 5	23 —	22 —	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	Manipur
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 4	6 4	Nágá Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Lushai Hills
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	7 8		10 —	Goálpára
...	...	...	...		9 6	...	...		7 8		10 —	Kámrúp (Gauhati)
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	Darrang
...	...	...	...	8 —	6 8	...	...	6 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	Sibságar
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	Lakhimpur
												Bengal—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 9	10 9	Noakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 —	10 4	10 4	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Maimensingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 13	5 13	10 11	10 11	Tippera
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		6 —	9 8	9 —	Dacca
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 —	Khulna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 8	11 8	24-Parganas
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	Howrah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	11 —	11 —	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	Hooghly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	13 5	13 5	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	10 4	10 4	Jessore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 8	9 —	9 —	Faridpur

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF APRIL 1917—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice: Best sort		Rice: Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Bengal—*continued*												
Western—												
Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 —	10 2	...	...	...	...
Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 6	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 4	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	...	...	...	...
Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	7 12	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 9	10 8	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	5 12	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	9 8	9 —	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur	10 8	9 —	18 4	16 —	...	...	10 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	12 1	9 14	17 9	18 1	...	...	11 4	10 7	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	9 8	9 8	17 —	17 —	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
Sáran	9 —	9 —	15 —	14 8	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Champáran	11 —	9 8	20 —	18 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Santhal Parganas	8 —	7 —	13 —	11 —	...	...	13 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	11 8	10 8	20 —	20 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Gaya	10 8	10 —	18 —	15 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	12 —	13 —	...	...
Patna	10 —	9 —	18 —	17 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	17 —	17 —	...	...
Shahabad	9 8	9 —	14 —	12 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singbhum	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Manbhum	8 4	7 8	10 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 8	...	...	14 —	16 —
Ranchi	7 4	7 4	9 8	9 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	9 —	9 —
Palámau	10 11	10 6	15 8	13 8	...	...	9 —	10 11	...	...	...	...
Hazáribágh	9 —	8 —	12 —	10 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri	7 14	7 14	...	...	...	...	11 13	10 8	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	9 3	9 3	...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore	6 8	7 —	...	...	...	...	11 4	12 —	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur	10 —	9 8	...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) AGRA—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	9 —	8 8	14 8	14 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	15 8	15 —	12 —	12 —
Benares	9 1	9 1	13 9	13 —	6 12	6 8	8 6	8 6	13 13	13 9	13 9	13 —
Ghazipur	8 8	9 —	14 5	14 7	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	14 5	14 5	14 2	14 2
Jaunpur	9 4	9 8	14 3	14 10	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 8	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	9 8	9 —	14 8	14 4	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 4	13 12	14 —	13 4	12 8
Central—												
Bánda	12 —	11 —	13 8	12 8	5 —	5 —	10 4	9 8	19 8	19 8	13 4	13 4
Fatehpur	10 8	9 12	17 —	16 —	3 8	3 8	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Hamirpur	12 12	11 8	13 14	11 8	4 12	4 12	7 12	7 12	16 8	14 12	12 4	12 8
Jalaun	12 8	12 8	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	7 —	6 8	18 —	17 —	.	14 —
Cawnpore	10 —	8 8	14 14	12 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	17 4	16 4	15 8	15 8
Jhansi	8 6	8 11	15 7	14 3	4 12	4 12	8 2	8 4	19 1	19 12	...	...
Etáwah	10 10	9 10	14 6	13 6	3 —	3 —	9 12	9 8	17 —	17 8	15 6	15 —
Farrukhabad	9 9	9 6	15 —	14 8	4 1	4 1	9 14	10 9	15 11	15 11	...	...
Mainpuri	10 8	9 8	15 8	14 —	5 —	5 —	10 8	10 8	15 8	14 8	...	...
Etah	11 —	10 4	16 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	9 4	9 8	.	...	...	...
Western—												
Meerut	9 8	9 —	14 4	12 12	3 —	3 —	6 12	6 12	16 —	...	14 —	14 —
Agra	8 4	7 12	14 8	13 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	17 —	16 —	19 4	19 —
Muttra	10 8	9 8	16 8	13 12	4 8	4 8	7 12	7 12	20 —	19 —	21 —	19 —
Aligarh	10 12	9 4	15 4	13 11	3 —	3 —	5 8	5 8	17 12	17 5	19 12	18 4
Bulandshahr	9 8	9 5	15 4	14 8	3 —	3 —	5 — to 8 —	5 — to 8 —	19 —	16 8	15 8	14 —
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	9 2	9 12	15 10	13 —	5 3	5 3	9 2	9 2	...	14 4	...	...
Azamgarh	9 12	9 12	16 —	16 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	10 4	10 4	14 4	14 4	7 8	7 8	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Basti	11 —	9 4	16 —	16 —	6 —	6 4	10 8	11 4	...	...	...	...

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one Rupee]

Ragi or Marua (Eleusine coracana)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian millet (Setaria italica)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay or Sunaga (Cicer arietinum)		Maize Zea Mays)		Arhar Dal (Cajanus Indicus)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Bengal—continued
												Western—
...	...	.	...					8 8	6 4	12	11 —	Bankura
...	...	...	..	.				8 —	8 —	10 12	10 10	Burdwan
...	...	...	..	...				6 8	6 8	13	18	Birbhum
...	...	...	..	...				5 4	5 4	9 —	9 —	Midnapur
...	...	...	..	...				10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	Murshidabad
												Northern—
...	...	...	..	...			.		7 —		10 4	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...			...	6 14	8 12	9 12	9 14	Rajshahi
...	...	...	..	...	.	...	.	7 8	7 4	10 8	10 —	Malda
...	...	..	..	...	..			6 —	6 —	9 13	9 13	Bogra
...	...	...	.	...	.	.	.	7 —	6 8	10 —	9 8	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	..			.	...	7 13	8 6	10 —	10 —	Dinajpur
...	...	.	.	..	...			5 4	5 4	8 —	8 —	Rangpur
												Hills—
...	...	..	..	...	.	..	...	4 8	5 —	8 —	8 —	Darjeeling
												Bihar and Orissa—
												Bihar, north—
...	..	...	..	9 —	10 —	14 8	15 —	6 8	6 8	10 —	9 —	Purnea
...	...	...	.	14 8	13 —	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 2	10 —	10 —	Bhagalpur
13 3	14 4	...	...	14 5	11 —	16 8	15 2	8 4	8 4	13 3	13 3	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	15 8	15 8	7 8	7 8	13 8	13 8	Muzaffarpur
...	.	...	...	14 —	13 8	14 8	14 8	13 —	13 —	10 4	10 4	Sáran
	..	..	...	16 —	12 —	19 —	18 —	8 —	8 —	10 8	10 —	Champáran
												Bihar south—
...	..	..	...	10 8	10 —	20 —	20 —	8 8	8 —	12 12	13 —	Santhal Parganas
...				14 —	12 —	14 —		11 —	11 —	10 —	10 —	Monghyr
17 —	16 8	8 —	8 —	13 8	13 8	15 —	15 —	10 8	10 8	11 —	10 8	Gaya
.		10 —	10 —	13 —	12 —			10 8	.	11 —	11 —	Patna
...	.	..	...	13 —	12 —	14 —	14 —	9 8	8 —	11 —	11 —	Shahabad
												Chota Nagpur—
...	...	..	...	10 —	9 8			7 8	7 4	10 —	10 —	Singbhum
		.	.	10 8	10 8	18 —	16 —	8 4	8 8	10 —	10 —	Mánbhum
13 —	12 —	..	...	10	9 4	20 —	10	5 14	5 14	10 —	10 —	Ránchi
		...	...	13 8	13 8		15 14	9 —	9 —	11 4	11 4	Palámau
16 —	16 —	...	...	11	10 —	13 —	15 —	8 —	7 8	10 —	10 8	Hazáribágh
												Orissa—
...	...	..	..	9 13	9 13	...	...	7 14	7 14	18 —	18 —	Puri
...	...	..	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 14	7 14	20 —	20 —	Cuttack
...	..	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 8	10 —	Balasore
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 8	18 —	18 —	8 — to 9 —	8 8 to 9 —	12 —	12 2	Sambalpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
..	..			14 8	14 —	18 —	18 —	9 8	9 —	14 —	14 —	Mirzapur
.	...	11 6	11 6	13 9	13 14	..		10 13½	10 5	12 15	12 15	Benares
...	...	...		13 13	14 7	16 2	18 2	9 10	9 10	13 13	13 13	Ghazipur
.	..		.	15 6	15 6			12 8	11 4	14 —	14 —	Jaunpur
...	...	...		15 8	14 12	...	...	12 8	11 8	14 —	14 —	Allahabad
												Central—
...	...	...	..	16 2	15 4	...	...	10 8	10 —	14 —	15 —	Banda
...	...	..	...	16 8	15	...	.	12 —	12 —	15 —	15 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	16 —	14 5		...	10 12	10 4	15 —	15 —	Hamirpur
...	...	.	.	16 —	15 8	.	..	9 8	9 10	...	..	Jalaun
...	...	12 4	12 8	14 12	13 4	16 6	16 8	11 —	10 8	17 12	16 8	Cawnpore
...	..	...	...	14 14	14 —			8 —	7 8	16 —	16 —	Jhansi
...	..	...	...	14 6	13 4		..	10 14	9 8	17 —	15 —	Etáwah
...	..	...	...	15 11	13 10		..	10 15	10 9	17 6	17 1	Farrukhabad
..	...	...	...	15 —	12 —	..	.	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Mainpuri
...	..	...	.	15 —	12 8	..		12 —	10 —	15 —	16 —	Etah
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	16 8	15 8	8 8	8 —	17 —	16 12	Meerut
...	..	...	...	15 —	14 —	18 —	17 —	8 —	8 —	18 8	18 —	Agra
...	...		...	16 8	13 —		...	13 —	11 —	16 —	16 —	Muttra
...	..	10 4	10 4	14 12	12 12	16 8	16 8	12 4	12 4	16 4	16 4	Aligarh
...	..	...	...	13 4	12 4	19 —	18 —	8 8	8 —	16 —	16 —	Bulandshahr
												Submontane, east—
...	..	...	...	14 4	13 —	16 4	14 4	9 12	9 12	13 —	13 —	Ballia
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	15 8	15 8	10 —	10 8	13 —	13 —	Azamgarh
...	..	..	.	12 6	12 8			10 4	10 —	14 —	14 —	Gorakhpur
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 —	16 8	16 8	11 4	10 —	16 —	16 —	Basti

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF APRIL 1917—continued

DISTRICTS	WHEAT (Triticum Sativum)		BARLEY (Hordeum vulgare)		RICE Best sort		RICE Common		JOWAR OR CHOLUM (Andropogon sorghum)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (Pennisetum typhoideum)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces— *continued*												
(a) AGRA—*continued*												
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	10 —	9 8	16 —	...	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	14 —	...	...	14 8
Budaun	9 10	8 2	14 10	13 12	3 8	4 —	7 12	7 8	14 9	14 —	13 15	13 —
Pilibit	10 —	9 4	13 12	13 12	4 8	4 8	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Bareli	9 9	8 9	15 9	15 3	4 8	4 8	8 14	8 10	13 8	16 4	14 6	14 6
Moradabad *	...	8 12	...	13 4	...	4 12	...	9 —	...	13 12	...	13 4
Bijnor	9 4	8 6	15 12	14 4	3 4	3 4	6 12	6 12	...	...	13 —	13 —
Muzaffarnagar	10 2	9 4	15 5	14 4	6 9	6 9	7 10	7 10	13 2	13 2	14 4	14 4
Sahéranpur	8 4	8 4	12 12	12 12	3 8	3 8	7 7	7 7	...	...	12 12	12 12
Dehra-Dun	8 4	8 —	13 —	13 —	3 —	3 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal *	...	6 8	...	9 8	...	3 —	...	6 —	...	10 —	...	9 —
Almora	6 —	6 —	8 —	7 12	3 4	3 4	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Garhwál	5 —	5 —	10 —	10 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	5 —	...	...	...	...
(b) OUDH—												
Southern—												
Partábgarh	10 8	10 8	16 —	16 —	5 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	14 —	14 —
Sultanpur	11 —	10 4	16 4	15 4	...	...	8 8	9 4	...	15 —	...	...
Rae-Bareli	10 —	10 8	15 8	15 —	4 —	4 —	8 8	8 12	13 —	13 8	11 8	13 —
Unao	10 2	9 4	15 8	14 12	4 8	5 —	8 8	8 8	13 8	13 —	13 —	13 4
Lucknow	10 4	9 12	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	8 4	8 4	14 —	14 —	14 —	14 —
Hardoi	10 4	9 4	15 —	13 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	14 8
Northern—												
Fyzabad	9 12	9 12	13 12	13 10	...	...	8 4	8 4	13 8	13 8	11 8	11 8
Barabanki	10 10	10 5	15 8	15 5	4 5	4 4	9 4	9 5	14 6	14 12	13 8	13 8
Gonda	11 —	10 8	16 —	16 —	5 —	5 —	9 4	9 8	16 —	17 —	16 —	16 —
Bahraich	10 8	10 8	17 8	17 —	5 —	5 —	10 4	10 4	25 —	22 —	19 —	19 4
Sitapur	10 8	9 8	14 8	14 —	4 —	4 —	9 8	9 8	16 —	17 —	14 —	17 —
Kheri	10 3	9 9	14 —	15 —	3 —	3 —	8 —	8 —	17 8	18 —	15 —	15 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	8 14	9 —	15 9	15 3	4 7	4 8	5 1	5 2	22 13	24 8	16 8	16 3
Ajmer*	...	7 8	...	11 —	...	4 8	...	6 —	...	15 —	...	12 —
Kishangarh	8 —	8 8	13 —	15 —	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	17 —	17 8	18 —	18 —
Tonk	10 2	8 —	16 —	15 5	4 4	4 5	8 8	7 8	21 4	21 4	18 —	18 9
Jaipur	9 4	9 4	14 6	13 6	4 14	4 15	5 2	5 3	17 10	17 8	14 15	14 15
Karauli	11 4	10 10	17 8	17 8	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 12	21 4	21 4	19 11	20 —
Dholpur	10 5	9 9¼	15 —	14 7½	5 4	5 —	5 8	5 4	16 2½	16 5½	19 3	19 1½
Bharatpur	9 15	...	14 1	...	4 14	...	5 8	...	18 8	...	19 3	...
Alwar	10 3	9 2	14 9	13 13	5 2	5 2	6 10	6 10	20 9	20 2	20 2	20 1
Nasirabad	8 4	8 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	17 —	17 —	15 —	15 —
Western—												
Bikaner	8 —	7 12	13 —	13 —	5 —	5 —	7 —	6 8	12 —	15 —	11 —	11 4
Jaisalmer	5 15	6 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	5 15	6 —	12 14	12 —	11 —	10 4
Jodhpur	9 4 and 9 12	7 10 and 8 2	13 11	12 6	5 —	5 4	6 8	6 12	14 8 and 16 —	14 3 and 15 14	13 12 and 15 8	14 11 and 15 14
Central India—												
Indore	11 —	11 —	12 —	12 —	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	14 —	14 —
Neemuch	10 12	9 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	12 —	12 —
Gwalior	11 —	9 4	...	...	4 12	...	6 8	4 12	...	...	...	...
Delhi—												
Delhi	9 —	9 —	13 8	12 —	4 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	15 —	14 —	16 —	14 —
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	9 8	9 —	12 12	12 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	15 8	16 8
Ferozepur	10 —	9 8	13 —	12 8	...	...	7 —	7 8	11 —	12 8	13 8	13 —
Central—												
Lahore	9 4	9 4	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 4	8 4	13 —	13 —	[illegible] 8	13 8
Gujranwala	10 —	9 8	16 —	15 8	...	...	9 4	9 4	11 4	...	...	...
Gujrat	10 —	10 —	15 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	14 —	14 —
Jhelum	9 8	8 12	14 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	13 8	13 8

* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (Eleusine coracana)		Bajra or Kambu (Penicillaria spicata)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sanaga (Cicer arietinum)		Maize (Zea Mays)		Arhar Dal (Cajanus Indicus)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												United Provinces— *continued*
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												Submontane, west—
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...	...	10 —	10 —	18 15	11 6	16 15	17 —	10 15	9 —	16 8	16 —	Budaun
...	...	...	...	14 —	13 4	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	12 6	11 14	16 4	16 4	11 9	10 5	16 5	16 —	Bareli
...	...	...	...	...	11 12	...	14 4	...	8 12		15 12	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 —	...	...	9 —	8 12	15 8	15 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	12 10	12 1	14 4	14 4	5 8	5 8	16 8	16 8	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	14 6	14 6	9 1	9 1	16 —	16 —	Sahāranpur
11 —	11 —	...	...	11 4	11 —	13 —	13 —	8 6	8 —	12 —	11 —	Dehra-Dun
												Hills—
...	...	...	...		8 8	...	10 —	...	6 —	...	10 —	Naini Tal
8 8	8 4	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	6 —	5 8	8 8	8 8	Almora
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	Garhwál
												(b) OUDH—
												Southern—
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...	...	...	...	17 —	16 4	...	...	11 —	10 12	12 8	12 8	Sultanpur
18 —	19 —	11 —	11 —	15 8	15 —	12 —	12 —	12 —	11 8	12 8	13 —	Rae-Bareli
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16 —	16 —	12 —	10 —	16 10	16 2	15 —	15 —	10 6	10 —	14 14	14 10	Barabanki
...	...	...	...	16 —	14 —	18 —	17 8	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	Gonda
...	...	8 —	8 —	17 8	10 12	20 —	18 4	10 —	10 —	14 8	14 8	Bahraich
...	...	12 —	12 —	15 —	14 —	14 —	15 —	10 8	10 —	16 —	16 —	Sitapur
20 —	20 —	8 —	8 —	14 —	13 —	18 —	16 8	10 —	10 —	15 —	14 —	Kheri
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
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...	...	...	..	16 —	15 5	19 —	18 9	...	...	17 —	17 —	Tonk
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...	...		...	15 6		19 8	...	7 4	...	16 —		Bharatpur
...	...	9 12	9 12	16 —	14 5	16 9	18 3	13 10	17 —	18 —	18 —	Alwar
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												Western—
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												Central India—
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												Delhi—
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												Punjab—
												Southern—
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...	...	...	...	13 —	12 4	14 —	13 12	5 8	5 8	15 —	15 —	Ferozepur
												Central—
...	...	12 8	12 8	12 12	11 8	13 8	13 8	7 4	7 —	17 —	17 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	13 8	11 4	...	..	...	...	20 —	20 —	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	18 —	16 —	Gujrat
...	...	...		12 —	11 —	12 —	12 —	7 —	6 8	19 —	18 —	Jhelam

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF APRIL 1917—*continued*

DISTRICTS	WHEAT (*Triticum Sativum*)		BARLEY (*Hordeum vulgare*)		RICE — Best sort		RICE — Common		JAWAR OR CHOLUM (*Andropogon sorghum*)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Punjab—*continued*												
South-eastern—												
Gurgáon	10 —	8 8	15 —	13 12	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Rohtak	9 12	9 12	15 —	13 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	18 —	18 —	17 8	17 8
Karnál	10 —	10 —	15 —	16 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	15 —	14 —
Submontane—												
Ambala	9 12	10 —	13 4	12 —	...	...	8 12	8 —	17 —	16 —	13 8	13 4
Ludhiana	10 —	9 8	13 8	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	14 8	14 —	13 8	13 8
Jullundur	10 —	9 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 8	13 —	12 8
Hoshiárpur	10 —	10 —	12 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	6 6	11 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Gurdáspur	9 8	9 8	13 —	12 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	...	...
Amritsar	9 14	10 —	14 12	12 12	...	...	7 11	7 11	12 8	12 8	15 12	15 12
Siálkot	10 —	10 —	12 —	11 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	13 —	11 —
Hills—												
Simla	7 8	7 8	10 12	9 4	...	...	6 12	6 4	10 —	10 —	10 12	9 8
Kángra	8 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Ráwalpindi	8 8	8 4	14 —	12 12	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	11 12
Attock	8 12	8 8	14 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	12 —	11 8
Western—												
Sháhpur	9 9	9 13	14 9	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	11 —	14 8	15 —
Jhang	9 12	9 8	13 12	13 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 12
Lyallpur	9 12	9 12	14 —	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	...	15 —	15 —
Multan	9 8	9 8	13 —	12 4	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 12	14 —	13 8	14 —
Montgomery	9 —	9 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Muzaffargarh	9 8	9 8	12 8	12 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	9 8	9 6	16 8	16 —	...	...	9 6	8 12	14 12	13 12	16 —	14 8
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazára	8 4	8 6	12 10	12 10	3 9	3 9	7 4	7 8	...	...	10 —	10 —
Pesháwar	8 9	8 12	14 10	14 10	4 9	4 9	7 3	7 3	10 2	10 7	11 11	11 11
Kohát	8 3	7 11	12 3	12 10	3 13	3 13	8 —	8 —	14 8	14 8	11 12	11 12
Bannu	10 7	9 11	15 —	14 11	4 6	4 6	8 7	7 8	15 5	16 14	12 3	12 13
Dera Ismael Khan	8 12	8 —	14 —	12 8	3 8	3 7	6 14	6 14	12 8	13 12	15 —	14 6
Tochi	10 8	10 8	20 —	20 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Kurram	10 8	10 8	16 —	16 —	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	9 8	9 —	15 —	14 —	5 —	4 —	7 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	7 6	7 8	8 8	8 4	3 1	3 1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karáchi	8 —	7 8	...	...	5 —	5 8	6 —	6 8	11 —	11 —	12 —	12 —
Hyderabad	8 —	7 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 —	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —
Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)	9 —	8 —	...	...	4 12	4 12	6 4	6 4	13 —	13 —	13 8	12 —
Shikárpur	8 10	8 10	...	...	6 —	5 8	7 —	6 8	15 —	15 8	15 —	17 —
Upper Sind Frontier	8 —	8 2	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	14 —	13 —	16 —	16 —
Quetta	7 5 to 7 11	7 5 to 7 11	10 —	9 14	3 2	3 2	6 8	6 8	11 4	11 4	11 —	10 11
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	6 13	6 13	...	...	6 1	6 1	7 4	7 4	10 9	9 10	10 8	9 —
Ratnagiri	6 14	6 14	...	...	5 13	5 13	7 8	7 8	11 15	11 15	10 2	10 2
Alibág	6 5	6 5	...	...	6 7	6 1	7 14	7 10	...	...	8 5	8 5
Bombay	*7 —	*7 —	...	...	4 13	4 13	7 —	7 —	9 13	9 13	8 15	8 15
Thanna	8 7	7 15	...	...	5 9	5 8	6 7	5 15	12 4	12 7	10 10	10 15
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	10 11	10 11	...	...	6 13	6 13	7 3	7 3	12 12	14 3	11 4	12 3
Belgaum	10 10	10 —	...	...	6 9	6 9	7 8	7 8	12 15	12 15	14 5	14 5
Satara	9 6	9 6	...	...	5 6	5 6	5 14	6 3	12 10	13 5	12 7	12 2
Sholapur	9 4	9 4	...	...	7 6	6 15	8 —	8 —	16 5	16 5	13 8	14 6
Bijapur	11 1	11 9	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 13	7 13	13 14	14 13	15 6	16 5
Poona	8 6	8 6	...	...	6 4	6 4	7 4	7 4	15 10	15 10	10 13	10 13
Khandesh and N. E. Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	9 7	10 2	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	16 8	17 4	12 10	12 10
Násik	10 5	10 5	...	...	5 15	5 15	6 10	6 10	...	...	11 10	11 10
Dhulia	9 4	10 3	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 6	7 6	12 1	12 15	11 2	11 2
Jalgaon	8 3	8 —	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 10	7 10	13 5	13 9	11 9	11 13
Gujarat—												
Surat	8 5	8 5	...	...	4 10	4 10	6 15	6 15	10 2	10 10	11 2	11 2
Broach	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	9 8	9 8
Kaira	8 —	8 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 8	7 —	20 —	20 —	19 —	17 8
Baroda	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	11 8	12 —	9 —	9 —
Ahmedabad	8 8	7 8	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 4	5 4	17 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Godhra	7 8	7 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	...	...	12 —	11 8
Disa	9 12	9 8	...	...	4 12	4 12	5 4	5 4	18 —	18 —	13 —	16 —
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	10 8	10 8	...	...	3 8	3 12	4 8	4 8	15 —	15 —	11 —	11 —
Central Provinces—												
Nimar	8 7	8 7	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 5	7 5	14 7	13 6	...	...
Hoshangabad	9 11	9 11	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	15 2	15 3	...	...
Betul	9 14	9 14	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 9	6 9	15 1	15 1	...	...
Chhindwara	10 10	10 5	...	...	5 10	5 10	8 12	8 12	13 1	12 7	...	...
Nagpur	9 9	10 3	...	...	5 8	5 8	9 2	9 2	13 11	14 4	...	...
Wardha	11 4	11 4	...	...	5 2	5 2	9 4	9 9	13 13	13 13	...	...

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	
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												South-eastern—
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...	...	...	...	14 12	13 12	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Rohtak
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 —	...	17 —	9 8	9 —	16 8	16 8	Karnál
												Submontane—
17 —	17 —	9 12	9 12	14 4	13 —	15 —	15 —	8 12	8 —	19 —	19 4	Ambala
...	...	7 8	7 8	12 4	12 4	15 8	15 8	6 —	6 8	17 —	17 —	Ludhiána
...	...	9 —	9 —	12 12	12 4	14 8	14 4	...	...	18 —	18 —	Jullundur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	15 8	15 8	...	...	18 —	17 —	Hoshiárpur
...	...	8 —	8 —	10 8	10 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	16 8	16 —	Gurdáspur
...	...	15 4	12 12	12 4	11 12	14 8	14 8	8 —	7 12	20 —	20 —	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 8	13 —	13 —		...	16 —	16 —	Siálkot
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 8	10 12	11 4	5 4	5 12	13 —	13 —	Simla
...	...	...	...	7 12	8 —	11 —	13 —	5 —	5 —	9 8	9 —	Kángra
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	11 8	10 12	12 —	11 12		7 —	18 —	19 —	Ráwalpindi
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 8	11 8	11 —	5 4	5 4	14 —	14 —	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	13 —	11 14	15 —	15 —	7 14	7 8	16 —	17 —	Sháhpur
14 —	14 —	11 8	11 8	12 12	12 —	12 8	13 4	...	...	13 8	13 8	Jhang
...	...	...	...	13 8	12 4	14 8	16 —	7 —	7 —	17 8	17 8	Lyallpur
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...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Muzaffargarh
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												N.-W. F. Province—
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...	...	12 —	12 3	12 3	11 4	10 12	10 12	8 13	8 13	20 13	19 8	Peshawar
...	...	11 —	11 —	11 3	10 1	11 5	11 10	...	...	24 —	13 —	Kohát
...	...	...	...	12 3	10 10		14 6	...	...	23 12	23 12	Bannu
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...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	Wano
												Sind and Baluchistan—
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...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)
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												Konkan—
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...	...	...	...	9 4	8 9	...	...	6 5	6 6	16 —	14 6	Alibág
8 6	8 6	...	...	8 6	8 6	...	...	6 2	6 2	19 3	16 13	Bombay
11 —	9 4	...	...	9 14	9 6	...	...	6 3	5 15	15 12	13 12	Thauna
												Deccan and Karnaták—
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15 12	15 12	...	...	11 —	11	...	...	6 13	6 13	14 1	15 —	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	13 3	12 13	...	...	7 2	6 13	13 1	14 2	Satara
...	...	...	...	11 14	11 14	...	...	7 9	7 9	15 —	15 —	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	7 11	7 11	12 3	12 3	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	6 14	6 14	15 15	14 13	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	11 5	12 —	...	...	7 14	7 3	14 7	14 7	Ahmednagar
16 2	16 2	...	...	12 3	12 3	...	...	7 4	7 4	15 7	15 7	Násik
...	...	...	...	9 12	8 2	...	...	7 9	7 9	11 8	10 8	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	10 15	10 15	...	...	7 3	7 4	16 2	16 8	Jalgaon
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	10 3	10 3	...	...	6 —	6 —	23 2	23 2	Surat
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	17 12	20 —	Broach
17 8	16 8	...	...	11 —	10 —	...	...	9 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	19 —	19 —	Baroda
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	...	...	5 12	5 12	22 8	22 8	Ahmedabad
17 8	17 —	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	21 —	21 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	30 —	30 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	7 7	7 7	14 —	12 4	Nimar
...	...	...	...	13 3	13 13	...	...	9 2	9 2	14 —	14 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	11 13	11 4	...	...	5 13	6 6	13 —	13 —	Betul
...	...	...	...	11 5	11 5	...	...	6 11	6 2	13 —	13 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	8 4	8 4	13 —	13 —	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	10 6	9 13	...	...	9 6	9 6	15 15	15 15	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF APRIL 1917—*concluded*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Central Provinces— *continued*												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	10 9	8 13	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 1	7 1	15 1	15 1	...	...
Saugor	9 8	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 -	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	...	...
Damoh	10 6	10 6	...	...	7 5	7 11	8 —	8 5	21 15	20 12	...	...
Jubbulpore	9 8	9 —	...	...	7 —	7 8	9 —	9 8	...	14 —	...	...
Mandla	11 —	10 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	10 4	10 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	9 8	9 8	14 —	14 —	...	...
Bálághát	10 10	8 10	...	...	5 7	5 7	11 —	10 5	...	...	...	...
Bhandára	10 11	10 6	...	...	...	...	9 9	10 8	16 10	15 7	...	...
Chánda	10 9	10 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	14 4	14 4	...	...
Eastern—												
Biláspur	10 11	9 14	...	...	9 14	9 14	11 11	11 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur	10 2	10 2	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	11 —	...	...	...	...
Drug	10 8	11 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	10 2	11 6	...	...	4 13	4 13	6 14	6 14	15 11	15 11	...	...
Akola	10 12	10 12	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 5	7 5	15 12	15 12	...	...
Amráoti	...	8 3	...	...	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 —	14 3	14 3	...	...
Yeotmal	9 15	8 13	...	...	4 7	4 7	8 1	8 1	13 —	13 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad	7 —	7 —	...	11 10	4 1	4 1	8 3	8 3	11 10	12 4	15 1	14 —
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 5	8 5	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 10	10 6	...	...	...
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 9	12 9	10 4	10 4
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	14 9	14 9	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 11	12 12		8 —
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godavari	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	18 —	19 —
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	10 13	11 14	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 7	10 7	11 —	11 —
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 15	9 14	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 9	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 11	8 11	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	11 10	11 10
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	13 —	13 —
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	11 12	11 12	10 15	10 15
Southern—												
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 —	11 —	11 —	9 9	10 —
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 7	10 10	10 10	...	...
Mysore—												
Mysore	7 8	7 8	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Bangalore	7 —	7 —	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg	5 12	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 8	8 —	8 8	...	...	...	...
Aden	5 1	5 1	...	...	3 12	4 —	4 6	5 1	8 6	8 6	7 10	7 7

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Central Provinces —*continued*
												Central—
...	...	...	...	15 9	12 4	...	...	9 15	7 12	14 —	14 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	14 —	12 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	14 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	16 4	15 10	...	...	7 —	7 8	14 —	14 —	Damoh
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 —	...	...	11 —	10 —	14 —	13 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	11 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	10 14	9 8	...	...	7 13	7 13	12 —	9 4	Bálághát
...	...	...	...	10 8	9 10	...	...	7 4	6 11	11 11	12 11	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	8 2	8 2	13 13	13 13	Chánda
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	12 13	11 11	...	...	10 11	10 11	10 11	9 2	Biláspur
...	...	...	...		13 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	Raipur
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	...	...	9 —	...	12 —	11 8	Drug
												Berar—
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 12	10 12	Buldána
...	...	...	...	9 15	9 15	...	...	8 6	8 6	12 4	12 4	Akola
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	9 12	9 12	16 —	16 —	Amráoti
...	...	...	...	12 7	9 6	...	...	9 9	8 8	13 14	12 15	Yeotmal
												Hyderabad—
16 5	18 4	...	...	10 9	10 8	...	...	14 —	11 10	10 10	10 8	Secunderabad
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 13	15 12	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 6	14 6	S. Canara
												South, central—
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 7	14 14	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	Nilgiris
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 4	Salem
												Central—
15 13	15 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 5	14 5	Bellary
11 14	11 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	13 10	Anantapur
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 15	13 15	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 15	11 12	Karnul
												East Coast, north—
16 3	15 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 12	17 9	Ganjam
16 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Vizagapatam
15 13	15 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 3	Godavari
												East Coast, central—
12 12	13 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 10	Kistna
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 10	17 10	Guntur
..	12 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
12 2	12 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 5	21 14	Madras
11 10	11 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	17 8	Chingleput
14 1	13 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	13 13	N. Arcot
12 9	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	17 8	S. Arcot
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 15	15 14	Tanjore
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 12	14 12	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	18 11	Tinnevelly
10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 5	16 5	Madura
												Mysore—
16 —	16 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	Mysore
15 —	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	Bangalore
												Coorg—
16 —	16 —	...	...	18 —	13 8	...	...	6 4	6 8	13 8	13 8	Coorg
...	...	...	...	6 6	7 —	...	...	6 3	6 3	32 —	32 —	**Aden**

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA.

JOINT STOCK COMPANIES INCORPORATED AND REGISTERED IN BRITISH INDIA IN 1916-17.

The following statement shows the number of Joint Stock Companies registered, and the authorised capital invested therein, in British India during the year 1916-17, the figures for 1915-16 being added for purposes of comparison :—

Classification.	1915-16.		1916-17.	
	No. of Companies.	Authorised Capital.	No. of Companies.	Authorised Capital.
		R(1,000)		R(1,000)
Banking and Loan	17	31,61	23	2,94,90
Insurance	2	70	4	7,20
Navigation	1	40,00	1	25,00
Railways and Tramways	8	2,26,00	2	46,00
Shipping, Landing, and Warehousing	...	...	1	3,00
Printing, Publishing, and Stationery	5	5,65	6	7,75
Trading (other than those specified above)	43	1,28,64	58	5,17,82
Cotton mills	3	29,00	6	92,35
Jute mills	3	63,50	7	3,73,50
Cotton and Jute screws and presses	3	3,45	1	20
Flour mills	1	6,00	2	9,00
Rice mills	3	1,76	1	75
Saw mills	1	75,00	1	12,00
Mills and presses (other than those specified above)	1	20	2	27,50
Tea planting	10	29,50	33	1,14,10
Planting (other than tea)	4	9,20	2	15,00
Coal mining	9	17,48	16	68,60
Gold mining	...	...	1	3,50
Mining and Quarrying (other than coal and gold)	7	13,50	6	32,52
Land and Building	4	35,10	3	9,50
Others	2	30	5	48,20
TOTAL	1,27	7,16,59	1,76	17,07,99

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May 8, 1917.

WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA

RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY 1914 TO THE FIRST HALF OF APRIL 1917.

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A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914. Rs. A. P.	15th August 1914. Rs. A. P.	31st August 1914. Rs. A. P.	15th September 1914. Rs. A. P.	30th September 1914. Rs. A. P.	15th October 1914. Rs. A. P.	31st October 1914. Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3	4 12 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11	4 3 6
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 8	4 14 0	5 2 6
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9	4 3 3
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 3 0
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 2 0
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 14 6
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	4 2 0
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6	3 12 0
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 11 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5	4 7 6
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8	4 13 8
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 9 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0	4 2 0
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 13 6
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 2 3
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 8 1
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1	4 9 1
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	4 1 7
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7	5 5 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 1 0
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...	...
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7	4 12 4
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Dharwar (Hubli)	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4	4 12 4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 8 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	5 0 0
	Cuttack	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4	5 1 4
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay	4 8 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5	4 9 0
	Index Numbers (a).	100	100	102	103	104	105	110

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from *fortnightly* returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay, and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅞ lbs.

FORTNIGHT ENDING											
15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5 3 9	5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3	5 4 3	4 12 3
4 9 5	4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7	4 15 2	4 11 1
5 5 0	5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	5 3 6	4 13 0
4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 8	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 3 3
4 11 0	4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0
4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 1 0
4 7 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	3 13 0
4 3 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0	4 8 0	4 6 6
5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0	5 4 0	3 12 0
5 6 0	5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0	5 0 0	4 7 1
4 9 10	4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10	4 15 3	4 13 11
5 5 8	5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2	4 8 8	4 3 6
5 4 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	4 9 0	4 5 0
4 13 6	5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 3	6 2 6	4 8 6	4 0 0
4 10 0	5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 2 0
5 5 6	5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4	4 11 3	4 7 1
4 7 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	5 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3	4 9 2	4 5 6
5 0 0	5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 5 3	4 5 3
4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7	4 5 0	4 5 0
4 13 7	4 13 7	5 3 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4	4 8 2	4 8 2
4 8 0	4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5	4 0 0	4 0 0
5 2 0	5 5 7	4 15 3	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5	4 6 0	4 9 0
3 15 7	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10	4 8 7	4 8 7
4 5 6	4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2	5 2 0	4 15 6
...	5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2	5 7 10	5 6 2
...	...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 3 3	5 3 3	4 8 4	4 6 6	4 1 1	...
5 2 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0
4 10 3	4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6	3 3 5	3 7 0
4 6 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0	4 6 0	4 9 0
4 11 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0	4 8 0	4 8 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0
5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 14 0
5 4 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6	4 11 3	5 1 3
5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 12 5	4 12 5
4 12 5	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0	4 11 3	4 8 0
115	121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121	114	109

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	FORTNIGHT ENDING 15th May 1915			31st May 1915.			15th June 1915.			30th June 1915.			15th July 1915.			31st July 1915.			15th August 1915.			31st August 1915.			15th September 1915.			30th September 1915.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	4	7	9	4	9	3	4	5	3	4	4	3	4	6	3	4	5	9	4	5	9	4	8	3	4	12	3	4	12	3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pissy).	4	12	7	4	15	[illegible]	4	9	10		...			...			...			...		5	3	0	5	4	4	5	0	3
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4	6	0	4	9	0	4	6	6	4	8	0	4	12	0	4	12	6	4	14	0	4	15	0	5	2	6	5	1	0
Punjab	Lahore	3	7	6	3	13	6	3	11	6	3	11	6	4	0	0	4	3	3	4	11	3	4	9	3	4	9	3	4	7	0
	Ferozepur	3	10	0	3	11	3	3	13	0	3	13	0	4	0	0	4	1	6	4	5	3	4	5	3	4	7	0	4	7	0
	Lyallpur	3	11	0	3	4	6	3	9	0	3	12	0	4	0	0	4	1	6	4	5	0	4	7	6	4	6	0	4	4	0
	Amritsar	3	7	9	3	12	3	3	12	0	3	12	0	3	14	0	4	0	0	4	4	3	4	6	0	4	9	8	4	8	0
	Multan	3	7	6	3	14	0	3	11	6	3	10	0	3	13	0	3	13	0	3	14	6	4	0	0	4	3	3	4	8	0
	Rawalpindi	[illegible]	10	0	3	13	6	3	13	6	3	11	0	4	6	0	4	7	0	4	7	0	4	6	0	4	10	0	4	7	0
	Ambala	3	14	0	3	15	6	3	15	6	3	15	6	4	5	0	4	7	0	4	10	0	4	9	0	4	12	0	4	12	0
Delhi	Delhi	4	1	6	4	3	0	4	3	0	4	3	0	4	9	0	4	9	0	4	13	6	4	11	0	4	11	0	4	12	6
United Provinces	Benares	4	8	8	4	7	6	4	5	0	4	6	5	4	6	5	4	6	5	4	9	4	4	9	4	4	9	4	4	10	6
	Aligarh (Hathras)	[illegible]	0	2	3	14	1	3	14	5	4	3	5	4	9	4	4	7	5	4	11	9	4	7	10	4	11	3	4	9	3
	Cawnpore	[illegible]	4	0	4	5	0	4	5	0	4	7	0	4	9	0	4	9	0	4	13	6	4	11	3	4	13	6	4	14	0
	Meerut	3	14	6	3	14	6	3	13	0	3	13	0	4	3	6	4	7	8	4	13	6	4	7	0	4	5	0	4	7	0
	Shahjahanpur	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	2	0	4	4	0	4	8	0	4	9	0	4	10	0	4	10	0
	Agra	3	12	11	4	5	2	4	4	8	4	9	1	4	7	1	4	13	6	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	2	6
	Fyzabad	4	5	0	4	7	0	4	9	0	4	9	0	4	9	6	4	10	0	4	11	6	4	11	3	4	11	6	4	13	0
	Lucknow	4	2	6	4	4	3	4	7	1	4	7	1	4	7	1	4	7	1	4	7	1	4	9	2	4	9	2	4	13	6
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4	1	11	4	3	5	4	3	6	4	5	0	4	5	10	4	7	2	4	12	0	4	12	10	4	12	10	4	12	10
	Jubbulpore	4	3	7	4	5	2	4	5	2	4	8	2	4	8	2	4	8	2	4	3	5	4	8	2	4	8	2	4	13	7
	Raipur	4	0	0	4	0	0	4	1	10	4	4	10	4	7	2	4	7	2	4	12	10	4	11	2	4	11	2	4	11	2
	Akola	4	8	10	4	2	10	4	2	10	3	15	7	3	15	7	3	14	5	3	15	7	3	15	7	3	15	7	3	15	7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3	11	8	3	4	6	3	8	10	3	8	10	3	13	4	4	1	7	4	6	2	4	6	2	4	6	2	4	8	2
Baluchistan	Quetta	4	13	6	4	11	2	4	10	0	4	7	3	4	0	5	3	15	6	4	1	1	4	2	0	4	2	6	4	3	3
Bombay	Poona	5	10	6	5	6	2	5	1	11	5	1	4	5	4	1	5	4	1	5	5	1		...		5	8	11	5	8	11
	Ahmednagar	4	11	11	4	10	1	4	8	4	4	10	1	4	13	9	4	14	8	4	6	9	4	15	7	4	11	11	4	15	6
	Ahmedabad	4	14	0	4	14	0	4	10	0	4	12	0	4	12	0	4	12	0	5	4	0	5	2	6	5	5	4	5	5	4
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3	10	6	3	8	1	3	7	0	3	11	9	3	8	1	3	8	1	3	9	3	3	10	8	3	12	9	3	12	1
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4	7	0	4	6	0	4	6	0	4	6	0	4	8	0	4	11	0	4	14	0	4	8	0	4	11	0	5	0	0
	Bhagalpur	4	7	0	4	[illegible]	0	4	10	0	4	8	0	4	8	0	4	8	0	4	13	0	4	14	3	5	5	0	5	0	7
	Muzaffarpur	5	0	0	4	7	0	4	7	0	4	7	0	4	10	9	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0
	Ranchi	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	4	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	10	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	12	0	5	12	0
	Cuttack	5	1	3	5	[illegible]	3	5	1	3	4	11	3	4	11	3	5	1	3	5	1	3	5	1	3	5	1	3	5	1	3
Bengal	Rangpur	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	8	0	5	4	0	5	4	0	5	4	0	5	4	0	5	4	0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5
	Mandalay	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	7	6	5	7	6	5	2	7
	(Median Average)	4	4	0	4	5	2	4	5	0	4	6	2	4	7	1	4	7	4	4	11	9	4	9	3	4	11	3	4	13	10
	Index Numbers (a)	103			104			104			106			107			108			114			111			114			116		

* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100

India per maund of 82⅓ lbs—*contd.*

Fortnight ending													
15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9	3 11 8
4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 4 0
5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	4 4 0
4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 6 3
4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 6 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9	3 7 9
4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	3 0 0
4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 5 0
4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 2 3
4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0
4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 6 0
4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 13 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0
4 12 11	4 1[illegible] 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 10	4 11 0	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2	4 1 2
4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 13 1
4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0
4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0	3 9 0
4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6	3 4 0
5 2 6	5 8 3	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 1 7
5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6	3 13 6
4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6	3 7 8
4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2	4 0 0
4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2	3 7 7
4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	...	4 6 5	4 0 [illegible]	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2
4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 12 4
4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 [illegible]	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4
4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0	4 6 0
5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11	4 6 0
5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11	...	4 3 1	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 11 8
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	4 6 0
3 14 11	3 12 1	3 11 11	3 15 9	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 [illegible]	3 2 3	3 0 10	3 15 11	3 1 10
4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 1 4
[illegible] 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
3 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 8	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 5 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1
4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 [illegible]	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
115	117	118	117	117	118	117	117	114	113	[illegible]	[illegible]	92	92

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.
		Fortnight ending									
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	3 12 8	3 12 9	3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 8	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 4 8	4 5 5	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 8	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 0 0	4 2 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 8	3 10 8	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6
	Ferozepur	3 5 8	3 5 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3
	Lyallpur	3 2 0	3 3 0	3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0
	Amritsar	3 1 0	3 5 3	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0
	Multan	3 2 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6
	Rawalpindi	3 10 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0
	Ambala	3 5 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
Delhi	Delhi	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 6	3 11 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 1 2	3 14 11	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8
	Aligarh (Hathras)	3 13 1	3 13 1	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	4 1 8
	Cawnpore	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Meerut	3 7 9	3 9 0	3 10 5	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3
	Shahjahanpur	3 3 0	3 5 6	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6	3 11 6	3 11 9
	Agra	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2
	Fyzabad	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9
	Lucknow	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
Central Provinces and Berar	Nagpur	3 14 5	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7
	Jubbulpore	3 5 4	3 4 2	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	3 14 5
	Raipur	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7
	Akola	3 12 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 10
North-West Frontier Province	Peshawar	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 6 0	4 6 1	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	4 12 0
Bombay	Poona	4 4 11	4 4 11	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 3 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8
	Ahmednagar	3 9 10	3 14 2	3 9 10	3 11 2	...	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10
	Ahmedabad	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 4 0
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 5 10	3 0 11	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6
	Bhagalpur	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Ranchi	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0
	Cuttack	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4
Bengal	Rangpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
	Mandalay	4 8 1	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 14 6	4 14 6	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9
	(Median Average)	3 13 0	3 13 1	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9
	Index Numbers (b)	92	92	92	90	93	92	94	97	97	95

* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.
(a) Prices at ports after 15th April, 1917.

Ports	Rate per	On 20th April 1917.	On 27th April 1917.	On 4th May 1917.	On 11th May 1917.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Karachi (white)	Maund	4 13 3	4 13 8	4 10 3	4 6 3
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	,,	4 10 2	4 9 10	4 9 6	4 11 8
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	,,	4 7 0	4 4 0	4 4 6	4 4 6

(b) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—*concld.*

Fortnight ending: 15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917	31st March 1917.	15th April 1917.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th Ap. 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	R. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
4 4 9	4 7 3	4 9 3	4 13 3	4 13 9	4 14 9	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 12 9	4 13 6	4 13 3	4 12 3	4 13 3	+1
4 4 10	4 6 6	4 9 6	4 14 10	4 13 0	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 8 9	4 10 7	4 9 10	4 10 9	4 9 10	4 10 11	+1
4 4 6	4 4 6	4 10 0	5 2 6	5 0 0	...	4 13 0	4 10 0	4 11 0	4 13 0	4 14 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	+3
3 14 3	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 9 8	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	*Nil*
3 10 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 1 9	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 1 9	3 14 6	−5
3 11 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	4 6 0	4 1 0	4 3 0	4 7 0	4 4 6	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 3 6	4 0 0	4 1 0	+2
3 11 6	3 12 0	3 9 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	4 3 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 1 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	+2
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	*Nil*
3 12 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	4 10 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	−3
3 14 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 12 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	+2
3 11 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	5 0 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	*Nil*
4 0 8	3 15 9	3 14 11	3 14 11	4 14 3	4 12 11	4 10 6	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 10	4 5 0	4 3 1	−3
3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 9	4 11 7	4 6 11	4 8 11	4 8 11	4 5 2	4 5 4	4 5 5	4 5 4	4 3 8	3 14 6	−8
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 14 0	−13
3 11 3	3 11 6	4 0 0	5 2 9	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 11 3	5 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 0	4 1 6	−5
3 11 6	3 10 0	3 14 6	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 6	4 1 9	3 12 0	−9
4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 9 1	−6
4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 5 6	4 9 3	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 5 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 1 9	4 1 7	4 0 0	−2
3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 2	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 7 1	4 0 0	3 12 11	−5
3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 3 5	4 1 11	3 13 2	4 0 4	+5
3 12 2	3 11 6	4 0 10	4 6 0	4 7 1	4 6 0	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 4 4	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 2	4 1 8	−5*
3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	4 8 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 10	3 12 10	*Nil*
3 7 10	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 4 8	3 4 8	3 7 6	+5
3 8 8	3 10 4	3 12 7	4 4 3	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 5 8	4 4 9	4 8 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 7	4 10 2	+2
4 11 0	4 15 0	4 13 0	5 0 3	5 3 3	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	*Nil*
4 11 7	4 11 7	...	4 11 9	4 12 8	...	4 11 7	4 10 5	...	4 11 7	4 13 9	4 11 7		...
3 9 5	3 8 11	3 8 1	3 10 9	3 11 3	3 8 1	3 8 11	3 4 5	4 1 1	3 13 6	3 13 0	3 9 11	3 15 5	+9
4 2 0	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	−10
3 2 10	3 8 2	3 10 6	3 8 2	...	3 11 11	3 4 10	3 2 4	3 8 2	4 0 2	3 5 11	3 3 10	9 4	+11
3 4 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	3 15 0	−11
3 14 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 12 0	−14
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0†	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	*Nil*
4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 1 5	5 1 5	5 1 5	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 8	4 5 8	*Nil*
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	*Nil*
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	*Nil*
4 14 9	4 14 9	5 0 8	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 4 3	3 14 1	3 8 7	3 5 7	3 8 7	3 10 10	3 11 1	3 14 1	*Nil*
3 14 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 0	4 7 6	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 6 2	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 [illegible]	−6
94	94	97	110	108	107	110	107	103	106	106	104	98	

† Revised figure.

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th April as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	31st March	15th April	Increase or Decrease.	31st March	15th April	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	94	—6	100	97	—3
Punjab . . .	100	99	—1	100	98	—2
United Provinces .	100	93	—7	100	97	—3
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	103	+3	100	98	—2

B.—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.	31st October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0	7 8
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0	9 4
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 4
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 4
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4	9 8
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4	9 8
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 4
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13	8 8
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 0
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 8
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 1¼	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4	9 8
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8
Central Provinces and Berar	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 4
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5¼	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	6 13
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Index Numbers (a)	100	108	103	106	106	109	112

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head-quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, being taken as 100.

* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending											
15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 3	5 8	5 14	5 14
6 14	6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12	8 0	9 0
8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12	8 0	9 8
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12	7 14	8 8
9 4	9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 14
8 4	8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 8	9 8
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12	9 0	10 4
7 12	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8	7 8	10 4
7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0	7 12	9 0
8 6	8 1⅓	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5	7 13	7 13
7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 12	7 12	8 8	9 0
8 0	7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4	8 4	9 12
7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 8
7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0	9 0	9 0
7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14	8 2	8 14
8 8	8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4	8 12	9 10
8 12	7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2	8 8	8 12
8 5	8 5	8 3	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15	8 15	8 15
8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4	8 8	8 8
8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0	9 12	9 8
7 6	7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6	5 6	7 6
9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2	8 7	8 7
9 4	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10½	8 2¾	7 4	7 1	7 8¼	7 15	8 1
6 13	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2	6 13	7 2
8 2	8 2	8 2	5 14	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2
7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8	8 0	8 0
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0	10 8	10 8
9 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	7 3	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8	8 12	8 8
8 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4	8 12	8 14
8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	7 8	7 8
7 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 4	8 0	8 4	8 0
7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9	8 8	7 14
7 4	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 6	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 12	6 13	6 13	5 10	5 10	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	[illegible] 14	6 8	6 8	[illegible] 14	7 5	7 12	8 0	8 0
8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12	8 4	8 [illegible]
120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	123	119	112

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0
	Bombay *	5 14	5 14	5 11	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 3
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12
	Ferozepur	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12	9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12
	Amritsar	11 4	10 6	10 10	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12
	Rawalpindi	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8
	Lyallpur	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
	Multan	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14
	Ambala	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2
Delhi	Delhi	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0
United Provinces.	Benares	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15
	Cawnpore	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0
	Meerut	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8	8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12
	Agra	...	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8
	Lucknow	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Aligarh	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14	9 10	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12
	Fyzabad	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Raipur	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Akola	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14
Baluchistan	Quetta	8 4	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0	10 2	9 13½	9 11½	9 10½	9 8½
Bombay	Poona	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 3	7 3
	Ahmednagar	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0
	Dharwar	10 6	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12
	Bhagalpur	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14
	Muzaffarpur	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
	Ranchi	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12
	Cuttack	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5
	(Median Average)	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0
	Index Numbers (a)	106	106	108	109	112	112	116	116	116	120

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1914, being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* [**The figures state quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas.**]

FORTNIGHT ENDING													
15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0
5 8	5 8	5 3	5 3	5 8	5 3	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5	7 10
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 8
8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 0
9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8	11 12
8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8	11 0
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	13 0
8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12	12 4
8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12	11 8
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	10 0
7 13	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1	9 8	8 15
8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 8
8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8	11 0
7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 4
8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8	11 0
8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0
8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10	11 12
7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 4
8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0	9 11
8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12	11 4
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4	11 4
8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7	10 8
8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0	10 0
9 8	9 0½	8 4½	8 4½	8 6	8 9½	8 8½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4	9 1
7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6
7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14	8 2	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5
8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12	10 0
7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0	10 0
7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 3	9 3	9 13
5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 12
8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 1	10 0	10 0	10 0
118	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	118	116	106	96	96	96

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.
		Fortnight ending									
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Bombay*	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 8
	Ferozepore	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 12
	Amritsar	12 12	11 12	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	11 8
	Rawalpindi	10 12	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 6
	Lyallpur	12 12	12 8	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	10 8
	Multan	12 4	11 8	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 8
	Ambala	11 12	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	10 6
Delhi	Delhi	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4
United Provinces	Benares	...	9 12	9 12	...	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	9 8
	Cawnpore	10 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Meerut	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 8
	Agra	9 4	9 0	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 6	9 0
	Lucknow	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12
	Aligarh	11 0	11 0	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	10 0
	Shahjahanpur	12 8	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Fyzabad	11 0	10 10	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	9 14
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3
	Jubbulpore	11 14	11 14	12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Raipur	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0
	Akola	10 8	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	9 11
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4
Baluchistan	Quetta	9 1	9 0¾	9 0	9 0	9 2½	8 15	8 10	8 5¼	8 4	8 6
Bombay	Poona	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	8 6
	Ahmednagar	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8
	Dharwar	10 14	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3	11 3	11 3
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
	Bhagalpur	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 2
	Muzaffarpur	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Ranchi	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 12
	Cuttack	9 13	9 13	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12
	(Median Average)	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0
	Index Numbers (a)	92	96	96	92	94	96	96	98	97	96

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1914, being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*concld.* **[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]**

Fortnight ending													Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th April 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917	15th March 1917.	31st March. 1917.	15th April 1917.	
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	—6
7 10	7 10	7 10	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	*Nil*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 0	9 12	9 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	*Nil*
10 12	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	10 0	– 5
10 12	10 9	10 12	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 1	9 4	9 7	9 7	9 9	10 0	9 14	+1
10 6	10 10	9 14	8 6	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 10	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	—3
10 11	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 8	9 4	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 12	9 12	*Nil*
10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
10 4	10 4	10 0	8 2	8 10	8 10	8 6	8 6	8 8	8 8	8 14	10 0	9 12	+3
10 4	9 8	9 8	7 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 3	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	*Nil*
9 10	9 10	9 12	9 3	7 15	7 15	8 4	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 13	9 1	9 1	*Nil*
9 8	9 8	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	10 0	—15
10 8	10 8	9 12	7 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	9 8	—5
9 0	9 0	8 12	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 12	7 8	7 12	8 0	7 12	8 4	—6
10 0	10 0	9 14	8 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	9 12	10 4	—5
9 12	9 12	9 8	9 0	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	0 0	8 4	9 4	9 4	10 12	—14
10 10	10 12	10 6	9 0	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	–5
9 12	10 0	10 0	8 14	8 4	8 10	8 6	8 10	8 10	8 14	8 14	9 12	9 12	*Nil*
10 3	10 3	10 3	8 15	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 3	9 9	+7
10 6	10 8	9 10	9 0	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 11	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 8	—5
11 0	11 0	11 0	8 2	9 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 2	10 2	*Nil*
9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	10 12*	*Nil*
11 4	10 14	10 7	9 5	9 5	9 3	9 2	9 3	8 11	8 10	8 10	8 12	8 9	+2
8 8	8 1½	8 1½	7 15¾	7 11	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	*Nil*
8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	*Nil*
10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 2	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	10 2	10 2	9 7	+7
9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	– 12
11 3	11 3	11 3	10 11	10 4	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	10 4	10 11	10 11	*Nil*
12 0	11 8	11 8	10 8	9 0	9 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	—10
10 5	9 6	8 0	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 6	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	10 8	—14
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
9 12	9 12	9 8	7 8	7 7	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	*Nil*
9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 3	9 3	*Nil*
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	*Nil*
7 12	7 12	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 14	9 9	10 5	10 12	10 5	10 5	9 9	9 9	*Nil*
10 0	10 0	9 12	8 8	8 9	8 10	8 8	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 11	9 3	9 8	—3
96	96	98	112	112	111	112	111	109	108	108	104	101	

* Under enquiry.

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th April as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	31st March	15th April	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	31st March	15th April	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . .	100	97	—3	100	100	*Nil*
Punjab . .	100	97	– 3	100	100	*Nil*
United Provinces .	100	93	– 7	100	98	—2
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	103	+3	100	98	—2

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending 30th July 1914=100]

Date.	Karachi. White (5% barley, 8% dirt, and 30% red). Price.	Karachi. White. Index Numbers.	Karachi. Red (5% barley, 3% dirt, and 92% red). Price.	Karachi. Red. Index Numbers.	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pissi). Price.	Bombay. Index Numbers.	Calcutta Club No. 2. Price.	Calcutta. Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 30th July 1914	31 6	100	31 3	100	32 9	100	34 9¼	100
" 6th August "	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9¼	100
" 3rd September "	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
" 1st October "	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...	...
" 5th November "	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8¼	120
" 3rd December "	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
" 30th " "	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	...
" 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
" 4th February "	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
" 25th " "	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10	146
" 4th March "	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
" 1st April "	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8¼	109	40 10½	117
" 6th May "	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
" 3rd June "	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
" 2nd July "	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	...	35 10½	103
" 23rd " "	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
" 6th August "	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7¼	111
" 27th " "	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
" 3rd September "	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
" 20th " "	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
" 8th October "	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
" 5th November "	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	122
" 3rd December "	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
" 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	122
" 4th February "	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
" 3rd March "	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
" 7th April "	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
" 5th May "	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11	95
" 12th " "	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5	93
" 2nd June "	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
" 9th " "	30 0	95	29 9	95	32 3	98	33 11	95
" 16th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	32 7	99	32 8	94
" 23rd " "	28 6	90	28 3	90	32 7	99	32 2	92
" 30th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
" 7th July "	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	3[illegible] 5	93
" 14th " "	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2	95
" 21st " "	32 9	104	32 6	104	34 5	105	32 8	94
" 28th " "	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96
" 4th August "	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
" 11th " "	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
" 18th " "	35 3	112	34 3	110	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 25th " "	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 31st " "	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2¼	111	33 4½	96
" 8th September "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7¼	112	34 1½	98
" 15th " "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	35 10½	110	34 1½	98
" 22nd " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
" 29th " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 5th October "	34 0	108	33 0	106	33 8	103	...	...
" 13th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 20th " "	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½	98
" 27th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½	98
" 3rd November "	36 3	115	35 3	113	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 10th " "	36 9	117	35 9	114	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 17th " "	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 7	112	36 10	106
" 24th " "	37 9	120	36 9	118	39 2	120	37 10	109
" 1st December "	38 6	122	37 6	120	39 3	120	41 1	118
" 8th " "	38 9	123	37 9	121	39 4	120	40 7	117
" 15th " "	38 9	123	37 9	121	38 4	117	39 10	114
" 22nd " "	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 0	116	38 10	112
" 29th " "	39 3	125	38 3	122	37 5	114	...	...
" 5th January 1917	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 1	116	39 4	113
" 12th " "	40 6	129	39 6	126	38 2	117	38 4	110
" 19th " "	40 3	128	39 3	126	37 6	114	37 4	107
" 26th " "	40 6	129	39 6	126	36 3	111	36 10	106
" 2nd February "	40 0	127	39 0	125	36 8	112	36 10	106
" 9th " "	39 6	125	38 6	123	37 2	113	36 10	106
" 16th " "	38 3	121	37 3	119	37 2	113	37 4	107
" 23rd " "	39 0	124	38 0	122	37 2	113	37 10	109
" 2nd March "	38 7½	123	37 7½	120	36 9	112	38 4	110
" 9th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	37 10	109
" 16th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 3	114	39 1	112
" 23rd " "	38 3	121	37 3	119	36 3	111	36 7	105
" 30th " "	38 0	121	37 0	118	36 9	112	36 4	104
" 6th April "	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	37 4	107
" 13th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 4	114	37 4	107
" 20th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	35 5	102
" 27th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	36 6	112	33 11	97
" 4th May "	37 0	117	36 0	115	36 7	112	34 2	98
" 11th " "	35 0	111	34 0	109	37 8	115	34 2	98

NOTE.—The Indian price quotations are market and not F. O. B. prices. The source of these quotations is the Price Current

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN LONDON.

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades, taken as 100.]

Date.	Choice White Karachi.		Red Karachi.		Delhi.		Choice White Bombay.		Club No. 1.		Club No. 2.	
	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.	Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-Aug.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st August "	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd September 1914	46 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October "	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November "	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December "	50 6	128	50 0	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th " "	Nominal	...	...	...	50 9 May-June	100	...	...	...	...	50 6 April-May sellers.	100
30th " "	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	103
8th January 1915	52 3 Do.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	106
4th February "	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th " "	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 [illegible] Mar.-April.	128
4th March "	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	118
8th April "	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	127
6th May "	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	129
12th " "	68 9 Do.	161	63 3 Do.	126	64 3 Do.	127	68 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June "	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	121
2nd July "	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do	104
23rd " "	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	110
6th August "	56 6	143	56 1¼	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
27th " "	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
3rd September "	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	...	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
From 24th Sept. 15 to 18th April 16.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd and 9th June 1916	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th June 1916	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23rd " "	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th " "	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 29th June to 7th July '16.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916	58 6 July-Aug.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd " "	59 0 Do.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th " "	61 3 July-Aug. sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th August "	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th " "	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th " "	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers	137	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25th " "	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31st " "	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th September "	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15th " "	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd " "	71 0 Do.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th " "	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October "	72 3 Oct. paid	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th " "	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21st " "	75 6 Do.	191	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th " "	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd November "	79 0 paid.	200	Do.	...	79 6 sellers.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
10th " "	80 0 passage.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Noml.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th " "	80 3 Nov.-Dec. sellers.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
24th " "	81 0 paid	205	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st December "	82 0 buyers.	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th and 15th Dec. 1916	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th December 1916	82 0 paid.	208	81 6 paid.	163	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd December '16 to 12th January 1917.	No sellers.	...	Nominal.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th " "	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
26th " "	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd February " to 30th March "	82 0 Feb.-Mar. & Mar April.	208	No sellers	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th April "	83 0 April-May	210	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
13th Apl. to 4th May 17	85 0 " "	215	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	87 6	129	...	...	...	...
5th to 11th May 1917	86 9 May-June quoted.	220	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	87 6	129	...	...	...	...

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TARIFF VALUATION OF SUGAR.

The following statement shows in respect of each of the descriptions of sugar distinguished in the Tariff Schedule II (excepting molasses and all other kinds of sugar), *first*, the total imports into India in the month of April 1917, and the average value per cwt. as calculated on the returns received from the Customs Houses; and, *secondly*, a running total showing the total imports into India since the beginning of the year (1st October to 30th September) and the average net value per cwt. so far established. It is published in conformity with the procedure laid down in Customs Circular No. V of 1911, in order to enable merchants to compute the probable rate of duty for the year 1918 :—

Description of sugar.	Imported during the month of April 1917.		Imported since 1st October 1916.	
	Quantity	Average net value per cwt.	Quantity.	Average net value per cwt.
	Cwt.	R a.	Cwt.	R a.
Sugar, crystallised, beet	...	...	2	20 0
" " and soft, refined in China	3,384	19 12	63,503	19 0
" " " " from Japan	29,407	18 0	234,806	18 4
" " " " from Egypt	...	...	...	...
" " " " from Java, 23 Dutch Standard and above.	418,622	17 8	3,398,596	17 8
" " " " from Java, 16 to 22 Dutch Standard.	108,690	16 0	1,770,570	16 0
" " " " from Java, 15 Dutch Standard and under.	...	...	...	...
" " " " from Mauritius equal to 16 Dutch Standard and over.	32,049	17 4	300,569	17 4

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CALCUTTA:
The 17th May 1917.

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IMPORTS INTO CHIEF PORTS DURING MARCH, 1917

RETURN SHOWING the QUANTITIES of the PRINCIPAL STAPLES of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE IMPORTED into CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, KARACHI and MADRAS PORTS by RAIL, RIVER and SEA during MARCH, 1917

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TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SELECTED ARTICLES IN MARCH, 1917.

The object of the tables below is to show the quantities of the principal staples of agricultural produce imported from the various provinces, etc., and from foreign countries into the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, Karachi, and into the Madras ports during the month of March, 1917, and for the twelve months, April 1916 to March 1917, as compared with the corresponding periods of the year 1915-16. The statistics include foreign sea-borne and coasting trade as well as inland (rail and river-borne) trade. They have been furnished by Collectors of Customs, Steamer Companies, Railway Audit Officers, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, etc.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN MARCH 1916 AND 1917.

It will be seen from Table I, that the imports by rail, river, and sea in March 1917, as against the corresponding month of 1916 show (in round numbers) a decrease of—

52 per cent in rape and mustard seed.
(12,000 tons as against 25,300 tons last year.)

36 per cent in rice (including paddy).
(109,500 tons as against 170,500 tons last year.)

31 per cent in jute.
(253,700 bales as against 370,100 bales last year.)

14 per cent in raw cotton.
(438,800 bales as against 508,200 bales last year.)

8 per cent in linseed
(21,200 tons as against 22,900 tons last year.)

The imports of tea by rail, river, and sea into Calcutta show an increase of 774 per cent (16,150,500 lbs. as against 1,847,700 lbs. last year) due mainly to larger exports from Assam and Bengal. The increase of 131 per cent (102,200 tons as against 44,100 tons last year) in the imports of wheat (excluding wheat flour) into ports is accounted for by larger exports mainly from the Punjab, the United Provinces, and the Central Provinces and Berar. The imports of gram and pulse show an increase of 57 per cent (60,200 tons as against 38,300 tons last year), owing mainly to larger exports from the Punjab and Rajputana and Central India.

It will be seen from Table IV (wheat, excluding wheat flour) that the principal source of the imports in March 1916 was the Punjab. During the corresponding month of 1917, the provinces from which the ports received their supplies were mainly the Punjab (41 per cent of the total), the United Provinces (23 per cent), and the Central Provinces and Berar (18 per cent). Table XI shows the *exports* out of India of wheat (including wheat flour) month by month during the last six years.

NOTE.—One bale of cotton or jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.
One maund is equivalent to 82⅕ lbs.
One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice

GENERAL RESULTS—TWELVE MONTHS' IMPORTS INTO THE PORTS FROM UP COUNTRY, ETC, THIS YEAR AND LAST YEAR.

The twelve months' figures in table I show (in round numbers) an increase of—

58 per cent in linseed.
(356,200 tons as against 225,100 tons last year.)

18 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour).
(1,254,600 tons as against 1,063,000 tons last year.)

15 per cent in gram and pulse.
(496,300 tons as against 4[illegible]0,200 tons last year.)

5 per cent in rape and mustard seed.
(174,300 tons as against 165,900 tons last year.)

The imports of raw cotton by rail, river, and sea into ports show a decrease of 25 per cent (3,146,200 bales as against 4,177,400 bales last year), mainly on account of smaller exports from Bombay, the Central Provinces and Berar, and the Nizam's Territory. The decrease of 22 per cent (1,116,400 tons as against 1,436,900 tons last year) in rice (including paddy) is mainly accounted for by smaller exports from Burma and Madras. The imports of jute into Calcutta show a decrease of 12 per cent (5,199,800 bales as against 5,938,500 bales last year) owing mainly to smaller exports from Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. The fall of 10 per cent (251,378,000 lbs as against 277,939,600 lbs last year) in the imports of tea is mainly due to smaller exports from Assam.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN MARCH 1917 AS COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS MONTH.

As compared with February 1917, the imports in March 1917 into the ports referred to above show (in round numbers) an increase of—

131 per cent in linseed
(21,200 tons as against 9,000 tons previous month.)

111 per cent in tea.
(16,150,500 lbs as against 7,657,500 lbs previous month.)

73 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour).
(102,200 tons as against 59,000 tons previous month.)

48 per cent in raw cotton
(438,800 bales as against 296,200 bales previous month.)

17 per cent in rape and mustard seed.
(12,000 tons as against 10,200 tons previous month.)

17 per cent in gram and pulse.
(60,200 tons as against 51,300 tons previous month.)

7 per cent in rice (including paddy.)
(109,500 tons as against 102,600 tons previous month.)

and a decrease of—

4 per cent in jute
(253,700 bales as against 265,400 bales previous month.)

The Statistics for March, 1916 and 1917, as also for the twelve months ending March 1916 and 1917, together with those for February 1917 and March 1917, are summarised below :—

SUMMARY TABLE I.

(1) Articles	(2) Imports, March 1916	(3) Imports, March 1917	(4) Imports, April 1915 to March 1916	(5) Imports, April 1916 to March 1917	(6) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in March 1917, as compared with March 1916	(7) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in twelve months, April 1916 to March 1917 as compared with twelve months April 1915 to March 1916
	bales	bales	bales	bales	Per cent	Per cent
Cotton, raw . . .	508,164	438,772	4,177,430	3,146,214	—13·7	—24 7
	tons	tons	tons	tons		
Wheat (excluding wheat flour)	44,137	102,156	1,062,999	1,254,644	+131·5	+18
Rice (including paddy) .	170,522	109,492	1,436,887	1,116,412	—35·8	—22·3
Gram and Pulse . .	38,292	60,228	430,208	496,327	+57·3	+15·4
Linseed . . .	22,945	21,208	225,117	356,235	—7·6	+58 2
Rape and Mustard seed .	25,332	12,031	165,948	174,282	—52·5	+5
	bales	bales	bales	bales		
Jute	370,085	253,735	5,938,512	5,199,835	—31·4	—12·4
	lbs	lbs	lbs	lbs		
Tea	1,847,697	16,150,538	277,939,608	251,378,039	+774·1	—9·6

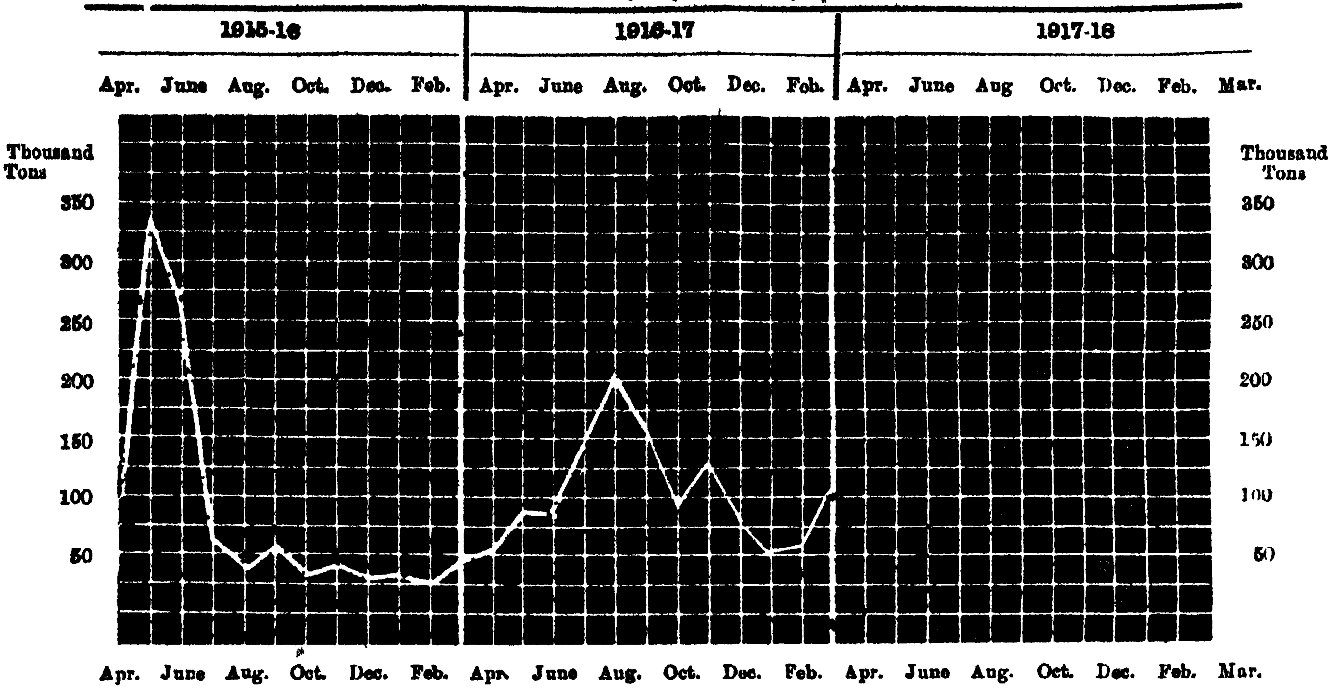
SUMMARY TABLE II.

Articles	Imports, February 1917	Imports, March 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—) of Imports in March 1917 as compared with February 1917
	bales	bales	Per cent
Cotton, raw	296,178	438,772	+48·1
	tons	tons	
Wheat (excluding wheat flour)	58,987	102,156	+73·2
Rice (including paddy)	102,622	109,492	+6·7
Gram and Pulse	51,336	60,228	+17·3
Linseed	9,046	21,208	+134·4
Rape and Mustard seed	10,242	12,031	+17·5
	bales	bales	
Jute	265,377	253,735	—4·4
	lbs	lbs	
Tea	7,657,546	16,150,538	+110·9

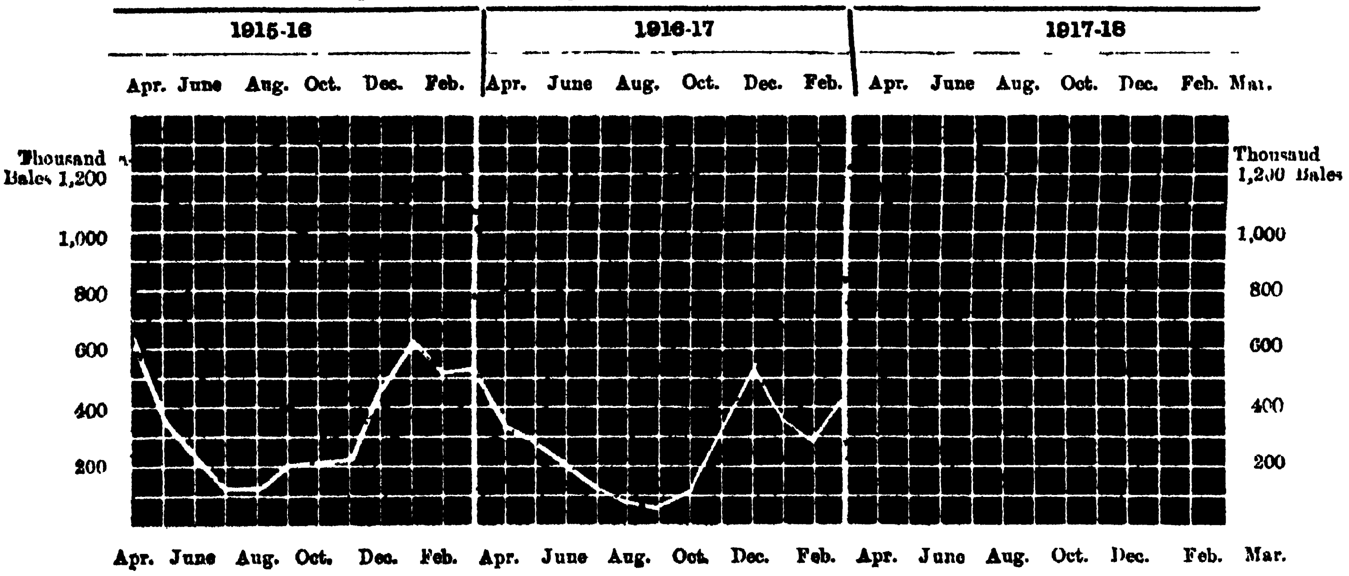
The annexed chart shows the course of the monthly imports of wheat, cotton, and jute from April 1915 to March 1917 :—

IMPORTS BY RAIL, RIVER, AND SEA OF WHEAT, COTTON, AND JUTE FROM APRIL 1915 TO MARCH 1917

WHEAT
Imported into Calcutta, City of Bombay, and Karachi



COTTON (RAW)
Imported into Calcutta, City of Bombay, Karachi, and Madras ports



JUTE (RAW)
Imported into Calcutta

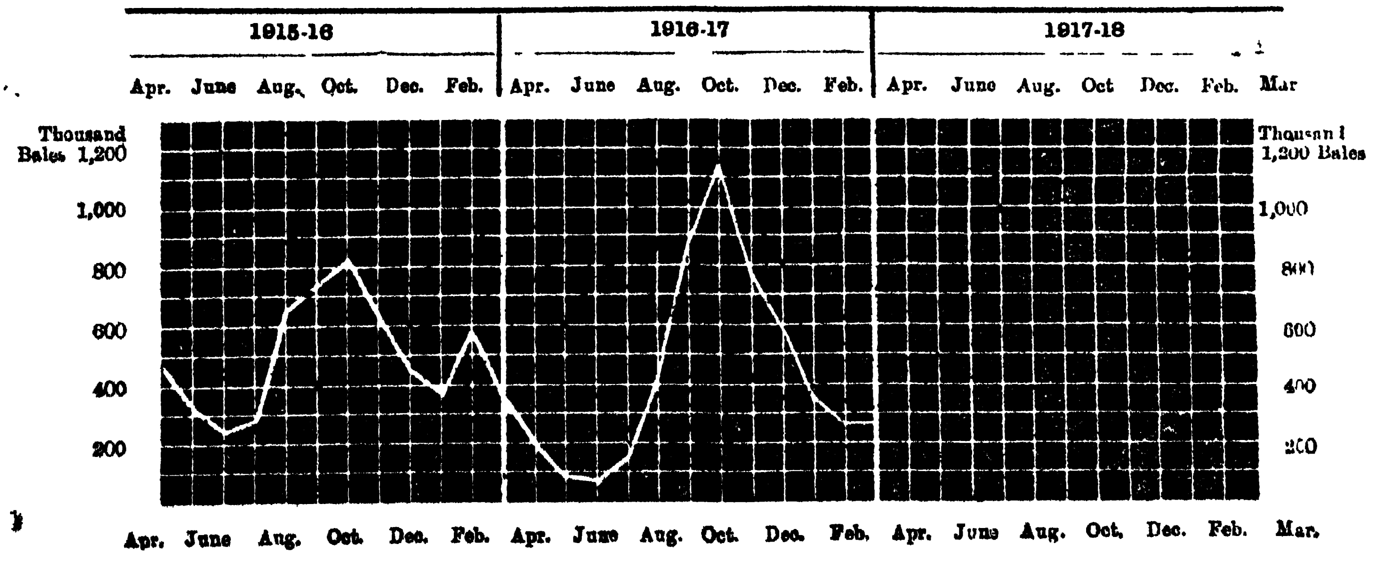


TABLE III.—Cotton, raw

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	City of Bombay 1916	City of Bombay 1917	Karachi 1916	Karachi 1917	Madras ports 1916	Madras ports 1917	Total 1916	Total 1917
Imports in March										
	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales
By Rail and River—										
Assam	75	180	...	...	...	...	...	...	75	180
Bengal	5,750	7,265	...	778	...	...	...	...	5,780	8,043
Bihar and Orissa	18	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	8
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	1,416	851	7,776	2,241	..	...	...	...	9,192	3,093
Punjab	...	354	10,856	38,613	19,886	14,308	...	...	30,742	53,275
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	..	...	...	9,288	21,676	...	...	9,288	21,676
Raj. and C. India	...	10	38,822	48,769	...	6	...	...	38,822	48,785
Bombay	988	504	163,429	136,866	...	26	3,981	586	168,398	137,982
Central Provinces and Berar	6,524	3,840	149,518	60,870	...	...	...	...	156,037	64,710
Nizam's Territory	...	215	41,886	15,753	...	...	572	859	42,458	16,827
Madras	141	328	6,454	8,565	...	...	5,388	19,497	11,983	28,390
Mysore	...	...	1,746	896	...	...	350	...	2,096	896
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..
TOTAL	14,937	13,550	420,482	313,871	29,119	36,016	10,241	20,922	474,779	383,859
By Sea—										
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	197	...	...	483	...	...	..	196	197	679
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	16,121	28,818	...	...	...	...	16,121	28,818
Madras	...	98	20	..	...	...	...	...	20	98
Burma	636	2,453	...	102	...	...	...	...	636	2,555
Non-Br. Ports in India	..	...	16,266	26,975	...	...	...	...	16,266	26,975
Foreign Countries	23	...	122	798	...	...		...	145	798
TOTAL	856	2,546	32,529	52,171	...	...	..	196	33,385	54,913
TOTAL IMPORTS	15,793	16,096	453,011	365,542	29,119	36,016	10,241	21,118	508,164	438,772
Imports from April to end of March										
By Rail and River—										
Assam	1,271	2,179	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,271	2,179
Bengal	49,542	86,969	186	1,897	...	...	4	...	49,732	88,866
Bihar and Orissa	1,345	968	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,345	968
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	24,544	20,175	262,748	200,408	484	736	...	...	287,776	221,319
Punjab	2,167	5,839	133,611	191,247	184,961	144,445	...	...	320,739	341,531
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	39	1	...	...	109,095	90,528	...	...	109,134	90,529
Raj and C. India	1,933	109	260,770	253,389	14	6	...	...	262,717	253,504
Bombay	8,311	7,859	994,823	558,640	..	223	17,645	24,161	1,020,779	590,883
Central Provinces and Berar	71,907	53,509	949,702	586,681	...	...	...	...	1,021,609	640,190
Nizam's Territory	.	1,040	299,681	160,565	...	...	16,350	6,223	316,031	167,828
Madras	2,026	8,364	48,203	106,644	...	...	210,443	214,857	260,672	329,865
Mysore	101	193	16,732	8,024	...	...	5,792	3,246	22,625	11,463
Kashmir	.	...	...	..	3	...	.	.	3	
TOTAL	163,183	137,175	2,966,456	2,067,495	294,557	285,938	250,234	248,487	3,674,433	2,689,09[illegible]
By Sea—										
Bengal	10,485	...	860		...	..	...	...	11,345	...
Bihar and Orissa	.	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	.	
Bombay	4,341	1,149	2,196	720	1,392	57	7,488	7,513	15,420	9,439
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	168,518	185,453	...	...	...	...	168,518	185,453
Madras	8,821	7,747	41,004	19,369	...	...	...	80	49,825	27,196
Burma	10,678	9,487	146	300	...	...		...	10,824	9,787
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	240,230	265,974	...	...	24	...	240,254	265,974
Foreign Countries	636	374	6,108	8,942	...	...	76	4	6,820	9,320
TOTAL	34,964	18,757	459,062	430,758	1,392	57	7,588	7,547	503,006	457,119
TOTAL IMPORTS	198,150	155,932	3,425,518	2,498,253	295,949	285,995	257,822	256,034	4,177,439	3,146,214

NOTE.—Provinces named in the first column include their chief port or ports. "Madras ports" includes the ports of Madras, French Ports (Pondicherry with its suburb Villianur, and Karikal exclusive of sea imports from Non-British Ports and Foreign countries), Negapatam, Tuticorin, Calicut, Cocanada, Vizagapatam, Cuddalore, Cochin, Tellicherry, Cannanore, Masulipatam, Mangalore, Quilon, Porto Novo, Badagara and Dhanushkodi.

One bale of cotton is equivalent to 400 lbs.

TABLE IV.—Wheat (excluding wheat flour)*

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	City of Bombay 1916	City of Bombay 1917	Karachi 1916	Karachi 1917	Total 1916	Total 1917
Imports in March								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	12	6	...	...	...	...	12	6
Bihar and Orissa	84	1,897	...	...	...	...	84	1,897
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	5,286	17,361	994	1,287	...	4,456	6,280	23,104
Punjab	2,293	68	3,331	1,096	7,715	40,639	13,339	41,803
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	3,606	2,209	3,606	2,209
Raj. and C. India	71	150	5,420	7,606	...	...	5,491	7,756
Bombay	19	12	4,763	4,272	...	...	4,782	4,284
Central Provinces and Berar	1,409	7,873	1,766	10,527	...	...	3,175	18,400
Nizam's Territory	...	...	343	155	...	...	343	155
Madras	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1
Mysore	...	...	21	...	...	...	21	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	9,174	27,368	16,639	24,943	11,321	47,304	37,134	99,615
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	3	3	1	90	4	93
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	5,649	...	...	...	5,649	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	1,350	1,440	...	1,008	1,350	2,448
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	...	...	7,002	1,443	1	1,098	7,003	2,541
TOTAL IMPORTS	9,174	27,368	23,641	26,386	11,322	48,402	44,137	102,156
Imports from April to end of March								
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	939	957	...	211	...	...	939	1,168
Bihar and Orissa	4,257	23,876	...	...	...	...	4,257	23 876
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	148,822	126,960	28,124	8,525	76,628	27,902	253,574	163,387
Punjab	43,430	5,391	31,294	26,648	475,045	690,275	549,778	722,314
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	52,488	53,640	52,488	53,640
Raj. and C. India	2,695	2,696	43,672	53,697	257	221	46,624	56,614
Bombay	115	53	31,681	43,524	...	...	31,796	43,577
Central Provinces and Berar	40,297	69,231	32,216	90,417	...	...	72,513	159,648
Nizam's Territory	...	...	2,223	6,801	...	...	2,223	6,801
Madras	22	19	111	10	...	...	133	29
Mysore	...	...	50	1	...	...	50	1
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	240,586	229,183	169,371	229,834	604,418	772,038	1,014,375	1,231,055
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	114	186	88	111	202	297
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	35,347	11,443	284	1	35,631	11,444
Madras	...	...	7	14	...	...	7	14
Burma	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	9
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	12,651	10,680	130	1,138	12,781	11,818
Foreign Countries	...	3	3	2	...	2	3	7
TOTAL	...	12	48,122	22,325	502	1,252	48,624	23 580
TOTAL IMPORTS	240,586	229,195	217,493	252,159	604,920	773,290	1,062,999	1,254,644

* See also Table XI

TABLE V.—Rice (including paddy)*

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	Karachi 1916	Karachi 1917	Madras ports 1916	Madras ports 1917	TOTAL 1916	TOTAL 1917
Imports in March								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	19	5	...	...	...	...	19	5
Bengal	32,878	25,614	111	...	...	1,736	32,989	27,350
Bihar and Orissa	2,444	1,474	...	...	749	6,087	3,193	7,561
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	32	1	...	...	...	...	32	1
Punjab	23	48	876	1,341	...	...	899	1,384
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	10,749	10,805	...	...	10,749	10,805
Raj. and C. India	...	172	...	...	...	...	...	172
Bombay	...	...	...	...	5	4	5	4
Central Provinces and Berar	583	28	...	...	...	15	583	43
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	...	187	17	187	17
Madras	100	7	...	...	32,912	16,167	33,012	16,174
Mysore	...	...	...	...	83	139	83	139
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	36,029	27,844	11,736	12,146	33,886	24,165	81,651	63,655
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	96	...	96	...
Bihar and Orissa	767	818	...	...	...	...	767	818
Bombay	...	...	20	19	580	898	600	917
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	321	749	107	142	428	891
Madras	...	...	...	2	245	80	245	82
Burma	51,242	19,804	...	7	35,357	24,135	86,599	43,446
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	...	20	39	20	39
Foreign Countries	110	78	...	...	6	66	116	144
TOTAL	52,119	19,700	341	777	36,411	25,360	88,871	45,837
TOTAL IMPORTS	88,148	47,044	12,077	12,923	70,297	49,525	170,522	109,492
Imports from April to end of March								
By Rail and River—								
Assam	72	107	...	...	...	...	72	107
Bengal	194,459	195,318	111	...	646	5,816	195,216	201,134
Bihar and Orissa	16,089	19,799	...	...	2,333	20,610	18,422	40,409
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	1,021	442	1	31	...	1	1,022	474
Punjab	214	413	6,581	13,124	...	...	6,795	13,537
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	3	2	81,999	93,812	...	...	82,002	93,814
Raj. and C. India	460	557	...	...	...	...	460	557
Bombay	8	63	1	...	86	62	95	125
Central Provinces and Berar	10,702	3,111	...	...	9	92	10,711	3,203
Nizam's Territory	127	..	...	...	1,015	592	1,142	592
Madras	41,249	9,529	...	...	328,031	234,181	369,280	243,710
Mysore	...	...	...	...	1,980	3,896	1,980	3,896
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	264,404	229,341	88,693	106,967	334,100	264,750	687,197	601,058
By Sea—								
Bengal	23	...	...	...	662	37	685	37
Bihar and Orissa	2,909	1,962	...	...	...	...	2,909	1,962
Bombay	9	13	283	196	13,488	8,355	13,675	8,564
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	147	...	2,614	2,002	2,208	1,793	4,969	3,795
Madras	8,554	...	...	3	1,733	933	10,287	936
Burma	506,340	361,423	16	12	183,319	133,369	689,675	494,804
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	610	21	235	21	845
Foreign Countries	27,155	3,571	...	1	314	849	27,469	4,421
TOTAL	545,137	366,969	2,863	2,824	201,690	145,561	749,690	515,354
TOTAL IMPORTS	809,541	596,310	91,556	109,791	535,790	410,311	1,436,887	1,116,412

* One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice

TABLE VI.—Gram and Pulse

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		Karachi		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Imports in March								
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	4	...	...	...	...	...	4	...
Bengal	3,481	5,053	...	22	...	...	3,481	5,075
Bihar and Orissa	1,691	1,623	62	231	...	341	1,753	2,195
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	6,329	5,663	2,345	3,456	495	2,178	9,169	11,297
Punjab	97	76	3,367	1,646	5,258	20,028	8,722	21,745
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	495	672	495	672
Raj. and C. India	161	516	205	6,129	21	991	387	7,636
Bombay	...	2	3,188	3,096	...	21	3,188	3,119
Central Provinces and Berar	3,035	299	5,343	7,255	...	...	8,378	7,554
Nizam's Territory	9	22	1,322	179	...	...	1,331	201
Madras	109	60	5	...	...	...	114	60
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	14,916	13,814	15,837	22,014	6,269	24,226	37,022	59,554
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	49	21	182	233	271	254
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	105	14	142	...	247	14
Madras	15	...	8	...	...	...	23	...
Burma	...	37	...	...	...	...	...	37
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	37	347	...	...	37	347
Foreign Countries	2	1	728	19	2	2	732	22
TOTAL	17	38	927	401	326	235	1,270	674
TOTAL IMPORTS	14,933	13,352	16,764	22,415	6,595	24,461	38,292	60,228
Imports from April to end of March								
By Rail and River—								
Assam	8	12	...	5	...	...	8	17
Bengal	26,410	44,645	45	361	...	...	26,455	45,006
Bihar and Orissa	32,591	25,324	1,933	4,877	...	5,555	34,524	35,756
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	75,765	83,549	18,255	38,452	12,436	32,332	106,456	154,333
Punjab	26,240	3,928	49,843	26,916	64,607	82,867	140,690	113,706
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	7	35	...	6,260	12,341	6,295	12,348
Raj. and C. India	1,496	3,591	4,261	17,647	969	3,916	6,726	26,157
Bombay	602	225	32,468	25,677	23	56	33,093	25,958
Central Provinces and Berar	17,533	16,368	32,012	50,923	19	...	49,564	67,291
Nizam's Territory	1,453	2,515	5,627	4,822	...	...	7,080	7,337
Madras	950	818	149	175	...	...	1,099	993
Mysore	15	...	89	26	...	...	104	26
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	183,063	180,980	144,717	170,881	84,314	137,067	412,094	488,928
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	19	15	...	...	...	...	19	15
Bombay	45	...	861	397	489	1,388	1,395	1,785
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	1,940	1,231	491	70	2,431	1,301
Madras	212	52	66	3	...	...	278	55
Burma	1,981	350	104	371	...	...	2,085	721
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	1,509	2,105	35	6	1,544	2,201
Foreign Countries	1,621	61	8,723	1,191	18	69	10,363	1,321
TOTAL	3,878	478	13,203	5,388	1,033	1,533	18,114	7,399
TOTAL IMPORTS	186,941	181,458	157,920	176,269	85,347	138,600	430,208	496,327

TABLE VII.—Linseed

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	City of Bombay 1916	City of Bombay 1917	Total 1916	Total 1917
	Imports in March					
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—						
Assam	80	...	...	...	80	...
Bengal	348	789	...	8	348	797
Bihar and Orissa	3,003	3,614	119	411	3,122	4,025
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	317	253	1,406	946	1,723	1,199
Punjab	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. and C. India	5	...	2,489	1,936	2,494	1,936
Bombay	...	...	2,631	2,706	2,631	2,706
Central Provinces and Berar	9	...	5,936	3,686	5,945	3,686
Nizam's Territory	...	...	5,760	6,517	5,760	6,517
Madras	43	...	223	195	266	195
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	3,805	4,656	18,564	16,405	22,369	21,061
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	570	121	570	121
Foreign Countries	...	...	6	21	6	21
Total	...	...	576	142	576	142
Total Imports	3,805	4,656	19,140	16,547	22,945	21,203
	Imports from April to end of March					
By Rail and River—						
Assam	247	1,768	...	37	247	1,805
Bengal	4,857	7,444	...	4,517	4,857	11,961
Bihar and Orissa	61,847	75,832	1,463	29,899	63,310	105,731
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	30,810	23,260	26,993	80,082	57,803	103,342
Punjab	...	...	11	120	11	120
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	5	...	5
Raj. and C. India	643	411	31,638	30,864	32,281	31,275
Bombay	...	...	10,267	13,982	10,267	13,982
Central Provinces and Berar	1,625	693	24,722	44,491	26,347	45,184
Nizam's Territory	...	...	25,776	37,957	25,776	37,957
Madras	43	19	837	847	880	866
Mysore	...	...	4	88	4	88
Total	100,072	109,427	121,711	242,889	221,783	352,316
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	5	...	1	1	6	1
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	3	31	3	31
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	2,994	3,774	2,994	3,774
Foreign Countries	68	...	263	113	331	113
Total	73	...	3,261	3,919	3,334	3,919
Total Imports	100,145	109,427	124,972	246,808	225,117	356,235

TABLE VIII.—Rape and Mustard Seed

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
	Imports in March					
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—						
Assam	225	314	...	...	225	314
Bengal	73	398	...	...	73	398
Bihar and Orissa	4,160	2,332	5	...	4,165	2,332
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	13,571	2,831	2,678	105	16,249	2,936
Punjab	18	597	...	...	18	597
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj and C. India	397	990	1,226	1,103	1,623	2,093
Bombay	...	183	1,143	1,070	1,143	1,253
Central Provinces and Berar	466	1,312	1,272	146	1,738	1,458
Nizam's Territory	...	...	41	14	41	14
Madras	..	613	...	...	..	613
Mysore	...	..	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	18,910	9 570	6,365	2,438	25,275	12,008
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	..	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	57	23	57	23
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	...	...	57	23	57	23
TOTAL IMPORTS	18,910	9,570	6,422	2,461	25,332	12,031
	Imports from April to end of March					
By Rail and River—						
Assam	698	2,167	...	...	698	2,167
Bengal	702	1,409	17	17	719	1,426
Bihar and Orissa	11,007	10 987	11	20	11 018	11,007
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	107,284	117,238	19 565	16,689	126 849	133 927
Punjab	2,289	955	128	4	2,417	959
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	33	9	1	...	34	9
Raj. and C. India	1,230	4,383	4 813	3,076	6,043	7,459
Bombay	1,456	893	10,188	6,241	11,644	7,134
Central Provinces and Berar	1,222	5,687	3,349	1,288	4,571	6,975
Nizam's Territory	...	...	186	171	186	171
Madras	106	2 696	23	113	129	2,809
Mysore	...	...	3	...	3	...
TOTAL	126,027	146,424	38,284	27,619	164,311	174 043
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	45	...	...	1	45	1
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	1,239	22	1,239	22
Madras	...	...	21	...	21	...
Burma	...	1	...	...	...	1
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	230	215	230	215
Foreign Countries	...	...	102	...	102	...
TOTAL	45	1	1,592	238	1,637	239
TOTAL IMPORTS	126 072	146,425	39,876	27,857	165,948	174 282

TABLE IX.—Jute

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917
	Imports in March	
	bales	bales
By Rail and River—		
Assam	17,581	9,710
Bengal	274,326	210,372
Bihar and Orissa	76,436	30,999
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	...	...
Punjab	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	...
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	368,343	251,081
By Sea—		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	1,742	2,604
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	...	50
TOTAL	1,742	2,654
TOTAL IMPORTS	370,085	253,735
	Imports from April to end of March	
By Rail and River—		
Assam	168,742	174,586
Bengal	5,055,130	4,495,880
Bihar and Orissa	672,524	491,524
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	...	317
Punjab	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	94	180
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	5,896,490	5,162,487
By Sea—		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	40,370	37,297
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	1,652	51
TOTAL	42,022	37,348
TOTAL IMPORTS	5,938,512	5,199,835

NOTE.—One bale of jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.

By "Calcutta" is meant the town of Calcutta with Howrah and the Kidderpore Docks. The imports exclude, therefore, imports into those jute mills which are outside this area. Such mills form the large majority of the total number of mills manufacturing jute.

TABLE X.—Tea

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917
	Imports in March	
	lbs.	lbs.
By Rail and River—		
Assam	877,824	12,825,456
Bengal	903,5 0	3,259,424
Bihar and Orissa	16,951	...
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	21,394	40,320
Punjab	165	1,680
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...
Bombay	...	..
Central Provinces and Berar	329	
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	82	22,512
Mysore	...	...
Kashmir	82	...
TOTAL	1,820,407	16,149,392
By Sea—		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	4,440	...
Burma	...	560
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	22,850	586
TOTAL	27,290	1,146
TOTAL IMPORTS	1,847,697	16,150,538
	Imports from April to end of March	
By Rail and River—		
Assam	192,932,507	161,378,982
Bengal	83,124,444	88,665,990
Bihar and Orissa	343,663	340,603
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	914,426	272,120
Punjab	248,895	20,530
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	1,563
Raj. and C. India	82	658
Bombay	7,454	3,867
Central Provinces and Berar	1,017	2,963
Nizam's Territory	4,032	...
Madras	10,358	282,371
Mysore	...	...
Kashmir	247	
TOTAL	277,587,125	250,875,647
By Sea—		
Bengal	288,731	7,040
Bihar and Orissa	...	204
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	16,214	20,336
Burma	1,944	3,100
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	45,594	471,712
TOTAL	352,483	502,392
TOTAL IMPORTS	277,939,608	251,378,039

NOTE.—One maund is equivalent to 82⅐ lbs.

TABLE XI.

The following statements show the exports of (1) wheat, (2) wheat flour, and (3) Total (wheat and wheat flour) from British India by sea to foreign countries during each month of the six official years, 1911-12 to 1916-17, and April 1917. The figures are in thousands of tons :—

1.—Wheat.

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.	1917-18 000's of tons.
April	68	69	27	9	11	3(a)	93 (a)
May	136	107	166	24	105(a)	2	
June	189	244	260	169	292(a)	42	
July	268	328	318	169	187(a)	44	
August	125	153	135	43	48(a)	75	
September	66	232	135	56	6(a)	139	
October	66	148	53	88	... (b)	151	
November	74	114	47	55	... (b)	79(a)	
December	97	80	22	37	... (b)	99(a)	
January	102	99	20	25	... (b)	52(a)	
February	75	51	10	22	2(a)	15(a)	
March	97	35	9	9	1	33(a)	
TOTAL	1,361	1,660	1,202	706	652	734	
	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17
Production (in thousands of tons)	10,061	9,924	9,853	8,358	10,087	8,518	9,929*

* Special wheat forecast (April 1917)

NOTE.—In this statement the figures of production for one year have been placed below those of exports of the next year because the production of one year is usually exported in the next year.

(a) Include exports on Government account 94,357 tons in May, 249,952 tons in June, 150,295 tons in July, 36,483 tons in August, 2,375 tons in September, 1915; 1,000 tons in February, 2,595 tons in April, 19,373 tons in November, 81,460 tons in December, 1916; 42,800 tons in January, 13,184 tons in February, 23,537 tons in March, and 92,832 tons in April, 1917.

(b) Exports were below 1,000 tons in these months.

2.—Wheat flour.

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.	1917-18 000's of tons.
April	4	4	6	6	5	2	3
May	4	4	9	3	2	7	
June	4	6	10	5	4	5	
July	5	5	8	8	6	4	
August	6	6	4	6	4	4	
September	6	5	7	4	6	6	
October	4	9	9	4	4	8	
November	3	5	6	4	7	7	
December	4	6	4	8	3	6	
January	5	7	6	5	9	5	
February	4	5	4	4	4	7	
March	3	6	6	2	4	8	
TOTAL	52	68	79	54	58	69	

3.—Total (wheat including wheat flour converted into wheat).†

Months.	1911-12 000's of tons.	1912-13 000's of tons.	1913-14 000's of tons.	1914-15 000's of tons.	1915-16 000's of tons.	1916-17 000's of tons.	1917-18 000's of tons.
April	74	74	36	17	17	6	97
May	141	113	179	29	108	12	
June	196	252	274	176	298	49	
July	273	335	329	181	196	50	
August	133	161	141	52	54	81	
September	74	239	145	61	15	148	
October	72	161	66	94	6	162	
November	79	122	55	61	10	89	
December	103	89	27	42	4	108	
January	109	109	29	32	13	60	
February	81	59	16	28	6	25	
March	100	44	18	11	7	44	
TOTAL	1,435	1,758	1,315	784	734	834	
	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17.
Production of wheat (in thousands of tons).	10,061	9,924	9,853	8,358	10,087	8,518	9,929§

† Ten tons of wheat are taken as equivalent to seven tons of wheat flour.

§ Special wheat forecast (April 1917).

NOTE (1).—On an average for the three years ending 1913-14, 4·1 per cent of the total export of wheat (including wheat flour) was exported in April; the percentages for the other months are as follows:—May 9·6 per cent, June 16 per cent, July 20·8 per cent, August 9·7 per cent, September 10·2 per cent, October 6·6 per cent, November 5·7 per cent, December 4·9 per cent, January 5·5 per cent, February 3·5 per cent, and March 3·6 per cent.

(2) Exports of wheat (excluding wheat flour) from the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, and Karachi by sea during April 1917 week by week as compared with the corresponding periods of last year are given below:—

	1916 tons.	1917 tons.
Week ending 7th April	226	22,082*
,, ,, 14th ,,	2,735	51,885*
,, ,, 21st ,,	358	36,126*
,, ,, 28th ,,	164	57,496*
	3,483	167,589

* Inclusive of figures on Government account

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MONDAY, MAY 21, 1917.

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The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India, Extraordinary*, dated the 16th May 1917, is republished for general information

J. H. KERR,
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NOTIFICATION.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

No. 5557-C.W.

Simla, the 16th May 1917.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in modification of this Department's Notification No. 5385-W., dated the 12th May 1917, in so far as it relates to the entries "(D) Coffee" and "(D) Tea" in the Schedule thereof, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the export of coffee and tea is also prohibited to the United Kingdom, subject to the provisos contained in the said Notification.

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GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTICE.

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THE PATENT OFFICE.

PATENTS and DESIGNS.

Calcutta, the 26th May 1917.

APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

May 14.

3056. Hari Shanker. *Operating eye speculum for surgical use.*

3057. Societe du Carburateur Zenith. *Improvements in carburetters for explosion motors.*

3058. Vickers Ld. *Improvements in sewing machines.*

May 16.

3059. Hari Shanker. *Upper lid lift for surgical use.*

3060. P. Jolnerkevitch. *Method of impregnating wood.*

3061. R. P. W. Strong. *Pilferage proof cash bags.*

May 18.

3062. F. L. Rapson. *Improvements in or relating to lifting jacks and the like for use on motor road and other vehicles.*

3063. H. Spengler. *Improvements in closures for receptacles.*

3064. G. Constantinesco and W Haddon. *Improvements in rotary motors actuated by alternating fluid currents.*

3065. G. Honegger. *Improvements in expansion valve gears for duplex steam pumps.*

May 19.

3066. P. C. Saccaggio and F. A. Lagrange. *Improvements in or relating to spark arresters.*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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2342. Society of Chemical Industry in Basle. *Method of manufacturing new copper compounds of direct dyeing ortho-oxy-azo-dyestuffs in substance and on the fibre.*

2560. C. S. Bivar. *Improvements in tea rollers.*

2968. G. Constantinesco and W. Haddon *Improvements in vaporisers for internal combustion engines.*

2976. S. S. Sastry. *Improved Telugu typewriter.*

3029. W. A. Hickman. *Improvements in motor boats.*

3030. Drakes, Ld., and J. W. Drake. *Improvements in apparatus for controlling the draught on furnaces.*

3031. R. G. Berry and H W. Moore. *Improvements in and relating to route indicating and signalling devices for use on railways and the like.*

3032. Seay Syndicate, Ld. *Improvements in connection with processes and apparatus for refrigeration and the production of ice.*

3033. A Davies and Edgar Allen and Co., Ld. *Improvements in magnetic separators.*

3036. E. Roirant. *Improvements in the manufacture of hollow glass articles and in glass shaping and blowing machines therefor.*

3039. S. H. Menzies. *Improvements relating to the treatment of water sewage and the like.*

PRINTED SPECIFICATIONS PUBLISHED.

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2915. B. Tapidass. *Improved shegdi or stove.*

2916. W. C. Edman. *Metal chair for railway trough sleepers.*

2973. A. P. G. Lorimer. *Surgical dressing table.*

2990. Minerals Separation Limited. *Improvements in ore concentration.*

2992. A. A. Crozier. *Improvements in or applicable to pneumatic tyres for the wheels of motor cars and other vehicles.*

2993. Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Co., Ld. *Improvements in valve receivers for wireless signals.*

2995. J. H. Humphryes. *Improvements in and relating to tanks and like receptacles.*

2996. W. J. Melhuish. *A milk-like food for the feeding of agricultural stock.*

SEALING FEES DUE UNDER SECTION 10.

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2844. Laing, Hoare, Ash and Warburton.
2875. Jennings.
2876. Crozier.
2877. Crozier.
2878. White.
2879. Treve.
2880. Hari Shanker.
2884. Guthrie, and Neilson.
2885. Irey.
2886. Lemmens, and Fryer.
2887. Lemmens, and Fryer.

PATENTS SEALED.

2274. Cunningham.
2797. Aiyer & Sankaran.
2806. Universal Winding Co.
2832. Seit.

RENEWAL FEES PAID.

297 of 1904. Poulsen. (To 31 August 1918.)
7 of 1905. Moore. (To 23 June 1918.)
322 of 1906. Poulsen. (To 10 August 1918.)
323 of 1906. Bryant & May Ld. (To 10 August 1918.)
616 of 1906. Pataud. (To 3 August 1918.)
154 of 1907. Poulsen. (To 30 July 1918.)
528 of 1907. Sheffield and anr. (To 6 June 1918.)
370 of 1908. McMullen. (To 3 June 1918.)
26 of 1909. White. (To 19 May 1918.)
516 of 1909. Hazen. (To 9 May 1918.)
506 of 1909. Petermann. (To 9 May 1918.)
576 of 1909. Sheffield and anr. (To 4 June 1918.)
668 of 1909. Sheffield and anr. (To 25 June 1918.)
6 of 1910. Reid. (To 25 June 1918.)
140 of 1910. West. (To 31 May 1918.)
213 of 1910. Butters Patent Vacuum Filter Co Incorporated. (To 9 August 1918.)
238 of 1910. Stock. (To 16 June 1918.)
239 of 1910. Stock. (To 16 June 1918.)
533 of 1910. Dennison. (To 17 May 1918.)
536 of 1910. English. (To 17 May 1918.)
47 of 1911. Spencer. (To 16 May 1918.)
54 of 1911. Youlten's "Onyx" Process (International), Ld. (To 16 May 1918.)
655 of 1911. Le Bas and ors (To 5 June 1918.)
731 of 1911. Luard. (To 25 May 1918.)
249 of 1912. Badische Anilin & Soda Fabrik. (To 26 May 1918.)

250 of 1912. Badische Anilin & Soda Fabrik. (To 20 May 1918.)
253 of 1912. Societe Generale des Nitrures. (To 20 May 1918.)
254 of 1912. Societe Generale des Nitrures. (To 20 May 1918.)
255 of 1912. Societe Generale des Nitrures. (To 20 May 1918.)
277 of 1912. Leighton. (To 4 June 1918.)
278 of 1912. Davidson. (To 4 June 1918.)
316 of 1912. Shah. (To 21 June 1918.)
362 of 1912. Dubbeldam. (To 11 July 1918.)
390 of 1912. Goldschmidt and anr. (To 22 July 1918.)
482 of 1912. Weiboff. (To 6 September 1918.)
958 of 1913. Berliner Import und Export Gesellschaft m.b.H. (To 19 May 1918.)
980 of 1913. Green. (To 9 June 1918.)
997 of 1913. Fennell. (To 16 June 1918.)
1025 of 1913. Andibert. (To 30 June 1918.)
1114 of 1913. Vickers Ld. (To 11 August 1918.)
1115 of 1913. Vickers Ld. (To 11 August 1918.)

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1905.

325, (Holden).

1911.

376, (Gesellschaft fur Lindes Eismaschinen A. G.). 377, (Gesellschaft fur Lindes Eismaschinen A. G.).

1913.

747, (Lajoie). 751, (Morgan Crucible Co., Ld.). 752, (Lines and anr.). 754, (Gallaly). 756, (Joseph and ors.). 757 to 761, (Angus). 765, (Patterson).

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	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up				2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	2,13,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	63,00,000	0	0			
				1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				63,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	7,06,02,948	2	0			
Public Deposits at Branches	2,46,15,871	7	8	9,52,18,819	9	8
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				21,54,49,422	11	4
Bank Post Bills, etc. . .				11,49,228	12	11
Sundries				27,19,385	2	10
RUPEES .				35,58,36,856	4	9

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities . .				6,57,69,142	12	0
Other authorized Investments .				1,24,26,040	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .				7,22,30,245	10	4
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities				4,42,74,228	15	10
Bills discounted and purchased				3,29,31,871	4	0
Balances with other Banks .				35,55,374	11	7
Bullion				......		
Dead Stock				29,29,990	2	11
Stamps				11,638	12	11
Sundries				3,93,140	2	2
				23,45,21,672	7	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	8,19,12,445	11	9			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches†	3,94,02,738	1	3	12,13,15,183	13	0
RUPEES .				35,58,36,856	4	9

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs. value Rs. 3,51,172 8 0
† Do. do. do. „ 6,51,457 8 0

Rs. 10,02,630 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 24th May 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 38 56

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
5. Tracers.
6. Men trained in—
   (*a*) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
   (*b*) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

W. G. WOOD, C.S.I.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee.

II B

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID AND QUINOIDINE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 8¼ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. P. system*, AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1917 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	Rs.
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	29 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	30 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	Rs.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery . . .	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	Rs.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery . . .	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	Rs.
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tin.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab.	1 lb.	Weg.	3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0	10	0
,, ,,	2 ,,	,,	6 ,,	,,	Re.	1	0	0
,, ,,	3 ,,	,,	9 ,,	,,	Re.	1	8	0

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Receipts in the North-West Frontier Province for March 1917 (Priliminary) and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1916-17.

Revenue and Receipts.	Budget Estimate for 1916-17.			Receipts in March 1917 (Preliminary).	Receipts from 1st April to 31st March 1917 (Preliminary).		
	Imperial.	Special.	Total.		Imperial.	Special	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—Land Revenue	...	22,27,000	22,27,000	1,07,936	...	22,06,991	22,06,991
II.—Opium	..	49,000	49,000	5,016	...	53,427	53,427
IV.—Stamps	...	6,84,000	6,84,000	70,455	...	6,90,228	6,90,228
V.—Excise	...	3,19,000	3,19,000	13,288	...	3,58,716	3,58,716
VI.—Provincial Rates	...	2,000	2,000	27	...	3,048	3,048
VII.—Customs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
VIII.—Income Tax	6,000	2,12,000	2,18,000	31,035	6,268	2,53,177	2,59,445
IX.—Forest	...	2,21,000	2,21,000	76,674	...	2,40,093	2,40,093
X.—Registration	...	44,000	44,000	5,725	...	49,333	49,333
XI.—Tribute from Native States	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XII.—Interest	30,000	...	30,000	1,974	36,462	...	36,462
XVIA.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	...	1,50,000	1,50,000	20,001	...	2,42,685	2,42,685
XVIB.— Ditto —Jails	...	45,000	45,000	5,587	...	50,295	50,295
XVII.—Police	...	49,000	49,000	2,550	...	28,193	28,193
XIX.—Education	...	24,000	24,000	2,356	...	1,51,360	1,51,360
XX.—Medical	...	8,000	8,000	280	...	—328	—328
XXIA.—Agriculture	...	6,000	6,000	147	...	772	772
XXIB.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	...	1,000	1,000	26	...	443	443
XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuation, etc.	...	21,000	21,000	1,721	...	26,956	26,956
XXIII.—Stationery and Printing	...	23,000	23,000	2,655	...	22,836	22,836
XXV.—Miscellaneous	...	1,23,000	1,23,000	16,217	...	1,42,417	1,42,417
XXIX.—Irrigation—Major Works—Direct Receipts	5,37,000	4,13,000	9,50,000	1,79,795	4,74,219	4,74,220	9,48,439
XXX.—Irrigation—Minor Works and Navigation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XXXI.—Civil Works	...	1,50,000	1,50,000	22,453	...	1,54,781	1,54,781
TOTAL REVENUE AND RECEIPTS	5,73,000	47,71,000	53,44,000	5,65,959	5,16,949	51,49,643	56,66,592
Add—Debt Accounts	...	...	...	1,32,44,296	...	...	10,78,08,778
TOTAL	...	...	...	1,38,10,254	...	...	11,34,75,370
Opening Cash Balance	...	...	...	(b) 25,94,967	...	...	(a) 24,36,019
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	1,64,05,221	...	...	11,59,11,389

(a) On 1st April 1916. (b) On 1st March 1917.

G. KAULA,
Deputy Accountant-General, Punjab

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB,
LAHORE:
The 19th May 1917.

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Expenditure in the North-West Frontier Province for March 1917 (Preliminary) and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1916-17.

EXPENDITURE.	BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1916-17.			Disbursement in March 1917. (Preliminary).	DISBURSEMENT FROM 1ST APRIL TO 31ST MARCH 1917 (PRELIMINARY).		
	Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.		Imperial.	Special.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1.—Refunds and Drawbacks	10,000	10,000	20,000	4,085	13,583	13,583	27,166
2.—Assignments and Compensations	9,000	9,000	18,000	158	8,921	8,921	17,842
3.—Land Revenue	3,90,000	2,99,000	6,89,000	49,676	3,64,825	2,72,340	6,57,165
6.—Stamps	12,000	12,000	24,000	2,118	10,187	10,188	20,375
7.—Excise	9,000	9,000	18,000	2,719	7,774	7,774	15,548
10.—Income Tax	1,000	...	1,000	188	457	457	914
11.—Forest	59,000	60,000	1,19,000	39,837	58,950	58,949	1,17,899
12.—Registration	6,000	6,000	12,000	1,200	6,033	6,033	12,066
13.—Interest on Ordinary Debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14.—Interest on other obligations	...	...	...	...	6	...	6
18.—General Administration	2,81,000	1,20,000	3,81,000	36,519	2,48,084	1,11,100	3,59,184
19A.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	4,20,000	2,25,000	6,45,000	65,681	4,51,080	2,21,877	6,72,957
19B.— Ditto —Jails	1,37,000	1,37,000	2,74,000	15,882	1,51,231	1,51,230	3,02,461
20.—Police	10,95,000	10,86,000	21,71,000	2,06,029	11,00,769	11,00,768	22,01,537
22.—Education	2,72,000	2,72,000	5,44,000	27,220	2,58,529	2,58,530	5,17,059
23.—Ecclesiastical	54,000	...	54,000	5,653	63,925	...	63,925
24.—Medical	2,25,000	2,08,000	4,33,000	16,285	2,14,619	2,00,852	4,15,471
25.—Political	20,26,000	18,37,000	38,63,000	3,84,579	18,90,183	17,41,808	36,31,991
26A.—Agriculture	47,000	47,000	94,000	5,923	30,469	30,470	60,939
26B.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	5,000	6,000	11,000	9,002	8,026	8,026	16,052
27.—Territorial and Political Pensions	61,000	...	61,000	4,252	59,933	...	59,933
28.—Civil, Furlough and Absentee Allowances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29.—Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	98,000	97,000	1,95,000	14,784	88,468	88,467	1,76,935
30.—Stationery and Printing	62,000	62,000	1,24,000	10,261	45,908	45,909	91,817
32.—Miscellaneous	21,000	20,000	41,000	4,384	20,892	20,893	41,785
33.—Famine Relief	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
36.—Reduction or Avoidance of Debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
42.—Major Works—Working Expenses	12,17,000	2,83,000	15,00,000	39,899	2,62,936	2,62,936	5,25,872
43.—Minor Works and Navigation	32,000	32,000	64,000	13,604	18,092	18,091	36,183
45.—Civil Works	12,09,000	12,03,000	24,12,000	1,64,464	8,99,428	8,99,427	17,98,855
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	77,28,000	60,40,000	1,37,68,000	11,24,333	62,93,308	55,38,629	1,18,31,937
Add—Debt Accounts	...	...	...	1,29,09,468	...	...	10,17,08,032
TOTAL	...	...	...	1,40,33,801	...	...	11,35,39,969
Balance on 31st March 1917	...	...	...	23,71,420	...	...	23,71,420
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	1,64,05,221	...	...	11,59,11,389

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB,
LAHORE;
The 19th May 1917.

G. KAULA,
Deputy Accountant-General, Punjab.

CURRENCY NOTE.

The following Currency Note of the Madras Circle is stated to have been destroyed, and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number. Any other person claiming a right to it is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned.

NOTE WHOLLY DESTROYED.

Register No.	Number of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		R	
H. 551 of 1913-14 .	$\frac{TB}{73}$ 27323 . .	100	P. A. Pranatharthy Iyengar, c-o K. Manavala Chetty, No. 145, Mint Street, Madras.

M. SUBRAHMANYAN,

Asst. Accountant-General, in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

FORT ST. GEORGE, OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF PAPER CURRENCY,

Dated the 18th May 1917.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ERRATUM.

In Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 3672-Home, dated the 8th May 1917, published in Part II, page 880, of the *Gazette of India* of the 12th May 1917, for the words "Jatiya Seba", "Mitro Sangsar May aisi cheez Hai", "Apney Bhayun ku Hushiar Kuro", and "Jatiya Sebak Ganga Sahay Munshi Dash Seva Calcutta" *read* "Jatiya Sewa", "Mitro Sansar men bidya aisi chij hai", "aur apne bhaiyon ko hushiar karo" and "Jatiya Sewak Ganga Sahai Mantri Sava Calcutta".

Delhi, the 17th May 1917.

No. 3949-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 12th May, 1917, is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	Delhi .	225,471	88	77	165	66	83	149	...	1	..	60	7	63	1	17	1	27	29	56	38·05	34·36
	Notified Area	3,673	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·47	...
	Total .	229,144	90	78	168	66	83	149	...	1	...	60	7	63	1	17	1	27	29	56	38·12	33·81

Delhi, the 18th May 1917.

No. 4007-*Home.*—The following returns of births and deaths in the Delhi Province for the month of April 1917 are published for information :—

Division.	No.	Name of District or Municipal Towns.	Population according to the census of 1911. Male.	Population according to the census of 1911. Female.	Population according to the census of 1911. Total.	Births registered. No. registered excluding still births.	Births registered. Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Births registered. Still born No.	Deaths registered. Cholera. No. registered.	Cholera. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. No. registered.	Small-pox. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. No. registered.	Plague. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. No. registered.	Fever. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Dysentery & Diarrhœa. No. registered.	Dysentery & Diarrhœa. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Respiratory disease. No. registered.	Respiratory disease. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Injuries including suicide. No. registered.	Injuries including suicide. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Other causes. No. registered.	Other causes. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total all causes. Number. Males.	Total all causes. Number. Females.	Total all causes. Number. Total.	Total all causes. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Males.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Females.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Total.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Delhi Province.		District excluding Delhi Municipal Town.	102,699	88,486	191,185	523	33·14	...	...	..	3	·18	...	...	272	17·07	3	·18	92	5·77	1	·06	23	1·44	220	174	394	24·72	173	161	334	20·96	
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	102,699	88,486	191,185	513	32·19	3	1	·06	2	·12	...	...	208	13·05	1	·06	93	6·15	1	·06	23	1·44	173	161	334	20·96	...	...	...	...	
		Increase	...	...	...	15	·95	...	...	...	1	·06	...	...	64	4·02	2	·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	13	60	3·76	...	...	...	...	
		or Decrease	...	...	...	..	...	3	1	·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

Division.	No.	District excluding towns.	Population according to the census of 1911. Male.	Population according to the census of 1911. Female.	Population according to the census of 1911. Total.	Births registered. No. registered excluding still births.	Births registered. Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Births registered. Still born No.	Deaths registered. Cholera. No. registered.	Cholera. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. No. registered.	Small-pox. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. No. registered.	Plague. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. No. registered.	Fever. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Dysentery & Diarrhœa. No. registered.	Dysentery & Diarrhœa. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Respiratory disease. No. registered.	Respiratory disease. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Injuries including suicide. No. registered.	Injuries including suicide. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Other causes. No. registered.	Other causes. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total all causes. Number. Males.	Total all causes. Number. Females.	Total all causes. Number. Total.	Total all causes. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Males.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Females.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Total.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Delhi Province.		Delhi Municipality	129,521	95,950	225,471	773	41·14	22	...	...	5	·27	1	·05	269	14·32	31	1·65	256	13·62	8	·43	105	5·59	354	321	675	35·92	428	378	801	42·63	
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	129,521	95,950	225,471	615	32·73	19	1	·05	2	·11	5	·27	353	18·79	37	1·97	221	11·76	9	·48	173	9·21	428	378	801	42·63	...	...	...	...	
		Increase or	...	...	...	158	8·41	3	...	...	3	·16	...	...	...	.	...	..	35	1·86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
		Decrease	...	...	...	...	..	...	1	·05	.	..	4	·22	84	4·47	6	·32		...	1	·05	68	3·72	74	52	126	6·71	...	...	...	...	

Delhi, the 19th/21st May 1917.

No. 4047-C. & I.—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in Delhi Province are published for information :—

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 15th May 1917.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.		ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.	
	Srs.	Chts.		Srs.	Chts.
Wheat	9	12	Maize	16	0
Barley	13	8	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál)	11	0
Rice { Best sort	2	12	Firewood	60	0
Rice { Common sort	6	0	Salt { Wholesale	...	
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum)	14	0	Salt { Retail	18	0
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum)	15	8	Gur	6	0
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana)	...		Cotton (unginned)	12	0
Kangni (Setaria Italica)	...		Bejhar	13	8
Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked)	13	8			

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the headquarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending the 15th May 1917. (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82⅐ LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.			ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.		
	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Rice, unhusked	...			Cotton seed	3	3	0
,, husked	6	6	0	Ghi	59	4	0
Wheat	3	14	6	Flour (Wheat)	4	4	0
Barley	2	14	0	Tobacco Leaf (dry)	8	0	0
Oats	...			Turmeric (unground)	15	0	0
Jowar	2	12	0	Salt	2	1	0
Bajra	2	7	6	Raw Hides (Cow)	30	0	0
Maize	2	7	0	Bran	2	0	0
Gram	2	14	0	Grass (dry)	1	0	0
Arhar Dál	3	8	0	Bhusa (white)	1	2	3
Linseed	6	0	0	Jowar Stalks	1	1	0
Rapeseed (Sarshaf)	4	7	0	Bengal Coal	0	14	0
Poppy-seed	...			Kerosine Oil (per tin)	2	9	3
Til (jinjili seed)	6	4	0	Plough Bullocks, per pair	250	0	0
Sugar (raw), Gur Desi	6	0	0	Sheep, per score	80	0	0
Cotton (cleaned)	...			Bejhar	2	14	0

Delhi, the 21st May 1917.

No. 4052-*Home*.—Under the provisions of Section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, Mr. H. S. Dunsford, Cantonment Magistrate, is appointed a Magistrate of the 1st Class within the limits of the New Cantonment, Delhi.

No. 4053-*Home*.—Mr. H. S. Dunsford, Magistrate of the 1st Class, is hereby invested with powers under Section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, within the limits of the New Cantonment, Delhi.

No. 4054-*Home*.—Mr. H. S. Dunsford, Magistrate of the 1st Class, is hereby invested with powers to try summarily within the limits of the New Cantonment, Delhi, the offences specified in Section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

No. 4055-*Home*.—The Chief Commissioner is pleased under the provisions of Section 22 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, to appoint Mr. H. S. Dunsford, Cantonment Magistrate, New Cantonment, Delhi, to be a Justice of the Peace within and for the Province of Delhi.

No. 4056-*Home*.—In exercise of the powers vested in him under Section 40 of Act II of 1886, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to invest Mr. H. S. Dunsford, Cantonment Magistrate, Delhi, with all the powers of a Collector under the said Act, except those specified in Sections 9 (2), 12, 18 (1) (*b*), 31 and 36.

No. 4059-*Home*.—The services of Captain H. W. F. Paterson, Cantonment Magistrate, New Cantonment, Delhi, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, in the Army Department, with effect from the afternoon of the 14th May 1917.

The 22nd May 1917

No. 4078-*R & A*.—Under Section 3 (1) (*c*) of the Punjab Land Revenue Act XVII of 1887, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to declare the areas entered on the annexed schedule to be an estate within the meaning of the definition of Section 3 of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Name of estate.	Boundary.	Description.
Bela estate	North . . .	Storm water drain adjoining Metcalfe House.
	South . . .	City Walls and Imperial Delhi Boundary.
	East . . .	Charagah Shawali.
	West . . .	City walls and civil lines.

No. 4081-*R. & A*.—Consequent upon the creation of the estate by virtue of Notification No. 4078-R. & A., dated the 22nd May, 1917, and in exercise of the powers conferred on him in that behalf, by Section 32 of the Punjab Land Revenue Act, 1887 (XVII of 1887), the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is hereby pleased to direct that a separate record-of-rights be prepared for the estate specified in the schedule annexed to the said Notification.

No. 5003-*Home*.—With reference to Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 8087-Home, dated the 5th December, 1916, it is hereby notified that His Majesty the King-Emperor's birthday will be celebrated on Monday, the 4th June, 1917, which day, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to declare, shall be observed as a public holiday in Delhi Province within the meaning of Section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 (XXVI of 1881).

By order,

D. JOHNSTONE,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 16th May 1917.

No. 285-J.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9, clause (3), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan is pleased to appoint Captain J. E. B. Hotson, I.C.S., I.A.R.O., Political Officer, Mekran Border Mission, to be an Additional Sessions Judge of the Bolan Pass and Nushki Railway Sessions Division while attached to the Kalat Agency, and under section 193 (2) of the same Code to authorise him to try all classes of Sessions cases occurring in the Sessions Division.

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

First Assistant.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 15th May 1917.

No. 1303.—Mr. J. R. Cornah, Head Master, Sandeman High School, Quetta, and Superintendent of Education in Baluchistan is granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 15th instant or the subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it.

By order,

R. H. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

First Assistant.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 16th May 1917.

Taking over charge.

No. 581-E.—Mr. Teja Singh Malik, Assistant Engineer, attached to the Provincial Division, 2nd Circle, Delhi, took over executive charge of that Division from Mr. W. E. A. James, Executive Engineer, on the afternoon of the 4th May 1917.

Transfer and taking over charge.

No. 583-W.—Mr. W. E. A. James, Executive Engineer, is transferred from the Provincial Division which he left on the afternoon of the 4th May 1917 to the VI Project Division which he joined at the same time.

Mr. James took over dual charge of the VI and V Project Divisions from Mr. C. G. Barnett, Executive Engineer, on the afternoon of the 4th idem.

No. 585-E.—Mr. A. M. Rouse, C.I.E., Superintending Engineer, 3rd class *s.p.l.*, is transferred from the office of the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Circle, Delhi, which he left, on the afternoon of the 4th May 1917, to the office of the Chief Engineer, Delhi Province, which he joined at the same time.

Mr. Rouse took over charge of the duties of Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, on the afternoon of the 4th idem from Mr. H. T. Keeling, C. S. I., who proceeded on privilege leave.

No. 587-E.—Mr. C. G. Barnett, Executive Engineer, is transferred from the VI Project Division which he left on the afternoon of the 4th May 1917 to the office of the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Circle, Delhi, which he joined at the same time.

Mr. Barnett took over charge of the 2nd Circle of Superintendence on the afternoon of the 4th May 1917 from Mr. A. M. Rouse, C.I.E., Superintending Engineer.

The 19th May 1917.

No. 599-E.—Mr. C. G. Barnett, Executive Engineer, is appointed Officiating Superintending Engineer, III Class, with effect from the afternoon of the 4th May 1917, in the leave arrangement of Mr. H. T. Keeling, C.S.I., Chief Engineer, and until further orders.

The 21st May 1917.

No. 1025-W.—Whereas it appears to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, that land is required by Government for a public purpose, namely, improvenment to the Grand Trunk Road it is hereby declared that the undermentioned land is required for the said purpose.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act I of 1894, and under Section 7 of the said Act the Deputy Commissioner of Delhi is hereby directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

SPECIFICATION OF LAND.

District.	Tahsil.	Mauzah	Area in acres.	Direction.	Boundaries.	Place where the plan may be inspected.
Delhi	Delhi	Rajpur	0·824	On the east side of Grand Trunk Road to Karnal.	Bounded on the north by Tripolia; on the south by Canal Road; on the east by public shops and buildings; and on the west by the Grand Trunk Road to Karnal.	Office of the Executive Engineer, Provincial Division, Delhi.

A. M. ROUSE,
Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

TREASURE TROVE.

It is hereby notified under Section 5 of Act VI of 1878, that the undermentioned treasure was found on 11th January 1917 by Cooly Subbarayan, son of Maran, while digging earth from Survey No. 373-C. (Patta dry), in Mullangudi Village, Kumbakonam Taluk, belonging to Appasami Padayachi of the village :—

Description.	Weight in tolas.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
1. Subramaniaswami with peacock	66½	4	0	0
2. Nataraja idol	130½	15	0	0
3. Sivagami Amman	38¼	3	0	0
4. Bikshandavar	35¼	1	8	0
5. Bikshandavar's peetam	17¼	0	4	0
6. Lamp	29¼	1	0	0
7. Thoobakkal	31½	0	12	0
8. Bell without handle and tongue	47¼	0	6	0
9 to 13. Peetams 5 in number	40¼	1	0	0
14. Hastar Devar (broken)	23¼	0	6	0
TOTAL		27	4	0

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore, at his office on the 24th September 1917, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. R. HUGGINS,
Collector.

TANJORE COLLECTOR'S OFFICE;
The 28th April 1917.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
240—1917	Shivramdas Hardayal Marwari	Hindu	Shaik Memon Street, Bombay.	Cotton and seed broker	8th	May	1917	5 th	May	1917
245—1917	Soodam Govind Haldankar and Anaji Govind Haldankar.	"	Mazagon Road, Bombay	Lately dealers in toddy and now unemployed	14th	"	"	"	"	"
246—1917	Shaik Ennoo Shaik Ismail Kokni alias Paniwala.	Mohamedan	Newa Nagpada, Bombay	Boilermaker in the employ of Messrs. Richardson and Craddas.	15th	"	"	"	"	"
247—1917	George Henry Fredrick Stabbings.	European	Victoria Terminus Station, Bombay.	Custodian in the G. I. P. Railway Company at Victoria Terminus.	"	"	"	"	"	"
248—1917	Daji Rawji Bundsode	Hindu	Parel, Bombay	Fitter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Co. at Parel workshop.	16th	"	"	"	"	"
249—1917	Rajaram Vithoba Kasekar and Jagonnath Vithoba Kasekar.	"	No. 3, Tansewady, Bombay	Lately goldsmiths and now unemployed	17th	"	"	17th	"	"
251—1917	Suleman Gulmahomed Memen	Mohamedan	Kambekar Street, Bombay	Lately piece goods merchant and now unemployed.	18th	"	"	18th	"	"
252—1917	John Ragnel Gowley	Indian Christian	Station Road, Thana	Clerk in the G. I. P. Railway Company, Engineering Department, Fort Bombay.	"	"	"	"	"	"
253—1917	Bapulal Amrutlal Sha	Hindu	Dady Setti's Agiary Road No. 1, Khanderao Wadi.	Lately dealer in Copper and brass pots and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
254—1917	Abdulhusein Karimji Kapadia	Mohamedan	Doctor Street	Lately a dealer in gold, silver, and silk embroidery and now a Turban holder.	21st	"	"	21st	"	"
255—1917	Dominic Gonzago Agastino D'Souza.	Portuguese	Kumbarwada Dadar	A Clerk in the G. I. P. Railway Workshop, Parel.	"	"	"	"	"	"
256—1917	Alimahomed Vali Khoja	Mohamedan	Khadek	A General broker	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,
Fort Bombay, this 21st day of May 1917

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

In Insolvency.

No. 250 OF 1917.

Dated the 18th May 1917.

Re David Marcus Moses, of Bombay, Jewish inhabitant, residing at Cuff Parade, Colaba, situate within the Fort of Bombay, an adjudged Insolvent.

Ex parte Jamnadas Morarji & Ors., the Petitioning creditors.

Whereas the abovenamed David Marcus Moses has been this day duly adjudged to have committed act of Insolvency under Section IX of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909). It is ordered that all the estate and effects of the said Insolvent do vest in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, and it is further ordered that the said Insolvent do, immediately after the service of the order of adjudication upon him, attend the Office of the said Official Assignee.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 138 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 4th May 1917.

In the matter of A. K. Nagoor Gunny Ravuther, of No. 36, 30th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said A. K. Nagoor Gunny Ravuther an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 2nd day of May 1917.

CASE No. 79 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th May 1917.

In the matter of V. Hamid Sultan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by V. Hamid Sultan, of No. 43, 28th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said V. Hamid Sultan.

CASE No. 80 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th May 1917.

In the matter of Alexander Anthoney, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Alexander Anthoney, of No. 46, 37th Street, Rangoon, on the 8th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Alexander Anthoney.

CASE No. 81 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 9th May 1917.

In the matter of Maung Po Wa, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Po Wa, Clerk, of No. 20, 61st Street, Rangoon, on the 2nd day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 8th day of May 1917 against the said Maung Po Wa.

CASE No. 82 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 10th May 1917.

In the matter of Felix Michael Quinlivan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Felix Michael Quinlivan, of No. 5, 16th Street, Rangoon, on the 10th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Felix Michael Quinlivan.

CASE No. 58 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 15th May 1917.

In the matter of T. A. R. A. R. M. firm carrying on business as Money Lenders and Bankers at No. 10, Mogul Street, Rangoon, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition presented by Goolabrai Sagarmul of Rangoon, a creditor of T. A. R. A. R. M. firm carrying on business as Money Lenders and Bankers at No. 10, Mogul Street, Rangoon, on the 19th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of Insolvency pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, against Ramanathan Chetty, sole proprietor of the said T. A. R. A. R. M. firm except minor partners was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 10th day of May 1917.

CASE No. 83 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 11th May 1917.

In the matter of Dewarka Kanoo, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Dewarka Kanoo, stall-keeper of No. 14, Kundawglay Road, Rangoon, on the 10th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Dewarka Kanoo.

R. R. BROWN,

Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 97 OF 1916.

Dated the 18th May 1917.

Re Bital Dass Daga and Dwarka Dass Daga.

Ex parte the creditor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 13th day of March 1917, the order of adjudication made herein on the 15th day of June 1916, was annulled.

SUMMARY CASE.

No. 179 OF 1915.

Dated the 18th May 1917.

Re Nolin Behari Rakhit.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 3rd day of July 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 151 OF 1916.

Dated the 23rd May 1917.

Re Unad Sing.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 3rd day of July 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 153 OF 1916.

Dated the 23rd May 1917.

Re Banga Sing.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 3rd day of July 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 155 OF 1916.

Dated the 23rd May 1917.

Re Jagat Sing.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 3rd day of July 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 29 OF 1917.

Dated the 18th May 1917.

Re Jogendra Nath Addya.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 3rd day of July 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 73 OF 1917.

Dated the 18th May 1917.

Re Shibadas Chatterjee, of No. 52-6, Strand Road, in the town of Calcutta, also carrying on business in tobacco at the said premises.

Ex parte Baldeodas Jewandas—the creditors. B. N. Basu & Co.—Attorneys for the creditors.

On the 16th day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 74 OF 1917.

Dated the 21st May 1917.

Re Khedu Shaw and Sitaram Shaw, both residing at No. 21, Ahiritola Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business at the aforesaid place as petty grocers under the name style and firm of Khedu Shaw Sitaram Shaw, but at present both acting as coolies.

Ex parte the debtor. K. M. Rakshit & Co.—Attorneys for the Insolvents.

On the 16th day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as Insolvents.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 76 OF 1917.

Dated the 23rd May 1917.

Re Behary Lal Burdhan, residing at No. 11, Saha's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as Chemist and Druggist at No. 100-7-1, Muktaram Baboo's Street in Calcutta aforesaid, but at present of no employment.

Ex parte the debtor. M. N. Mitra.—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 16th day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 77 OF 1917.

Dated the 21st May 1917.

Re Nagoremull Jhoon Jhoonwalla, now a civil prisoner at the Presidency Jail, formerly residing at No 149, Cotton Street in Calcutta, a broker.

Ex parte the debtor. R. N. Sircar—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 16th day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta

IN THE COURT OF MAJOR, R. W. E. KNOLLYS, I. A., DISTRICT JUDGE AT DELHI.

Delhi, the 16th May 1917.

Mr. M. K. Heeramanack of Kashmiri Gate, Delhi . . . Plaintiff.

versus

L. Ram Kishen Dass, Proprietor of the firm of Ganeshi Lall & Sons, residents of Katra Nil, Delhi . . . . Defendants

Suit for dissolution of partnership and rendition of accounts of the firm styled as Ganeshi Lall & Co. of Kashmiri Gate, Delhi.

It is hereby notified for the information of all concerned that the partnership of the firm styled as Ganeshi Lall & Co. of Kashmiri Gate, Delhi, shall stand dissolved from the 14th day of May 1917.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 14th day of May 1917.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR CREDITORS.

Dated the 15th May 1917.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and of the Union Bank of India Ltd., Delhi, in Liquidation.

The creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 20th June 1917 to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their attorneys to Babu Basheshar Nath Goela, Official Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are by their attorneys or pleaders to come in and prove their said debts or claims, at the District Judge's Court of Delhi on 30th July 1917 or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

The 30th day of July 1917 at 10 o'clock at District Court, Delhi, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon debts and claims.

E. KNOLLYS,
District Judge, Delhi.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

SUIT NO. 31 OF 1917.

Dated the 15th May 1917.

In the matter of insolvency of L. Udho Ram, son of Behari Lal, caste Khatri, of Bellun-aran, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by L. Udho Ram to be adjudicated him an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 12th day of June 1917.

FORM NO. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 25 OF 1917.

Dated the 21st May 1917.

In the matter of Khalifa Mohammed Abran Shah, son of Khalifa Mohammed Jim, Raiu of Delhi, Sabzi Mandi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 17th April 1917, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

RAHIM BAKHSH,

Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

BOTANICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mr. Venkatarama Narayanswami, B.A. (Honr.), has been appointed as an Assistant for systematic work in the Botanical Survey Department, *vice* Mr. M. S. Ramaswami, (deceased) on probation for three years on Rs. 150 with Rs. 30 as house allowance per mensem with effect from the 1st May 1917, under the orders of the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture, conveyed in their letter No. 295-151-2, dated Simla, the 16th April 1917.

By order,

H. G. CARTER,

Offg Director, Botanical Survey of India.

REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Depôt 1st Manchester Regiment, dated at Bangalore, this 19th day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—1977, Lance Corporal, H. Byrom.
Age—25 years.
Height—5 feet 5 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, sallow; hair, dark.
Date of Enlistment—6th January 1910.

Place of Enlistment—Manchester.
Date of Desertion or absence—13th May 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Bangalore.
On pass.
Under 8 years' service.

E. A. MARPLES, Major,

Commanding No. 2 Combined British Infantry Depot.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 2nd Dorsetshire Regiment, dated at Bangalore, this 19th day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—16488, Private F. H. Morritt.
Age—31 years.
Height—5 feet 11 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, dark; hair, black; eyes, brown.
Trade—Jockey.
Date of Enlistment—15th January 1916.
Place of Enlistment—Fort St. George, Madras.
Date of Desertion or absence—14th May 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Bangalore.
Marks—Cross and words "In memory of my mother" tattooed on front of right side of chest.
"On furlough."
Under 2 years' service.

E. A. MARPLES, Major,
Commanding No. 2 Combined British Infantry Depôt.

Report of an Absentee without leave from "B" Company, 2-4th Somerset Light Infantry, dated at Barrackpore, this 15th day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—201178, Private Oram.
Age—21 years.
Height—5 feet 9 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, sallow; hair, dark; eyes, dark.
Trade—Grocer's Assistant.
Date of Enlistment—5th February 1917.
Place of Enlistment—Bath.
Parish and County in which born—Bath, Somerset, England.
Date of absence—14th May 1917.
Place of absence—Barrackpore.
Tattoo Marks—On arm—"Love for Ivy."
" " On leg, below knee—a dagger.
" " On one thigh—a girl.
" " On one thigh—crossed flags.
On week-end leave.
Under three years' service.

E. W. FARWELL, Captain,
Dett. 2-4th Somerset Light Infantry, Barrackpore.

BUREAU OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 22nd May 1917.

No. 57.—The following candidates from the Sir Harcourt Butler School, Simla, have passed the Government of India School Leaving Certificate Examination, 1917:—

Bose, Bijon Behari.
Chatterji, Amerindro Nath.
Ikbaluddin, Chaudhari.
Lahiri, Nirmal Kumar.
Mukerji, Nirmal Chundra.
Mukerjee, Sib Chandra.
Sen, Sachindra Kumar.

H. SHARP,
Educational Commissioner with the Government of India.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 16th May 1917.

No. 506s-*E.-E.*—Mr. J. G. P. Cameron, Assistant Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, is granted special (field) leave for two months and thirteen days with effect from the 20th October 1916 under Army Department letter No. 5332, dated the 4th June 1915.

This cancels this Department Notification No. 4109-E.-E., dated the 19th December 1916.

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The 18th May 1917.

No. 548s-E.-E.—The following permanent promotions in the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) are sanctioned on probation for six months with effect from the dates noted against each :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. J. A. McCarthy .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 1st class, pay Rs. 325—15—400.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 1st class, pay Rs. 400—25—500.	1st February 1917.
Mr. A. E. Walker . .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 1st class, pay Rs. 325—15—400.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 1st class, pay Rs. 400—25—500.	22nd February 1917.
Mr. J. J. Harvey . .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 1st class, pay Rs. 325—15—400.	1st February 1917.
Mr. J. T. Shave . .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 1st class, pay Rs. 325—15—400.	22nd February 1917.
Mr. W. Poole . .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 1st class, pay Rs. 325—15—400.	9th April 1917.
Mr. T. Manser . .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem.*	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class.	1st February 1917.
Mr. M. L. Pritchard .	Inspecting Telegraph Master.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class.	22nd February 1917.
Mr. G. Sambasivan .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem.*	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class.	9th April 1917.

The 21st May 1917.

No. 622s-E.-E.—Mr. W. H. King, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, is granted special (field) leave for three months with effect from the 18th January 1917, under Army Department letter No. 5332, dated the 4th June 1915.

No 666s-E-E.—Mr. R. Carr, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, is granted special (field) leave for three months with effect from the 17th December 1916, under Army Department letter No. II.-5332, dated the 4th June 1915.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 23rd May 1917.

No. 2955-T.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 17th May 1917 to 23rd May 1917.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Government Telegraph Offices.		
Harmingyi . .	Burma	2nd May 1917 . . .	Opened.
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Lala Karm Chand, Deputy Postmaster, Ambala, and officiating Deputy Postmaster, Rawalpindi, is appointed to hold charge of the office of Postmaster, Rawalpindi, in addition to his own duties from the 18th April 1917 to the 29th April 1917 inclusive.

The following officiating appointments are made from the 22nd April 1917 and until further orders.

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The 17th May 1917.

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(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

NAME OF MINTS	COINAGE OF BRITISH INDIA GOVERNMENT COINS													COINAGE FOR EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT			SUBSIDIARY COINAGE FOR CEYLON GOVERNMENT		
	RECEIPTS				COINAGE			BALANCE OF BULLION AND COIN											
	Purchased silver	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins	TOTAL	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native States.	TOTAL	New coin ready for delivery	Currency Bullion	Other Government Bullion	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins	TOTAL	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from currency balance	Piastres coined and paid over	Closing balance of Bullion	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from currency balance	Cents coined and paid over	Closing balance.
Calcutta	32	...	...	32	52		52	5	(a) 4	3	4	5C	...	...	.	...	...	15
Bombay	54	.	...	54	35	...	35	...	(b) 148	1	...	149	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 42 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
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Calcutta, the 25th May 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 22nd May 1917.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE. Coin and Bullion. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		Securities (Purchase price).		TOTAL.	REMARKS.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R (a)	R (b) (c)	R	
Calcutta	1,94,36,000	30,72,33,200	32,66,69,200	3,98,91,009	1,52,12,250	63,64,770	5,17,50,000	18,52,919	...	...	9,99,99,946	46,56,65,695	68,02,36,589	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R48,19,11,571. (c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Ordinance No. 11 of 1917 at a cost of R38,06,65,695.
Cawnpore	...	78,35,250	78,35,250	1,45,97,416	92,99,047	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,38,96,463	
Lahore	...	6,88,18,985	6,88,18,985	1,67,46 920	1,45,44,810	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,12,91,730	
Bombay	48,65,565	27,42,27,590	27,90 93,155	3,15,60,440	4,38,11,508	73,10,341	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,27,02,289	
Karachi	...	3,15 87,920	3,15,87,920	52,56,803	36,71,625	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	89,30,428	
Madras	46,10,490	9,78,90,465	10,25,00,955	1,68,24,995	1,17,68,520	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,85 93 515	
Rangoon	...	5,91,04,935	5,91,04,935	1,65,58,636	48,73,455	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,14,32,091	
	2,89,12,055	84,66,98,345	87,56,10,400	14,14,58,219	10,31,81,215	1,36,75,111	5,17,50,000	13,52,919	...	...	9,99,99,946	46,56,65,695	87,70,83,105	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			5,17,295	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									19,90,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			87,50,93,105							TOTAL RESERVE R			87,50,93,105	

Gold worth £66,000 (Rs. 9,90,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 22nd May 1917.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 22nd May 1917 to 21 lakhs in sovereigns.

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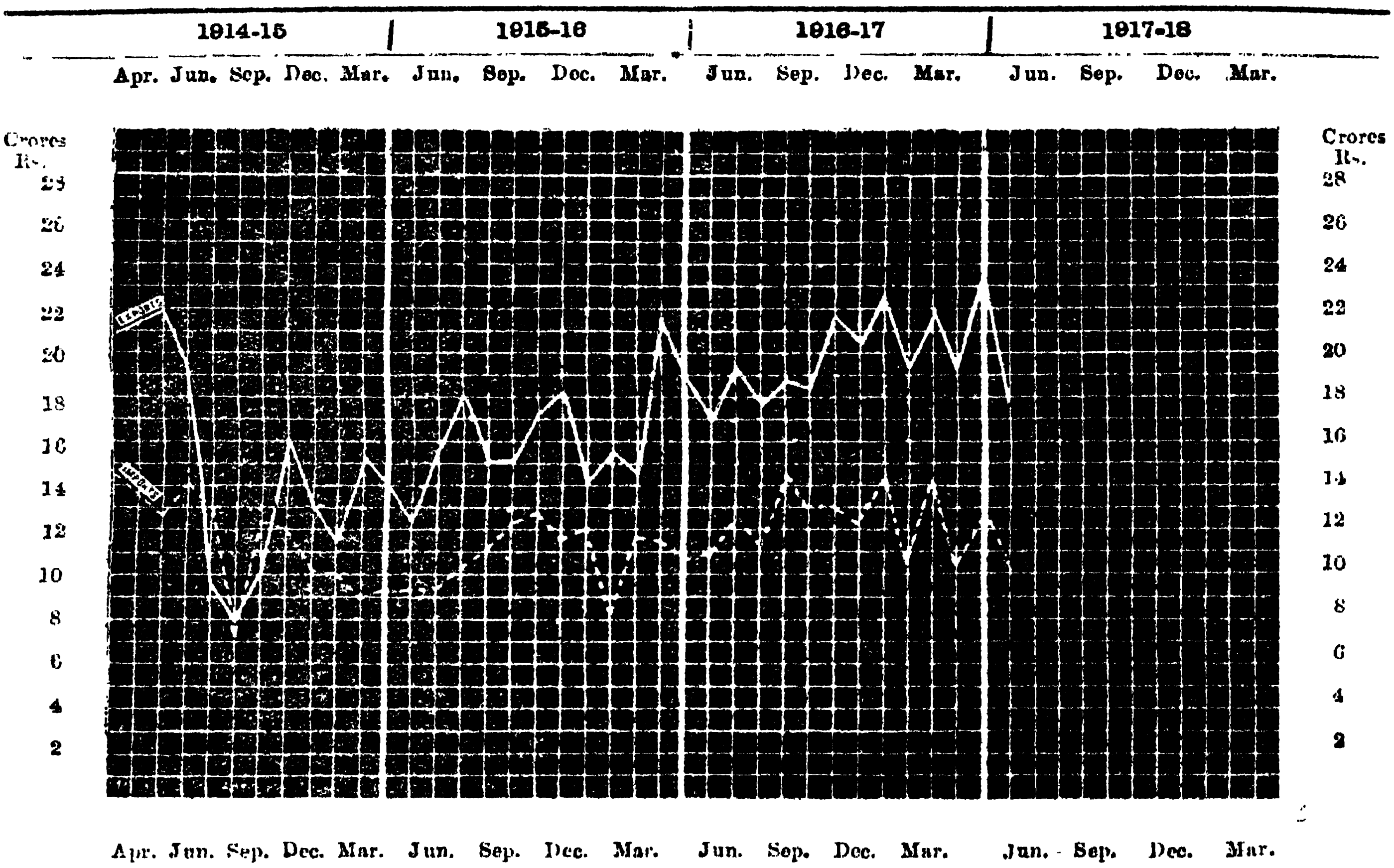
Foreign Sea-borne Trade during April, 1917.

The trade returns of British India for April, 1917, as compared with those of its immediate predecessor, showed decreases in total imports, exports, and re-exports. The total imports of merchandise were valued at over R10 crores, the exports, including those of wheat and tanned cow hides on Government account, at R17 crores, and the re-exports at nearly R64½ lakhs. As compared with the preceding month (March, 1917), the imports decreased by 20 per cent, the exports by 24 per cent, and the re-exports by 17 per cent. As compared with April, 1916, the imports showed a decrease of 7 per cent, while the exports showed an increase of 2 per cent, and the re-exports of 113 per cent.

The chart showing the course of monthly imports and exports, including re-exports, from April, 1914, to April, 1917, is appended below :—

MONTHLY IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FROM APRIL, 1914, TO APRIL, 1917.

(Private Merchandise only.)



The actual net excess of exports, including re-exports, over imports was R10,63 lakhs in March, 1917, and R7,52 lakhs in April, 1917. The statement below shows the figures of imports and exports, including re-exports, during March and April, of the years 1915, 1916, and 1917, and the actual net excess of exports over imports during the same periods :—

	1915		1916		1917		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1915	1916	1917
	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)
March . . .	9,36	14,10	10,80	19,08	12,83	23,46(*b*)	4,74	8,28	10,63
April . . .	9,35	12,50	11,02	17,06	10,26	17,78(*a*)	3,15	6,04	7,52

(*a*) Includes R1,44,01,3?0, being the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account in April, 1917.

(*b*) Includes R82,66,914, being the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account in March, 1917.

Comparisons with March, 1917.—As compared with March, 1917, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under sugar, 16 D. S., etc. (+R7 lakhs), and silk piece goods (+R5 lakhs), but *decreases* under molasses (—R7¾ lakhs), wood (timber) (—R16 lakhs), cotton, twist and yarn (—R15⅗ lakhs), grey piece goods (—R66 lakhs), white piece goods (—R23¾ lakhs), coloured piece goods (—R23 lakhs), and articles imported by post (—R20 lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under gram (+R11 lakhs), wheat (private and Government) (+R81½ lakhs), raw skins (+R23 lakhs), and jute, gunny cloth (+R27⅗ lakhs), but *decreases* under rice (—R92 lakhs), tea, black (—R42¾ lakhs), coffee (—R22⅓ lakhs), raw hides (—R39¾ lakhs), groundnut seed (—R33½ lakhs), linseed (—R25¾ lakhs), sesamum seed (—R 17 lakhs), raw rubber (—R11¼ lakhs), raw cotton (—R1,56 lakhs), raw jute (—R78⅘ lakhs), opium (—R11 lakhs), indigo (—R13 lakhs), hides, tanned (—R41⅔ lakhs), skins, tanned (—R14⅓ lakhs), cotton twist (—R46⅔ lakhs), and jute, gunny bags (—R16 lakhs).

Comparisons with April, 1916.—As compared with April, 1916, the most noticeable changes were:—

Under imports: *increases* under sugar, 16 D. S., etc. (+R35 lakhs), cotton coloured piece goods (+R48¼ lakhs), raw silk (+R7 lakhs), and articles imported by post (+R21½ lakhs), but *decreases* under kerosene oil (—R31 lakhs), cotton, twist and yarn (—R11½ lakhs), and cotton grey piece goods (—R71¼ lakhs).

Under exports: *increases* under barley (+R19⅖ lakhs), gram (+R35⅗ lakhs), wheat (private and Government) (+R1,20⅓ lakhs), shellac (+R19 lakhs), raw skins (+R24⅕ lakhs), raw hemp (+R10⅕ lakhs), cotton, twist and yarn (+R28⅕ lakhs), cotton piece goods (+R33 lakhs), and jute, gunny cloth (+R51¼ lakhs), but *decreases* under rice (—R23⅓ lakhs), tea, black (—R17⅖ lakhs), raw hides (—R16 lakhs), castor seed (—R15 lakhs), copra (—R29⅗ lakhs), linseed (—R15⅗ lakhs), raw cotton (—R48 lakhs), raw jute (—R80 lakhs), and jute, gunny bags (—R54¾ lakhs).

VARIATIONS IN CLASSES.

The variations in April, 1916 and 1917, as compared with March, 1916 and 1917, respectively, according to the four main classes of merchandise, are as follows:—

	March 1916 R(lakhs)	April 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)	March 1917 R(lakhs)	April 1917 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)
IMPORTS						
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	2,10	1,54	—56	1,92	1,86	—6
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	69	80	+11	76	55	—21
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	7,80	8,40	+60	9,54	7,45	—2,09
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	21	28	+7	61	40	—21
Total	10,80	11,02	+22	12,83	10,26	—2,57

EXPORTS	March 1916 R (lakhs)	April 1916 R (lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R (lakhs)	March 1917 R (lakhs)	April 1917 R (lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R (lakhs)
1. Food, drink, and tobacco	4,62	3,54	—1,08	6,10	5,20	—90
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured	7,40	8,16	+76	9,95	6,50	—3,45
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	6,50	4,89	—1,61	6,46	5,25	—1,21
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	18	17	—1	17	19	+2
Total	18,70	16,76	—1,94	22,68 (b)	17,14 (a)	—5,54

COMPARISON WITH THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF THE PRECEDING MONTH (MARCH, 1917).†

I.—Imports.

A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF FOOD STUFFS.

Imports of Food, drink, and tobacco in April, 1917, decreased by R6 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, increased in April, 1917, to 29,727 tons, valued at over R1,02½ lakhs, from 27,533 tons, valued at R 95½ lakhs, in the preceding month (March, 1917). Imports from Java and Mauritius increased, while those from Japan decreased. Imports of salt decreased in April, 1917, to 37,810 tons from 37,979 tons in the preceding month.

A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF RAW MATERIALS.

The value of the imports of Raw materials in April, 1917, decreased by R21 lakhs, due to smaller imports of mineral oil, which amounted to 3¼ million gallons, valued at R20 lakhs, as against 7 million gallons, valued at R29 lakhs, in the preceding month (March, 1917). The quantity of kerosene oil imported decreased to 1·4 million gallons from 2 million gallons, and imports of other kinds of mineral oil, mainly lubricating and fuel oils, to nearly 2 million gallons from over 5 million gallons in the preceding month.

A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF COTTON PIECE GOODS AND OF IRON OR STEEL SHEETS AND PLATES.

The value of the imports of Manufactured articles decreased by R2,09 lakhs. The imports of cotton piece goods, including fents, in April, 1917, decreased to 118¾ million yards, valued at R3,34⅜ lakhs, from 175¼ million yards, valued at R4,50 lakhs, in the preceding month. Grey goods decreased by 32 million yards to 39½ million yards, white goods by 12 million yards to 42⅘ million yards, and coloured, printed, or dyed goods by 12 million yards to 34 million yards. Imports of iron or steel sheets and plates decreased in April, 1917, to 4,909 tons, valued at nearly R22 lakhs, from 6,220 tons, valued at R27½ lakhs, in the preceding month.

(a) Includes R1,44,01,370, being the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account in April, 1917.

(b) Includes R82,66,914, being the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account in March, 1917.

† Comparison is made with the previous month and not with the corresponding month of last year, owing to the present abnormal circumstances brought about by the war.

II.—Exports.

A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RICE AND AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF WHEAT.

Exports of Food, drink, and tobacco decreased in April, 1917, by R90 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. Exports of rice, not in the husk, decreased in April, 1917, to 125,130 tons, valued at R1,43¾ lakhs, from 211,915 tons, valued at R2,30¼ lakhs, in the preceding month. As compared with April, 1916, the exports in April, 1917, were less by 24,686 tons. Exports of wheat (on private and Government account) increased in April, 1917, to R1,24 lakhs, from nearly R43 lakhs, in the preceding month.

Rice, not in the husk.

Wheat.

A HEAVY DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF TEA.

Shipments of tea in April, 1917, decreased to 14½ million lbs, valued at nearly R85 lakhs, from 21 million lbs, valued at R1,27½ lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom took nearly 7¾ million lbs in April, 1917, as against nearly 16¾ million lbs in March, 1917. The total exports in the month of April, 1917, were less by over 3½ million lbs, than the exports in April, 1916.

Tea.

A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RAW MATERIALS.

The value of the exports of raw materials decreased by R3,45 lakhs. The marginal table shows the exports of raw cotton during March and April, 1917, to the principal importing countries. The shipments decreased in April, 1917, to 23,374 tons, valued at R2,19¾ lakhs, from 38,929 tons, valued at R3,75¾ lakhs, in the preceding month. Japan, Italy, the United Kingdom, and France reduced their imports from British India. The quantity exported in April, 1917, was less by 15,954 tons and the value of the exports less by R48 lakhs.

Raw Cotton.

Exports of raw cotton

	March, 1917	April, 1917
	tons	tons
To Japan	28,189	18,188
„ Italy	4,541	186
„ United Kingdom	3,242	2,742
„ France	2,206	936
Total (including other countries)	38,929	23,374

Exports of raw jute in April, 1917, decreased to 18,533 tons, valued at nearly R56½ lakhs, from 45,580 tons, valued at over R1,35 lakhs, in the preceding month. The quantity exported in April, 1917, was less than in April, 1916 by 25,518 tons and the value of the exports by nearly R80 lakhs.

Raw Jute.

A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF MANUFACTURED ARTICLES.

The value of the exports of Manufactured articles decreased by R1,21 lakhs. Exports of jute, gunny bags amounted in April, 1917, to 38⅘ millions in number, valued at R1,08 lakhs, as against 40 millions, valued at R1,24 lakhs, in the preceding month. The exports of jute, gunny bags, in the month of April, 1917, amounted to 38·8 millions in number, valued at R1,08 lakhs as against 53 millions, valued at R1,62¾ lakhs, in April, 1916. Exports of jute, gunny cloth in April, 1917, amounted to nearly 113·4 million yards, valued at R1,68¼ lakhs, as against 96·4 million yards, valued at R1,40⅗ lakhs, in the preceding month. In the month of April, 1917, the exports amounted to 113·4 million yards, valued at R1,68¼ lakhs, as against nearly 64 million yards, valued at nearly R1,17 lakhs, in April, 1916.

Jute, gunny bags.

Jute, gunny cloth.

MONTH OF APRIL, 1917.

The summary of the results for the month of April, 1917, as compared with the corresponding month of 1915 and 1916, is as follows:—

	1915		1916		1917		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1915	1916	1917
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Merchandise (private)	9,35	12,50	11,02	17,06(a)	10,26	17,78(b)	3,15	6,04	7,52
Treasure (private)	1,19	6	99	18	55	4	—1,13	—81	—51

(a) Includes R8,12,918, being the value of wheat exported on Government account in April, 1916.
(b) Includes R1,44,01,370, being the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account in April, 1917.

It will be seen that, during the month of April, 1917, as compared with April, 1916, the imports of merchandise decreased by R76 lakhs or 7 per cent, but the exports, including re-exports, increased by R72 lakhs or 4 per cent. The total value of merchandise decreased by R4 lakhs, to over R28 crores.

CHIEF INCREASES AND DECREASES.

Comparing the values of the imports and exports during the month of April, 1917, with those in April, 1916, the chief increases and decreases are as follows:—

I. Imports.

Increases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Sugar, 16 D. S., etc.	35,20
	Salt	2,28
	Cigarettes	2,71
Class II	Silk, raw	7,10
	Wood (timber)	2,77
Class III	Aniline dyes	2,77
Class III	Textile machinery (Cotton)	4,10
	Stationery	2,31
	Cotton, coloured piece goods	48,29
	,, hosiery	2,98
	Silk, piece goods	8,11
	Woollen piece goods	6,45
Class IV	Articles imported by post	21,51

Decreases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Biscuits and cakes	3,05
Class II	Kerosene oil	31,84
Class III	Motor cars and motor cycles	4,17
	Drugs and medicines	4,78
	Hardware	3,15
	Bars and channel (steel)	2,77
	Iron or steel—sheets and plates	3,53
	,, beams, pillars, etc.	2,07
Class III	Iron or steel pipes and fittings (cast)	2,67
	Railway carriages and wagons	4,93
	,, materials for construction	4,[illegible]1
	Cotton, twist and yarn	11,45
	,, grey piece goods	71,29
	Matches	4,44
	Tea-chests	6,23
Class IV	Horses	9,00

II. Exports.

Increases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Barley	19,40
	Gram	35,60
	Pulse	8,57
	Wheat (private and Government)	1,29,84
Class II	Lac	20,94
Class II	Skins (raw)	24,22
	Hemp (raw)	10,22
Class III	Cotton, twist and yarn	28,23
	,, piece goods	33,17
	Jute, gunny cloth	51,25

Decreases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Rice	28,37
	Spices—pepper	7,58
	Tea	17,88
Class II	Hides, raw	16,09
	Castor seed	15,18
	Copra or coconut kernel	29,62
Class II	Cotton seed	7,61
	Linseed	15,61
	Cotton, raw	48,06
	Jute, raw	29,09
Class III	Indigo	7,45
	Jute, gunny bags	54,75

Imports of Foreign Merchandise.

In the following table are shown the quantities and values of the principal articles of imports during April, 1917, as compared, with the figures for April, 1916 :—

Principal Articles		Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (—) in April, 1917, as compared with April 1916	
		1916	1917	1916	1917	Quantity	Value
		(thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)
Apparel (excluding haberdashery, hosiery, and boots and shoes)		—	—	8,86	10,96	—	+2,10
Carriages and carts (including cycles and motor cars)		—	—	20,58	15,67	—	—4,91
Chemicals		—	—	12,74	11,70	—	—1,04
Coal	tons	3	2	65	53	—1	—12
Drugs and medicines		—	—	11,22	6,49	—	—4,73
Dyes, aniline and alizarine	lbs	5	55	20	3,35	+50	+3,15
Fruits and vegetables		—	—	3,06	4,83	—	+1,77
Glass and glassware		—	—	12,30	10,60	—	—1,70
Hardware		—	—	21,67	18,52	—	—3,15
Instruments, apparatus, etc.		—	—	12,78	10 96	—	— 1,82
Liquors	gals.	357	242	17,60	17,36	—115	—24
Machinery of all kinds, including belting for machinery		—	—	46,89	38,71	—	—8,18
Matches	gross	1,207	650	11,61	7,17	—557	—4,44
Metals, iron and steel	tons	30	13	82,75	55 08	—17	—27,67
,, copper	cwts	2	2	2,15	2,55	.	+40
Oils—mineral	gals.	9,965	3 257	52,86	20,13	—6 708	—32,73
Paper and pasteboard		—	—	18,99	9,52	—	—9,47
Provisions and oilman's stores		—	—	19,10	14,07	—	—5,03
Railway plant and rolling-stock		—	—	14,77	4,08	—	—10,69
Salt	tons	32	38	14,91	17,19	+6	+2,28
Spices	lbs	10,060	10,890	14,87	13,59	+830	—1,28
Stationery		—	—	5,01	7,32	—	+2,31
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	cwts	438	594	67,19	1,02,39	+156	+35,20
Textiles— Cotton, raw	,,	1	1	19	63	...	+44
,, twist and yarn	lbs	2,823	1,314	33,16	21,71	—1,509	—11,45
,, grey piece goods	yards	90,399	39,554	1,65,57	94,28	—50,845	—71,29
,, white ,,	,,	52,582	42,644	1,03,94	1,02,17	—9,938	—1,77
,, coloured ,,	,,	31,760	34,048	83,96	1,32,25	+2,288	+48,29
,, other sorts of manufactures		—	—	21,20	26,44	—	+5,24
Silk, raw	lbs	38	153	1,78	8,88	+115	+7,10
,, manufactures		—	—	20,61	30,11	—	+9,50
Woollen manufactures		—	—	6,91	15,00	—	+8,09

Exports of Indian Merchandise.

The table below shows the quantities and values of the principal articles of Indian merchandise exported during April, 1917, as compared with the figures for April, 1916 :—

Principal Articles		Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (—) in April, 1917, as compared with April, 1916	
		1916	1917	1916	1917	Quantity	Value
				R	R		R
		(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)	(thousands)
Chemicals—saltpetre	cwts	15	30	10,40	6,25	—25	—4,15
Coal	tons	67	43	5,75	3,97	—24	—1,78
Coffee	cwts	33	39	18,77	20,07	+ 6	+ 1,30
Coir	,,	116	87	14,48	10,11	—29	—4,37
Dyes, indigo	,,	3	2	21,71	14,26	—1	—7,45
,, myrobalans	,,	101	41	5,94	2,15	—60	—3,79
Grain, pulse, and flour—							
Rice, in the husk	,,	130	109	3,71	3,25	—21	—46
Rice, not in the husk	,,	2,996	2,502	1,66,64	1,43,74	—194	—22,90
Wheat: Private	,,	—	—	74	92	—	+ 18
Wheat: Government	,,	—	—	313	1,23,29	—	+ 1,20,16
Wheat: Total	,,	—	—	387	1,24,21	—	+ 1,20,34
Wheat-flour	,,	44	58	379	5,63	+ 14	+ 1,84
Barley	,,	23	382	1,34	20,74	+ 359	+ 19,40
Gram and maize	,,	14	1,130	73	59,28	+ 1,116	+ 58,55
Jawar and bajra	,,	53	44	2,36	1,96	—9	—40
Pulse	,,	140	264	11,01	19,58	+ 124	+ 8,57
Hides, raw	,,	68	47	57,45	41,36	—21	—16,09
Skins, raw	,,	47	57	48,04	72,26	+ 10	+ 24,22
Hides and skins, tanned or dressed—							
Hides (a): Private	,,		1		1,74	+ 1	+ 1,74
Hides (a): Government	,,	18	14	22,18	20,72	—4	—1,46
Hides (a): Total	,,		15		22,46	—3	+ 28
Skins	,,	12	8	27,94	33,15	—4	+ 5,21
Total Hides and skins, tanned or dressed (including cow hides on Government account)	,,	30	23	50,12	55,61	—7	+ 5,49
Lac—shell	,,	31	28	16,78	35,91	—3	+ 19,13
Manures	tons	6	5	5,91	4,09	—1	—1,82
Manganese ore	,,	—	—	9,64	4,34	—	—5,30
Wolfram ,,	,,	—	—	7,57	7,20	—	—37
Mica	cwts	—	—	3,43	5,82	—	+ 2,39
Castor oil	gals.	279	158	3,98	2,60	—121	—1,38
Coconut oil	,,	675	504	13,48	11,94	—171	—1,54
Oilcakes	cwts	247	190	9,60	6,69	—57	—2,91
Opium	,,	1	1	13,41	14,17	...	+ 76
Seeds—total	,,	1,794	899	1,61,91	84,73	—895	—77,18
Castor	,,	288	92	22,44	7,26	—196	—15,18
Copra	,,	210	55	39,74	10,12	—155	—29,62
Cotton seed	,,	207	4	7,75	14	—203	—7,61
Linseed	,,	495	263	41,30	25,69	—232	—15,61
Tea	lbs	18,071	14,427	1,02,21	84,83	—3,644	—17,38
Textiles—							
Cotton, raw	cwts	787	467	2,67,81	2,19,75	—320	—48,06
,, twist and yarn	lbs	4,564	9,161	20,19	48,42	+ 4,597	+ 28,23
,, piece goods	yards	10,630	22,583	21,96	55,13	+ 11,953	+ 33,17
Hemp, raw	cwts	64	88	13,00	23,22	+ 24	+ 10,22
Jute, raw	tons	44	18	1,36,50	56,41	—26	—80,09
,, gunny bags: Sacking	no.	22,163	14,692	88,95	61,54	— 7,471	—27,41
,, gunny bags: Hessian	,,	30,823	24,094	73,82	46,48	—6,729	—27,34
,, gunny bags: Total	,,	52,986	38,786	1,62,77	1,08,02	— 14,200	—54,75
,, gunny cloth: Sacking	yards	6,690	2,820	12,78	5,08	—3,870	—7,70
,, gunny cloth: Hessian	,,	57,135	110,551	1,04,22	1,63,17	+ 53,416	+ 58,95
,, gunny cloth: Total	,,	63,825	113,371	1,17,00	1,68,25	+ 49,546	+ 51,25
Wool, raw	lbs	4,223	4,695	32,86	39,06	+ 472	+ 6,20
Wood, teak	cubic tons	2	1	3,50	2,00	—1	—1,50
Other timber	,, ,,	...	...	15	11	...	—4

(a) Exports of tanned cow hides on Government account are shown separately from September, 1916

TRADE BY PROVINCES.

The total imports and exports, including re-exports, of private merchandise into and from the several maritime provinces during the month of April, 1917, as compared with those of March, 1917, are stated below :—

	IMPORTS		EXPORTS, INCLUDING RE-EXPORTS	
	March, 1917	April, 1917	March, 1917	April, 1917
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Bengal	4,27	3,52	6,95	5,83
Bombay	5,82	4,13	8,3[illegible]	5,68
Sind	1,26	1,27	2,37	2,87
Madras	93	72	3,08	1,9[illegible]
Burma	1,02	62	2,67	1,50
Total	12,83	10,26	23,46(a)	17.78(a)

Under imports, Burma showed a decrease of 39 per cent, Bombay of 22 per cent, Bengal of 18 per cent, and Madras of 25 per cent, while Sind showed an increase of 1 per cent. Under exports, Madras showed a decrease of 38 per cent, Bombay of 32 per cent, Bengal of 16 per cent, and Burma of 44 per cent, while Sind showed an increase of 21 per cent. These comparisons are with the preceding month (March, 1917).

TRADE WITH THE ALLIES AND NEUTRAL COUNTRIES.

The total trade with the Allies and the principal neutral countries in the month of April, 1917, as compared with March, 1917, is noted below :—

	Imports			Exports			Total		
	March, 1917	April, 1917	+ or —	March, 1917	April, 1917	+ or —	March, 1917	April, 1917	+ or —
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
United Kingdom	7,46	5,53	—1,93	7,91	4,35	—3,56	15,37	9,8[illegible]	—5,19
Russia	...	...	...	11	1	—10	11	1	—10
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
France	21	25	+4	1,46	93	—53	1,67	1,18	—49
Italy	11	36	+25	97	9	—88	1,08	45	—63
Japan	1,66	1,03	—63	3,00	1,99	—1,01	4,66	3,02	—1,64
Sweden	1	...	—1	...	...	...	1	..	—1
Norway	...	1	+1	...	5	+5		6	+6
Holland	7	4	—3	8	...	—8	15	4	—11
Spain	7	3	—4	1	19	+18	8	22	+14
United States of America	1,09	70	—39	2,45	3,05	+60	3,54	3,75	+21

It will be observed that in April, 1917, as compared with March, 1917, the total trade with the United Kingdom, France, Italy, Japan, Russia, and Holland decreased, while that with Norway, Spain, and the United States of America increased. Imports from the United Kingdom decreased by R 1,93 lakhs, and the exports thereto by R 3,56 lakhs. The export trade with the United States of America increased by R 60 lakhs, while under imports there was a decrease of R 39 lakhs only.

BALANCE OF TRADE.

India's Balance of Trade during the month of April, 1917, as compared with April, 1916, is shown in the appended table. The table takes into account the imports and exports of merchandise and treasure on private

(a) Include the value of wheat and tanned cowhides exported on Government account.

account only, as well as the value of wheat and tanned cowhides exported on Government account :

	Month of April, 1916.	Month of April, 1917.
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Exports of Merchandise, including Re-exports *	17,06(a)	17,78 (b)
Imports " *	11,02	10,26
Excess of Exports over Imports	6,04	7,52
Net Imports of Gold *	87	33
" " " Silver *	—6	18
Net Imports of Treasure *	81	51
Net exports of merchandise and treasure*	5,23	7,01
Council bills and Telegraphic transfers paid in India	1,97·8	5,25·8
Sterling bills on London sold in India	...	...
Enfaced Rupee paper (net imports)	5·7	23·5
Interest on enfaced Rupee paper	...	1
	d.	d.
Average rate of exchange	16·072	16·168(c)

In the month of April, 1917, the excess of exports over imports of private merchandise was R7,52 lakhs, as against R6,04 lakhs in April, 1916, and the net imports of treasure on private account were R51 lakhs as against R81 lakhs. The net exports (merchandise and treasure) were R7,01 lakhs, as against R5,23 lakhs in April, 1916.

The amount of Council Bills and Telegraphic Transfers paid in India in April 1917, was R5,25⅛ lakhs, of which R42⅝ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, R2,29⅝ lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and R2,53⅛ lakhs through the Treasuries. In April, 1916, the amount was R1,97⅞ lakhs, of which R1,28⅜ lakhs were paid through the Paper Currency Reserve and R69½ lakhs through the Treasuries. In April, 1915, the amount of Council Bills paid was R1,99⅓ lakhs. As regards enfaced Rupee paper, R600 represented the amount of paper enfaced to London, and R23½ lakhs the amount re-transferred from London, in April, 1917, while in the corresponding period of 1916, R13,700 represented the amount of paper enfaced to London and about R6 lakhs the amount re-transferred from London.

MOVEMENTS OF GOLD AND SILVER (PRIVATE AND GOVERNMENT).

In the month of April, 1917, the imports of gold were valued at over R33 lakhs and the exports at R9,600, as against nearly R1,35 lakhs and R3,000, respectively, in March, 1917. There were no imports of gold bullion in April, 1917, as against over R74 lakhs in the preceding month, while sovereigns and other British gold coin were imported to the value of about R33 lakhs, as against R58 lakhs in March, 1917.

Imports of silver were valued at more than R2,41 lakhs, of which nearly R2,20 lakhs were on Government account, as against over R2,74 lakhs on both private and Government account in March, 1917. Exports of silver were valued

* Merchandise and treasure exclusive of Government transactions (other than "wheat" and "tanned cowhides" in the case of exports of merchandise).
(a) Includes R8,12,918, being the value of wheat exported on Government account.
(b) Includes R1,41,01,370, being the value of wheat and tanned cowhides exported on Government account.
(c) Approximate.

at about R30 lakhs, of which over R26 lakhs were on Government account, as against over R37 lakhs, both on private and Government account, in the preceding month.

DECLARED VALUE PER UNIT OF SELECTED ARTICLES.

The declared values per unit of certain selected articles imported and exported during April, 1915, 1916, and 1917, are noted below :—

		April								
		1915			1916			1917		
Imports		R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.
Coal	ton	22	4	2	24	4	3	30	0	11
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	cwt	15	0	11	15	5	3	17	3	7
Cotton, twist and yarn	lb	0	13	5	1	2	9	1	10	5
,, grey piecegoods	yard	0	2	4	0	2	11	0	3	10
,, white ,,	,,	0	3	5	0	3	2	0	3	10
,, coloured ,,	,,	0	3	10	0	4	3	0	6	3
Exports										
Coal	ton	9	14	9	8	9	1	9	2	5
Coffee	cwt	55	9	0	56	9	0	52	0	7

		April								
		1915			1916			1917		
Exports—contd.		R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.
Indigo	cwt	487	1	5	732	13	1	577	7	9
Rice, not in the husk	,,	5	0	4	5	9	0	5	11	11
Wheat	,,	7	4	8	6	1	2	6	10	3
Manganese ore	ton	19	11	5	17	12	4	18	1	0
Tea	lb	0	9	6	0	9	1	0	9	5
Cotton, raw	cwt	23	7	4	34	0	9	47	0	1
Jute, raw	bale	39	2	10	55	5	4	54	5	8
,, gunny bags	no.	0	4	3	0	4	11	0	4	5
,, gunny cloth	yard	0	1	11	0	2	11	0	2	4

As compared with the corresponding month of the previous year (April 1916) under imports, the declared unit value of coal rose in April, 1917, by 24 per cent, of sugar by 12 per cent, of cotton twist and yarn by 41 per cent, and of cotton piecegoods, grey by 31 per cent, white by 21 per cent, and coloured by 47 per cent. Under exports, raw cotton showed an increase of 38 per cent, rice not in the husk of 3 per cent, manganese ore of 2 per cent, tea of 4 per cent, wheat of 9 per cent, and coal of 7 per cent; while coffee showed a decrease of 8 per cent, jute gunny cloth of 20 per cent, indigo of 21 per cent, and raw jute of 2 per cent.

CUSTOMS REVENUE.*

The following table shows the gross Indian sea customs revenue (excluding salt revenue) collected on principal articles in April, 1917, as compared with March, 1917, and April, 1916 and 1914 :—

	April 1914 (pre-war month)	April 1916	March 1917	April 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—) in April, 1917, as compared with		
					March 1917	April 1916	April 1914
IMPORT DUTY	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)
Special duties							
Arms, etc.	54	68(a)	41(a)	36(a)	—5	—32	—18
Cotton manufactures	15,42	11,95	31,67	27,15	—4,52	+15,20	+11,73
Liquors	11,92	8,56	8,87	7,74	—1,13	—82	—4,18
Petroleum	7,81	2,99(b)	3,04(b)	2,57(b)	—47	—42	—5,24
Silver bullion and coin	15,57	1,71	1,22	1,95	+73	+24	—13,62
Silver manufactures	—	36	38	27	—11	—9	—
Sugar	4,50	6,66(c)	9,15(c)	8,65(c)	—50	+1,99	+4,15
Tobacco	2,44	3,20	3,47	4,21	+74	+1,01	+1,77
Duty at 2½ per cent							
Machinery	—	79	74	68	—6	—11	—
Metals—Iron and steel	1,67	1,66	1,62	1,18	—44	—48	—49
Railway plant, etc.	—	42	14	10	—4	—32	—
Duty at 7½ per cent							
Articles of food, etc., excluding sugar	2,32	3,24	3,19	3,04	—15	—20	+72
Raw materials, etc.	1,17	2,36	3,89	3,14	—75	+78	+1,97
Articles wholly or mainly manufactured	17,79	20,24	21,52	18,48	—3,04	—1,76	+69
Total (including other articles)	81,86	65,42	91,72	80,29	—11,43	+14,87	—1,57
EXPORT DUTY on jute	—	3,32	14,62	9,11	—5,51	+5,79	—
,, ,, rice	11,68	5,42	12,08	5,72	—6,36	+30	—5,96
,, ,, tea	—	2,17	3,14	1,30	—1,84	—87	—

* The Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, IV of 1916, took effect from 1st March, 1916.
(a) Excludes the 7½ per cent duty on explosives.
(b) ,, ,, ,, petroleum.
(c) ,, ,, ,, confectionery.

The customs duty figures are an index to the volume of the import trade as under exports jute, rice, and tea only are subject to duty. In the month of April, 1917, the import duties increased to over R80¼ lakhs from nearly R65⅓ lakhs in April, 1916, and the export duty on rice rose to about R5⅞ lakhs from nearly R5¼ lakhs. The export duty levied on jute amounted to R9,11,000 in April, 1917, as against R8,82,000 in April, 1916, and that on tea to R1,30,000, as against R2,17,000. The total customs revenue (excluding salt but including excise duty on cotton manufactures and land customs) in the month of April, 1917, amounted to over R100 lakhs, as compared with nearly R80 lakhs in the same month last year.

Railway Statistics.

Railway statistics, like the import and export statistics above, are a valuable index to the general movement of trade throughout the country, and show that the earnings from 1st to 28th April, 1917, were R5,85 lakhs as against R5,54 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1916, or an increase of R31 lakhs.

Trade of Aden during April, 1917.

The grand total value of the imports and exports of merchandise, by sea, into and from the port of Aden amounted to over R65 lakhs in the month of April, 1917. The value of the principal articles of imports and exports during April, 1917, were as follows:—

	April, 1917.	
	Imports R (thousands)	Exports R (thousands)
Cotton manufactures	4,59	15,09
Hides and skins, raw	8,07	3,82
Grain and pulse	1,70	1,45
Coffee	2,91	4,46
Coal	1,46	—
Tobacco, unmanufactured	1,10	1,53
Provisions	44	18
Sugar	7	—
Spices	40	—
Salt	—	29
Other articles	7,76	9,80
Total value	28,50	36,62

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ARMY (ANNUAL) ACT, 1917.

[7 GEO. 5, CH. 9.]

CHAPTER 9.

AN ACT TO PROVIDE, DURING TWELVE MONTHS, FOR THE DISCIPLINE AND REGULATION OF THE ARMY.

[5th April 1917.]

WHEREAS the raising or keeping of a standing army within the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland in time of peace, unless it be with the consent of Parliament, is against law :

AND WHEREAS it is adjudged necessary by His Majesty and this present Parliament that a body of forces should be continued for the safety of the United Kingdom and the defence of the possessions of His Majesty's Crown, and that the whole number of such forces should consist of five million, including those to be employed at the depôts in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for the training of recruits for service at home and abroad, but exclusive of the numbers actually serving within His Majesty's Indian possessions :

AND WHEREAS it is also judged necessary for the safety of the United Kingdom, and the defence of the possessions of this realm, that a body of Royal Marine forces should be employed in His Majesty's fleet and naval service, under the direction of the Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom, or the Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral aforesaid :

AND WHEREAS the said marine forces may frequently be quartered or be on shore, or sent to do duty or be on board transport ships or vessels, merchant ships or vessels, or other ships or vessels, or they may be under other circumstances in which they will not be subject to the laws relating to the government of His Majesty's forces by sea :

AND WHEREAS no man can be forejudged of life or limb, or subjected in time of peace to any kind of punishment within this realm, by martial law, or in any other manner than by the judgment of his peers and according to the known and established laws of this realm ; yet, nevertheless, it being requisite, for the retaining all the before-mentioned forces, and other persons subject to military law, in their duty, that an exact discipline be observed, and that persons belonging to the said forces who mutiny or stir up sedition, or desert His Majesty's service, or are guilty of crimes and offences to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, be brought to a more exemplary and speedy punishment than the usual forms of the law will allow :

44 & 45 Vict. c. 58.

AND WHEREAS the Army Act will expire in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen on the following days :—

(a) In the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man, on the thirtieth day of April ; and

(b) Elsewhere, whether within or without His Majesty's dominions, on the 31st day of July :

BE IT THEREFORE enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the Army (Annual) Act, 1917.

Army Act to be in force for specified times.

2.—(1) The Army Act shall be and remain in force during the periods hereinafter mentioned, and no longer, unless otherwise provided by Parliament (that is to say) :—

(a) Within the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man, from the thirtieth day of April one thousand nine hundred and seventeen to the thirtieth day of April one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, both inclusive ; and

(b) Elsewhere, whether within or without His Majesty's dominions, from the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred and seventeen to the thirty-first day of July one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, both inclusive.

(2) The Army Act, while in force, shall apply to persons subject to military law, whether within or without His Majesty's dominions.

(3) A person subject to military law shall not be exempted from the provisions of the Army Act by reason only that the number of the forces for the time being in the service of His Majesty, exclusive of the marine forces, is either greater or less than the number hereinbefore mentioned.

Prices in respect of billeting.

3. There shall be paid to the keeper of a victualling house for the accommodation provided by him in pursuance of the Army Act the prices specified in the Schedule to this Act.

AMENDMENTS OF THE ARMY ACT.

Amendment of s. 154 of the Army Act with respect to deserters and absentees without leave.

4. After paragraph (8) of section one hundred and fifty-four of the Army Act which relates to deserters and absentees without leave, the following paragraph shall be inserted :—

"(9) Where a person surrenders himself to a constable in the United Kingdom as being a deserter or absentee without leave, the officer of police in charge of the police station to which he is brought shall forthwith inquire into the case, and

if it appears to him from the confession of that person that that person is a deserter or absentee without leave, he may cause him to be delivered int military custody without bringing him before a court of summary jurisdictio under this section, and in such case shall send to the Army Council or as they may direct a certificate signed by himself as to the fact, date, and place of such surrender."

Amendment of s. 163 of the Army Act relating to evidence.

5. (1) For paragraph (j) of section one hundred and sixty-three of the Army Act, which relates to evidence, the following paragraph shall be substituted :—

"(j) Where the proceedings are proceedings against an officer or soldier on a charge of being a deserter or absentee without leave, and the officer or soldier has surrendered himself into the custody of a provost marshal, assistant provost marshal or other officer, or any portion of His Majesty's forces, a certificate purporting to have been signed by such provost marshal, assistant provost marshal or other officer, or by the commanding officer of the portion of His Majesty's forces to whom the surrender or by whom the arrest was made, and stating the fact, date, and place of such surrender or arrest shall be evidence of the matters so stated."

(2) After the said paragraph (j) the following paragraph shall be inserted :—

"(k) Where the proceedings are proceedings against an officer or soldier on a charge of being a deserter or absentee without leave and the officer or soldier has been delivered into military custody by a police officer in charge of a police station in the United Kingdom, a certificate purporting to be signed by such police officer, and stating the fact, date, and place of the surrender of the officer or soldier shall be evidence of the matters so stated."

SCHEDULE.

Section 3.

Accommodation to be provided.	Maximum Price.
Lodging and attendance for soldier where meals furnished	Six pence per night.
Breakfast as specified in Part I of the Second Schedule to the Army Act	Six pence each.
Dinner as so specified	One shilling and two pence each.
Supper as so specified	Four pence each.
Where no meals furnished, lodging and attendance, and candles, vinegar, salt, and the use of fire, and the necessary utensils for dressing and eating his meat.	Six pence per day.
Stable room and ten pounds of oats, twelve pounds of hay, and eight pounds of straw per day for each horse.	Two shillings and four pence per day.
Stable room without forage	Six pence per day.
Lodging and attendance for officer	Two shillings per night.

Note.—An officer shall pay for his food.

ARMY (ANNUAL) ACT (1916) AMENDMENT ACT, 1917.

[7 GEO. 5, CH. 10]

CHAPTER 10.

AN ACT TO AMEND THE SCHEDULE TO THE ARMY (ANNUAL) ACT, 1916.

[5th April 1917.]

BE IT ENACTED by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows :—

Amendment of Schedule to the Army (Annual) Act, 1916.

6 & 7 Geo. 5. c. 5.

1. The Army (Annual) Act, 1916, shall have effect, and shall be deemed as from the first day of December nineteen hundred and sixteen to have had effect, as if for the Schedule to that Act relating to the prices to be paid for billeting there were substituted the Schedule to this Act.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the Army (Annual) Act (1916) Amendment Act, 1917.

SCHEDULE.

Accommodation to be provided.	Maximum Price.
Lodging and attendance for soldier where meals furnished	Six pence per night.
Breakfast as specified in Part I of the Second Schedule to the Army Act	Six pence each.
Dinner as so specified	One shilling and two pence each.
Supper as so specified	Four pence each.
Where no meals furnished, lodging and attendance, and candles, vinegar, salt, and the use of fire, and the necessary utensils for dressing and eating his meat.	Six pence per day.
Stable room and ten pounds of oats, twelve pounds of hay, and eight pounds of straw per day for each horse.	Two shillings and four pence per day.
Stable room without forage	Six pence per day.
Lodging and attendance for officer	Two shillings per night.

Note.—An officer shall pay for his food.

NAVAL DISCIPLINE (DELEGATION OF POWERS) ACT, 1917.

[7 GEO. 5, CH. 11.]

CHAPTER 11.

AN ACT TO AMEND THE NAVAL DISCIPLINE (DELEGATION OF POWERS) ACT, 1916, WITH RESPECT TO THE OFFICERS TO WHOM POWERS UNDER THAT ACT MAY BE DELEGATED.

[5th April 1917.]

BE IT ENACTED by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows:—

6 & 7 Geo. 5, c. 17.

Extension of class of officers to whom powers may be delegated.

1. The officers to whom the powers in relation to court-martial may be delegated by the Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Fleet under the Naval Discipline (Delegation of Powers) Act, 1916, shall include all officers not below the rank of flag officer in command of squadrons forming part of that fleet, and accordingly that Act shall have effect as if for the words "Vice Admirals" and "Vice Admiral" wherever they occur there were substituted the words "flag officers" and "flag officer" respectively.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the Naval Discipline (Delegation of Powers) Act, 1917, and the Naval Discipline (Delegation of Powers) Act, 1916, and this Act may be cited together as the Naval Discipline (Delegation of Powers) Acts, 1916 and 1917.

MILITARY SERVICE (REVIEW OF EXCEPTIONS) ACT, 1917.

[7 GEO. 5, CH. 12.]

CHAPTER 12.

AN ACT TO ENABLE THE EXCEPTION FROM MILITARY SERVICE OF MEN EXCEPTED ON THE GROUND OF PREVIOUS REJECTION, OR THE PREVIOUS RELINQUISHMENT OF, OR DISCHARGE FROM, NAVAL OR MILITARY SERVICE, OR UNSUITABILITY FOR FOREIGN SERVICE, TO BE REVIEWED.

[5th April 1917.]

BE IT ENACTED by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

5 & 6 Geo. 5, c. 104.
6 & 7 Geo. 5, c. 15.

Power to call up certain excepted men for examination.

1.—(*1*) The Army Council may, in accordance with and subject to the provisions of this Act, at any time, by written notice require any man who is for the time being excepted from the operation of the Military Service Acts, 1916, as being—

(*a*) a member of the territorial force who is, in the opinion of the Army Council, not suited for foreign service; and

(b) a man (in this Act referred to as a disabled man) who has left or been discharged from the naval or military service of the Crown in consequence of disablement or ill-health (including an officer who has ceased to hold a commission in consequence of disablement or ill-health) ; and

(c) a man who has been previously rejected on any ground, either after offering himself for enlistment or after becoming subject to the Military Service Acts, 1916,

to present himself for examination in such manner and within such time, not being less than fourteen days, as may be specified in the notice :

Provided that no man shall be required to submit himself for re-examination within six months of his previous and last rejection or discharge except where the Army Council otherwise direct in a case in which it appears to the Council that the previous rejection or discharge was obtained by fraud :

Provided also that the powers under this provision shall not extend—

(a) to any man who is for the time being engaged in agriculture, and whose work is certified by the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries (or, as respects Scotland, the Board of Agriculture for Scotland) to be work of national importance, and who was engaged on such work on the thirty-first day of March nineteen hundred and seventeen; or

(b) to any officer or man who has left or been discharged from the naval or military service of the Crown in consequence of disablement if the disablement has been certified under the authority of the Admiralty or the Army Council to be the result of wounds (including injury from poisonous gas) received in battle or in any engagement with the enemy or otherwise from the enemy, or in consequence of neurasthenia or allied functional nerve disease if so certified by special medical board to be the result of naval or military service in the present war, but any such man shall, notwithstanding anything in any Act or regulation, be entitled to offer himself for re-enlistment if he is willing to do so, and to be re-enlisted.

(2) Any man to whom a notice is so sent shall, as from the date of the notice, be deemed to come within the operation of section one of the Military Service Act, 1916 (Session 2), and not to be excepted therefrom as being unsuited for foreign service, or as being a disabled man, or as having been previously rejected, as the case may be; and the Military Service Acts, 1916, shall apply accordingly. If a voluntarily attested man who has been rejected but not treated as discharged is called up for further examination, he shall have the same rights of appeal under the Military Service Acts, 1916, as a man on whom a notice requiring him to present himself for examination is served under this Act.

(3) If a man fails to comply with a notice under this section, he shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding five pounds or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months ; but a man shall not be liable to a penalty under this provision if he shows that he did not receive the notice, or if he shows that, owing to the loss of a limb or any total and permanent disablement, he is incapable of military service.

(4) Where a disabled man has had at least one month's service with the colours or where his disablement has been caused or aggravated by naval or military service, no notice shall be given to him under this section till after the expiration of a year from the time when he left or was discharged from the service.

(5) Where a man has been required to present himself for examination in pursuance of this section and is not accepted for service, no further notice shall be given to him under this section until after the expiration of six months from the date of the previous notice :

Provided that a man who is not accepted on the ground that he is permanently and totally disabled for service shall receive a final discharge.

(6) A notice calling up a man to present himself for examination under this section may be served by registered post at the last known address of the person on whom it is to be served.

Restoration to military rank.

2. Where a disabled man is accepted for service in pursuance of a notice under this Act, he shall, if when he left the service he was an officer, or if when he was discharged from the service he was a warrant officer or non-commissioned officer, be restored to the military rank which he held before he so left the service or was discharged, unless in any individual case the Army Council otherwise direct.

Short title.

3. This Act may be cited as the Military Service (Review of Exceptions) Act, 1917 ; and the Military Service Acts, 1916, and this Act shall be read together and may be cited together as the Military Service Acts, 1916 and 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

POLITICAL.

Simla, the 25th May, 1917.

No. 1387.—In pursuance of rule 8-A of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the provisions of the said rule shall be in force in the area specified in the schedule annexed hereto.

SCHEDULE.

	Area.
	The area comprised within the following boundaries :— (*i*) on the north the Bassein Creek ; (*ii*) on the east a line drawn north and south through a point 4 miles east of the easternmost point of Elephanta Island ; (*iii*) on the south a line drawn east and west through a point 7 miles south of Colaba Tower ; (*iv*) on the west the limit of territorial waters ; and in addition the following detached areas :— (*i*) within a mile radius of the visual signalling station just south-west of Bassein on the north side of the Creek ; (*ii*) within a 1 mile radius of the visual signalling station of Kalhair north-east of Thana ; (*iii*) within one mile on either side of the section of the Tansa water pipe line extending for a distance of six miles north-east of Bassein Creek until a tunnel through the hills is reached ; (*iv*) within one mile on either side of the line of communication with Kennery Island, consisting of a submarine cable from the island to the mainland at Alibagh, the road telegraph line from Alibagh to Khopoli *via* Pen, and thence along the telegraph line along the Great Indian Peninsula Railway from Khopoli to Thana.

S. R. HIGNELL,

for Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 21st May, 1917.

No. 624-G.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. R. Rolfsen to be in charge of the Consulate-General for Norway at Calcutta, during the absence of Mr. E. Rolfsen.

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 829-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Schedule annexed to the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 2402-I.B., dated the 1st November 1916, namely :—

In the entry relating to the Cantonment of Mhow, for the words "The Cantonment Magistrate" in the second column, the words "The Extra Assistant to the Agent to the Governor General" shall be substituted.

The 24th May, 1917.

No. 665-Est.A.—Mr. S. E. Pears, C.I.E., of the Political Department, is granted privilege leave for three months, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th May 1917.

No. 666-Est.A.—Nawab Sahibzada Abdul Qaiyum Khan, Khan Bahadur, C.I.E., an Extra Assistant Commissioner in the North-West Frontier Province, is appointed to act as Political Agent, Khyber, with effect from the 7th May 1917, and during the absence of Mr. S. E. Pears, C.I.E., on privilege leave.

No. 865-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), as applied to the Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State, and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department No. 2189-I.B., dated the 8th October 1914, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rules :—

RULES UNDER THE INDIAN STAMP ACT, 1899, AS APPLIED TO THE ADMINISTERED AREAS IN THE HYDERABAD STATE.

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. These rules may be called the Hyderabad Residency Stamp Rules, 1917.

Definitions.

2. In these rules—

(a) "The Act" means the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), as applied to the administered areas in the Hyderabad State.

(b) "Section" means a section of the Act.

(c) "Schedule" means a Schedule of the Act.

(d) "Superintendent of Stamps" means any officer appointed by the Resident at Hyderabad to perform the functions of a Superintendent of Stamps.

Description of Stamps.

3. (1) Except as otherwise provided by the Act or by these rules,—

(i) all duties with which any instrument is chargeable shall be paid, and such payment shall be indicated on such instrument, by means of stamps issued by Government for the purposes of the Act, and

(ii) a stamp which by any word or words on the face of it is appropriated to any particular kind of instrument, shall not be used for an instrument of any other kind.

(2) There shall be two kinds of stamps for indicating the payment of duty with which instruments are chargeable, namely :—

(a) impressed stamps, and

(b) adhesive stamps.

CHAPTER II.

OF IMPRESSED STAMPS.

Hundis.

4. (1) Hundis, other than hundis which may be stamped with an adhesive stamp under section 11, shall be written on paper as follows, namely :—

(a) A hundi payable otherwise than on demand, but not at more than one year after date or sight, and for an amount not exceeding rupees thirty thousand in value, shall be written on paper on which a stamp of the proper value bearing the word "hundi" has been engraved or embossed.

(b) A hundi for an amount exceeding rupees thirty thousand in value, or payable at more than one year after date or sight, shall be written on paper supplied for sale by the Government and bearing a label affixed and impressed by the Superintendent of Stamps in the manner prescribed by rule 11.

(2) Every sheet of paper on which a hundi is written shall be not less than 8¾ inches long and 5½ inches wide and no plain paper shall be joined thereto.

(3) The provisions of sub-section (1) of rule 7 shall apply in the case of hundis.

Promissory notes and bills-of-exchange.

5. A promissory note or bill-of-exchange shall, except as provided by section 11 or by rules 13 and 16, be written on paper on which a stamp of the proper value, with or without the word "hundi," has been engraved or embossed.

Other instruments.

6. Every other instrument chargeable with duty shall, except as provided by section 11 or by rule 13, be written on paper on which a stamp of the proper value, not bearing the word "hundi," has been engraved or embossed.

Provision where single sheet of paper is insufficient.

7. (1) Where two or more sheets of paper on which stamps are engraved or embossed are used to make up the amount of duty chargeable in respect of any instrument, a portion of such instrument shall be written on each sheet so used.

(2) Where a single sheet of paper, not being paper bearing an impressed hundi-stamp, is insufficient to admit of the entire instrument being written on the side of the paper which bears the stamp, so much plain paper may be subjoined thereto as may be necessary for the complete writing of such instrument :

Provided that in every such case a substantial part of the instrument shall be written on the sheet which bears the stamp before any part is written on the plain paper subjoined.

One anna and two annas impressed stamps.

8. The duty on any instrument which is chargeable with a duty of one anna under the Act or of two annas under Article 5 or Article 43 of Schedule 1, may be denoted by a coloured impression marked on a skeleton form of such instrument by the Superintendent of Stamps.

"The proper officer."

9. The Superintendent of Stamps is empowered to affix and impress labels, and he shall be deemed to be "the proper officer" for the purposes of the Act and of these rules.

Affixing and impressing of labels by proper officer permissible in certain cases.

10. Labels may be affixed and impressed by the proper officer in the case of any of the following instruments, namely :—

(i) those specified in Appendix I and the counterparts thereof other than instruments on which the duty is less than two annas ; and

(ii) those specified in Appendix II, when written in any European language, and accompanied, if the language is not English, by a translation in English.

Mode of affixing and impressing labels.

11. (1) The proper officer shall, upon any instrument specified in rule 10 being brought to him before it is executed, and upon application being made to him, affix thereto a label or labels of such value as the applicant may require and pay for, and impress such label or labels by means of a stamping-machine, and also stamp or write on the face of the label or labels the date of impressing the same. In the case of instruments written on parchment, the labels shall be further secured by means of metallic eyelets.

(2) On affixing any label or labels under this rule, the proper officer shall, where the duty amounts to rupees five or upwards, write on the face of the label or labels his initials, and where the duty amounts to rupees twenty or upwards, shall also attach his usual signature to the instrument immediately under the label or labels.

(3) Any principal assistant of the proper officer empowered by the Resident in this behalf may discharge the functions of the proper officer under sub-rule (2).

Certain instruments to be stamped with impressed labels.

12. (1) Instruments executed out of the Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State and requiring to be stamped after their receipt in the Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State (other than instruments which, under section 11 or rule 13, may be stamped with adhesive stamps) shall be stamped with impressed labels.

(2) Where any such instrument as aforesaid is taken to the Collector under section 18, sub-section (2), the Collector shall send the instrument to the proper officer, remitting the amount of duty paid in respect thereof ; and the proper officer shall stamp the instrument in the manner prescribed by rule 11 ; and return it to the Collector for delivery to the person by whom it was produced.

CHAPTER III.

OF ADHESIVE STAMPS.

Use of adhesive stamps on certain instruments.

13. The following instruments may be stamped with adhesive stamps, namely :-

(a) Bills-of-exchange payable otherwise than on demand and drawn in sets, when the amount of duty does not exceed one anna for each part of the set.

(b) Transfers of debentures of public companies and associations.

(c) Copies of maps and plans and printed copies when chargeable with duty under Article 24 of Schedule I.

(d) Instruments chargeable with duty under articles 5 (a) and (b) and 43 of Schedule I.

Supply of deficient duty on transfer of share.

14. When any instrument of transfer of shares in a Company or Association is written on a sheet of paper on which a stamp of the proper value is engraved or embossed, and the value of the stamp so engraved or embossed is subsequently, in consequence of a rise in the value of such shares, found to fall short of the amount of duty chargeable under Article No. 62 (a) of Schedule I, one or more adhesive stamps bearing the words "Share Transfer" may be used to make up the amount required.

Adhesive stamp or stamps denoting duty of one anna or half an anna

15. Except as otherwise provided by these rules, the adhesive stamp or stamps used to denote the duty of one anna shall bear the words "One anna" or "Half anna," as the case may be, and the adhesive stamp used to denote the duty of half an anna shall bear the words "Half anna"; and such stamp or stamps may be inscribed for use either for postage or for revenue, or for both postage and revenue.

Special adhesive stamps to be used in certain cases.

16. The following instruments when stamped with adhesive stamps shall be stamped with the following descriptions of such stamps, namely :-

(a) Bills-of-exchange, cheques and promissory notes drawn or made out of the Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State and chargeable with a duty of more than one anna : with stamps bearing the words "Foreign Bill"

(b) Separate instruments of transfer of shares and transfers of debentures of Public Companies and Associations : with stamps bearing the words "Share Transfer."

(c) Notarial acts : with foreign bill stamps bearing the word "Notarial."

(d) Copies of maps or plans and printed copies certified to be true copies : with court-free stamps.

(e) Instruments chargeable with stamp-duty under Articles 5 (a) and (b) or 43 of Schedule I : with stamps bearing the words "Agreement" or "Brokers Note," respectively.

CHAPTER IV.

MISCELLANEOUS

Provision for cases in which improper description of stamp is used.

17. When an instrument bears a stamp of proper amount, but of improper description, the Collector may, on payment of the duty with which the instrument is chargeable, certify by endorsement that it is duly stamped :

Provided that, if application is made within three months of the execution of the instrument, and the Collector is satisfied that the improper description of stamp was used solely on account of the difficulty or inconvenience of procuring one of the proper description, he may remit the further payment of duty prescribed in this rule.

Evidence as to circumstances of claim to refund or renewal.

18. The Collector may require any person claiming a refund or renewal under Chapter V of the Act or his duly authorised agent, to make an oral deposition on oath or affirmation, or to file an affidavit, setting forth the circumstances under which the claim has arisen, and may also, if he thinks fit, call for the evidence of witnesses in support of the statement set forth in any such deposition or affidavit.

Payment of allowances in respect of spoiled or misused stamps or on the renewal of debentures.

19. When an application is made for the payment, under Chapter V of the Act of an allowance in respect of a spoiled or misused stamp, or on the renewal of a debenture, and an order is passed by the Collector sanctioning the allowance or calling for further evidence in support of the application, then, if the amount of the allowance or the stamp given in lieu thereof is not taken, or if the further evidence required is not furnished, as the case may be, by the applicant within one year of the date of such order, the application shall be struck off, and the spoiled or misused stamp (if any) sent to the Superintendent of Stamps or other officer appointed in this behalf by the Resident for destruction.

Mode of cancelling original debenture on refund under section 55.

20. When the Collector makes a refund under section 55, he shall cancel the original debenture by writing on or across it the word "Cancelled" and his usual signature with the date thereof.

Rewards.

21. On the conviction of any offender under the Act, the Collector may grant to any person who appears to him to have contributed thereto a reward not exceeding such sum as the Resident may fix in this behalf.

APPENDIX I.

List of instruments referred to in Rule 10 (i).

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APPENDIX II.

List of instruments referred to in rule 10 (ii).

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The 24th May, 1917.

No. 866 I B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 20 (2) of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), as applied to the Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prescribe the following rates of exchange for the conversion of the currencies hereinafter specified respectively into the currency of British India for the purposes of calculating *ad valorem* duty on instruments chargeable therewith in the said Areas.

Currency.	Sum.	Equivalent in currency of British India.
British	£1 sterling	Rs. 15 ; but in the case of Bills of Exchange (Article No. 13, Schedule I) Rs. 10 only
French	1 franc	3/5 of a Rupee, i e, Fcs. 25 = Rs. 15.
German	1 mark	3/4 of a Rupee, i.e., Mks 20 = Rs 15
United States or Canadian	1 dollar	Rs. 3-0-0.
Chinese	1 tael	Rs. 2-0-0.
British (Asiatic Possessions)	1 dollar*	Rs. 1-8-0.
Mexican	1 dollar*	
Japanese	1 yen	
Persian	1 kran	Rs. 0 4-0.

* That is, the "British Dollar" and the "Mexican Dollar" which are in current use in the Straits Settlements and elsewhere.

No. 871-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3510-I B., dated the 3rd November 1913, as subsequently amended, applying certain enactments to Berar namely :—

In the first schedule, after entry No. 62, the following shall be inserted, namely :—
62-A. The Charitable Endowments Act, 1890 (VI of 1890). ....

No. 872 I B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 (1) of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890 (VI of 1890), as applied to Berar, the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Comptroller, Central Provinces, to be the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for Berar.

No. 873-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following further amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 2365-I.B., dated the

Evidence as to circumstances of claim to refund or renewal.

18. The Collector may require any person claiming a refund or renewal under Chapter V of the Act or his duly authorised agent, to make an oral deposition on oath or affirmation, or to file an affidavit, setting forth the circumstances under which the claim has arisen, and may also, if he thinks fit, call for the evidence of witnesses in support of the statement set forth in any such deposition or affidavit.

Payment of allowances in respect of spoiled or misused stamps or on the renewal of debentures.

19. When an application is made for the payment, under Chapter V of the Act, of an allowance in respect of a spoiled or misused stamp, or on the renewal of a debenture, and an order is passed by the Collector sanctioning the allowance or calling for further evidence in support of the application, then, if the amount of the allowance or the stamp given in lieu thereof is not taken, or if the further evidence required is not furnished, as the case may be, by the applicant within one year of the date of such order, the application shall be struck off, and the spoiled or misused stamp (if any) sent to the Superintendent of Stamps or other officer appointed in this behalf by the Resident for destruction.

Mode of cancelling original debenture on refund under section 55.

20. When the Collector makes a refund under section 55, he shall cancel the original debenture by writing on or across it the word "Cancelled" and his usual signature with the date thereof.

Rewards.

21. On the conviction of any offender under the Act, the Collector may grant to any person who appears to him to have contributed thereto a reward not exceeding such sum as the Resident may fix in this behalf.

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No. 866 I B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 20 (2) of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), as applied to the Administered Areas in the Hyderabad State, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prescribe the following rates of exchange for the conversion of the currencies hereinafter specified respectively into the currency of British India for the purposes of calculating *ad valorem* duty on instruments chargeable therewith in the said Areas :—

Currency.	Sum.	Equivalent in currency of British India.
British	£1 sterling	Rs. 15; but in the case of Bills of Exchange (Article No. 13, Schedule I) Rs. 10 only.
French	1 franc	3/5 of a Rupee, *i.e* Fcs. 25 = Rs. 15.
German	1 mark	3/4 of a Rupee, *i.e.*, Mks 20 = Rs 15
United States or Canadian	1 dollar	Rs. 3-0-0.
Chinese	1 tael	Rs. 2-0-0.
British (Asiatic Possessions)	1 dollar*	Rs. 1-8-0.
Mexican	1 dollar*	Rs. 1-8-0.
Japanese	1 yen	Rs. 1-8-0.
Persian	1 kran	Rs. 0-4-0.

* That is, the "British Dollar" and the "Mexican Dollar" which are in current use in the Straits Settlements and elsewhere.

No. 871-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No 3510-I B., dated the 3rd November 1913, as subsequently amended, applying certain enactments to Berar namely :—

In the first schedule, after entry No. 62, the following shall be inserted, namely :—
62-A. The Charitable Endowments Act, 1890 (VI of 1890). ....

No. 872 I B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 (*1*) of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890 (VI of 1890), as applied to Berar, the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Comptroller, Central Provinces, to be the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for Berar.

No 878-I.B. In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following further amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 2365-I.B., dated the

14th November 1912, as amended by the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 1912-D., dated the 22nd March 1917, which applied certain enactments to the Administered Areas in Central India, namely :—

In the First Schedule, for entry No. 37-A, the following shall be substituted :—

37-A. The Indian Electricity Act, 1910 (IX of 1910).	All Administered Areas in Central India.	(1) For Section 1, sub-section (3), the following shall be substituted, namely :— "(3) It shall come into force in the Cantonment of Mhow forthwith and in other Administered Areas on such date or dates as the Governor General in Council may, by Notification in the *Gazette of India*, direct in this behalf. (2) Section 38, sub-sections (1), (2) and (3) shall be omitted."

879-I. B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 37 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910 (IX of 1910), as applied to Administered Areas in Central India, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rules to regulate therein the generation, transmission, supply, and use of energy, and generally to carry out the purposes and objects of the said Act.

RULES.

CHAPTER 1.

PRELIMINARY.

1. These rules may be cited as the Central India (Administered Areas) Electricity Rules.

Definitions

2. In these rules, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context :—

(a) "the Act" means the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, as applied to the said areas;

(b) "authorised person" means a person authorised by a licensee, a consumer or an owner, or by a contractor for the time being under contract with a licensee, a consumer or an owner to carry out duties incidental to the supply, transmission or use of energy;

(c) "connected with earth" means connected with the general mass of earth in such manner as to ensure at all times an immediate and safe discharge of energy;

(d) a meter, maximum demand indicator or other apparatus shall be deemed to be "correct," within the meaning of section 26 of the Act, when its limit of error as certified by an Electric Inspector does not exceed 3 per cent. above or below absolute accuracy at all loads in excess of one tenth of full load;

(e) "cut-out" means any appliance for automatically interrupting the transmission of energy through any conduct or when the current rises above a predetermined amount;

(f) "distributing licensee" means a licensee who obtains from another licensee a supply of energy in bulk for distribution;

(g) * * * *

(h) "Inspector of Mines" means an Inspector appointed under the Indian Mines Act, 1901;

(i) "owner" means a person supplying, transmitting or using energy to whom any of the provisions of Part III of the Act apply;

(j) "pressure" means the difference of electric potential measured in volts between any two conductors, or between any part of either conductor and the earth, and is said to be—

(i) "low" where, under ordinary working conditions, it cannot exceed 250 volts by an amount greater than four per cent. of the normal pressure;

(ii) "medium" where, under ordinary working conditions, it may exceed 250 volts, but cannot exceed 650 volts by an amount greater than 12½ per cent. of the normal pressure, and

(iii) "high" where the conditions are such that it may exceed 650 volts;

(k) "ampere" means a unit of electric current, as defined in the Indian Electricity Rules, 1911;

(l) "ohm" means a unit of electric resistance, as defined in the Indian Electricity Rules, 1911;

(m) "volt" means a unit of electro-motive force, and is the electric pressure which, when steadily applied to a conductor whose resistance is one ohm, will produce a current of one ampere; and

(n) "watt" means a unit of power, and is the energy expended per second by an unvarying electric current of one ampere under an electric pressure of one volt.

CHAPTER II.

ELECTRIC INSPECTORS.

Qualifications of Electric Inspector.

3. No person shall be appointed an Electric Inspector unless—

(a) he has at least five years' practical experience in an electrical or mechanical engineering workshop or electric power station; and

(b) after acquiring such experience, he has been regularly engaged for a period of not less than five years in the practice of electrical engineering:

Provided that the Agent to the Governor General in Central India may appoint any person not so qualified, if in his opinion such person is otherwise fully qualified to exercise the powers and perform the functions of an Electric Inspector.

Entry and Inspection.

4. Any Electric Inspector, or any officer appointed to assist an Electric Inspector may enter, inspect and examine any place, carriage or vessel in which he has reason to believe any appliance or apparatus used in the generation, transmission, supply or use of energy to be, and may carry out tests therein.

(2) Every licensee and owner shall afford at all times all reasonable facilities to any such Inspector or officer to make such examinations and tests as may be necessary to satisfy himself as to the due observance of the Act, the license (if any) and these rules.

(3) The licensee shall provide means for carrying out all tests prescribed by or under the Act of the appliances or apparatus used for the supply of energy by him.

Amount of fees.

5. The Agent to the Governor General in Central India may levy such fees for testing and inspection and generally for the services of Electric Inspectors under the Act as he may from time to time, by general or special order, direct; and may, if he thinks fit, remit any fee or any portion thereof

Incidence of fees.

6. Where an Electric Inspector is called in to decide any difference or dispute, and where a fee for such service is recoverable the Electric Inspector shall decide by whom such fee shall be payable.

Submission of records.

7. An Electric Inspector may require a licensee and a licensee may require an Electric Inspector to submit to such Inspector or licensee for examination any records of tests made in connection with the licensee's works by the licensee or the Inspector; and the licensee or Inspector shall comply with such requisition.

List of consumers.

8. An Electric Inspector may require a licensee to submit to such Inspector a list of all consumers supplied with energy by him at a pressure exceeding low pressure and of the addresses at which such energy is supplied; and the licensee shall comply with such requisition

CHAPTER III.

LICENSES.

Application for Licenses.

Applications for license.

9. Every application for a license shall be signed by, or on behalf of, the applicant and addressed to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India and it shall be accompanied by—

(a) six copies, in print, of the draft license as proposed by the applicant; the name and address of the applicant and of his agent (if any) being printed on the outside of the draft;

(b) one copy, signed by the applicant, of a map of the proposed area of supply, on a scale—

(i) of not less than six inches to a mile, or

(ii) if no such map is available not less than that of the largest scale ordnance map available, or

(iii) on such scale as may be approved by the Local Government,

so marked or coloured as to define any portion of such area which is under the administration of any local authority ;

(c) a list of any local authorities invested with the administration of any portion of the area of supply :

(d) an approximate statement describing any lands which the applicant proposes to acquire for the purpose of the license under the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, as locally applied ;

(e) an approximate statement of the capital proposed to be expended in connection with the undertaking ;

(f) if the applicant is a company registered under any of the enactments relating to companies for the time being in force in the United Kingdom, or in any of the Colonies or Dependencies thereof, or in British India, or incorporated by an Act of Parliament or of the Governor General in Council or by Royal Charter or Letters Patent, a copy of the memorandum and articles of association ; and

(g) a fee of Rs. 500, unless such fee is remitted, wholly or in part, by general or special order of the Agent to the Governor General in Central India.

Copies of map and draft license for public inspection.

10. The applicant shall deposit at his own office or at that of his agents and at the office of every local authority invested with the administration of any portion of the proposed area of supply—

(a) a copy of the map referred to in rule 9, clause (b), for public inspection ; and

(b) a sufficient number of copies of the draft license to be furnished to all persons applying for them at a price not exceeding one rupee per copy.

Contents of draft license.

11. The draft license shall contain the following particulars, namely :—

(a) a short title descriptive of the proposed undertaking, together with the address and description of the applicant, or, in the case of a firm, the names of all the individual members of the firm ;

(b) a statement of the boundaries of the proposed area of supply ;

(c) if the generating station is situated, or to be situated outside the area of supply, or if any intervening area, not included in the area of supply, is to be crossed, a list of the streets along or across which electric supply lines are to be laid down or placed ;

(d) the proposed conditions of supply, including maximum prices, nature and amount of supply (if limited) and the like ;

(e) a list of streets (if any) not repairable by the Government or by a local authority and of railways and tramways (if any) the soil or pavement of which the applicant seeks power to open, break up or interfere with, and the names of the persons by whom such streets are repairable, or who are for the time being entitled to work such railway or tramway ;

(f) the proposed periods after which the right to purchase is to take effect ;

(g) a statement of any special terms of purchase or orders proposed to be made under section 10 of the Act ; and

(h) any proposed modification of the Schedule to be made under section 3 of the Act, sub section (2), clause (f).

Form of draft license.

12. The form of draft license annexed to these rules may, with such variation as the circumstances of each case require, be used for the purposes of rule 9, and if used shall be sufficient.

Advertisement of application and contents thereof.

13. (1) The applicant shall, within fourteen days from the submission of the application under rule 9, publish notice of his application by public advertisement, and such advertisement shall consist of—

(a) the draft license,

(b) the address of the offices at which, under rule 10, copies of the map therein referred to may be inspected and copies of the draft license obtained.

(2) The advertisement shall be headed by a short title corresponding with that at the head of the draft license, and shall state that every local authority, company or person, desirous of making any representation with reference to the application to the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, may do so by letter, within three months of the date of issue of the newspaper containing the first advertisement.

(3) The advertisement shall be inserted by the applicant in at least three successive issues of the same newspaper published or circulated in the proposed area of supply or in such newspaper as the Agent to the Governor General in Central India may approve.

(4) The applicant shall send three copies of the newspaper containing the advertisement to the Agent to the Governor General in Central India who shall publish the advertisement once at least in the local official Gazette within one month from the date of the first advertisement published under sub rule 3.

Objections to license.

Amendment of draft license.

14. Where any person desires to have any amendment made in the draft license, he shall deliver a statement of the same to the applicant, and also to the Agent to the Governor General in Central India within the time allowed under rule 13, sub-rule (2), for the submission of representations referring to the application.

Local inquiries.

15. Where any person locally interested objects to the grant of a license applied for under the Act, the Agent to the Governor General in Central India shall, if either the applicant or the objector so desires, cause a local inquiry to be held, of which due notice shall be given:

Provided that the Agent to the Governor General may refuse such an inquiry if, in its opinion, the objection is of a trifling or vexatious nature.

Grant of license.

Grant of license.

16. If and when the Agent to the Governor General in Central India has approved of a draft license, either in its original form or in a modified form, he shall inform the applicant of such approval and of the form in which it is proposed to grant the license.

Notification of grant of license.

17. If the applicant is willing to accept the license in the form proposed by the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, the latter shall, on receipt of an intimation in writing of such acceptance, publish the license in the local official Gazette, and notify that it has been granted.

Date of commencement of license.

18. The date of a notification under rule 17 shall be deemed to be the date of commencement of a license.

Deposit of map.

19. When a license has been granted, a map, showing, as regards such license, the particulars stated in rule 9, sub-rule (b), shall be signed, and dated to correspond with the date of the notification of the grant of the license, by the Agent to the Governor General in Central India and retained by him as the deposited map.

Deposit of printed copies.

20. When a license has been granted, the licensee shall, within thirty days, deposit printed copies for public inspection at his own office and at that of his agents (if any) and at the office of every local authority within the area of supply and shall furnish copies to all persons applying for the same at a price not exceeding one rupee per copy.

Orders supplementing or amending licenses.

Application for written consent of the Agent to the Governor General in Central India.

21. Where a licensee desires the written consent of the Agent to the Governor General in Central India under section 12 of the Act, sub-section (5), to enable him to open or break up the soil or pavement of any street not repairable by the Government or a local authority, or any railway or tramway, he shall apply for such consent in writing and shall describe accurately the street, railway, or tramway which the applicant seeks power to open or break up, and the names of the persons by whom such street is repairable, or who are for the time being entitled to work such railway or tramway, and the extent to which he proposes to open or break up the same.

22. (1) No alterations or amendments in the terms and conditions of any license shall be made under section 4 of the Act, sub-section (3), clause (b), until they have been published by the applicant and by the Agent to the Governor General in Central India; and the provisions of rule 18, sub-rules (2), (3) and (4), shall apply to such publication.

Amendment of licenser.

(2) If any such alteration or amendment as is referred to in sub-rule (1) is made, it shall be notified by the Agent to the Governor General in Central India in the local official Gazette.

CHAPTER IV.

CONDITIONS OF SUPPLY BY LICENSEE.

23. (1) A licensee shall not connect the wires and fittings on a consumer's premises with his works unless he is reasonably satisfied that the connection will not at the time of making the connection cause a leakage from those wires and fittings exceeding one five-thousandth part of the maximum supply demanded on the consumer's premises.

Precaution against leakage before connection.

(2) Where a licensee declines to make a connection, in accordance with sub-rule (1), he shall serve upon the consumer a notice stating his reasons for so declining.

24. (1) If at any time a licensee has reason to believe that a leakage, likely injuriously to affect the use of energy by the licensee or by other persons, exists in the premises of a consumer then the licensee may give the consumer reasonale notice in writing, that he desires to inspect and test such wires and fittings belonging to the consumer as form part of the circuit.

Leakage on consumer's premises.

(2) If the consumer does not give all reasonable facilities for inspection and testing, or if a leakage from the consumer's wires exceeding one five-thousandth part of the maximum supply demanded on the premises is discovered, the licensee may forthwith discontinue the supply of energy to the premises in question, giving immediate notice of the discontinuance to the consumer, and need not recommence the supply until the cause of the leakage has been removed.

25. (1) Where a consumer is dissatisfied with the action of a licensee under rule 23 or rule 24 in refusing or in discontinuing, or in not recommencing the supply of energy to his premises, the wires and fittings of such consumer shall, on his application and on payment of the prescribed fee, be tested for the existence of leakage by an Electric Inspector or other officer appointed to assist an Electric Inspector.

Appeal to Electric Inspector in regard to leakage.

(2) If the Electric Inspector or other officer as aforesaid on testing finds that the leakage from the consumer's wires is less than one five-thousandth part of the maximum supply demanded on the premises, the Electric Inspector shall notify the licensee, and the licensee shall within 24 hours commence or continue the supply of energy.

(3) This rule shall be endorsed on every notice given under the provisions of rule 23 or rule 24.

26. Before commencing to supply energy to a consumer, a licensee shall declare to the consumer the pressure at which he undertakes to give the supply, and the pressure shall not, without the written consent of the consumer or the previous sanction of the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, vary therefrom by more than 4 per cent in the case of low or medium pressure, or by more than 12½ per cent in the case of high pressure.

Declared pressure of supply to consumers.

27. Before commencing to supply energy to a consumer by means of an alternating current, a licensee shall declare to the consumer the frequency at which he undertakes to give the supply; and the frequency shall not, without the written consent of the consumer or the previous sanction of the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, vary therefrom by more than 4 per cent.

Declared frequency of supply to consumers.

28. A consumer may after giving not less than 24 hours' notice to the licensee, enter any testing station established by the licensee, in accordance with clause XIII of the Schedule of the Act, and may examine the records of the test made therein; and he may also take copies of or extracts from such records on payment to the licensee of a sum of one rupee for every such examination of a record covering a period of 24 hours or any part of 24 hours.

Examination of licensee's records by consumer.

29. A licensee may affix a seal to any meter, maximum-demand indicator, or other apparatus placed upon a consumer's premises in accordance with section 26 of the Act, and to any cut-out placed upon a consumer's premises in accordance with rule 37, and no person shall break such seal without giving the licensee, and, where, the meter is the property of the consumer, the consumer also, not less than forty-eight hours' notice in writing.

Sealing of meters.

30. Copies of plans or sections such as are referred to in clause XVI of the Schedule to the Act, shall be supplied by the licensee to every applicant at a price not exceeding one rupee per square foot.

Sale of plans.

Accounts and forms.

31. (1) Every licensee, unless exempted in accordance with section 11 of the Act, shall cause the accounts of his undertaking to be made up to the 31st December or the 31st March, at the option of such licensee, or to such other date as the Agent to the Governor General in Central India may approve.

Preparation and submission of accounts.

(2) Such licensee shall prepare and render an annual statement of his accounts in accordance with the provisions of the said section within a period of six months from such date as aforesaid.

(3) The accounts shall be made up in such form as the Agent to the Governor General in Central India may by special or general order direct, and may at the option of the licensee be rendered either in British Indian or in British sterling currency :

Provided that the Agent to the Governor General in Central India may by special or general order direct that the accounts of any undertaking shall be made up in any form it may direct in such order.

32. Requisitions under clause V, sub-clause (4) or clause VI, sub-clause (5), as the case may be, of the Schedule to the Act shall be made in the prescribed form annexed to these rules.

Forms of certain requisitions.

CHAPTER V.

PRECAUTIONS FOR THE SAFETY OF THE PUBLIC.

General.

33. The rules in this Chapter shall, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context, apply—

Application of Chapter.

(*a*) to every licensee.

(*b*) to every owner when the pressure exceeds 125 volts. Nothing in the rules in this Chapter shall apply to any owner when the pressure does not exceed 125 volts.

34. Instructions for the restoration of persons suffering from electric shock, obtainable from every Electric Inspector at a price to be fixed by the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, shall be affixed in a conspicuous place in every generating station and sub-station.

Dealing with electric shock.

Precautions to be adopted by licensee.

35. A licensee shall adopt efficient means for protecting any portion of any electric supply line or any support, guard wire or bearer-wire of an electric supply line which is exposed in such a position as to be liable to injury from lightning.

Protection from lightning.

36. A licensee shall be responsible that all electric supply lines, fittings and apparatus belonging to him, or under his control, which may be on a consumer's premises, are maintained in a safe condition, and shall take all due precautions to avoid risk of causing fire on such premises by reason of his electric supply lines, fittings or apparatus or any defect therein.

Responsibility of licensee for his works on consumer's premises.

37. A licensee shall insert a suitable cut-out in each service line (other than an earthed neutral conductor or the earthed external conductor of a concentric cable) within a consumer's premises, in an accessible position as close as possible to the point of entry. Such cut-out shall be contained within an adequately enclosed fire-proof receptacle.

Cut-out on consumer's premises.

Provided that, where more than one consumer is supplied through a common service line, each individual consumer (if he so requires) shall be given an independent cut-out at the point of junction to the common service.

38. All portions of a service line on a consumer's premises, shall, unless inaccessible without the aid of a ladder or other special appliance, be continuously covered with insulating material and thoroughly protected against injury to the insulation or access of moisture, and any metal forming part of the electric circuit shall not, unless connected with earth, be exposed so that it can be touched.

Service line on consumer's premises.

Precautions to be adopted by owners.

Precautions when pressure exceeds 125 volts.

39. When an owner generates or uses energy—

(1) the supply of energy to every vehicle, travelling crane or the like shall be efficiently controlled by a suitable switch, so that by its means all pressure can be cut off from all apparatus concerned and from any device in connection therewith ;

(2) trailing cables for portable motors shall be specially flexible, heavily insulated and protected from mechanical injury ; where the protection is by means of metallic casing or covering, the casing or covering shall be in metallic connection with the frame of the motor ;

(3) where bar conductors are used in a building, they shall be inaccessible without the aid of a ladder or other special appliance ;

(4) no repair of any part of any electric apparatus shall be effected, while the part is charged to a pressure of or exceeding 250 volts except by an authorised person.

Electric supply lines.

40. Every electric supply line shall be maintained in a safe condition as regards both electrical and mechanical conditions by the person to whom the same belongs.

Maintenance.

41. All circuits and apparatus shall be so arranged by the person to whom the same belong that there shall be no danger of any part thereof becoming accidentally charged to any pressure beyond the limits of pressure for which it is intended.

Accidental charge.

42. Where an electric supply line crosses, or is in proximity to, any metallic substance, such precautions as an Electric Inspector may approve shall be taken by the licensee or the owner, as the case may be, against the possibility of the metallic substance becoming charged :

Crossing metallic substances.

Provided that, where the electric supply line was laid or erected previous to such metallic substance, the cost incurred in taking such precautions shall be refunded to the licensee or owner, as the case may be, by the person to whom the metallic substance belongs.

43. Every electric supply line (other than the earthed neutral conductor of any system or the earthed external conductor of a concentric cable) shall be protected, by the person to whom the same belongs, by a suitable cut-out.

Cut-out.

44. All metallic casings containing or protecting any electric supply line shall be connected with earth, by the person to whom the same belong, and shall be so joined and connected across all junction boxes and other openings as to make good electrical connection throughout their whole length :

Metal casings.

Provided that this rule shall not apply to isolated wall tubes or to brackets, electroliers standards, switch covers or other fittings, where the supply is of low pressure.

45. The covers or doors of all junction boxes or pillars in any street shall be so secured that they cannot be opened except by means of a special appliance.

Junction boxes.

46. In every distributing system in which there is a neutral conductor, where the pressure between the neutral conductor and an outer or phase conductor exceeds 125 volts, the neutral conductor shall be connected with earth by two separate and distinct earth connections and in accordance with the following provisions, namely :—

Connection with earth of a multi-wire system.

(a) the connection with earth of the neutral conductor shall be made at one point only on each distinct system, namely, at the generating station or sub-station, as the case may be, and the insulation of the system shall be maintained at all other parts ;

(b) the current from the neutral conductor to earth shall, in the case of a licensee's distributing system, be continuously recorded, and if at any time it exceeds one-thousandth part of the maximum supply current, steps shall immediately be taken to improve the insulation of the system;

(c) the connection with earth referred to in clause (a) shall not be made by the aid of, nor shall it be in contact with, any water-main, gas-main or similar main not belonging to the licensee or owner, as the case may be; a resistance, not exceeding 10 ohms, may be inserted between the neutral busbar and earth, and if so inserted it shall be of sufficient cross sectional area to carry the current which would pass should an outer or phase conductor become accidentally connected with earth;

(d) the connection with earth shall not be removed except for the purpose of testing, in which case it shall be made good again as soon as such test is finished, and a record of any such disconnection shall be kept by the licensee or owner, as the case may be;

Provided that the earth connection shall not be removed, in a licensee's system except between 1 a.m. and 3 a.m. or, in an owner's system, while the generator is in operation or energy is being used.

Connection with earth of polyphase system.

47. The neutral point of the star-winding of earth distinct polyphase multi-wire system may be either connected with earth or insulated.

Connection with earth of concentric conductors.

48. When concentric conductors are used the insulation shall be maintained throughout, except that the external conductor may be connected with earth at one point:

Provided that where energy is generated by an owner for use on his own premises, a concentric conductor, the external conductor of which is uninsulated, may be used.

Medium or High Pressure.

Supply at medium or high pressure.

49. Where energy is to be supplied or used at medium or high pressure notice shall be given to the Electric Inspector and the supply shall not be commenced, or continued, until or unless the following provisions have been or are complied with, namely:—

(a) all live parts of apparatus shall, unless accessible only to, and under the control of, an authorised person be protected by mechanically strong metal casings or coverings securely fastened throughout;

(b) a suitable switch shall be inserted in each conductor, near the point of origin on the consumer's or owner's premises, as the case may be;

(c) every connection, unless only accessible to an authorised person, shall be as far as is practicable, completely enclosed in a mechanically strong metal casing or covering, securely fastened throughout or fixed in such other manner as may be approved in writing by an Electric Inspector;

(d) the supply to every apparatus shall be efficiently controlled by a switch in each conductor, so that by its means all pressure can be cut off from the apparatus concerned and from any device in connection therewith;

(e) the word "Caution," both in English and in the vernacular, shall be affixed in a conspicuous position near every generator (being the property of an owner) and near every motor, and every controlling or regulating apparatus in connection with the same.

Introduction of multi-wire system to buildings.

50. Where the conductors of a multi-wire system between any of which there is medium or high pressure, are brought into a building for utilization at low pressure, the supply shall be delivered to two or more pairs of terminals, and the wiring from those terminals shall be kept separate and distinct. If in any such case two or more switches, terminals or cut-outs between any of which there is a difference of pressure exceeding 250 volts, are fitted within reach of one another, all their live parts shall be accessible only to authorised persons.

Main switch board.

51. Where the pressure is medium or high there shall be, in front of every main switch board in a generating station or sub-station, a space of not less than 3 feet in width, and, if there are any attachments or bare-connections at the back of the switch board, the space (if any) behind the switch board, shall be either less than 9 inches, or more than 30 inches in width, measured from the furthest out-standing part of any attachment or connection. If the space behind exceeds 30 inches in width there shall be a passage way clear to a height of not less than 6 feet, save as regards any horizontal supports of the switchboard, which may be placed at a height of not less than 4 feet 6 inches.

52. In every generating station sub-station, junction box or pillar in which there are any circuits or apparatus intended for medium as well as high pressure, the respective circuits shall be made readily distinguishable from one another.

Distinction of circuits of different pressure.

53. Where the pressure is medium or high, the frame of every generator, stationary motor, and, so far as is practicable, portable motor, and the metallic parts (not intended as conductors) of all transformers and regulating or controlling apparatus belonging to the supply, shall be connected with earth by two separate and distinct earth connections.

Connection with earth of frames of generators, etc.

High Pressure.

54. (1) A high pressure supply shall not be delivered to any person other than a distributing licensee, except with the approval in writing of an Electric Inspector, and subject to such conditions (if any) as such Inspector may think reasonable and proper in the circumstances, and the installation shall not be brought into use until it has been inspected by an Electric Inspector or other officer appointed to assist an Electric Inspector.

Approval of high pressure supply.

(2) Where energy is to be used by an owner at high pressure, the installation shall not be brought into use except with the approval in writing of an Electric Inspector and subject to such conditions (if any) as he may think reasonable and proper in the circumstances.

55. (1) A high pressure circuit shall not be brought into use unless the insulation of every part thereof has withstood the continuous application, during half an hour, in the case of every electric supply-line, machine, device or apparatus of a pressure 50 per cent greater than the maximum pressure to which it is intended to be subjected in use; and the licensee or owner, as the case may be, shall duly record the results of each test :

Testing of insulation of all parts of high pressure circuit.

Provided that the testing pressure need in no case be more than 10,000 volts in excess of the maximum pressure to which the circuit is intended to be subjected in use.

(2) A high pressure electric supply-line shall during its use continue in the sole charge of an authorised person.

56. All high pressure apparatus, including every portion of any high pressure electric supply-line (other than an aerial line) placed above the surface of the ground otherwise than in a sub-station, or in a compartment specially arranged for the purpose and accessible only to authorised persons, shall be completely enclosed in, or protected by, a mechanically strong metal casing or covering securely fastened throughout; and all circuits and apparatus in connection with the same shall be marked at frequent intervals with the word "caution," both in English and in the vernacular.

High pressure electric supply-lines and apparatus placed above ground.

Aerial Lines.

57. No conductor of an aerial line shall have a less breaking stress than 800 lbs :

Minimum strength of conductors of aerial lines.

Provided that, where the span is less than 50 feet and on an owner's premises, and the pressure does not exceed 250 volts, a conductor having a breaking stress of not less than 300 lbs may be used.

58. The conductors of every aerial line erected in, over, along or across any street or part of a street shall be attached to supports at intervals not exceeding 220 feet.

Maximum intervals between supports.

59. (1) Every metal support of an aerial line placed in the ground, or in such a position as to be accessible without the use of a ladder or other special appliance, shall be connected with earth.

Connection with earth of metal supports and guard wires.

(2) Every guard wire shall be connected with earth at each point at which its electrical continuity is broken, and shall, if made of iron or steel, be galvanised.

60. The factor of safety of an aerial line, including the supports thereof and any guard wires or bearer wires in connection therewith, shall be at least four, under all conditions, the maximum wind pressure being taken at 25 lbs. per square foot; for cylindrical bodies the effective area shall be taken as two-thirds of the sectional area exposed to wind pressure.

Factor of safety.

61. (1) No conductor of aerial line, erected in, over, along or across any street shall be at a less height from the ground than 20 feet, nor shall it be accessible, either from the ground or from any permanent structure, except by the aid of a ladder or other special appliance.

Height from ground and distance from buildings.

(2) Where such an aerial line is on a consumer's or an owner's premises the height from the ground shall be not less than 15 feet.

62. (1) Every aerial line (not being suspended from a bearer wire) erected in, over, along or across any street shall be protected with a device approved by an Electric Inspector for rendering such line electrically harmless in case it breaks.

Safety device.

(2) Every such aerial line on a consumer's or an owner's premises shall, if the pressure exceeds the limits of low pressure be similarly protected.

63. Where a licensee's or an owner's aerial line crosses, or is in proximity to, another aerial line or to any telegraph wire, not belonging to him, such precautions as an Electric Inspector may approve shall be taken by the licensee or owner, as the case may be, against the possibility of contact, at the expense of the party whose line is last erected and the crossing shall be made in a direction as nearly at right angles as the nature of the case admits.

Lines crossing or approaching each other.

64. No service line or tapping shall be taken off an aerial line otherwise than at a point of support.

Service lines from aerial lines.

65. High pressure aerial lines shall not be brought into use until they have been approved by an Electric Inspector, and, where such lines are used, the licensee or owner as the case may be, shall make arrangements so as to prevent any person from climbing up any of the supporters without the aid of a ladder or special appliance.

High pressure aerial lines.

66. Every aerial line, if covered with insulating material, shall be efficiently suspended from a bearer wire, or bearer wires, by means of insulating hangers at distances of not more than 3 feet apart ; and every bearer wire, if made of iron or of steel, shall be galvanised.

Suspending of aerial lines.

67. Where an aerial line, erected in, over, along or across any street ceases to be used as an electric supply-line, it shall be maintained in a safe mechanical condition in accordance with the provisions of rule 60, or, if so required by an Electric Inspector, be removed within a period of 14 days from the date of such Inspector's requisition for removal.

Unused aerial line to be removed.

Relaxation of rules.

68. The Agent to the Governor General in Central India may, by order in writing, direct that any of the provisions of rules 35 to 67, both inclusive, be relaxed in any particular case to such extent and subject to such conditions (if any) as he may think reasonable and proper in the circumstances :

By Agent to the Governor General in Central India.

Provided that every relaxation so directed shall be reported forthwith to, and shall be subject to disallowance or revision by, the Governor General in Council.

69. An Electric Inspector may, by order in writing, direct that rules 58 and 61, sub-rule (1), be relaxed in any particular case to such extent and subject to such conditions (if any) as he may think reasonable and proper in the circumstances:

By Electric Inspector.

Provided that every relaxation so directed shall be reported forthwith to, and shall be subject to disallowance or revision by, the Agent to the Governor General in Central India.

CHAPTER VI.

PENALTIES AND MISCELLANEOUS.

70. Whoever in contravention of rule 29 breaks a seal lawfully affixed by a licensee shall be punishable with fine which may extend to thirty rupees.

Penalty for breaking seal of meter.

71. Licensees and owners, and their agents and managers, shall be responsible for the observance of such of the rules in Chapter V of these rules as impose a duty on a person not therein specified.

Responsibility for observance of rules.

72. Whoever, being a licensee or owner, or the agent or manager of a licensee or owner, commits a breach of these rules shall be punishable for every such breach with fine which may extend to three hundred rupees, and in the case of a continuing breach with a further fine which may extend to fifty rupees for every day after the first during which he is convicted of having persisted in the breach.

Penalty for breach of rules.

73. All persons entering, in pursuance of the Act or these rules, any building which is used as a human dwelling or a place of worship shall, in making such entry, have due regard, so far as may be compatible with the exigencies of the purpose for which such entry is made, to the social and religious usages of the occupant of the building entered.

Mode of entry.

74. Subject to the provisions of section 58 of the Act, sub-rule (2), these rules shall be binding on all persons, companies and undertakings to whom licenses have been granted or with whom arrangements have been made by or with the sanction of Government for the supply or use of electricity before the commencement of the Act.

Application of rules.

ANNEXURE I.

(*See Rule 12.*)

MODEL FORM OF DRAFT LICENSE UNDER THE INDIAN ELECTRICITY ACT, 1910.

(*See Section 3.*)

——————————— ELECTRIC LICENSE, 191 .

DRAFT LICENSE.

Signature of Applicant or his Agent (if any).

Address of Applicants.

THE ——————————— ELECTRIC LICENSE, 191 .

License for the supply of energy granted by the Agent to the Governor General in Central India under the Indian Electricity Act, 1910.

License is hereby granted to[1] ——————————

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(carrying on business in partnership under the name and style of) ——————————

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to supply electrical energy in the area[2] with the powers and upon the terms and conditions all specified below.

Short title.

1. This license may be cited as "The

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[3]Electric License, 191 ."

Interpretation.

2. The several words, terms and expressions to which by the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, or by the Rules thereunder meanings are assigned shall have in this license the same respective meanings, provided that *in* this license :—

(1) the Act, shall mean the Indian Electricity Act, 1910;

(2) the expression "the licensees" shall mean and include the said[4] ——————————

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and their (or his) permitted assigns; and

[1] The licensee may be any local authority, company or individual. In the case of a firm give names of individual partners.

[2] See clause 4.

[3] Short title to agree with heading.

[4] Individual names as in preamble in the casé of a firm.

(3) the expression "deposited map" shall mean the plan of the area of supply hereinafter specified which has been deposited with the Agent to the Governor General in Central India in pursuance of the Rules under the Act, which plan is signed for the purpose of identification by one of his Assistants, and by the applicants under the name and style of ______________

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Security.[5]

3. The period within which under clause 1 (*b*) of the Schedule to the Act the licensees shall deposit or secure such sum as therein mentioned, and the sum so to be deposited or secured shall, unless otherwise ordered by the Agent to the Governor General in Central India under that clause, be ______ and Rupees ______________ respectively.

Area of supply.[6]

4. The area above referred to within which the supply of energy is authorised by this license (the area of supply under the Act) is the whole of the area bounded as follows:—

North—By
East—By
South—By
West—By

the boundaries whereof are delineated in the deposited map.

Power to lay mains outside area of supply.[7]

5. The licensee may lay down or place electric supply lines for the conveyance and transmission of energy from a generating station situated or to be situated at ______ ______________ (outside the area of supply) to the boundary of the area of supply.

Limits within which the supply of energy is to be compulsory.[8]

6. (*1*) The works to be executed to the satisfaction of the Agent to the Governor General in Central India under clause IV of the Schedule to the Act are the following, namely:—[9]

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(*2*) If the licensee fails to comply with the provisions of sub-clause (*1*), the license may be revoked.[10]

[5] See Section 4 (*1*) (*c*) of the Act and clause 1 of the schedule to the Act.

[6] The area for which each local authority is constituted should be distinctly marked or coloured. See Rule 9 (*b*).

[7] This clause should be retained only where the licensee is to supply energy from a generating station outside the area of supply. Where power to cross an intervening area is sought under section 3 (*1*) of the Act, enter details here.

[8] See section 3 (*2*) (*d*) of the Act.

[9] It is open to the licensee to propose a "compulsory area" or to the Agent to the Governor General in Central India to make provision for such an area. Ordinarily it will be sufficient to enter here the names of "compulsory streets" in which the licensee will lay distributing mains. If no compulsory works are specified in the license, the Agent to the Governor General in Central India may subsequently direct what works are to be executed; see clause IV of Schedule.

[10] See note to sub-clause (*1*) of this clause.

Limits of price to be charged in respect of the supply of energy.

7. The prices to be charged by the licensee for energy supplied by him shall not exceed the following maxima, namely :—

or in the case of a method of charge approved by the Agent to the Governor General in Central India in accordance with clause X of the Schedule to the Act, such maxima as the Agent to the Governor General in Central India may fix on approving the matter.

Breaking up of streets, railways and tramways.[11]

8. The licensee is specially authorised to open and break up the soil and pavement of the following streets or parts of streets which are not repairable by the Agent to the Governor General in Central India or by a local authority, and of the following railways and tramways or parts of railways and tramways, viz :—

(a) Streets.

(b) Railways.[12]

(c) Tramways[12]

Purchase of undertaking.

9. (1) The option of purchase given by section 7, sub-section (1), of the Act shall first be exercisable on the expiration of 50 years[13] from the date of the notification of this license and on the expiration of every subsequent period of 20 years.[13] (and the terms[14] of such purchase shall be ....). The percentage of the value to be determined in accordance with and for the purpose of section 7 (1) of the Act of the lands buildings, works, materials and plant of the licensee therein mentioned to be added under the second proviso of that sub-section to such value on account of compulsory purchase shall be .... per cent.

(2) In accordance with section 3, sub-section (2), Clause (f) (ii) of the Act, it is hereby declared that the generating station to be used in connection with the undertaking shall / shall not form part of the undertaking for the purpose of purchase under section 5 or section 7.[15]

Additions to, variations from, and exceptions from the schedule to the Act[16].

10. (1) In pursuance of section 3, sub-section (2), clause (f), of the Act it is hereby expressly declared that clause .... of the Schedule to the Act shall for the

[11] This clause to be omitted if no such powers are required in the license. See section 12 (5) of the Act and proviso to the same. Powers can be obtained subsequently; see rule 21.

[12] In ordinary cases the level-crossings or points at which interference is proposed must be specified.

[13] The periods after which an option to purchase arises may be less than 50 and 20 years, respectively.

[14] The terms must not differ from those laid down in the Act unless the powers of section 10 are invoked to modify or cancel them.

[15] The generating station or stations belonging to the licensees should ordinarily be included except where they form part of a traction undertaking previously authorised.

[16] To be omitted if not required in any draft license.

purpose of incorporation in this license be varied / added to by the substitution of the following clause, namely :—[17]

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(2) In pursuance of section 3, sub-section (2), clause (f), of the Act, it is hereby expressly declared that clause (s) ——— of the Schedule to the Act shall be excepted from incorporation in this license.

NOTE.—In the preparation of a draft license the above model form may be varied, or added to, by the applicant so far as the Act and rules admit.

Rules Nos. 9 to 13 inclusive, as to applications for licenses, should be consulted. In drawing up a draft license the attention of the applicant is more particularly directed to the following sections of the Act, *viz.*, 3, 4, 7, 10, 11, 12, 21, 22, 23, 27, 51 and 57 ; the powers under section 51 can only be conferred after the grant of the license.

In the case of licenses for bulk supply, *see* clause IX of the Schedule and the proviso to section 3 (*2*), caluse (*f*), of the Act ; also section 10(*b*) of the Act.

[17] The latter part of the clause may require modification according to the circumstances.

ANNEXURE II.

FORM OF REQUISITION UNDER CLAUSE V (4) OF THE SCHEDULE TO THE ACT.

To

(name of licensee).

In the case of six or more owners or occupiers.

We, the undersigned, being owners or occupiers of premises situated in or upon ——— street, within the "area of supply" specified in the ——— license, 19 , do

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The name of the Department or local authority will have to be inserted.

In the case of a Government Department or local authority.

The ——— being charged with the public lighting of ——— street, within the area of supply specified in the ——— license, 191 .

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hereby require (s) you, in pursuance of clause V of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, to provide, within six months of the date of this requisition, distributing mains throughout the said street

or such part of the street as may be specified.

Dated at ———

The day of 19 .

ANNEXURE III.

FORM OF REQUISITION UNDER CLAUSE VI (5) OF THE SCHEDULE TO THE ACT.

To

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—————————— (name of licensee).

(1) hereby require you, in accordance with Clause VI of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, within one month from the date of his requisition, to supply electrical energy for the premises—————— owned (occupied) by me, being within one hundred yards of one of your distributing mains and within the "area of supply" specified in the —————— license 19 , for the following :—

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wiring work will be carried out by

Dated at——————

The day of 19 . ——————Signature.

NOTE.—Under Clause VI (*1*), 1st proviso, sub-head (*b*), of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, " the licensee shall not be bound to comply with any such requisition unless and until the person making it, ... if required by the licensee so to do, pays to the licensee the cost of so much of any service line as may be laid down or placed for the purposes of the supply upon the property in respect of which the requisition is made, and of so much of any service line as it may be necessary for the said purposes to lay down or place beyond one hundred feet from the licensee's distributing main, although not on that property.

No. 880-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 109, sub-section (*1*) of the Government of India Act, 1915, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that for the words " resident within " in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 580-D., dated the 26th January 1917, and for the words " resident in ", wherever they occur in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 581-D., dated the 26th January 1917, the words " for the time being within " shall be substituted.

No. 881-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that for the words " resident in " in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 582-D., dated the 26th January 1917, the words " for the time being within " shall be substituted.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

PUBLIC DEBT.

Simla, the 21st May, 1917.

No. 1122-F.—The Government of India announce that after the closure of the main section of the Indian War Loan on the 15th June 1917, they will be prepared to accept, as further subscription to the loan at par, British treasury bills tendered in England, under a discount of 4½ per cent to an amount not exceeding the previous cash subscription of the tenderer in India and accompanied by a certificate that the treasury bills were the property of the person in whose name the paper is held prior to the 17th April 1917.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 23rd May, 1917.

No. 563-F.E.—Mr. Rohini Kumar Sen, an Accountant in the office of the Accountant General, Bihar and Orissa, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Accountant, Class II, in that office with effect from the 1st May 1917, and until further orders.

Mr. R. W. Badock has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, United Provinces, with effect from the 5th May 1917.

No. 564-F.E.—Mr. S. C. Bhattacharya, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Burma, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, Class II, in that office with effect from the 4th May 1917 and until further orders.

Mr. E. R. Seshu Ayyar has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Central Office, Calcutta, with effect from the 9th May 1917.

Mr. Hiralal Mukherjee, a Superintendent in the office of the Deputy Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Delhi, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, Class II, in that office with effect from the 13th May 1917 and until further orders.

Mr. P. K. Wattal has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs (Postal Branch), Calcutta, with effect from the 12th May 1917.

No. 565-F.E.—Rao Bahadur K. Balarama Ayyar, Chief Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal Railway, has been granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 14th May 1917.

Mr. C. C. Fink, senior officer in the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal Railway, has been appointed to hold charge of the current duties of that office, without retaining charge of his own office, with effect from the 14th May 1917 and during the absence on leave of Rao Bahadur K. Balarama Ayyar.

No. 566-F.E.—Mr. K. V. Ayyar, an officer in Class III of the Public Works List of the Indian Finance Department attached to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, North Western Railway, has been granted privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from the 14th May 1917.

No. 567-F.E. Mr. S. K. Dutta Gupta has been posted as Deputy Comptroller, India Treasuries, with effect from the 3rd May 1917.

Rai Sahib Sarat Chandra Banerji, a Superintendent in the office of the Comptroller, India Treasuries, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, Class II, in that office with effect from the 3rd May 1917 and until further orders.

H. F. HOWARD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 22nd May, 1917.

No. 14.—With reference to Public Works Department Notifications No. 5, dated the 21st February 1917, and No. 10, dated the 25th April 1917, and in consequence of the return of Mr. W. G. Dollman, Superintendent, 1st grade, from combined leave granted in the Public Works Department letter No. 350-E.B., dated the 14th April 1916, the following arrangements are hereby notified:—

Mr. H. M. Marchant, Officiating Superintendent, 2nd grade, officiated as Superintendent, 1st grade, *vice* Mr. W. G. Dollman, from the forenoon of the 30th April 1917 to the forenoon of the 3rd May 1917.

Mr. A. Hyde, Assistant, 1st grade, and Superintendent, 3rd grade, officiating, to be Superintendent, 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem. vice* Mr. R. B. Reaks, from the 30th April 1917. Mr. Hyde officiated as Superintendent, 2nd grade, from the forenoon of the 30th April 1917 to the forenoon of the 3rd May 1917, *vice* Mr. W. I. Tilden.

Mr. W. C. Carey, Assistant, 3rd grade, officiated as Superintendent, 3rd grade, from the forenoon of the 30th April 1917, to the forenoon of the 3rd May 1917.

The 23rd May, 1917.

No. 15.—Mr. Manockjee J. M. Cursetjee, Assistant Engineer, Provincial Service, Public Works Department, Bombay, has, with the sanction of the Secretary of State for India, been appointed to the Imperial Engineer Service.

The 25th May, 1917.

No. 16.—Mr. F. G. Burns is confirmed in his appointment of Superintendent, Viceregal Estates, Simla and Mashobra, with effect from the 25th September 1916.

F. C. ROSE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATION.

FAMINE.

Simla, the 21st May, 1917.

No. 428-13-2.—With reference to Rule 3, clause (*b*) of the Rules published with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, No. 1616-F., dated the 25th July 1900, the Government of Bengal have appointed the Hon'ble Mr. F. J. Monahan, I.C.S., an additional member of the Council of His Excellency the Governor General, to be a member of the Board of Management of the Indian People's Famine Trust *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. J. G. Cumming, C.I.E., I.C.S., resigned.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

No. 5809-Spl.

Simla, the 2nd May, 1917.

RESOLUTION.—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

In conformity with the scheme adopted in the United Kingdom, the Government of India prescribed in April 1916 certain forms for the registration of claims of British and British Indian subjects against enemy subjects and enemy Governments, and informed the public in a Press Communiqué issued on the 27th of that month that persons or firms desiring to register their claims should apply in the appropriate form to Custodians of Enemy Property, or, where no such officer is appointed, to the Local Government or Administration within whose jurisdiction they reside or carry on business. The Government of India regard it as important that the registration should be as complete as possible, and accordingly request that persons concerned will help in enabling Government to secure the object by putting forward their claims.

ORDERED that a copy of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations, to the Foreign and Political and Home Departments, and that it be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

EMIGRATION.

No. 5803-Emi.

The 22nd May, 1917.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

With reference to the Resolution of the Government of India No. 104-E.D., dated the 16th January 1917, intimation has been received that the prohibition issued by the Government of Canada against the landing of artisans and skilled or unskilled labourers at ports of entry in British Columbia has been further extended to 30th September 1917.

The Governor General in Council accordingly requests all Local Governments and Administrations to make the above intimation as widely known as possible, particularly in places from which emigration to Canada is believed to be most common. Intending emigrants should also be warned at the ports of embarkation of the risks they run in proceeding to that country.

ORDERED that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded, for information and guidance, to all Local Governments and Administrations and for information to the Home and the Foreign and Political Departments.

ORDERED also that a copy be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 26th May, 1917.

No. 5952-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations shall be carried out in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 5385-C. W., dated the 12th May 1917, *viz.*:—

For the existing entry " (D) to all destinations in foreign countries on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, other than France, Russia, Italy, Spain and Portugal, and to all Russian Baltic ports."

Substitute the following :—

" (D) to all destinations in foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, other than France, Russia, Italy, Spain and Portugal, and to all Russian Baltic ports."

MERCHANT SHIPPING.

The 26th May, 1917.

No. 5940-S.—The following draft of a rule which it is proposed to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 53 of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1887 (X of 1887), is published, as required by section 53, sub-section (1) of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor General in Council on or after the 1st July 1917.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date fixed as aforesaid, will be considered by the Governor General in Council :—

Draft Rule.

The following shall be substituted for rule 1, clauses (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e) of the rules published with the Notification in the Finance and Commerce Department No. 5100-S. R., dated the 20th August 1903, as subsequently amended, regarding the carriage of petroleum in ships to which the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1887, applies, namely :—

1. No petroleum which is dangerous within the meaning of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), shall be shipped on board any ship proceeding or departing from

British India, and no other petroleum shall be carried on board such a ship, except as fuel for the use of the ship or as cargo, provided it has a flashing point not less than 185 degrees Fahrenheit, Abel's close test, and under the following special conditions, namely :—

(a) The Master, owner or agent shall give notice to the Chief Customs Officer, or such other officer as the Chief Customs Officer may nominate in this behalf, before permitting any petroleum to be shipped as cargo.

(b) Each consignment of petroleum shipped as cargo shall be covered by a declaration made and signed by the shipper in Form A (hereto annexed), if the petroleum has been imported into British India, and otherwise in Form B.

(c) The petroleum shall be shipped either in tins enclosed in outer wooden cases or in hermetically sealed iron or steel drums: Provided that petroleum which has a flashing point not below 200 degrees Fahrenheit, may also be shipped in sound, well-coopered wooden casks of not more than 50 gallons capacity.

(d) The nature of every consignment of petroleum shipped shall be marked on the outside of the package containing it.

(e) The petroleum shall be stored separate from all other cargo and, as far as possible, away from lights or fires; and none shall be stored in any hold adjoining an engine-room or boiler, or in any compartment situated above the passenger spaces.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Simla, the 24th May, 1917.

No. 180.—The Metropolitan in India has appointed Mr. J. W. Langford James, Bar-at-law, to officiate as Registrar of the Diocese of Calcutta, with effect from the afternoon of the 12th May 1917.

SANITARY.

The 21st May, 1917.

No. 227.—Captain P. M. Rennie, M.B., I.M.S , is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be Health Officer, Simla, with effect from the afternoon of the 10th April 1917 until further orders.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 25th May 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

The Durham Light Infantry.

No. 791.—Second Lieutenant Henry Sampson Gibbs is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of Adjutant, 2nd Battalion, Great Indian Peninsula Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps. Dated 14th March 1917.

The Manchester Regiment.

No. 792.—Second Lieutenant George Flanagan is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of Adjutant, 2nd Battalion, North Western Railway Volunteer Rifles. Dated 14th March 1917.

No. 793.—The following is substituted for Army Department Notification No. 5, dated the 5th January 1917:—

Major A. W. Chitty, 126th Baluchistan Infantry, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, while holding the temporary appointment of Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster General. Dated 25th December 1916.

No. 794.—The name of Second Lieutenant Farrell Michael Philips Higgins is as now stated and not as shown in Army Notification No. 660, dated the 4th May 1917.

No. 795.—The temporary rank of Captain granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, to Second Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant) W. H. Hatchard-Smith, 1-5th Battalion, The East Surrey Regiment, in Army Department Notification No. 138, dated the 3rd February 1917, has effect from the 16th January 1917.

No. 796.—The undermentioned warrant officer to be Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

The King's (Liverpool Regiment.)

Company Serjeant Major John William Thompson. 5th May 1917.

No. 797.—The undermentioned officers relinquish the temporary rank of Captain on ceasing to be employed as Brigade Machine Gun Officers:—

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) H. L. Milsom, 1-5th Battalion, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry). Dated 26th March 1917.

Second Lieutenant (temporary Captain) H. C. Prior, Indian Army Reserve of Officers. Dated 7th March 1917.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

No. 798.—With the approval of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, the services of Mr. H. Biggs have been placed at the disposal of the Government of India by the War Office, with effect from the 7th April 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 799.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

Name	Date
David Kinloch Robertson.	Dated 17th May 1917.
Thomas Preston	Dated 19th May 1917.
George Robert Engeldow.	Dated 21st May 1917.
Herbert Wallis.	
William Henry Pitt.	Dated 23rd May 1917.
John Kenneth Harper.	
William Cameron.	Dated 25th May 1917.

Infantry Branch.

Name	Date
Lionel Livingstone.	Dated 25th April 1917.
Ernest Stephen Lumsden.	Dated 2nd May 1917.
John Edwin Nichols.	Dated 16th May 1917.
Gilbert Duncan Graham.	Dated 17th May 1917.
Donald Brodby Cumming.	
Lionel William Middelton.	Dated 18th May 1917.
Arthur Richard Burns.	
Arthur Henry Underdown.	
Paul Eugene Robert Hoerder.	
Alfred Roderic Crawford Miller.	Dated 23rd May 1917.

No. 800.—Second Lieutenant Lionel Livingstone, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Staff Captain, Fars Brigade, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 25th April 1917.

No. 801.—Second Lieutenant Alexander Dunbar Miller, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Commandant, 7th Porter Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 17th November 1916.

No. 802.—Second Lieutenant Alfred Henry Barnett, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Commandant, 8th Porter Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 11th January 1917.

No. 803.—Lieutenant Cecil Rae, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Commandant, 9th Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 18th March 1917.

No. 804—Lieutenant Edward Christopher McNevin Garrett, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Commandant, 2nd Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 27th March 1917.

No. 805.—Second Lieutenant Kenneth Crowley Smith, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Commandant, 4th Porter Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 4th April 1917.

No 806.—Lieutenant Stanley William Parmer, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Commandant, Remount Depot, Amara, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st March 1917.

No. 807.—In Army Department Notification No. 1186, dated the 6th October 1916, *for* "30th September 1916" *read* "22nd September 1916."

No. 808.—In Army Department Notifications Nos. 613 and 620, dated the 27th April 1917, *for* "Stanley Herbert Bigsby" *read* "Sydney Herbert Bigsby."

No. 809.—In Army Department Notification No. 711, dated the 11th May 1917, against the name of Reginald Theodore Mills, *for* "5th May 1917" *read* "20th April 1917."

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 810.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Fifth Supplement dated the 26th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 23rd March 1917, pages 2981 and 2989.

War Office,
26th March 1917.

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His Majesty the KING-EMPEROR has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to the undermentioned officer and non-commissioned officer of the Indian Army :—

Subadar Mota Singh, Sikh Pnrs.
4512 Naik (temp. Hav.) Sadhu Singh, Sikh Pnrs.

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London Gazette dated the 27th March 1917, page 3001.

War Office,
27th March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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ATTACHED TO HD. QRS. UNITS.

Brig. Comdr.—Bt.-Col. O. G. Gunning, C.M.G., Ind. Inf., and to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst so empld., *vice* Bt. Col. L. B. Walton, Ind. Army. 6th Mar. 1917.

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Supplement dated the 28th March 1917 to the London Gazette of the 27th March 1917, pages 3066, 3067 and 3071.

War Office,
28th March 1917.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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Adjts.

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Lt. E. N. E. Waldron, Ind. Army Res. of Off., *vice* Capt. H. C. C. Morley, E. Kent R. 17th Feb. 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

Bt. Col. W. C. Black, Ind. Army, to be temp. [illegible] whilst empld. as Dir. of Staff Duties, Army Hd. Qrs., India. 1st M[illegible] 1917.

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Maj. P. Malcolm, M.V.O., D.S.O., ret. pay, Ind. Army, is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. 29th Mar. 1917.

London Gazette dated the 30th March 1917, pages [illegible]10, 3115, 3117 and 3118.

War Office,
30th March 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

GENERAL STAFF.

G. S. Os., 1st Grade.—Maj. H. C. S. [illegible]ard, Ind. Cav., from the 2nd Grade, and to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst so empld. 9th Feb. 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

Lt.-Col. and Hon. Col. I. Philipps, D.S.O., late Yeo., T.F. (Maj., ret., Ind. Army), to be Hon. Maj.-Gen. 10th July 1916.

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INFANTRY.

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Capt. [illegible] I. Gout, M.C. (Ind. Army), to be actg. Maj. whilst 2nd in comd. of a Bn. 9 Feb. 1917.

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Second Supplement dated the 2nd April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 30th March 1917, page 3181, 3182, 3185 and 3186.

War Office,
2nd April 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Bt.-Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) A. Skeen, C.M.G., Ind. Army, to be A.D.C. to the King, *vice* Maj.-Gen. R. H. Ewart, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O., Ind. Army. 1st Jan. 1917.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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Flying Officers (Observers).

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10th Oct. 1916.

2nd Lt. H. E. T. Crooker, Ind. Army Res. of Off., with seniority from 14th Aug. 1916.

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2nd Lt. M. G. Sykes, Ind. Army Res. of Off. 1st Jan. 1917, with seniority from 13th Oct. 1916.

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MEMORANDA.

Lt.-Gen. Sir. A. A. Pearson, K.C.B, Ind. Army, to be General, *vice* Sir B. Duff, G C.B., G.C.S.I., K.C.V.O., C.I.E., A D.C. Gen. 1st Mar. 1917.

The undermentioned are granted the hon. rank of Brig.-Gen. 3rd Apr. 1917 :—

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Bt.-Col. H. D. McIntyre, ret. pay, Ind. Army.

The undermentioned Majors of the Ind. Army to be temp. Lt.-Cols. whilst empld. with the Nepalese Troops. 1st Mar. 1917 :—

E. S. Gale.
W. C. Little.

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The undermentioned 2nd Lts., Ind. Army Res. of Off., to be temp. Lts. whilst serving with R. F. C. 1st Feb. 1917 :—

G. F. Welch.
E. A. Floyer.

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The undermentioned Wt. and N.C.Os. to be 2nd Lts. 20th Nov. 1915 :—

Sub-Condr. (Ind. Unattd. List) George Charles Farmer, from R. Fus.
Sub-Condr. (Ind. Unattd. List) Herbert George Holmes, from R. W. Kent R.
Sub-Condr. (Ind. Unattd. List) John Parselle, from R.G.A.
Sub-Condr. (Ind. Unattd. List) Albert Ronald Battman, from R.H.A.

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Staff Serjt. (Ind. Unattd. List) Arthur Francis Pearson, from R. G. A.
Staff Serjt. (Ind. Unattd. List) Thomas William Abbott, from R.E.
Staff Serjt. (Ind Unattd. List) Joseph Heenan, from Som. L.I.
Staff Serjt. (Ind. Unattd. List) George Brown, from 10th Hrs.

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London Gazette dated the 3rd April 1917, pages 3221 and 3222.

War Office,
3rd April 1917.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

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INFANTRY.

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West Kent Regt.—2nd Lt. A. H. Butler is seconded for duty with the Indian Army. 16th Mar. 1917.

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Cameron Highlanders.—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) G. A. Boswell is seconded for duty with the Indian Army. 15th Mar. 1917.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 811.—The undermentioned General Officer who was promoted to his present rank for distinguished service in the field is absorbed into the establishment of Major-Generals of the Indian Army in an existing vacancy, under the provisions of paragraph 319-D., Army Regulations, India, Volume II :—

Major-General Sir C. W. Jacob, K.C.B , Indian Army.

The King's (Liverpool Regiment).

No. 812.—The undermentioned officer to be acting Captain, with effect from the 15th April 1917, while employed as Instructor of a Signalling Class :—

2nd Lieutenant H. C. Shoulder.

No. 813.—The following temporary promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

1st Garrison Battalion, The Norfolk Regiment.

2nd Lieutenants to be temporary Lieutenants :—

J. Boorman. } 5th March 1917.
J. W. Winter. }

No. 814—The undermentioned Second Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant) relinquishes his temporary rank on transfer for duty with the Indian Ordnance Department :—

1st Garrison Battalion, The Lincolnshire Regiment.

A. E. Tunsley. 2nd May 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 815.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

10th May 1917.

Robert Hawkes, Commandant, 3rd Brahmans.

No. 816.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, from the dates specified but not to carry pay and allowances prior to the 1st September 1916 :—

Captains to be Majors.

16th March 1916.

Robert Hodgins, Supernumerary List.

4th May 1916.

Alfred Frank Murray Slater, Civil Employ.

8th May 1916.

Henry Hallet Datten, Civil Employ.
John Dymoke Seale, 87th Punjabis.

27th July 1916.

William Hayhurst Hodgson, Civil Employ.

No. 817.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

7th April 1917.

George Alexander Bain, attached 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).
Herbert Vincent Adams, attached 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).
Victor Charles William Corfield, attached 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Dorian Dudley Hope Johnson, attached 11th Rajputs.
Cyril Bruce Seagrim, attached 99th Deccan Infantry.
Frank Moore Wardle, attached 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.

18th April 1917.

Christopher Ronald Spear, attached 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Alleyn Cardwell Moore, attached 92nd Punjabis.
Brian Leslie Sandius Smith, attached 126th Baluchistan Infantry.
Harold John Hasler, attached 121st Pioneers.
Norman Greenwood Guy, attached 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force).
John Jervis Hewetson, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Brian Perry Cristall, attached 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Kenneth Wilfred Bridges, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.
John Bernard Dalison, 67th Punjabis.
Stuart Gray Sanders Skene, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Stanley Ivan Wallis, attached 23rd Sikh Pioneers.
Lancelot James Humby, attached 32nd Sikh Pioneers.
Archibald MacLachlan, attached 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Francis Cortlandt Simpson, 37th Dogras.
Denis Keegan, attached 33rd Punjabis.
Mervyn Clive Theodore Gompertz, attached 8th Rajputs.
Newdigate Owen Burne, 40th Pathans.
Hugh Gilchrist Bell, attached 3rd Skinner's Horse.
Henry Ross Power, attached 37th Dogras.
John Theodore Gordon Humphreys, 40th Pathans.
Norman Leslie Jenkins, attached 33rd Punjabis.
William Edward Dean, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Albert Edward Warhurst, 6th Gurkha Rifles.
Cyril Edwin Osborne Ansell, attached 66th Punjabis.
Alec Frankland, attached The 101st Grenadiers.
William Donald Edward, attached 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Ronald Kingsley Neale, attached 25th Punjabis.
Patrick James Doyle, attached 21st Punjabis.
Robert Denis Ambrose, 104th Wellesley's Rifles.
Louis Wansbrough Gunton, 67th Punjabis.
William Huelin, attached 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).
Maurice Francis Fitzmaurice Hurly, attached 34th Sikh Pioneers.
Edmund Heaton Peverell, 93rd Burma Infantry.
Charles Mervyan Hunt Wingfield, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).
George Cuming Annesley Voysey, attached 35th Sikhs.
Harold John Ross Jackson, attached 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Harry Vyner Bragg, attached 10th Jats.

Bryce Douglas, attached The 101st Grenadiers.
John Wilford Foster, attached 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
William Charles Robinson, attached 30th Punjabis. (Since deceased.)
Charles Harvey Stewart, attached 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Francis Winton Leese, 29th Punjabis
Denham Hodson, attached 116th Mahrattas.
John Pulteney Hope Johnstone, attached 66th Punjabis.
Edward Hunter Rodwell, attached 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Andrew Edmund Wernicke 29th Punjabis.
Dudley Gerald Mein, attached 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers
Cyril Sackville Jocelyn Berkeley, attached 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 818.—In Army Department Notification No. 685, dated the 4th May 1917, against the name of Neil Donovan Granville O'Toole, *for* "3rd December 1916" *read* "2nd December 1916."

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Madras Establishment.

No. 819.—The following promotions are made :—

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Lieutenant Arthur William Thomas, *seconded*, to be Senior Assistant Surgeon, with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval and to remain *seconded*,

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Lieutenant Kenneth George Sydney Macqueen to be Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval,

First Class Assistant Surgeons

Waldemar Herman Passanha, } *seconded*,
Percy St. Clair Trutwein, }

to be Senior Assistant Surgeons with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval and to remain *seconded*, and

First Class Assistant Surgeon Patrick St. Clare Stracey to be Senior Assistant Surgeon with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval ;

vice Senior Assistant Surgeon and honorary Captain R. F. H. Hankins, retained as supernumerary, on attaining the age of 55 years, with effect from the 4th May 1917.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bombay Establishment.

No. 820.—The undermentioned 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon is promoted to be 2nd class, with effect from the 4th May 1917 :—

No. 377 Ambalal Devshanker Bhatt.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 821—The undermentioned 3rd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Name	Date
No. 1339 Rajendra Kishore Sen Gupta.	1st April 1917.
No. 1340 Dinesh Chandra Sen.	
No. 1341 Dhirendra Nath Das Gupta.	
No. 1342 Bidhu Bhusan Bose.	
No. 1344 Ananda Gopal Bandyopadhyay.	
No. 1345 Sharafat Ali Khan.	
No. 1347 Soroshi Ranjan Sen.	
No. 1349 Pratul Chandra Chakravarti.	12th April 1917.
No. 1350 Khageswar Bhuyan.	
No. 1352 Shaikh Muhammad Abdul Muttalib.	
No. 1354 Lal Singh, I.O.M.	16th April 1917.
No. 1356 Balram Das.	
No. 1357 Yaqub Ali.	
No. 1358 Brahma-Swarup Bhatnagar.	
No. 1359 Birendra Nath Das.	
No. 1360 Mathura-parshad Sarswit.	
No. 1361 Waryan Singh.	

No 822.—The undermentioned 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 1st class Sub-Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 15th April 1917 :—

No. 1190 Atar Singh (E).

(E) Passed in English.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 823.—The following promotions are made :—

10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).

Kot-Dafadar Lakhmi Das to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st March 1917; to complete the establishment.

12th Cavalry.

Risaldar Sukhdayal Singh to be Risaldar-Major, with effect from the 20th March 1917 ; *vice* Kartar Singh, transferred to the pension establishment.

14th Murray's Jat Lancers

Kot-Dafadar Bharat Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 6th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.

Jemadar Paney Singh to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 15th January 1917, Jemadar Sultan Singh to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 23rd February 1917, Jemadar Balwant Singh (27th Light Cavalry) to be Ressaidar, with effect from the 22nd March 1917, Dafadar Unao Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd February 1917, Kot-Dafadar Taj Muhammad Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 25th February 1917, and Dafadar Sher Bahadur Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

3rd Sappers and Miners.

Colour-Havildar Shiubaran Misr, Havildars Abdullah Shab and Sidram Pille to be Jemadars, with effect from the 24th April 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

5th Labour Corps.

Pensioned Colour Havildar Arogyasami to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th April 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

5th Light Infantry.

Colour-Havildar Muhammad Ibrahim Khan and Havildar Muhammad Bakhsh Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 11th December 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.

Jemadar Benimadho Singh I to be Subadar, and Colour-Havildar Surajbali Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 19th Punjabis.

Colour-Havildar Faiz Talab to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st May 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

37th Dogras.

Jemadar Kahna to be Subadar, Havildars Lachhman, Barru and Rao (41st Dogras) to be Jemadars, with effect from the 13th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Colour-Havildar Gurnam Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st April 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).

Havildar Rang Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st April 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 67th Punjabis.

Jemadar Gopal Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 7th August 1916, but to be antedated without pay and allowances to the 30th April 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 67th Punjabis.

Havildar Dalip Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

72nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Bahadur Sher Khan to be Subadar, Colour-Havildar Muhammad Khan and Havildar Musharraf Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 12th April 1917; and to remain seconded.

82nd Punjabis.

Havildar Tota Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd February 1917, but to be antedated without pay and allowances to the 1st May 1915, Havildar Shah Zaman to be Jemadar, with effect from the 25th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

89th Punjabis.

Havildar Sakhi Muhammad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th December 1916; to complete the establishment.

92nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Gulab Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 2nd February 1917, Jemadar Muhammad Azim I.O.M., to be Subadar, with effect from the 22nd February 1917, Jemadar Sohan Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 23rd February 1917.

Havildar Khushi Muhammad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 2nd February 1917, Havildar Wilayat Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd February 1917 and Havildars Gopal Singh and Alam Din to be Jemadars, with effect from the 23rd February 1917; to complete the establishment.

95th Russell's Infantry.

Colour-Havildars Harnarayan Singh and Mohar Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st April 1917; to complete the establishment.

102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.

Jemadar Dalsukh Ram to be Subadar, with effect from the 25th November 1916, Jemadar Gunga Ram, I.O.M, to be Subadar, with effect from the 25th February 1917. Quartermaster-Havildar Kanhiya Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 25th November 1916, Havildars Ramdiyal Singh, Roshan Khan and Polu Ram to be Jemadars, with effect from the 13th February 1917 and Havildar Manik Ram (113th Infantry) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 25th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 119th Infantry.

Havildar-Major Gulla Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 21st March 1917; to complete the establishment.

122nd Rajputana Infantry.

Havildar Abdul Ghani Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st May 1917; to complete the establishment.

128th Pioneers.

Jamadar Hasan (136th Hazara Pioneers) to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Abdullah (106th Hazara Pioneers) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th February 1917, and Colour-Havildar Male Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 25th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.

Havildar Khuda Dad, V.C., to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).

Quartermaster-Havildar Nek Muhammad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 13th December 1916, Colour-Havildar Bahadur Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 2nd January 1917, Colour-Havildar Abdul Akbar to be Jemadar, with effect from the 5th January 1917, Havildar Ahmad Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th January 1917 and Havildar Ali Ahmad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 26th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Colour-Havildar Maniram Khattri to be Jemadar, with effect from the 28th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

No. 824.—The following direct appointment is made :—

68th Carnatic Infantry.

Chengalath Kunhi Raman Menon to be Jemadar, on probation, with effect from the 3rd March 1917; supernumerary to the establishment.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 825.—Lieutenant Reginald Hockey, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 19th May 1917.

No. 826.—Second Lieutenant Dermott Egan Wyer, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 26th May 1917.

RETENTIONS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Madras Establishment.

No. 827.—Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Lieutenant Stephen Ansell Cartman is retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 2nd May 1917, until further orders, and will be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

No. 828.—Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Captain Robert Forbes Hart Hankins is retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 4th May 1917, until further orders, and will be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 829.—Major George Stuart Menteth Hutchinson, 34th Sikh Pioneers, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service on account of ill-health, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 30th April 1917.

No. 830.—Major Edward Frederick Holland, 39th Garhwal Rifles, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service on account of ill-health, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 12th April 1917.

No. 831.—Captain Hugh Edward Growse, 15th Ludhiana Sikhs, has been transferred by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to the Temporary Half-Pay List, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 29th November 1916.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 832.—Second Lieutenant A. F. MacCulloch, R. F. A., is appointed to the Medical Store Depot, Madras, as an Advisory Chemist, for the period of the present war, with effect from the 27th April 1917.

No. 833.—Captain George Tate, I.M.S., to be temporary Deputy Medical Storekeeper to Government; with effect from the 14th May 1917.

CANTONMENTS.

REGULATIONS.

No. 834.—In pursuance of section 26-A of the Cantonment Code, 1912, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rules prescribing the conditions subject to which a Cantonment Authority may establish and maintain a Provident Fund —

1. These rules may be called the Cantonment Provident Fund Rules, 1917.

2. In these rules unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context :—

(a) "Salary" includes all fixed monthly allowances by way of pay or personal allowances, paid from Cantonment Funds, but does not include allowances granted to meet specific expenditure such as travelling, horse, conveyance or house rent allowances, whether daily, monthly or yearly ;

(b) "Servant" includes every whole-time employee of, and holding a substantive office under, a Cantonment Authority, whether in receipt of a pension from Public Revenues or not, but does not include any servant who may be serving in a post which is pensionable from Public Revenues.

(c) "Depositor" means a servant on whose behalf a deposit is made under these rules ;

(d) "Interest" means the interest which is paid on a deposit at a Government Savings Bank under the rules in force for such institutions.

Explanations.—An employee on probation in a substantive appointment will not be considered a servant for the purpose of these rules until he is confirmed, but on confirmation he may be allowed to subscribe to the fund with effect from the commencement of his probationary service.

3. Every servant appointed or promoted by the Cantonment Authority on or after the date from which these rules come into effect in the cantonment, to an office of which the salary is not less than Rs. 10 per mensem, shall be required to subscribe at the rate of 6¼ per cent or one anna in the rupee, on his salary, to a Provident Fund of which an account will be opened at the Post Office Savings Bank A servant appointed or promoted previous to the coming into effect of these rules, to an office of which the salary is not less than Rs. 10 per mensem, may be permitted by the Cantonment Authority to subscribe to the fund. The deduction shall be made by the Cantonment Authority upon every salary bill presented, and shall be credited at once to the fund. In making this deduction fractions of a rupee of salary should be omitted.

At the time of the deposit each depositor shall furnish a certificate of heirship giving the name and address of the person or persons to whom he assigns his deposit in the case of his decease.

4. The Cantonment Authority shall make a contribution to the deposit account of each depositor, equal to one-half of the amount of the deduction made from his salary under the preceding rule. Such contribution shall be credited to the fund, month by month, in favour of such servant, together with the deduction from his salary. The contribution will be charged in the cantonment accounts to "10—Superannuation," sub-head "Provident Fund."

Provided that, in addition to the contribution made under this rule, the Cantonment Authority may, if it deems fit, make further contributions to be credited to the Provident Fund in favour of any servant as follows :—

After 10 years' approved service,	2 months' pay.
" 15 " " "	3 "
" 20 " " "	3 "
" 25 " " "	4 "
" 30 " " "	4 "

These bonuses are cumulative, that is, a servant who has received a bonus after serving 10 years may, after serving 15 years, receive a second bonus and so on. Though approved service may be reckoned as from the date of commencement of service, no application for a bonus shall be considered unless it is preferred within six months from the date at which the depositor becomes eligible for a bonus. Pay, for the purpose of this rule, means the pay of the applicant on that date.

Provided that, if a servant is transferred to the service of another cantonment maintaining a Provident Fund, his service in his original post shall count towards service for a bonus.

5. The sums credited monthly under Rules 3 and 4 to the Provident Fund Ledger maintained by the Cantonment Authority, shall be paid duly into the Post Office Savings Bank. Such payments should, whenever possible, be made into the Bank between the 1st and 4th of each month, in order that interest may accrue, and the payment in respect of the further contribution shall be made as soon as possible after the Cantonment Authority has sanctioned the same. These deposits may be invested in Government Securities in accordance with Rule 46 of the "Rules for the guidance of depositors in the Post Office Savings Bank." The deposits may also be invested in Government of India loans.

6. The deposits and contributions, with interest thereon, at the credit of any servant, may be withdrawn :—

(1) on the decease of the depositor, when the amount shall be paid to his legal heirs;

(2) on his ceasing to be a servant of the Cantonment Authority either by resignation or by transfer to Government service, when the amount will be paid to him;

(3) on his being transferred to the employment of another Cantonment Authority, when the amount will be transferred by money order to the Secretary to the Cantonment Authority at his new station, for payment into the Post Office Savings Bank.

7. The sum at credit of a depositor is not liable to forfeiture on dismissal or on conviction by a Crimiual Court, except for an offence for which the penalty of forfeiture of the whole of the offender's property is prescribed by law.

8. (*i*) Amounts credited or debited to the Provident Fund shall on the same day be posted in the Provident Fund Ledger. Separate pages of the account shall be set apart for each month's transaction.

(*ii*) The entries in column 7 will be made once a year only, except in the case provided by clause (*v*).

(*iii*) In column 14 will be entered the minimum balance at the credit of the account between the close of the 4th day and the end of the month.

(*iv*) When the Ledger has been completed with the monthly interest bearing balances (column 14), those balances will at once be carried to the broadsheet. At the close of the financial year the columns of the broadsheet shall be totalled. When any account is closed down during the year, the amount of interest which has been included in that account in accordance with clause (*v*) will also be carried to the appropriate place in the broadsheet. The amount of interest added by the Post Office in the Pass Book on the entire amount of the sums deposited during the year to the credit of the Cantonment Authority, less any amount already entered during the year under clause (*v*), shall be distributed among the individual accounts proportionately to the sums of each column (disregarding fractions of a rupee) of the broadsheet.

The "total of interest payable" should correspond with the amount of interest added by the Post Office.

(*v*) If any payment has to be made during the year on an individual deposit account under rule 6 or 13, interest shall be calculated on that account only as nearly as possible in accordance with the rules in force in the Post Office. The amount of interest calculated shall be entered in column 7 against the account concerned, before payment is made.

9. A copy of the account of each depositor shall be furnished to him as soon as possible after the close of the financial year to which the account relates, or at the time of payment in the case of accounts closed down in accordance with rule 5.

10. No voluntary deposit from servants will be credited to the Provident Fund.

11. Servants are not eligible to subscribe to the Provident Fund while absent on leave other than privilege leave. (See Article 811, Civil Service Regulations).

12. On a depositor leaving the service, his account shall be closed, and unless the amount at his credit be withdrawn within a certain period, *viz.*, for balances of Rs. 10 and under, one year, and for balances over Rs. 10, three years, it shall be written off as a dead account, and repaid only under the orders of the Officer Commanding the Division.

13. When an account becomes dead, it shall be closed in the Provident Fund Ledger, the money being drawn out of the Savings Bank and credited in the cash book (Form 7, Schedule I, Cantonment Code, 1912) as a miscellaneous receipt. If the amount is subsequently claimed the entries in the cash book and the Provident Fund Ledger shall first be made before the orders of the Officer Commanding the Division are requested and when repayment is made, the fact of payment and a reference to the order shall be made against the entry in each account book, to avoid a double payment.

14. Where a Provident Fund has been established on behalf of any servant under executive arrangements prior to the date of introduction of these rules, the amount at credit of the said servant may be brought forward to his credit in the accounts maintained under these rules.

PROVIDENT FUND LEDGER.

Account of Provident Fund transactions of the Cantonment of for the month of 19 .

BY WHOM DEPOSITED.		CREDITS.						DEBITS.					Total amount bearing interest during the month.	REMARKS.
			ON WHAT ACCOUNT.						ON WHAT ACCOUNT.					
Name of Depositor.	Official designation.	Opening balance.	Date of receipt.	Deduction from salary of depositor.	Contribution by Cantonment Authority.	Interest added.	Total.	Date of payment.	Credited to the Cantonment Authority or transferred to another Provident Fund.	Paid to depositor.	Total payments.	Closing balance.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15

Broadsheet for calculating the interest due to each depositor.

Name of depositor.													Total of interest payable, *i.e.*, amount of interest added by the Post Office, *vide* rule 7 (iv).	
April														
May														
June														
July														
August ...														
September ...														
October ...														
November ...														
December ...														
January ...														
February ...														
March ...														
Totals ...														
Interest payable on totals.														

JUDICIAL.

No. 835.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, namely :—

After Rule 8 the following Rule shall be inserted, namely :—

8 A. (*1*) In any area in which the Governor General in Council may, by Notification in the *Gazette of India*, declare that the provisions of this Rule shall be in force, it shall be lawful for the competent military authority and any person duly authorised by him by order in writing, where, for the purpose of securing the public safety or the defence of British India, it is necessary so to do, to direct by general or special order in writing that all lights or lights of any specified class or description shall be extinguished or obscured in such manner, between such hours, within such area, and during such period, as may be specified in the order.

Power to require extinguishment of lights.

(*2*) If any light is not extinguished or obscured as required by an order made under sub-rule (*1*), any person having control of the light for the time being, and the occupier or other person having control or management of, or being in charge of, any place, vehicle or vessel in or on which such light is displayed, shall be deemed to have contravened these Rules.

No. 836.—Major H. A. L. Hepper, R.E. (retired), Agent, Great Indian Peninsula Railway, is appointed Controller of Munitions, Bombay Circle, under the Indian Munitions Board, with effect from the 19th May 1917.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Assam Valley Light Horse.

No. 837.—Second Lieutenant Charles Alfred Stanley Perry to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st February 1917.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

No. 838.—His Excellency the Governor General of India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officers :—

Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps.

Second Lieutenant George Thomas Lane.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Frederick Stoddart.

Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifles.

Captain Edward Scott Christie (Retired).

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

PROMOTIONS.

Simla, the 25th May, 1917.

No. 23.—Captain Walter Lumsden, C.V.O., C.I.E., R.N., A.-D.-C., has been granted by the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty the rank of Commodore of the second class whilst holding the appointment of the Director of the Royal Indian Marine; with effect from the 19th February 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 24th May, 1917.

No. 309-T.-17.—The following is published for general information :—

RESOLUTION—By the Railway Board.

Adoption on the Kalighat-Falta Railway of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway and of certain modifications therein.

RESOLUTION.—The Managing Agents of the Kalighat-Falta Railway have applied for sanction to the adoption on that line of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway in British India, which were promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{89\text{-A.}}{5}$, dated the 8th September 1906, and published under their notification No. 183, dated the 8th September 1906, and also of the following modifications in the said General Rules :—

(i) the addendum to rule 86, Chapter III, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{163\text{-B.}}{2}$, dated the 26th September 1906, and published under their notification No. 205, dated the 5th October 1906;

(ii) the amendment in rule 359, sub-rule (1), Chapter XXI, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 519-R. T., dated the 27th June 1907, and published under their notification No. 158, dated the 27th June 1907 ;

(iii) the modifications in Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 100 R. T., dated the 16th January 1908, and published under their notification No. 11, dated the 17th January 1908 ;

(iv) the amendments in rule 12, sub-rule (4), and rule 22 of Chapter II and in rule 110, and rule 111, sub-rule (*a*), of Chapter V, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1970 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908, and published under their notification No. 337, dated the 11th November 1908 ;

(v) the modification of rule 64, Chapter III, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 476-R. T., dated the 12th March 1909, and published under their notification No. 91, dated the 18th March 1909 ;

(vi) the addendum to rule 71, sub-rule (1) (*a*), Chapter III, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1933 R. T., dated the 26th October 1909, and published under their notification No. 334, dated the 3rd November 1909 ;

(vii) the modifications of rule 161, Chapter XII, and rules 198, 200, 201, 215, 217 and 218, Chapter XIII, and the addition of rule 201-A to Chapter XIII, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 974 R. T., dated the 6th July 1910, and published under their notification No. 191, dated the 14th July 1910;

(viii) the addition of rule 33 (A) to Chapter II, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1677-R. T., dated the 7th December 1910, and published under their notification No. 338, dated the 15th December 1910;

(ix) the revised Chapter III, Part II, and the amendments in Chapters II and IV, Part II, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1025-R. T., dated the 10th June 1912, and published under their notification No. 71, dated the 13th June 1912;

(x) the addendum to rule 7, Chapter II, Part II, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1560-R. T., dated the 17th August 1912, and published under their notification No. 147, dated the 22nd August 1912;

(xi) the amendments in Schedule I, Chapter III, Part II, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1008-R. T., dated the 5th June 1913, and published under their notification No. 162, dated the 12th June 1913;

(xii) the amendments in Schedule I, Chapter III, Part II, and the cancellation of Appendix B, Part II, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1555-T., dated the 5th October 1914, and published under their notification No. 267, dated the 13th October 1914;

(xiii) the addition of rule 42-A. to Chapter IV, Part II, and the alteration in the heading of the Chapter, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1586-T., dated the 13th October 1914, and published under their notification No. 275, dated the 20th October 1914;

(xiv) the amendments in rule 247 (*b*), Chapter XV, Part I, and in Schedule I, Chapter III, Part II, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 886-T., dated the 24th June 1915, and published under their notification No. 206, dated the 8th July 1915;

(xv) the amendment in the note to rule 64, Chapter III, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1382-T., dated the 20th September 1915, and published under their notification No. 278, dated the 8th October 1915; and

(xvi) the amendment in rule 53 (2), Chapter II, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 323-T.-16, dated the 18th May 1916, and published under their notification No. 323-T.-16, dated the 19th May 1916.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway, and of the addenda and corrigenda to the said General Rules cited in paragraph 1 above, on the Kalighat-Falta Railway.

ORDER.—Ordered that this resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890); also that the General Rules, including the addenda and corrigenda cited in paragraph 1 above, which have already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be kept open for inspection at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section, and that this resolution be communicated to the Managing Agents of the Kalighat-Falta Railway and to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 2, Calcutta, for information.

No. 313-T.-17.—The following is published for general information :—

The 24th May 1917.

RESOLUTION—By the Railway Board.

Adoption on the Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway and of certain modifications therein.

RESOLUTION.—The Managing Agents of the Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway have applied for sanction to the adoption on that line of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of Railway in British India which were promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. R.T. $\frac{89\text{-A}}{5}$, dated the 8th September 1906, and published under their notification No. 183, dated the 8th September 1906, and also of the following modifications in the said General Rules :—

(i) the addendum to rule 86, Chapter III, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{163\text{ B}}{2}$, dated the 26th September 1906, and published under their notification No. 205, dated the 5th October 1906 ;

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(iii) the modifications in Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 100 R. T., dated the 16th January 1908, and published under their notification No. 11, dated the 17th January 1908 ;

(iv) the amendments in rule 12, sub-rule (4), and rule 22 of Chapter II and in rule 110, and rule 111, sub-rule (*a*), of Chapter V, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1970 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908, and published under their notification No. 337, dated the 11th November 1908 ;

(v) the modification of rule 64, Chapter III, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 476 R.T., dated the 12th March 1909, and published under their notification No. 91, dated the 18th March 1909 ;

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(vii) the modifications of rule 161, Chapter XII, and rules 198, 200, 201, 215, 217 and 218, Chapter XIII, and the addition of rule 201-A to Chapter XIII, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 974 R. T., dated the 6th July 1910, and published under their notification No. 191, dated the 14th July 1910 ;

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(xiii) the addition of rule 42-A. to Chapter IV, Part II, and the alteration in the heading of the Chapter, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1586 T., dated the 13th October 1914, and published under their notification No. 275, dated the 20th October 1914;

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(xv) the amendment in the note to rule 64, Chapter III, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1382 T., dated the 20th September 1915, and published under their notification No. 278, dated the 8th October 1915; and

(xvi) the amendment in rule 53 (2), Chapter II, Part I, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 323-T.-16, dated the 18th May 1916, and published under their notification No. 323-T.-16, dated the 19th May 1916.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway, and of the addenda and corrigenda to the said General Rules cited in paragraph 1 above, on the Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway.

ORDER.—Ordered that this resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890); also that the General Rules, including the addenda and corrigenda cited in paragraph 1 above, which have already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be kept open for inspection at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section, and that this resolution be communicated to the Managing Agents of the Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway, and to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. I, Calcutta, for information.

The 25th May, 1917.

No. 34-P.-17.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned the carrying out of a detailed survey by the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Company for a line of railway on the metre and 2′ 6″ gauges alternatively from Haveri, a station on the Madras and Southern Mahratta railway to Havanur, a distance of about 22 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Haveri-Havanur Railway survey.

F. A. HADOW,

Secretary, Railway Board.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

The 4th May, 1917.

No. 3310-M.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 5 and 5A of the Scheduled Districts Act, XIV of 1874, and with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Chief Commissioner of Assam is pleased to extend the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), to the Barpeta subdivision of the district of Kamrup.

Provided that for the purposes of the application of the said Act so extended, all references therein to the *Calcutta Gazette* shall be read as references to the *Assam Gazette.*

A. W. BOTHAM,

Second Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE

Simla, the 25th May, 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 19th May 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures	Plague deaths.
DELHI ...	...	......	.	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	81	73
		Ahmedabad City	1	1
		Kaira District	2	3
		Broach Port	...	1
		Surat Town and Port	9	7
		Surat District	10	7
		Thana District	38	39
	Central	Ahmednagar District	7	8
		East Khandesh District	10	4
		West Khandesh District	5	6
		Poona District	35	28
		Nasik District	25	27
		Satara District	106	61
		Sholapur District	50	35
	Southern	Thal Port	1	1
		Kolaba District	12	10
		Ratnagiri Port	4	2
		Ratnagiri District	7	7
		Belgaum District	44	36
		Dharwar District	39	30
		Bijapur District	...	1
	Sind ...	Karachi Town and Port	86	86
		Karachi District	6	6
		Hyderabad Town	8	7
		Hyderabad District	15	15

In the return for the week ending 12th May 1917, *add* the following :—
Hyderabad Town 10 cases, 7 deaths.
Hyderabad District 30 „ 20 „

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Political Charges	Baroda State	10	6
		Mangrol Port	19	12
		Kathiawar Agency	8	3
		Tuna Port	8	3
		Mundra Port	6	5
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	120	70
		Bijapur Agency	13	10
		Satara Agency	18	7
		Akalkot State	8	5
		TOTAL	808	604
MADRAS PRESIDENCY	..	Anantapur District	13	12
		Bellary District	5	4
		Coimbatore District	12	7
		Mangalore Port	2	4
		Rampad District	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Salem District	2	1
		North Arcot District	...	1
		Vizagapatam District	3	3
		TOTAL	38	33
BENGAL PRESIDENCY	Presidency	Calcutta	6	6
		TOTAL	6	6
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Patna	Patna City	6	6
		Patna District	74	56
		Shahabad District	127	65
	Tirhut	Saran District	76	61
		Muzaffarpur District	97	96
		Darbhanga City	1	2
		Darbhanga District	27	22

(a) One imported.

In the return for the week ending 12th May 1917, against Shahabad District *read* 94 deaths *for* 84 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 20,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	5	4
		Bhagalpur City	8	4
		Bhagalpur District	8	4
		TOTAL	429	320
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut	Saharanpur City		1
		Saharanpur District	24	17
		Muzaffarnagar District	37	27
	Agra	Mainpuri District	10	5
	Rohilkhand	Bareilly District	3	5
		Bijnor District	30	28
		Budaun District	9	10
		Moradabad District	42	42
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City	14	14
		Farrukhabad District	26	25
		Etawah District	6	4
		Cawnpore City	15	15
		Cawnpore District	46	36
		Fatehpur District	19	12
		Allahabad City	3	3
		Allahabad District	67	61
	Jhansi	Jalaun District	105	61
	Benares	Benares District	23	13
		Mirzapur City	2	2
		Jaunpur District	55	41
		Ghazipur District	90	99
		Ballia District	86	83

In the return for the week ending 12th May 1917, the following corrections should be made :—
Bareilly City 1 death *for* 12 deaths.
Bareilly District 12 deaths *for* 2 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
UNITED PROVINCES	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur City	1	1
		Gorakhpur District	62	62
		Basti District	90	81
		Azamgarh District	103	100
	Lucknow	Lucknow City	14	14
		Lucknow District	46	46
		Unao District	220	194
		Rae Bareli District	35	35
		Sitapur District	45	27
		Hardoi District	10	10
		Kheri District	5	5
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	6	8
		Gonda District	31	27
		Sultanpur District	7	6
		Partabgarh District	7	7
		Bara Banki District	21	17
		TOTAL	1,425	1,288
PUNJAB	Ambala	Karnal District	17	17
		Ambala District	75	63
	Jullundur	Kangra District	1	...
		Ludhiana District	26	9
		Ferozepore District	2	...
	Lahore	Lahore City	18	18
		Lahore District	90	88
		Amritsar District	10	8
		Gurdaspur District	37	24
		Gujranwala District	51	50

In the return for the week ending 12th May 1917, *add* the following :—
Gonda District 60 cases, 46 deaths.
Partabgarh District 14 cases, 12 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Rawalpindi	Shahpur District	5	2
		Jhelum District	56	48
	Multan	Lyallpur District	11	3
	Native States	Jind State	7	5
		Patiala State	18	18
		TOTAL	456	321
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	26	23
		Hanthawaddy District	2	2
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	6	3
		Bassein District	1	1
		Henzada District	4	4
		Myaungmya District	6	6
		Pyapon District	4	4
	Tenasserim	Moulmein Town	7	7
	Magwe	Magwe District	2	1
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	2	1
		TOTAL	60	52

In the return for the week ending 12th May 1917, *add* the following :—
Attock District *nil* case, 2 imported deaths.
Kapurthala State 10 cases, 7 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur...	Bhandara District	7	3
		Chanda District	1	1
		Balaghat District	1	3
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town and Cantonment	..	1
		Jubbulpore District	10	5
		Seoni District	3	1
		Mandla District	8	5
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District	11	6
		Nimar District	1	1
		Narsinghpur District	11	6
		Chhindwara District	3	3
	Chhatisgarh	Raipur District	5	6
	Berar	Amraoti District	17	11
		Yeotmal District	11	6
		Akola District	48	33
		Buldana District	29	17
		TOTAL	166	108
ASSAM ...	...	......	...	...
COORG ...	...	......	...	...

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 20,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	3	2
		Mysore District	16	8
		Hassan District	2	1
		Shimoga District	104	53
		Tumkur District	2	1
		Kolar District	19	14
		TOTAL	146	79
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	15	11
		Parbhani District	80	77
		Nander District	91	76
		Gulbarga District	2	1
		Usmanabad District	63	54
		Medak District	281	247
		Hyderabad City and Suburbs	1	..
		Warangal District	1	...
		TOTAL	533 (a)	466 (a)

(a) From the 7th to the 13th May 1917.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore State	1	1
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	33	32
		Dewas State (Senior Branch)	1	1
		Bhopal State	2	1
		Rewa State	1	2
		TOTAL	38 (a)	37 (a)
RAJPUTANA	...	Ajmer City	203	116
		Ajmer District	28	24
		Alwar State	4	4
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State	53	37
		Bharatpur State	2	3
		Kishangarh State	6	9
		Jaipur State	14	8
		Jhalawar State	2	...
		TOTAL	312	201
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	......		
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	4,412	3,515

(a) For the week ending 12th May 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 322.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

RESOLUTION.

Simla, the 24th May 1917.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 30, sub-section (2) of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6, Geo. 5, Ch. 61), and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments be made in Part O of the Resolution of the Government of India in the Home Department, nos. 713-734 (Judicial), dated the 2nd June 1913, as subsequently amended, relating to the execution of deeds, contracts and other instruments on behalf of His Majesty's Secretary of State for India in Council :—

(*a*) *After* head 9 *insert* the following :—

10. Contracts for hire or purchase of buildings for Government.	By the Chief local officer of the Department for which such buildings are to be hired or purchased.

(*b*) *For* the words "heads 2 to 9" in head 1 *substitute* the words "heads 2 to 10".

ORDER.—Ordered that the above Resolution be communicated to the local Governments and Administrations* and the several Departments† of the Government of India for information and guidance (with reference to their letter no. 6391-P., dated the 5th April 1917), [and for communication to the Agent to the Governor General, Baluchistan] ; and that it be also published in the *Supplement to the Gazette of India.*

(To Bengal only)

[To Foreign and Political Department only]

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for *Secretary to the Government of India*.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 24th May 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. The weather was disturbed during the greater part of the week in north-west and central India, and during the last three days rainfall increased considerably in Burma, probably in connection with a disturbance which was forming in the Bay.

2. *Burma.*—Rainfall was nearly general in Lower Burma on the 23rd.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Local falls of rain occurred.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Fairly general rain fell in the west of the United Provinces on the 19th, in Central India on the 19th and 20th, and in the west of the Central Provinces on the 18th and 19th.

Northwest India.—Local falls of rain were reported from most parts of the division, and in east Rajputana rainfall was nearly general on the 17th.

The Peninsula.—There were scattered falls of rain, chiefly in south Hyderabad and south Madras.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows:—

May 17th. Tavoy 1·38″, Berhampore 0·95″ and Kodaikanal 1·04″.

„ 18th. Moulmein 1·16″ and Minbu 0·95″.

„ 19th. Dibrugarh 1·49″, Mukteswar 0·99″, Amraoti 1·07″, Jubbulpore 1·10″ and Trichinopoly 0·96″.

„ 20th. Port Blair 1·98″, Mandalay 2·12″, Sibsagar 1·24″, Jessore 1·61″, Pachmarhi 1·00″, Sonamarg 1·11″ and Panjgur 0·55″.

„ 21st. Victoria Point 5·97″, Mergui 2·85″, Moulmein 1·20″, Toungoo 3·63″, Yamethin 1·00″, Calcutta 0·93″, Burdwan 1·58″, Jodhpur 1·36″ and Tinnevelly 1·32″.

„ 22nd. Diamond Island 1·20″, Yamethin 1·32″, Fort Sandeman 1·22″ and Parachinar 2·05″.

„ 23rd. Port Blair 0·96″, Table Island 1·35″, Bassein 1·75″, Kyaukpyu 1·05″, Yamethin 1·25″, Barisal 1·23″ and Jalpaiguri 1·48″.

4. The week's rainfall was 20 per cent or more in excess in the United Provinces West, Baluchistan, Rajputana, Gujarat, Central India, Berar, the Central Provinces and Hyderabad South, and was within 20 per cent of the normal in the Bay Islands, Upper Burma, the North-West Frontier Province, the Punjab Southwest and Hyderabad North. No rain falls usually at this time of the year in Sind: in all the remaining divisions rainfall was 20 per cent or more in defect.

The rainfall from the 4th May to date is 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Burma, Assam, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Mysore, Malabar and Madras Southeast. No rain usually falls during this period in Sind; in Bengal, Hyderabad North and the Madras Deccan rainfall differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent. In the rest of the country rainfall is 20 per cent or more in excess.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 24th May 1917: Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Rainfall data from 4th May to 24th May 1917: Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches	Excess or defect in inches	Percentage departure from normal: This week	Last week.
Bay Islands	3·9	4·7	-0·8	7·3	11·7	-4·4	-38	-51
Lower Burma	2·7	4·3	-1·6	4·6	9·3	-4·7	-51	-62
Upper Burma	1·4	1·5	-0·1	1·7	3·6	-1·9	-53	-86
Assam	1·1	2·2	-1·1	4·9	7·4	-2·5	-34	-27
Bengal	1·0	1·7	-0·7	5·0	4·8	+0·2	+4	+29
Orissa	0	0·9	-0·9	3·3	2·0	+1·3	+65	+200
Chota Nagpur	0·4	0·6	-0·2	3·8	1·4	+2·4	+171	+325
Bihar	0·2	0·5	-0·3	4·1	1·5	+2·6	+173	+290
United Provinces, East	0·1	0·2	-0·1	2·0	0·6	+1·4	+233	+375
United Provinces, West	0·4	0·2	+0·2	1·2	0·5	+0·7	+140	+167
Punjab, East and North	0·1	0·2	-0·1	1·5	0·6	+0·9	+150	+250
Punjab, South-West	0·1	0·1	0	1·1	0·4	+0·7	+175	+233
Kashmir	0·3	0·5	-0·2	0·8	1·7	-0·9	-53	-58
N.-W. Frontier Province	0·1	0·1	0	0·3	0·5	-0·2	-40	-50
Baluchistan	0·2	0	+0·2	0·3	0·2	+0·1	+50	-50
Sind	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rajputana, West	0·7	0·2	+0·5	2·9	0·3	+2·6	+867	+2100
Rajputana, East	0·4	0·2	+0·2	2·7	0·4	+2·3	+575	+1050
Gujarat	0·2	0	+0·2	1·8	0	+1·8	—	—
Central India, West	0·8	0·1	+0·7	4·4	0·1	+4·3	+4300	—
Central India, East	0·3	0·1	+0·2	1·3	0·2	+1·1	+550	+900
Berar	1·5	0·1	+1·4	2·5	0·1	+2·4	+2400	—
Central Provinces, West	0·8	0·1	+0·7	2·3	0·3	+2·0	+667	+650
Central Provinces, East	0·2	0·1	+0·1	1·4	0·5	+0·9	+180	+200
Konkan	0	0·2	-0·2	0·1	0·2	-0·1	-50	—
Bombay Deccan	0·1	0·3	-0·2	0·4	0·5	-0·1	-20	+50
Hyderabad, North	0·1	0·1	0	0·3	0·3	0	0	0
Hyderabad, South	0·3	0·2	+0·1	0·9	0·5	+0·4	+80	+100
Mysore	0·1	0·8	-0·7	0·4	2·6	-2·2	-85	-83
Malabar	0·2	2·4	-2·2	0·2	4·7	-4·5	-96	-100
Madras, South-East	0·4	0·6	-0·2	0·4	1·5	-1·1	-73	-100
Madras Deccan	0·2	0·4	-0·2	0·9	0·9	0	0	+40
Madras Coast, North	0·1	0·4	-0·3	3·2	1·0	+2·2	+220	+417

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director-General of Observatories.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

SIMLA;
Dated the 24th May 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 19th May 1917.

Burma.—The rainfall was general practically throughout the Province. Three districts report falls exceeding 2 inches. In the dry zone very little rain fell. Reaping of spring and summer rice is progressing in Upper Burma. Plucking of tobacco has been practically completed. Harvesting of miscellaneous crops and cultivation of cotton, groundnut and early sesamum continue. Standing crops are in good condition. Livestock is generally healthy. The price of unhusked rice at Rangoon has fallen further to Rs. 101 per hundred baskets and is much below normal. The market for white rice is dull.

Assam.—The weather was hot with light rain. More rain is wanted practically in every plains district. Harvesting of spring rice has been nearly finished with outturn very good Sowing of autumn rice and jute has been practically completed and of winter rice has been nearly finished. Planting of sugarcane and manufacture of tea are in progress. Cattle disease is reported from eight districts. The price of common rice is stationary.

Bengal.—During the week light to moderate rain was almost general throughout the Province and favoured the growth of autumn crops. Agricultural operations have also been greatly facilitated by the rainfall. Preparation of lands for winter rice has commenced. Sowing of autumn paddy and jute continues in western Bengal, and weeding is in progress in eastern Bengal. Prospects of standing crops are good. In some places of the Dacca district, however, paddy plants are being damaged by insects called *lohapok* and *pamari*. Some injury is also being caused to paddy by insects in Tippera. Cattle disease is reported from eight districts. The average price of common rice for the Province remained stationary as compared with that of the previous week.

Bihar and Orissa.—During the week rain fell in all districts except Champaran. The fall was generally light. Threshing of spring crops has been nearly completed. Preparation of lands for autumn crops is in progress. Sowings have commenced in some districts. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has risen in five districts, has fallen in three and remained stationary in the other districts as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from twelve districts. The number of persons on test works in Puri and Singhbhum was 1,346 and 1,362 respectively while 857 persons were gratuitously relieved in Puri. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

United Provinces.—Rain has again fallen in several districts causing, in places, slight damage to extra and vegetable crops. Fields are being prepared and manured for autumn crops. Sowing of cotton, indigo and fodder, hoeing of sugarcane and irrigation of sugarcane and extra crops continue. Opium weighment is nearly finished. The condition of standing crops is on the whole good. Agricultural stock is in satisfactory condition and very little cattle disease is reported. Fodder and water are ample. Markets are well supplied. Prices are rising slightly.

Punjab.—Light rain was nearly general except in parts of some central and western districts where only slight and scattered showers were received. Rain though useful for standing extra spring and autumn crops has slightly damaged wheat on threshing floor and in some districts delayed threshing operations which are in progress. The yield is normal or below normal on irrigated and below normal or poor on unirrigated areas. Sowings of cotton and other autumn crops continue and are below normal to normal. Standing extra spring and autumn crops are in average to good condition. Cattle are generally healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices are generally stationary but have fallen slightly in some districts. They range generally between normal and warning rates in the south east and between warning and scarcity rates elsewhere. Price of wheat :—Rawalpindi 9¼, Lyallpur 10¼, Ferozepore and Lahore 10¾ and Ambala 10¾ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—During the week rain has fallen in parts of the Province, benefiting extra spring sowings. The condition of standing crops both on irrigated and unirrigated areas is average except in one district where unirrigated crops are reported to be below average. Harvesting of wheat is in progress and its outturn is expected to be average. Sowings of cotton, rice and *bajra* are proceeding. The condition of cattle is good except in parts of one district. The public health is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. The price of wheat in Peshawar was 9$\frac{9}{16}$ and in Dera Ismail Khan 9¼ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8 to 13 and maize from 17 to 25 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is below average. Cattle disease prevails in the Basohli tahsil. Fodder is insufficient in certain places.

Kashmir.—The rainfall during the week was fair. Standing crops are in fair condition. Sowings of autumn crops are in progress. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are high.

Rajputana.—The rainfall during the week was general except in Jaisalmer, Banswara and Dholpur, varying from 54 cents in Bharatpur to 5 inches 27 cents in Jhalawar. The weather is cloudy. Harvesting of spring crops has been almost completed. Threshing and winnowing operations continue in a few places. Land is being prepared for autumn crops and sowing has commenced in some places. Some damage to grains owing to untimely rains is reported from Sirohee and Merwara. Agricultural stock is generally healthy. Water and fodder are ample. Prices are generally stationary, but they are rising in Sirohee, Mewar, Kotah, Tonk and Karauli.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was partial in Gwalior and general elsewhere except Bundelkhand, the principal fall being over 1 inch in Jhabua. Spring crops are being threshed in Bhopal. Land is being prepared for autumn crops in Indore, Malwa and the Southern States. Agricultural stock is in good condition except for some cattle disease. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are rising in Bhopal, have fallen slightly in Gwalior and are steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather has been occasionally cloudy and rainy during the week. There was rain all over the Provinces, ranging from 10 cents in Drug to 2¾ inches in Amraoti. Nine districts received over 1 inch. The fall was accompanied by small hailstones in Saugor and Amraoti. Threshing and winnowing continue but the operations were somewhat hampered in the Jubbulpore and Nerbudda divisions and the crops lying on the threshing floor were damaged slightly in five northern districts due to rain. Preparation of land for the sowing of the ensuing season's crops is in progress. There is no deficiency of fodder or water anywhere. Cattle are faring well. Prices of wheat and gram vary slightly exhibiting a downward tendency.

Feudatory States.—Seven States received rain. Ploughing of fields continues. Sugarcane crop is thriving well.

Bombay.—Slight rain fell during the week throughout the Presidency except Larkana, Ratnagiri, Kanara, Ahmednagar, Sholapur, Satara, Bijapur, Belgaum, Kolhapur and Savantvadi. Standing crops are thriving. Harvesting is nearing completion. Cotton picking is progressing in west Khandesh, Belgaum, Dharwar and Kolhapur. Lands are being prepared for autumn sowings. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Thar and Parkar and Kaira. Prices of food grains have risen in the Deccan, and are generally steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—During the week slight showers were received throughout the Dominions except Aurangabad. The average fall was 25 cents. The late rice crop is in fair to good condition and is being harvested. Lands are being prepared for monsoon sowings. Cattle disease prevails in five talukas. Prices of grains are almost constant. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 8 seers per rupee in Nander and Warangal and the lowest 20 seers per rupee in Mahbubnagar.

Mysore.—No rain fell during the week in Shimoga, Kadur and Chitaldrug but light to fair rain was received elsewhere. Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of the harvested paddy, sugarcane and cotton is fair. Ploughing and manuring operations and sowing of paddy, sugarcane and *ragi* are in progress in parts. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—No rain fell during the week. Prices of food grains are slightly lower. The public health is fair. Cattle disease is subsiding. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was good in Godavari, Guntur, Anantapur, Nellore and Chittor, fair in Ganjam, Kistna, Kurnool, Bangnapalle and Cuddapah and light or *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally except in parts of one district where they require rain. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water supply is insufficient in parts of Godavari, Nellore, South Arcot, South Kanara, Deccan except Kurnool, Central except Coimbatore and South except Tinnevelly and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is insufficient in seven districts and in parts of six others. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

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	" Praphullakamal	...	Ditto.
	" Sailendranath ...	...	Ditto.
	" Satischandra ...	...	Ditto.
	" Srimantakumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	" Surendranath ...	...	University Law College.
	" Surendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	" Syamkisor ...	...	Ditto.
50	" Tarapada ...	...	Non-Collegiate student.
	Basuchaudhuri, Rajendrakisor	...	Dacca Law College.
	Bera, Dharanidhar ...	...	University Law College.
	Bhadra, Binodlal ...	...	Ditto.
	" Mahendranath	...	Ditto.
	Bhaduri, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	" Saurendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	Bhar, Anathnath ...	...	Ditto.
	Bhattacharyya, Bholanath	...	Ditto.
	" Durganath	...	Ditto.
60	" Durgapada	...	Ditto.
	" Gauriprasad	...	Ditto.
	" Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
	" Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	" Manindranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	" Nilalohita	...	University Law College.
	" Nirendrabijay	...	Ditto.
	" Panchanan	...	Ditto.
	" Purnachandra	...	Ditto.
	" Rajkumar	...	Ditto.
70	" Tarapada	...	Ditto.
	Bhaumik, Jogeschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	" Jyotishchandra	...	University Law College.
	" Sitanath	...	Ditto.
	Bisi, Sailesnath	...	Ditto.
	Biswas, Bipinbihari	...	Non-Collegiate student.
	" Dakshinaranjan	...	University Law College.
	" Manindramohan	...	Ditto.
	" Mokshadakumar	...	Ditto.
	Chaki, Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
80	Chakrabarti, Anathbandhu	...	Ditto.
	" Asutosh	...	Ripon Law College.
	" Chittaharan	...	University Law College.
	" Gaganchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Ganapati	...	Ditto.
	" Haridas	...	Ditto.
	" Hemchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Jagadischandra	...	Ditto.
	" Jitendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	" Kalipada	...	University Law College.
90	" Kedarnath	...	Ditto.
	" Mahimchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Niranjanprasad	...	Ditto.
	" Praphullakumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	" Praphullamadhab	...	University Law College.
	" Ramkamal	...	Dacca Law College.
	" Srischandra	...	University Law College.
	Chandra, Manimohan	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Aswinikumar	...	Ditto.
	" Bholanath	...	Ditto.
100	" Bibhutibhushan		Ripon Law College.
	" Charuchandra	...	University Law College.
	" Debipada	...	Ditto.
	" Kiranchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Niradbaran	...	Ditto.
	" Pasupati	...	Ditto.
	" Prabodhchandra		Ditto.
	" Satyacharan	...	Ditto.

	Name	College
	Chattopadhyay, Satyakinkar, II...	University Law College.
	„ Satyendranath ...	Ditto.
110	„ Saurindramohan	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Baidyanath ...	Ditto.
	„ Chhakkunlall ...	Ditto.
	„ Gopendrakumar ...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindramohan, Roll. Gau. 16.	Ditto.
	„ Jatindramohan, Roll. Cal. 146.	Ditto.
	„ Jitendranarayan ...	Ditto.
	„ Mahananda ...	Ditto.
	„ Manindralal ...	Ditto.
	„ Nagendralal ...	Ditto.
120	„ Prananath ...	Ditto.
	„ Radhikanath ...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Sisirkumar ...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhansumauli ...	Ditto.
	„ Surendramohan ...	Ditto.
	„ Sureschandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Suryyaprakas ...	Ditto.
	Choudhuri, Sachchidanand ...	Patna Law College.
	Dam, Harinarayan ...	University Law College.
130	Das, Awadhnarayan ...	Ditto.
	„ Balaichandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Banbihari	Ditto.
	„ Bipinbihari	Ditto.
	„ Bisweswar	Ditto.
	„ Gosthabihari	Ditto.
	„ Jogeschandra	Ditto.
	„ Lalitkumar	Ditto.
	„ Lalitmohan	Ditto.
	„ Mokshadaranjan ...	Ditto.
140	„ Pareschandra	Non-Collegiate student.
	„ Purnachandra	Ripon Law College.
	„ Sarojmohan	University Law College.
	„ Satischandra	Ditto.
	„ Tejendranath	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Hirankumar ..	Ditto.
	„ Narendranath ...	Ditto.
	„ Praphullachandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Sachindrakumar ...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Suparas	Patna Law College.
150	„ Nisikanta	Dacca Law College.
	„ Upendranath ...	Ditto.
	Datta, Asutosh	University Law College.
	„ Brindabankisor ...	Ditto.
	„ Dhirendranath ...	Ditto.
	„ Jitendranath	Ripon Law College.
	„ Kalipada	University Law College.
	„ Kanaknath	Ditto.
	„ Nagendranath	Ditto.
	„ Ramkinkar	Ditto.
160	„ Rohinimohan	Ditto.
	„ Saratchandra	Ditto.
	„ Satyabrata	Ditto.
	„ Sukumar	Ditto.
	Dattagupta, Ambikacharan ...	Dacca Law College.
	De, Brajendralal	University Law College.
	„ Gopendrakrishna ...	Ditto.
	„ Nisikanta	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	Ditto.
	„ Surendranath	Ditto.
170	Dhar, Rameschandra ...	Ditto.
	Ebadat Ali Khan ...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Aparnacharan ...	Ditto.
	„ Jitendramohan...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Kedareswar ...	University Law College.

	Gangopadhyay, Pratapchandra ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Rameschandra ...	University Law College.
	Ghatak, Lalitchandra ...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Ajendrakrishna ...	Ditto.
	,, Asutosh ...	Ripon Law College.
180	,, Bankubihari ...	University Law College.
	,, Bhupendrachandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Bijaychandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Dakshinaranjan ...	Ditto.
	,, Dwijaranjan ...	Ditto.
	,, Gaganchandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Gaganchandra ...	University Law College.
	,, Harendranath ...	Ditto.
	,, Haricharan ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Haridas ...	University Law College.
190	,, Jagatbandhu ...	Ditto.
	,, Jatindranath ...	Ditto.
	,, Jitendranath ...	Ditto.
	,, Janendranath ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Jugalkisor ...	University Law College.
	,, Khagendrakrishna ...	Ditto.
	,, Mahendrakumar ...	Ditto.
	,, Manindranath ...	Ditto.
	,, Mrinalbhushan ...	Non-Collegiate student.
	,, Narayanchandra ...	University Law College.
200	,, Phakirprasad ...	Ditto.
	,, Phanindranath ...	Ditto.
	,, Pulinbihari ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Smarabhushan ...	University Law College.
	,, Sripatinath ...	Ditto.
	,, Srischandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Susilkumar, II ...	Dacca Law College.
	Ghoshal, Madhusudan ...	University Law College.
	Gohain, Jogeschandra ...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Goswami, Basantakumar ...	University Law College.
210	,, Golakeswar ...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	,, Umakanta ...	Ditto.
	Guha, Bimalacharan ...	University Law College.
	,, Dharmadas ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Sailendranath ...	University Law College.
	,, Sunetracharan ...	Dacca Law College.
	Guharay, Priyasankar ...	University Law College.
	Gupta, Hemantakumar ...	Ditto.
	,, Jogendranath ...	Ditto.
	,, Jyotishchandra ...	Ditto.
220	,, Mahadebchandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Sitalakanta ...	Dacca Law College.
	Habibur Rahman ...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Hajra, Charuchandra ...	University Law College.
	Haldar, Haripada ...	Ditto.
	Haribans Prasad ...	Patna Law College.
	Jha, Panchanan	University Law College.
	,, Shreekanta	Ditto.
	Joardar, Annadaprasad ...	Ditto.
	Kar, Abanibhushan ...	Ditto.
230	,, Prabodhchandra ...	Ditto.
	Karmakar, Upendranath ...	Ditto.
	Kazemuddin Ahamed ...	Ditto.
	Khan, Bijaykumar ...	Ditto.
	,, Jogendranath ...	Non-Collegiate student.
	,, Susilchandra ...	Ditto.
	Khobhari Lall ...	Patna Law College.
	Kundu, Bijaychandra ...	Ripon Law College.
	Mafzalar Rahman Choudhury ...	University Law College.
	Mahanti, Bhagirathi ...	Ditto.
240	,, Kailaschandra ...	Ditto.
	Mahammud Kader Reza ...	Ditto.

	Maitra, Bankimchandra ...	University Law College.
	„ Dineschandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Kiranchandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Rasikranjan ...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Abanimohan ...	Ditto.
	„ Bijaygopal ...	Ditto.
	„ Hrishikes ...	Patna Law College.
	„ Gurudas ...	University Law College.
250	„ Nisabhushan ...	Ditto.
	„ Rameschandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Surendranath ...	Ripon Law College.
	Mallik, Jagannath ...	University Law College.
	„ Makhanlal ...	Ditto.
	„ Prabodhchandra ...	Ditto.
	Mandal, Prabodhchandra ...	Ditto.
	Maulik, Haripada ...	Ditto.
	Md. Ishaque Fakir ...	Ditto.
	„ Islam Uddin ...	Ditto.
260	„ Shamsuddin Ahmad ...	Ditto.
	Misra, Shivadhin ...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Amulyakrishna ...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Chandicharan ...	University Law College.
	„ Debendranath ...	Ditto.
	„ Hemantakumar ...	Ditto.
	„ Kedarnath ...	Ditto.
	„ Nripendrakumar ...	Ditto.
	„ Purnachandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Ramrup ...	Ditto.
270	M. Mujibur Rahman ...	Ditto.
	Mofizuddin Ahmed ...	Non-Collegiate student.
	Mohammad Ahidulla ...	University Law College.
	Mohammed Nurul Haque Chaudhury.	Ditto.
	Mohamed Younus ...	Patna Law College.
	Muhammad Taheruddin ...	University Law College.
	Muhammed Eusuf ...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Amulyadhan ...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Banikanta ...	University Law College.
	„ Banikantha ...	Ditto.
280	„ Charuchandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Girindranath, I	Ditto.
	„ Girindranath, II	Ditto.
	„ Harendranath	Ditto.
	„ Hariprasanna	Ditto.
	„ Jatindranath, I	Ditto.
	„ Jatindranath, II	Ditto.
	„ Jogeschandra	Ditto.
	„ Jogeswar ...	Ditto.
	„ Manilal ...	Ditto.
290	„ Manmathanath	Ditto.
	„ Nagendranath, I	Ditto.
	„ Nagendranath, II	Ditto.
	„ Nripendranath, II	Ditto.
	„ Pramathakumar	Non-Collegiate student.
	„ Raimohan ...	University Law College.
	„ Sachikanta ...	Ditto.
	„ Sachindranath	Ripon Law College.
	„ Satischandra ...	University Law College.
	„ Sisirkumar ...	Ditto.
300	„ Upendranath ...	Ditto.
	„ Upendranath ...	Ripon Law College.
	Munsi, Jatindranath ...	University Law College.
	Mustaphi, Satyendragati ...	Ditto.
	Nabinawaz Khan ...	Ditto.
	Nagchaudhuri, Upendrachandra	Ditto.
	Nandi, Kalipada ...	Ditto.
	Niyogi, Kiritikumar ...	Non-Collegiate student.

	Pal, Bishnupada	...	University Law College.
	,, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
310	,, Upendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	Palit, Atulkrishna	...	University Law College.
	Pande, Narsingh Sahai	...	Patna Law College.
	Pramanik, Baradaprasad	...	Ripon Law College.
	Prayag Nath	...	Patna Law College.
	Ram Anugrah Narain	...	University Law College.
	Rameshwar Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
	Ram Prasad	...	Ditto.
	Rakshit, Kiranchandra	...	University Law College.
	Ray, Bhupendranath	...	Ditto.
320	,, Binodgopal	...	Ditto.
	,, Bipinbihari	...	Ditto.
	,, Birendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Charuchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Charuchandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Debendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Gaurchandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Harendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
	,, Hemchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Jogeschandra	...	Ditto.
330	,, Mohinimohan, I	...	Ditto.
	,, Mohinimohan, II	...	Ditto.
	,, Nagendranath, I	...	Ditto.
	,, Nagendranath, II	...	Ditto.
	,, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Nalinibhushan	...	Dacca Law College
	,, Naliniranjan, II	...	University Law College.
	,, Niklrilchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Nripendrakrisna	...	University Law College.
	,, Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
340	,, Ramchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Satyananda	...	Ditto.
	,, Srinath	...	Ditto.
	,, Surendranarayan	...	Ditto.
	,, Surendranath	...	Ditto.
	Raychaudhuri, Kalinath	...	Ditto.
	,, Mukundalal	...	Ditto.
	,, Pulinkrishna	...	Ditto.
	Saha, Bholanath	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Rebatimohan, I	...	Ditto.
350	,, Surendramohan	...	University Law College.
	Sahay, Ramsewak	...	Patna Law College.
	,, Shivanandan	...	Ditto.
	Sahaya, Rajbans	...	Ditto.
	Sahu, Bhutnath	...	University Law College.
	Samaddar, Nirapada	...	Ditto.
	Santra, Annadaprasad	...	Ditto.
	Sanyal, Makhanlal	...	Ditto.
	,, Purnachandra	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Birendramohan	...	Ripon Law College.
360	,, Mohinimohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Nandalal	...	University Law College.
	,, Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Ramkrishna	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Amritalal	...	Ditto.
	,, Asokkumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Jogeschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Nirmalkumar	...	University Law College.
	,, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
370	,, Sudhirranjan	...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Ajitkumar	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Kshudiram	...	University Law College.
	,, Manindranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Matilal	...	Ditto.

	Sengupta, Nilkanta	...	University Law College.
	„ Praphullachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Subinaychandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	Shiva Shanker Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
	Sinha, Deobir Prasad	...	Ditto.
380	„ Jogeschandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Ramendramohan	...	Ditto.
	Syed Abdullah-ul-Muswy	...	Ditto.
	„ Akbar Ali	...	Ditto.
	Taraphdar, Birendrakisor	...	Ditto.
	Tileshwar Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
386	Tiwary, Shrikant Pati	...	Ditto.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 27th March 1917.

P. BRÜHL,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Intermediate Examination in Law held in January 1917 :—

FIRST DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

Serial number.	In order of merit.	Name	College
1	1	Bandyopadhyay, Pramathanath...	University Law College.
2	2	Chattopadhyay, Nirmalchandra...	Ditto.
3	3	Sengupta, Nalinikanta ...	Ditto.
4	4	Bhaumik, Haripada ...	Ditto.
5	5	Abul Quasem	Ditto.
6	6	Raychaudhuri, Praphullakumar	Ditto.
7	7	Ghosh, Nirmalratna	Ditto.
8		Nur Ahmed	Ditto.
9	8	Gangopadhyay, Pareschandra ...	Ditto.
10	9	Dasgupta, Phanibhushan ...	Ditto.
11		Sanyal, Jatindranath ...	Ditto.
12	10	Chattopadhyay, Lakshmankumar	Ditto.
13		Guha, Satyacharan	Ditto.
14	11	Bhattacharyya, Bishnupada ...	Ditto.
15		Datta, Prakaschandra ...	Ditto.
16		,, Suryyakamal	Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.

(In alphabetical order.)

	Name	College
	Abdul Halim Khan	Dacca Law College.
	Abu Salim Serajul Huq ...	Ripon Law College, Calcutta.
	Aditya, Gopeschandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	Avadhkishore Prasad ...	University Law College.
	Aziz Ahmad	Patna Law College.
	Bagchi, Basantakumar ...	Ripon Law College, Calcutta.
	,, Pranes Chandra ...	University Law College.
	,, Upendralal ...	Ditto.
	Bakshi, Indranarayan ...	Ditto.
10	Bandyopadhyay, Anantakumar	Ditto.
	,, Chandicharan...	Ditto.
	,, Debabrata ...	Ditto.
	,, Durgagati ...	Ditto.
	,, Gopendra krishna.	Ditto.
	,, Jatindranath, I	Ditto.
	,, Nagendranath	Ditto.
	,, Nepalchandra	Ditto.
	,, Nitaichandra	Ditto.
	,, Rabindranath	Dacca Law College.
20	,, Rabindranath	University Law College.
	,, Radhakisor ...	Ditto.
	,, Ramanimohan	Ditto.
	,, Ramaniranjan	Ditto.
	,, Satyapriya ...	Ditto.
	,, Satyendranath	Ditto.
	,, Sibcharan ...	Ditto.
	,, Umapada ...	Ditto.
	Baral, Chaitanyacharan ...	Ditto.
	,, Jatindranath ...	Ditto.
30	Bardhan, Manmathakumar ...	Dacca Law College.
	Barpujari, Jibakanta ...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Banik, Pyarimohan ...	Dacca Law College.
	Basak, Nagendranath ...	University Law College.
	,, Syambandhu ...	Dacca Law College.

	Name	College
	Basu, Birendrakumar	University Law College.
	,, Dhirendrachandra	Ditto.
	,, Haridas	Ditto.
	,, Hemendrakumar	Ditto.
	,, Jatindrachandra	Ripon Law College, Calcutta.
40	,, Kartikchandra	University Law College.
	,, Phanibhushan	Ditto.
	,, Phanindrakrishna	Ditto.
	,, Prabhatchandra	Ditto.
	,, Priyanath	Ditto.
	,, Susilkumar	Ditto.
	Basumallik, Jatindranath	Ditto.
	Basuprasad	Ditto.
	Bera, Bhabataran	Ripon Law College, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Bholanath	University Law College.
50	,, Birendrachandra	Dacca Law College.
	,, Hemkanta	University Law College.
	,, Hemantakamal	Ditto.
	,, Kamalapati	Ditto.
	,, Pranadananda	Ditto.
	,, Sailendranath	Ditto.
	,, Sitalchandra	Ditto.
	,, Srinath	Ditto.
	,, Susilsundar	Ditto.
	Bishayi, Pramathanath	Ditto.
60	Biswas, Bibhutibhushan	Ripon Law College, Calcutta.
	,, Priyanath	University Law College.
	,, Rajaniranjan	Ditto.
	,, Upendranath	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Abanikanta	Ditto.
	,, Abhayapada	Ditto.
	,, Asutosh	Ditto.
	,, Bholanath	Ditto.
	,, Bimalacharan	Ditto.
	,, Birendrakumar	Dacca Law College.
70	,, Dineschandra	University Law College.
	,, Jitendramohan	Ditto.
	,, Manindranath	Ditto.
	,, Nagendrachandra	Ripon Law College, Calcutta.
	,, Parbaticharan	University Law College.
	,, Phanindranath	Ditto.
	,, Prasannamohan	Ditto.
	,, Sasimohan	Ditto.
	,, Satyabhushan	Ditto.
	,, Surendranath	Ditto.
80	Chattopadhyay, Anandagopal	Ditto.
	,, Baladeb	Ditto.
	,, Charuchandra	Ditto.
	,, Debendranath, I	Ditto.
	,, Hiralal	Ditto.
	,, Nibaranchandra	Ditto.
	,, Rabindranath	Ditto.
	,, Rajendrakumar	Ditto.
	,, Susilkumar	Ditto.
	Chaturbhuj Narayan	Patna Law College.
90	Chaudhuri, Abinbhushan	University Law College.
	,, Anukulchandra	Ditto.
	,, Atulchandra	Ditto.
	,, Brajendrakumar	Ditto.
	,, Gopalchandra	Ditto.
	,, Jadabchandra	Ditto.
	,, Jnanranjan	Dacca Law College.
	,, Rebatinath	University Law College.
	,, Rohinimohan	Ditto
	,, Sachindramohan	Dacca Law College.
100	,, Sailendranath	University Law College.
	,, Siddheswar	Ditto.

	Name		College
	Das, Chandrabhushan	...	University Law College.
	" Dwarkanath	...	Ditto.
	" Iswar	...	Ditto.
	" Jajneswar	...	Dacca Law College.
	" Jatindramohan	...	University Law College.
	" Jnanendranath	...	Ditto.
	" Kiranchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Kshetranath	...	Ditto.
110	" Rajanikanta	...	Ditto.
	" Sukumar	...	Ditto.
	" Suryyakumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	Dasgupta, Dhirendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	" Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
	" Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Hirendramohan	...	Ditto.
	" Jahnabicharan	...	Ditto.
	" Pramodranjan	...	Ditto.
	Datta, Bhubanmohan	...	Ditto.
120	" Bhupatimohan	...	Ditto.
	" Dwijendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
	" Jnanadaranjan	...	Ditto.
	" Jyotischandra	...	Ditto.
	" Kalibar	...	Ditto.
	" Kalipada	...	Ditto.
	" Kshetramohan	...	Ditto.
	" Manindramohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	" Nabakumar	...	Ditto.
	" Nalinbijay	...	Patna Law College.
130	" Nalinikumar	...	University Law College.
	" Nalinimohan	...	Ditto.
	" Niharchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Nirmalchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	Dattachaudhuri, Jyotischandra	...	Ditto.
	Dattaray, Dhirendranath	...	Dacca Law College.
	De, Jogendrakumar	...	University Law College.
	" Priyanath	...	Ditto.
	" Satyendralal	...	Ditto.
140	Deb, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
	Debchaudhuri, Bhupendra chandra.	...	Dacca Law College.
	Dhar, Surendranath	...	University Law College.
	Fauzder, Gurugobinda	...	Ditto.
	Fazal Ahmed	...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Amulyaratan	...	Ditto.
	" Herambanath	...	Ditto.
	" Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
	Ghatak, Prabhatnath	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Amarendranath	...	Ditto.
150	" Binaykumar	...	Ditto.
	" Binodilal	...	Ditto.
	" Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Harendranath	...	Ditto.
	" Jaminikumar	...	Ditto.
	" Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	" Kisorilal	...	Ditto.
	" Mahendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	" Manindramohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	" Manoranjan	...	University Law College.
160	" Matilal	...	Ditto.
	" Mohinimohan	...	Ditto.
	" Nagendranath	...	Dacca Law College.
	" Narendranath	...	University Law College.
	" Pankajkumar	...	Ditto.
	" Pasupatinath	...	Ditto.
	" Phakirchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Pramathanath	...	Ditto.

	Ghosh, Prasaddas	...	University Law College.
	" Rameschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
170	" Sachindranath	...	University Law College.
	" Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	" Satyaprasanna	...	Ditto.
	" Upendramohan	...	Ripon Law College, Calcutta.
	Ghoshal, Basantakumar	...	University Law College.
	Gobardhan Lall	...	Patna Law College.
	Gon, Mrityunjay	...	Ripon Law College, Calcutta.
	Goswami, Brajabihari	...	Dacca Law College.
	Gouri Shankar Prasada	...	University Law College.
	Guha, Girijasankar	...	Ditto.
180	" Jatischandra	...	Ditto.
	Guharay, Priyakumar	...	Ditto.
	Gupta, Aswanikumar	...	Ditto.
	" Kshirodeswar	...	Dacca Law College.
	" Satyendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	Habibar Rahaman	...	Ditto.
	Harbans Sahay	...	Patna Law College.
	Jadupati Sahai	...	Ditto.
	Jamuna Prasad Sinha	...	University Law College.
	Jha, Raseshwar	...	Ditto.
190	Kamaleswari Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
	Kar, Sailendranath	...	University Law College.
	" Sibaprasad	...	Ditto.
	" Syamalsunder	...	Dacca Law College.
	Khasnabis, Satindrachandra	...	University Law College.
	Kole, Sajanikanta	...	Ditto.
	Lahiri, Paramananda	...	Ditto.
	" Prabodhkumar	...	Ditto.
	Lala Rameshwar Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
	Lalita Prasad	...	Ditto.
200	Mahanti, Binodbihari	...	University Law College.
	Mahapatra, Ganesprasad	...	Ditto.
	Mahbub-ul Huq	...	Ditto.
	Mahomed Habibul Huq	...	Ditto.
	M. A. Mannan	...	Ripon Law College, Calcutta.
	Maiti, Prabhatchandra	...	University Law College.
	Maitra, Anukulchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Jitendramohan	...	Ditto.
	" Jitendranarayan	...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
210	" Birendralal	...	Ditto.
	" Digindranath	...	Ditto.
	" Haralal	...	Ditto.
	" Herendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
	" Hemchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Hridaynath	...	Ripon Law College, Calcutta
	" Panchugopal	...	University Law College.
	" Sudhirlal	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mandal, Abanikanta	...	University Law College.
	" Binodbihari	...	Ditto.
220	" Dwijendranath	...	Ditto.
	Mathura Prasad Singh	...	Patna Law College.
	Md. Ozair	...	Ditto.
	Misra, Rama Shankar	...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Akshaykumar	...	University Law College.
	" Chandicharan	...	Ditto.
	" Gobindaprasad	...	Ditto.
	" Goshthabihari	...	Ditto.
	" Jatindrachandra	...	Ditto.
	" Jyotischandra	...	Ditto.
230	" Jyotischandra	...	Ripon Law College, Calcutta.
	" Prakaschandra	...	University Law College.
	" Satyacharan	...	Ditto.
	" Satyakali	...	Ditto.
	Mohammad Jamil	...	Patna Law College.

No.	Name		College
	Mohammad Rashiduddin	...	Patna Law College.
	,, Wahid	...	Ripon Law College.
	Muhammed Asaduddin Choudhury.		Dacca Law College.
	,, Daud	...	University Law College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Atulchandra	...	Ditto.
240	,, Baidyanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Bibhutibhushan, I.		Ditto.
	,, Bibhutibhushan, II.		Ditto.
	,, Bijaykrishna	...	Ditto.
	,, Biswanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Harischandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Jogendrakumar		Ditto.
	,, Jugaldas	...	Ditto.
	,, Manomohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
250	,, Pulinbihari	...	Ditto.
	,, Pulinchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Rampada	...	Ditto.
	,, Raneschandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Satyanarayan	...	Ditto.
	Mukutdhary Prasad Varma	...	Ditto.
	Munsi, Narendranath	...	Non-Collegiate student Roll Cal. No. 7.
	Nag, Dhaneschandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Rasikchandra	...	Ditto.
260	Nandi, Jogendramohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	Nandkisore Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
	Nawal Kishore Prasad, I	...	University Law College.
	Nawal Kishore Prasad, II	...	Ditto.
	Nayak, Ramhari	...	Ditto.
	Niyogi, Bijaykumar ...	...	Ditto.
	,, Kuladacharan	...	Ditto.
	,, Satindrakumar	...	Ditto.
	Pait, Bhubanmohan ...	...	Ditto.
	Pal, Bidhubhushan ...	...	Ditto.
270	,, Bijaykrishna ...	...	Ditto.
	,, Dhirendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Jyotischandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
	Palit, Indramohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Rajanikanta	...	Ditto.
	Pattanayak, Madanmohan	...	Ditto.
	Prachanda, Akhilnarayan	...	Ditto.
	Raghunandan Pande	...	Patna Law College.
	Rakshit, Santoshkumar	...	University Law College.
280	Rana, Radhamohan	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Amulyaratan	...	Ditto.
	,, Bhupeschandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Harendralal	...	Ditto.
	,, Haribansa	...	Ditto.
	,, Hiralal	...	Ditto.
	,, Jnanchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Jogendrachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Nibaranchandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Radhagobinda	...	Ditto.
290	,, Satischandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Srikumar	...	University Law College.
	,, Sripaticharan	...	Ripon Law College, Calcutta.
	Raychaudhuri, Debendramohan		University Law College.
	,, Jitendranath, II		Ditto.
	,, Jogeschandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Pasupati	...	Ditto.
	,, Saratchandra	...	Ditto.

No.	Name		College
	Raychaudhuri, Subodhchandra	...	University Law College.
	" Surendranath	...	Ditto.
300	Saha, Bhubanmohan	...	Ditto.
	" Binodbihari	...	Ditto.
	" Jogendranath	...	Ditto.
	" Jogeschandra	...	Ditto.
	" Satischandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	Sahay, Jagdam	...	Patna Law College.
	" Satyadeva	...	University Law College.
	" Uma Shankar	...	Patna Law College.
	Samadar, Chintaharan	...	University Law College.
	Samajdar, Ramakanta	...	Ditto.
310	Sanyal, Anilchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Jaminiranjan	...	Ditto.
	" Jatindrabhushan	...	Ditto.
	" Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.
	" Phanindrabandhu	...	Ditto.
	Saraswati, Krishnakumad	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Arunkumar	...	Ditto.
	" Dhupendranath	...	Ditto.
	" Indramohan	...	Ditto.
	" Prafullachandra	...	Ditto.
320	Sen, Bhabeschandra	...	Ditto.
	" Bipinbihari	...	Ditto.
	" Birendralal	...	Ditto.
	" Birendranath	...	Ditto.
	" Kesablal	...	Ditto.
	" Pankajkumar	...	Ditto.
	" Saratkumar	...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Apurbakumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	" Bhabeschandra	...	University Law College.
	" Dineschandra	...	Ditto.
330	" Jnanranjan	...	Ditto.
	" Jnansankar	...	Ditto.
	" Nripendrachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	" Phanibhushan	...	University Law College.
	" Satyendranath	...	Ditto.
	" Sureschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	Set, Atulkrishna ...	...	University Law College.
	Sinha, Bhupendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	" Gopendranath	...	Ditto.
	" Hira Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
340	" Premananda ...	...	Ripon Law College.
	" Sibaprasanna	...	University Law College.
	Som, Umeschandra	...	Ditto.
	Syed Abdul Ghani ...	...	Ditto.
	Syed Izhar Husain ...	...	Ditto.
	Syed Zaheer Hassan	...	Patna Law College.
	S. Yehia Ali Khan	...	Ditto.
	Tamizuddin Ahamed	...	University Law College.
	Thakur, Gokul Krishna	...	Ditto.
	" Vidyananda	...	Ditto.
350	Uma Prasad	...	Patna Law College.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 27th March 1917.

P. BRÜHL,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Final B. L. Examination held in January, 1917.

FIRST DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

Serial number.	In order of merit.	Name	College
1	1	Bandyopadhyay, Harendranath	University Law College.
2	2	Majumdar, Surendrachandra ...	Ditto.
3	3	Datta, Rabindramohan ...	Ditto.
4	4	Mukhopadhyay, Bhujangabhushan.	Non-Collegiate Student, Cal. N. 4.
5	5	Narbadeswar Prasad Srivastava	University Law College.
6	6	Ghosh, Nareschandra ...	Ditto.
7		Tabarak Aly ...	Ditto.
8	7	Das, Nripendrachandra ...	Ripon Law College.
9	8	Mukhopadhyay, Mahananda ...	University Law College.
10	9	Basanta Lal ...	Ditto.
11	10	Sil, Narendranath ...	Ditto.
12	11	Chakrabarti, Jyotishchandra ...	Ditto.
13		Chaudhuri, Nirmalchandra ...	Ditto.
14		Mukhopadhyay, Makhanlal ...	Dacca Law College.
15	12	" Binodlal ...	University Law College.
16	13	Mandal, Binaykumar ...	Ditto.
17	14	Rai Brij Raj Krishna ...	Patna Law College.
18		Das, Dhirendrachandra ...	University Law College.
19	15	Sur, Harendrakumar ...	Ditto.
20	16	Mukhopadhyay, Satischandra ...	Ditto.
21	17	Sinha, Sasibhushan ...	Ditto.
22	18	Kumar, Pasupati ...	Ditto.
23	19	Bhaduri, Nareschandra ...	Ditto.
24		Chakrabarti, Nagendranath ...	Ripon Law College.

SECOND DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

Serial number.	In order of merit.	Name	College
1	1	Lahiri, Satyendramohan ...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	2	Ray, Sachindrakumar ...	University Law College.
	3	De, Pramathanath ...	Ditto.
	4	Sen, Lakshminarayan ...	Ditto.
	5	Bhattacharyya, Haridas ...	Ditto.
		Jadubans Sahay ...	Ditto.
		Ray, Satischandra ...	Ripon Law College.
	6	Lakshminarayan Varma ...	Patna Law College.
	7	Basu, Girindranath ...	University Law College.
10		" Narendrakumar ...	Ditto.
	8	Datta, Nalinaksha ...	Ditto.
	9	Mitra, Surendrakumar ..	Dacca Law College.
	10	Ray, Nagendramohan ...	University Law College.
	11	Basu, Sikharkumar ...	Ditto.
	12	Abual Majid Ziaosh Shams ...	Ditto.
		Sen, Anathgopal ...	Ditto.
	13	Chakrabarti, Ranajitkumar ...	Ditto.
		Ghosh, Bhupendranath ...	Ditto.
		Lala Saratkumar ...	Ditto.
20	14	Das, Jatindranath ...	Ditto.
		" Rajanikanta ...	Ditto.

Serial number.	In order of merit.	Name	
	15	Mukhopadhyay, Digindranath ...	University Law College.
		Pal, Sunitikumar ...	Non-Collegiate Student, Cal. N. 6.
		Ray, Sailajaranjan ...	University Law College.
	16	Guha, Bhupendranath ...	Ditto.
		Shaikh Mansoor ...	Ditto.
	17	Chakrabarti, Upendrachandra ...	Ditto.
	18	Chattopadhyay, Hemendranath, II.	Ditto.
		Dasgupta, Amalacharan ...	Ditto.
30		Ghosh, Susilchandra ...	Ditto.
		Majumdar, Nagendranath ...	Non-Collegiate Student, Cal. N. 2.
		Mukhopadhyay, Surendralal ...	University Law College.
	19	Chaudhuri, Narayanchandra ...	Ditto.
		Sengupta, Rameschandra, I ...	Ditto.
		„ Sailendranath ...	Ditto.
	20	Ghosh, Sachindranath ...	Ditto.
		Maitra, Umaprasanna ...	Ditto.
		Mitra, Brajendranath ...	Ditto.
	21	Das, Sukumar ...	Ditto.
40		Ghulam Murtuza ...	Ditto.
		Ray, Kalikumar ...	Ditto.
		Saha, Srinath ...	Dacca Law College.
	22	Deb, Jatindramohan ...	University Law College.
		Ekram Hossen ...	Ditto.
		Ray, Mahendranath ...	Ditto.
	23	Dasgupta, Dhirendranath ...	Ditto.
		Datta, Mahimchandra ...	Ditto.
		Raychaudhuri, Rajendranath ...	Ditto.
	24	Gangopadhyay, Jitendralal ...	Ditto.
50	25	Bandyopadhyay, Satyendranath	Patna Law College.
		Gangopadhyay, Satischandra ...	University Law College.
		Saha, Gayanath ...	Ripon Law College.
	26	Chakrabarti, Pasupatinath ...	University Law College.
		Ray, Matindranath ...	Ditto.
		Sen, Bijaykesab ...	Ditto.
		Sikdar, Pramathanath ...	Ditto.
	27	Goswami, Mahendranath ...	Ditto.
		Mukhopadhyay, Binodbihari ...	Ditto.
		Ray, Sasibhushan ...	Ditto.
60	28	Basu, Hemantakumar ...	Ditto.
		„ Kumudbihari ...	Ditto.
		Bhattacharyya, Aswinikumar ...	Ditto.
	29	Abdul Jalil	Patna Law College.
		Mukhopadhyay, Satyendranath...	University Law College.
	30	Basu, Nirmalchandra ...	Ditto.
		Deb, Jaminikumar ...	Ditto.
	31	Bandyopadhyay, Dwijendranath	Ditto.
		Barari, Naliniranjan ...	Ditto.
		De, Chandrakumar ...	Ditto.
70	32	Dasgupta, Bhupeschandra ...	Dacca Law College.
		Sau, Upendranath ...	University Law College.
	33	Senchaudhuri, Nalinimohan ...	Ditto.
	34	Nandi, Jatindranath ...	Ditto.
		Sarkar, Satkari	Ditto.
	35	Chakrabarti, Hemchandra ...	Ditto.
		Mahapatra, Isanchandra ...	Ditto.
		Raychaudhuri, Abinaschandra ...	Dacca Law College.
		Sarkar, Umeschandra ...	University Law College.
		Sen, Birendralal	Ditto.
80		Syam Narayan	Patna Law College
	36	Datta, Bharatprasanna ...	University Law College.
		Ray, Asutosh, I	Ditto.
		Sen, Praphullakumar ...	Ditto.

Serial number.	In order of merit.	Name		College
	37	Bhagwat Prasad	...	University Law College.
		Chattopadhyay, Satyahari	...	Ditto.
		Ghosh, Abhilaschandra	...	Ditto.
		Sen, Paramesgopal	...	Ditto.
	38	Basu, Prabhatchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
		Sanyal, Aswinikumar	...	University Law College.
90		Sen, Dhirendramohan	...	Ditto.
		Sengupta, Sureschandra	...	Ditto.
	39	Ghosh, Nilkanta	...	Ripon Law College.
	40	Raychaudhuri, Nalinikumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	41	Mukhopadhyay, Rajeschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
		Sen, Sibeschandra	...	University Law College.
		Uday Narayan	...	Ditto.
	42	Chakrabarti, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
		Chattopadhyay, Hemendranath, I		Ditto.
	43	Mukhopadhyay, Khagendranath		Ditto.
100	44	Bhattacharyya, Jnanendra-narayan.		Ditto.
		Chattopadhyay, Praphullakumar		Dacca Law College.
	45	Basu, Birendraprasad	...	University Law College.
		Chakrabarti, Praphullachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
		Guha, Umeschandra	...	University Law College.
	46	Dasgupta, Birendrachandra	...	Ditto.
		Ghosh, Aswinikumar	...	Ditto.
		Haldar, Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
		Shyama Nanda	...	Patna Law College.
	47	Abdul Ghani	...	University Law College.
110		Basu, Satindramohan	...	Ditto.
		Chattopadhyay, Rabindrachandra		Ditto.
		Das, Satyagopal	...	Ditto.
	48	Chakrabarti, Praphullachandra	...	Ditto.
		Chattopadhyay, Rajendranath	...	Ditto.
		Ghatak, Manmathanath	...	Dacca Law College.
		Sihi, Upendranath	...	University Law College.
	49	Chaudhuri, Jatindranath	...	Ripon Law College.
		Nath, Bharatchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
		Ray, Hariprasad	...	Ripon Law College.
120		,, Subhransusekhar	...	University Law College.
		Saha, Brajendramohan	...	Ditto.
		Shah Abdur Rauf	...	Ditto.
		Syed Mohamad	...	Patna Law College.
	50	Bandyopadhyay, Abantinath	...	Ditto.
		Basu, Dwijendranath	...	University Law College.
		Bhaumik, Biswabijay	...	Ditto.
		Deb, Indubhushan	...	Ditto.
		Kundu, Kumudnath	...	Ditto.
		Majumdar, Harendramohan	...	Ditto.
130	51	Baral, Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
		Chakrabarti, Phanindranath	...	Ditto.
		De, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
		Mitra, Satyakali	...	Ditto.
		Radha Radhes Narayan Sinha	...	Ditto.
	52	Mukhopadhyay, Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
		Ray, Krishnachandra	...	Ditto.
		Ray, Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	53	Chattopadhyay, Giridhan	...	University Law College.
		Datta, Gaurnarayan	...	Ditto.
140		Ghosh, Birendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
		Palit, Susilchandra	...	Patna Law College.
	54	Gangopadhyay, Sukumar	...	University Law College.
		Sen, Nibaranchandra	...	Ditto.
	55	Das, Surendramohan	...	Dacca Law College.
		Purnendra Narain Singh	...	University Law College.
		Ray, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.

Serial number.	In order of merit.	Name	College
	56	Harshanker Das ...	... Patna Law College.
		Karak, Ramkrishna	... University Law College.
		Majumdar, Baikunthachandra	... Dacca Law College.
150		Sarma, Radhanath	... University Law College.
	57	Bandyopadhyay, Manomohan	... Ditto.
		Ghoshdastidar, Upendranath	... Ditto.
	58	Abdul Siddique	... Dacca Law College.
		Bandyopadhyay, Satyendranath	Ripon Law College.
		Chattopadhyay, Dhirendranath	University Law College.
		Dasgupta, Nagendrachandra	... Ditto.
		Ghosh, Asutosh	... Ditto.
		„ Dwijendrakumar	... Ditto.
		Sen, Bholanath	... Ditto.
160	59	Basu, Nikhilchandra	... Ditto.
		„ Sachindranath	... Ditto.
		Bhattacharyya, Sureschandra	... Ditto.
	60	Bhattacharyya, Jatindranath	... Dacca Law College.
		Biswas, Bibhutibhushan	... University Law College.
		Chakrabarti, Jnanendramohan	... Ditto.
		Gangopadhyay, Mohanlal	... Ditto.
		Ghosh, Sureschandra, III	... Ditto.
		Lahiri, Paramananda	... Ditto.
	61	Bhaumik, Annadagobinda	... Ditto.
170		Chanda, Sachindrachandra	... Ditto.
		Harikrishna Prasad	.. Patna Law College.
		Saha, Nabadwipchandra	... University Law College.
	62	Majumdar, Sudhirlal	... Ripon Law College.
		Bhattacharyya, Jogeswar	... University Law College.
		Chattopadhyay, Narayanchandra	Ditto.
		Govind Rung Rao Gangakhedkar	Ditto.
		Bandyopadhyay, Nepalchandra..	Ditto.
	63	Majumdar, Hemchandra	... Ditto.
		Sarkar, Haricharan	... Ditto.
180	64	Bandyopadhyay, Haripada, II	... Ditto.
		Dhar, Jnanendrakisor	... Ditto.
		Ghosh, Surendrakumar	... Ditto.
		Maitra, Kamadaprasad	... Dacca Law College.
		Sanyal, Jatindrabhushan	... University Law College.
	65	Aftabuddin Ahmed	... Ditto.
		Bandyopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan	Ditto.
		„ Manindranath	Ditto.
		„ Narendrakumar.	Ditto.
		„ Prankumar	... Ditto.
190		Basu, Achalendrasekhar	... Ditto.
		„ Nisikanta	... Ripon Law College.
		Chakrabarti, Surendranath	... Dacca Law College.
		Chattopadhayay, Bhupendranath	University Law College.
		„ Praphullachandra.	Ditto.
		Chaudhuri, Munindranarayan	... Ditto.
		Das, Basantakumar	... Ripon Law College.
		Ghosh, Gopalchandra	... University Law College.
		„ Jyotischandra	... Ditto.
		Ghoshal, Bhupendranath	... Ditto.
200		Mitra, Jatindranath	... Ditto.
		„ Radhaballabh	... Ditto.
		Muhammad Ilyas	... Ditto.
		Munsi, Narendranath	... Ditto.
		Raychaudhuri, Praphullanath	... Ditto.
		Saha, Pranballabh	... Dacca Law College.
		Sen, Ranjanlal	... University Law College.
207		Syed A. K. Md. Kalim	... Patna Law College.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 27th March 1917.

P. BRÜHL,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 24th March 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 22nd March 1917.

	Total amount of notes in circulation.			Reserve.										Remarks.
				Coin and Bullion.							Securities (Purchase price).		Total.	
				In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.					
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	Total.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R (a)	R (b) (c)	R	
Calcutta	82,60,760	29,79,21,285	30,61,82,045	5,12 65,828	91,76,565	90 88,122	7,42,50,000	13,36,772	...	...	9,99,99,946	37,32,20,035	61,88,37,268	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500.
Cawnpore	...	1,83,81 165	1,83,81,165	1,88,41,574	1,17,11,672	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,05,53 446	(b) Nominal value—R38,77,41,571.
Lahore	...	6,34,62,535	6,84,62,535	1,39 23,395	1,88,64,275	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,27,87,670	(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act IX of 1916, at a cost of R28,82,20,035.
Bombay	27,33,815	26,02,58,015	26,29 91,830	4,02,09 948	5,20 35,380	1,66,27,069	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,88,72,347	
Karachi	...	3,28 87,590	3 28 87,590	59,32,748	36,81,030	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	96,13,778	
Madras	12,00,910	9,55,94 335	9,67,95,245	1,66,83,012	1,17,71,273	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,84 54 285	
Rangoon	...	7,35,70 440	7 35,70,440	1,39,62,501	98,76,330	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,38,38,831	
	1,21,95,485	84,20 75 365	85,42,70,850	16,08,19,006	11,71,16 675	2,57,15,191	7,42,50,000	13,36,772	...	...	9,99,99,946	37,32,20,035	85,24 57,625	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			24,63,725	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									6,50,500	
Total Circulation R			85,18 07,125								Total Reserve R		85,18,07,125	

Gold worth £74,668 (Rs. 11,20,020) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 22nd March 1917.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 22nd March 1917 to 42 lakhs in sovereigns.

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 27th March 1917.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund Rs. 2,13,00,000 A. 0 P. 0; Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* . 68,00,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	68,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 3,46,71,634 A. 6 P. 11; Public Deposits at Branches 1,44,31,262 0 11	4,91,02,896	7	10
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	22,22,78,952	8	7
Bank Post Bills, etc. . . .	18,72,902	7	4
Sundries	20,22,123	15	8
RUPEES .	31,65,76,875	7	5

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities . .	6,61,98,602	12	0
Other authorized Investments .	1,21,11,815	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .	6,08,16,985	11	2
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	4,15,46,309	14	10
Bills discounted and purchased	2,37,54,431	10	11
Balances with other Banks .	21,35,161	13	4
Bullion	......		
Dead Stock	29,69,488	6	5
Stamps	12,523	0	9
Sundries	7,15,240	12	7
	21,02,60,559	2	0
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 6,00,89,219 A. 2 P. 9; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† 4,62,27,097 2 8	10,63,16,316	5	5
RUPEES .	31,65,76,875	7	5

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,052 8 0

† Do. do. do. ,, 11,18,962 8 0

Rs. 14,70,015 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL; Calcutta, 29th March 1917.

H. MITCHELL, Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.

Percentage 38·62

HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL SIDE.

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd March 1917.

Mr. James Herbert Hechle, Registrar, Taxing Officer, Accountant-General, Sealer and Keeper of Records and Muniments of the High Court, Original Jurisdiction, Calcutta, having obtained privilege leave for one month from the 5th instant under Articles 272 and 274 of the Civil Service Regulations with permission to affix the Easter and Chait Sankranti holidays from 5th to 13th April 1917, the Hon'ble the Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor General in Council, appointed Mr. Maurice Remfry, Registrar in Insolvency, to act for Mr. Hechle during his absence on leave or until further order and Mr. Nirmal Chunder Sen, Barrister-at-Law, to act for Mr. Maurice Remfry.

By order,

MAURICE REMFRY,

Offg. Registrar.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

Examination qualifying for admission to the fourth grade of the Accounts Branch of the Public Works Department.

The examination will be conducted by the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, on June 4th and 5th, 1917, at the following centres :—

Centres.	Registering officer.
(1) The Civil Engineering College, Sibpur. (There is no other centre at Calcutta).	For candidates registered by— The Accountant-General, Bengal. The Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs. The Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal State Railway. The Government Examiner of Accounts, East Indian Railway. The Government Examiner of Accounts, Bengal Nagpur Railway. For candidates outside Government service over 25 years of age registered by the Principal, Civil, Engineering College, Sibpur.
(2) Office of the Accountant-General, Bihar and Orissa, Ranchi.	For candidates registered by the Accountant-General Bihar and Orissa.
(3) The Office of the Comptroller, Assam, Shillong.	For candidates registered by him.
(4) The Office of the Accountant-General, Burma, Rangoon.	Ditto ditto.
(5) The Office of the Government Examiner of Railway Accounts, Chittagong.	Ditto ditto
(6) The Office of the Accountant-General, Railways, Simla.	Ditto ditto.

Candidates must apply for registration to one of the Government officials on the above list. Those over 25 years of age not in Government service must apply for registration to the Principal only.

Applications *on the prescribed form* must reach the office of the registering officer not later than May 4th, 1917. Each must be accompanied by a fee of Rs. 10, and the following certificates in original, or true copies of them certified by an officer of the Engineer or Accounts Branch These certificates will not be returned:—

(*i*) Certificate of good character signed by applicant's immediate official superior, or by the instructor under whom he has been educated, or by some other superior under whom he may have been brought up or employed, or to whom he may be well known. (This certificate must have special reference to the two years immediately preceding the application.)

(*ii*) Certificate of age, baptismal or of birth (not required, if the candidate is already in permanent Government employ).

(*iii*) Certificate that the application is in the candidate's own handwriting.

Copies of rules may be had on application from the undersigned

B. HEATON,

Principal.

CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR,

The March 1917.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CORRIGENDUM.

Abu, the 23rd March 1917.

No. 577-589.—The drug specified below should be omitted from Schedule II published in this office Notification No. 93-589, dated the 13th January 1916, at page 121 of the "Gazette of India," Part II, dated the 22nd January 1916 :—

64. Morphinae Meconas and its preparations (liquor, etc.)

No. 581-687.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 38 of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886), as amended by the Income-tax Amendment Act, 1916 (V of 1916), such powers having been delegated by the Government of India in their Notification in the Finance Department, No. 723-F., dated the 16th May 1916, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following rules prescribing the procedure to be followed on applications for refund of the tax chargeable under the said Act, namely :—

INCOME-TAX REFUND RULES.

I.—*Promissory notes, debentures, stock or other securities of the Government of India.*

1. In the case of a promissory note, debenture, stock or other security of the Government of India the owner of the security claiming a refund shall present to the Collector—

(*a*) an application in the form A, declaring truly therein his income from all sources including agriculture in the income-tax year last preceding that in which the interest is to be drawn, with the declaration below the form duly signed before the Collector or attested by a Justice of the Peace or a Magistrate, and

(*b*) a statement in the form B showing the details of the securities of the Government of India held by him.

2. On receipt of the application and the statement the Collector may, after making such enquiries as he may deem necessary as to the total income of the applicant, issue a certificate of refund in the form C, if he is satisfied that the applicant is liable to tax at less than one anna in the rupee.

3. If the applicant hands over the certificate of refund to the person empowered to pay the interest on the security of the Government of India, that person shall deduct from the interest due on such security only such sum as is the difference between the amount of tax chargeable at one anna in the rupee and the refund payable in accordance with the certificate of refund, and shall pay to the applicant the balance.

4. (1) If no certificate of refund is presented at the time the interest on the security of the Government of India is claimed, income-tax at one anna in the rupee shall be deducted from the interest due and the balance paid.

(2) If a claim for refund is made within one year from the end of the year to which the claim relates, the person empowered to pay the interest shall, on production of the certificate of refund, pay or authorise payment in cash of such refund as may be due.

II.—*Debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company.*

5. In the case of a debenture or other security for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company, the owner of the security claiming a refund shall present to the Collector an application in the form A and a statement in the form B, and the Collector may issue a certificate of refund in the form C, in accordance, so far as may be, with rules 1 and 2.

6. (1) If a local authority or company is empowered in this behalf by the Collector and the applicant hands over the certificate of refund to the principal officer of such local authority or company, the principal officer shall deduct from the interest due on such security only such sum as is the difference between the amount of tax chargeable at one anna in the rupee and the refund payable in accordance with the certificate of refund and shall pay to the applicant the balance.

(2) In sending to the Collector the said sum of Income-tax due from the applicant the principal officer shall forward the certificate of refund and the statement referred to in rule 12 of the rules published by the Government of India in their notification in the Department of Finance and Commerce, No. 2763, dated the 6th June 1890, and in addition to the particulars mentioned in such statement, the amount of refund allowed in each case shall be stated.

7. If refund has not been allowed in accordance with sub-rule (1) of rule 6 and if a claim for refund is made within one year from the end of the year to which the claim relates, and a certificate in the form D signed by the principal officer of the local authority or company is produced, the Collector shall on production of the certificate of refund pay or authorize payment in cash of such refund as may be due.

III.—*Dividends paid out of the profits of companies taxable under Part II.*

8. A person claiming a refund on a dividend payable or paid to him out of the profits of a company shall present to the Collector an application in the form A and shall forward the counterpart of the dividend warrant or other proof showing the number of shares he holds in the company and the total amount of dividend payable or paid to him. The Collector may, after making such inquiries as to the total income of the applicant, issue a certificate of refund in the form E, if he is satisfied that the applicant is liable to tax at less than one anna in the rupee.

9. (1) If a company is empowered in this behalf by the Collector and the applicant at the time of claiming the dividend hands over the certificate of refund to the principal officer of such company, the principal officer may pay a refund to the applicant of income-tax to the amount stated in the certificate and shall thereupon endorse on the certificate the amount of the refund so paid.

(2) At the time of payment of the tax on its profits the company shall be entitled to a deduction on account of refunds so paid provided that all such certificates with the endorsements thereon are handed over to the Collector.

10. If refund has not been paid by the company in accordance with sub-rule (1) of rule 9, and, provided that the company has paid the tax due on its profits, if a claim for refund is made within one year from the end of the year to which the claim relates, the Collector shall, on receipt of an application in the form A and of the counterpart of the dividend warrant or other proof of the income which the applicant derives from the company, pay or authorise payment in cash of such refund as may be due.

11. (1) No refund shall be admissible on dividends not paid out of the taxable profits of a company.

(2) Refunds can be remitted by post at the cost of the applicants.

IV.—*General rules applicable to all refunds.*

12. (1) A refund shall not be paid except at the place where the tax in respect of which the refund is claimed has been received.

(2) If the person claiming the refund is not a resident of the place where the tax has been received he may send a declaration in the form A accompanied with a statement in the form B to the Collector of the place where he resides or carries on his business and apply for a certificate in the form F for submission to the officer empowered to grant the refund, and on receipt of such certificate the officer shall proceed as laid down in the above rules.

13. When a declaration of income in the form A has been received, the Collector may issue certificates in forms C, E or F at any time during the financial year in which such declaration has been received without insisting on fresh declarations of income.

14. The Collector of Income-tax shall keep on record applications in the form A and statements in the form B received by him and copies of certificates of refund in the forms C and F issued by him for a period of five years from the end of the financial year in which such applications have been received.

FORM A.

(See rules 1 (*a*), 5, 8, 10 and 12.)

Application by shareholders of companies and owners of securities for refund of tax payable or paid under Parts II and III respectively of the Second Schedule to the Indian Income-tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886).

I, do hereby state that my income from all sources during the year ending 31st March, 19 , as shown below, amounted to Rs.

2. I accordingly hereby claim a refund of Rs. at $\frac{\text{one anna}}{\text{pies.}}$ in the rupee on income of Rs. under Part II and a refund of Rs. on income of Rs. under Part III.

3. The counterpart of dividend warrants and certificates for payment of Income-tax under Part III are herewith attached.

Source.	Amount of Income.	REMARKS.
PART I.		
Salary, annuity, pension or gratuity received during the year ending 31st March 19		
(NOTE.—Payments received outside British India on account of services rendered in British India to be declared under part IV-G below.)		
PART II.		
Dividends from companies during the year ending 31st March 19		
PART III.		
Interest on securities during the year ending 31st March 19		
[NOTE.—Securities include— (a) Promissory notes, debenture, stock or other securities of the Government of India, and (b) Debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company.]		
PART IV.		
Income received under the following heads during the year ending 31st March 19 :—		
A. Trade or Profession . . . . Rs.		
B. Profits accrued in partnership with others . . . . ,,		
C. Interest on mortgages, fixed deposits, current accounts, sums lent to traders* and loans to others, club debentures, etc. . ,,		
D. House property and land (including agricultural) . . . ,,		
E. Director's fees, survey fees, University and other Examination fees, etc.		
F. Income received from outside British India including pensions, dividends and income from agricultural land not paying land revenue to the British Government . . . . . . ,,		
G. All other income not specified, e.g., rewards, honoraria, lottery prizes, etc. . . . . ,,		
Total Part IV . . . . ,,		
GRAND TOTAL		

I hereby declare that my income from all sources as stated above includes my share in the joint family income and is the only income that actually accrued to me, and that I had no other income from any other source accruing, arising or received in British India during the year in question.

Address in full—

Post office at which payment is desired.

(Signed)

(Designation)

Before me :

Collector of Income Tax
Justice of the Peace
Magistrate

Dated 191 .

*House property Income.—Proprietors of houses residing on their own premises are exempted from tax on 1-6th of the rental value of such portion self-occupied. 5-6th of the rental valuation should be declared as income.

Penalty.—By section 177, Indian Penal Code (Act XLV of 1860), it is provided that whoever, being legally bound to furnish information on any subject to any public servant, as such, furnishes, as true, information on the subject which he knows or has reason to believe to be false, shall be punished with simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

FORM B.

(*See* rules 1 (*b*), 5 and 12.)

For the year ending 31st March 19 .

I hereby state that the following are the details of the securities* held by me.

Description of Securities.	Number.	Date.	Amount.

Dated this the day of 19 .

(Signed)......................................

*NOTE.—Securities include :—

(*a*) promissory notes, debentures, stock or other securities of the Government of India, and

(*b*) debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company.

FORM C.

(*See* rules 2, 5 and 13.)

CERTIFICATE OF REFUND UNDER PART III.

For the year ending 31st March 19 .

I, , Collector of Income-tax,............. do hereby certify that the income of......................the owner of the securities specified below is liable to taxation at 12 pies in the rupee in respect of such securities † but his income from all sources including the interest on such securities being more than Rs. , and less than Rs. , he is entitled to a refund calculated at the rate of pies in the rupee. The net amount of income-tax to be deducted on the interest is to be at the rate of pies in the rupee.

Description of Security.	Number.	Date.	Amount.

Dated this the day of 19 .

Collector of Income-tax.

†NOTE.—Securities include :—

(*a*) promissory notes, debentures, stock or other securities of the Government of India, and

(*b*) debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company.

FORM D.

(*See* rule 7.)

CERTIFICATE BY THE PRINCIPAL OFFICER OF A LOCAL AUTHORITY OR COMPANY.

Certified that income-tax of Rs. was deducted on the day of 19 , from the interest of Rs. paid for the period from to on securities held by

Dated

Principal Officer of

*

FORM E.

(*See* rules 8 and 13.)

CERTIFICATE OF REFUND UNDER PART II.

For the year ending 31st March 19 .

I, , Collector of Income-tax, do hereby certify that the owner of shares of the face-value of Rs. each is entitled to have a refund of income-tax to the amount of Rs. at pies in the rupee on the dividend of Rs. payable to him on the above shares.

This certificate is valid up to 31st March 19 only.

Dated

Collector of Income-tax.

Certified that the above refund of Rs. was paid to the above party on the day of 19 .

Principal Officer of

† Co.

FORM F.

(*See* rules 12 and 13.)

I, , Collector of Income-tax, do hereby certify that the income from all sources of amounts to Rs. for the year ending 31st March 19 .

Dated

Collector of Income-tax.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara.

* Here state the name and address of the local authority or company.
† Here state the name and address of the company.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 22nd March 1917.

No. 2251-*Home*.—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi during the half month ending 15th March 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
			Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.		
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.
P. S. Alipur	27	30	...	...	...	16	...	11	...	...	3	...	6	4	10
Nangloi	27	29	...	...	...	12	...	17	...	...	...	...	7	7	14
Najafgarh	13	24	..	...	...	14	...	9	...	...	1	...	3	3	6
Subzimundi	2	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Paharganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...		...	...	...
Mehrauli	15	29	...	...	...	12	...	17	...	...	...	...	5	5	10
Raisina	...	17	...	...	...	16	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	4	6
Shahdara	9	11	...	...	...	7	...	4	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
New Cantonment	9	7	...	...	...	4	..	3	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
Total of the District	102	148	...	..	...	82	...	62	...	...	4	...	25	26	51

No. 2253-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending 17th March 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi	225,471	99	80	179	88	84	172	..	...	...	52	3	95	...	22	...	38	28	66	41·28	39·67
	Notified Area	3,673	3	3	6	2	2	4	..	..	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	2	84·94	56·62
	Total	229,144	102	83	185	90	86	176	...	..	...	55	3	95	...	23	...	38	30	68	41·96	39·63

Delhi, the 23rd March 1917.

No. 2285-*Education*.—Whereas the Municipal Committee of Delhi has applied to the Local Government under the provisions of Section 58 of Act 3 of 1911 (Punjab Municipal Act), and whereas it appears to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi Province, that the land entered in Schedule I annexed is required by Government for a public purpose, namely, for the construction of Patries and Chabutras on both sides of the Sadar Bazar it is hereby declared that the undermentioned land is required for the said purpose.

The declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act I of 1894 and under Section 7 of the said Act, the Collector of Delhi is hereby ordered to take steps for the acquisition of the ownership of the said land.

SCHEDULE I.

District.	Tehsil.	Mauza.	Area.	Boundaries.		Place where the plan may be inspected.
Delhi .	Delhi .	Delhi .	142·75	North .	As per Schedule attached.	Deputy Commissioner's Office.
				South .		
				East .		
				West .		

SCHEDULE II.

No.	Name of the owners.	North.	West.	East.	South.	Sq. feet.	Sq. yard.	REMARKS.
1	Faiyaz-ud-Din .	Godown Mohd. Ibrahim.	Shop Faiyaz-ud-Din.	Shop Faiyaz-ud-Din.	Sadar Bazar Road.	324·00	36·00	
2	Mohammad Ibrahim.	Do. .	Do. .	Shop Hisam-ud-Din.	Do. .	75 00	8·33	
3	Hisam-ud-Din and Mahbub Baksh.	Godown Hisam-ud-Din.	Shop Hisam-ud-Din.	Do. .	Do .	256 50	28·50	
4	Mohammad Ishaq.	Sadar Bazar Road.	Shop Mohd. Ishaq.	Katra Mohd. Ishaq.	Katra Mohd. Ishaq.	232·50	25·83	
5	Muhammad Ibrahim.	Do. .	Do. .	Shop Mohd. Faruq.	Do. .	100·50	11·16	
6	Muhammad Faruq.	Do. .	Shop Muhd. Faruq.	Shop Abdul Hasan.	Do. .	94·50	10·50	
7	Abdul Hasan .	Do. .	Do. .	Shop Mohd. Shafi.	Shop Abdul Salam.	50 00	5·55	
8	Muhammad Shafi.	Do. .	Shop Abdul Hasan.	Shop Abdul Salam.	Do. .	50·00	5·55	
9	Hafiz Abdul Salam.	Do. .	Shop Mohd. Shafi.	Kat Bazar .	Do. .	102·00	11·33	
						TOTAL .	142·75	

Delhi, the 27th March 1917.

No. 2381-*R. & A.*—Consequent upon the creation of the estates by virtue of Notification Nos. 802 and 804-R. & A., dated the 12th January 1917, and in exercise of the powers conferred on him in that behalf, by Section 32 of the Punjab Land Revenue Act, 1887 (XVII of

1887), the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is hereby pleased to direct that a special revision of the record of rights be made of the mauzas entered in the annexed schedule.

SCHEDULE.

1. Mauza Delhi.
2. The New Capital.
3. Mauza Khampur.
4. Mauza Sadhaura Khurd.

No. 2382-*R. & A.*—With reference to Chief Commissioner's Notifications No. 303 and 305 R. & A., dated the 12th January 1917, and No. 2381, dated 27th March 1917, and in exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 27(3) of the Punjab Land Revenue Act, 1887 (XVII of 1887), in that behalf the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is hereby pleased to confer upon Chaudhri Nabi Ahmad, Revenue Assistant, Delhi District, the powers of a Collector as defined in Clause (3), Section 27 of the said Act.

No. 2383-*R. & A.*—In accordance with the provisions of Section 107(1) of the Punjab Land Revenue Act, 1887 (XVII of 1887), it is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been appointed as surveyors, by the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, for the purpose of surveying the estates constituted by virtue of his Notifications No. 302 and 304-R. & A., dated the 12th January 1917:—

1. M. Abdul Ghafoor.
3. S. Mohammad Karim.

The 28th March 1917.

No. 2429-*Home.*—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 24th March 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi . .	225,471	74	100	174	94	79	173	...	...	...	65	3	92	...	13	..	41	29	70	40·13	39·90
	Notified Area	3,673	2	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	28·31	14·15
	Total .	229,144	76	100	176	95	79	174	...	...	...	65	3	92	...	14	...	41	29	70	39·98	39·48

ERRATUM.

Make the following corrections in this office notification No. 1791-C. & I., dated the 7th March 1917, published at pages 415—419 of Part II of the Gazette of India dated the 10th idem :—

Rule 16.—In the fourth line, between the words "area" and "by" *insert* the word "covered".

Rule 25.—In the first line, *for* the word "he" *read* "the".

Rule 28.—In the first line, *for* the word "store" *substitute* "stored", and in the third line, *for* "an order" *read* "orders."

Rule 33 (b).—In the first line, *for* the word "entered" *substitute* "tendered."

By order,

G. F. DEMONTMORENCY,

Personal Assistant to Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 23rd March 1917.

No. 506.—Captain C. H. Digges La Touche, 16th Cavalry, is appointed Cantonment Magistrate, Loralai, in addition to his regimental duties, with effect from the 12th March 1917 *vice* Captain H. C. Prescott, 2-67th Punjabis.

By order,

R. H. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

First Assistant.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, RAJPUTANA, AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Camp Ajmer, the 22nd March 1917.

No. 133-*C.*—*D. P.*—22—11.—The services of Mr. E. D. Smith, Assistant Superintendent, Government Railway Police, Indore, are replaced at the disposal of the United Provinces Government with effect from the date on which he relinquishes charge of his duties in Rajputana on being relieved by Mr. Coulton.

No. 139-*C.*—Mr. G. F. Coulton, Assistant Superintendent of the United Provinces Police, whose services have been placed at the disposal of this Administration, is appointed Assistant Superintendent, Police, R. M. Railway Police, with effect from the date of assuming charge and is posted to Indore.

By order,

H. G. RICHARDSON,

Police Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 19th March 1917.

No. 667-*R.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Opium Act, 1878 (I of 1878), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased to make the following amendment in the Opium Rules published with his Notification No. 4717, dated the 10th September 1908, as subsequently amended, namely :—

The following item shall be expunged from the Schedule annexed to rule 30 :—

"64. Morphinæ Meconas and its preparations (liquor, etc.)"—

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

Secretary.

REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 28th Battery, R. F. A., Indian Expeditionary Force "D," dated at Ambala, this 23rd day of March 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—105063, Driver, T. Arnold.
Age—20 years.
Height—5 feet 5 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fair, clean shaven, slim build, slovenly appearance; hair, not known; eyes, not known.
Trade—Not known.
Date of Enlistment—Not known.
Place of Enlistment—Not known.
Parish and County in which born—Not known.
Date of Desertion or absence—7 A.M. 20th February 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—28th Battery, I. E. F. "D."

F. W. DEAN, Lieut., R.A.,
Commanding Artillery Depôt, Ambala.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 1st Battalion, Duke of Wellington's Regiment, dated at Sialkot, this 23rd day of March 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—Nil. Private, William Rhodes.
Age—22 years, 6 months.
Height—5 feet, 5 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, ruddy; hair, fair; eyes, Blue.
Trade—Cook.
Date of Enlistment—10th April 1916.
Place of Enlistment—London.
Parish and County in which born—Norwich, Norfolk.
Date of Desertion or absence—20th March 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Sialkot.
Marks—Nil.
Under 1 year's service.

A. O. L. DAVIS, Lieutenant,
for Leiut-Col., Commanding 1st Battalion, Duke of Wellington's Regiment.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 2nd Battalion, the Black Watch, dated at Bangalore (India), this 24th day of March 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—R. A.-13248. Private, G. Cutmore.
Age—20 years.
Height—5 feet 8 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, dark; hair, fair; eyes, grey.
Trade—Carter.
Date of Enlistment—13th March 1915.
Place of Enlistment—Bromley, Kent.
Parish and County in which born—Bromley, Kent.
Date of Desertion or absence—5th February 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—19th British Field Ambulance, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force.
Marks—Clean shaven. Very dirty in appearance. Speaks with an English accent.
Under two years' service.

GEO. ANDREWS, Major,
Commandant, No. 1 Combined British Infantry Depôt.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

Under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act it is hereby notified that the treasure mentioned below was found by Konthath Chami of Cherukudangad amsom, Ponnani taluk, while digging in Panangat Kunnu (S. No. 31-3 of Kodumunda desam, Ponnani taluk).

Serial No.	Description.	Number.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Gold panams	2,113	528	4	0
2.	Gold coins	27	148	8	0
3.	Copper vessel a piece of iron and a piece of cloth	...	0	4	0
			677	0	0

All persons claiming the treasure or any portion thereof are required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Malabar at Calicut on Monday 6th August 1917 in order that their claims may be enquired into and determined according to law.

MALABAR COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
Dated 9th March 1917.

F. B. EVANS,
Collector.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 16TH MARCH TO 22ND MARCH 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for Ceylon Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native State.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from Currency balance.	Cents coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	(a) 20	2	...	22	37	...	37	7	(b) 42	20	2	71	...	...	...	8	...	15
Bombay	25	...	...	25	34	...	34	...	(c) 172	5	4	181	1	1	...	...	...	...

(a) Includes 14 received from Bombay Mint.
(b) Exclusive of 46 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(c) Exclusive of 13 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint;
Calcutta, the 29th March 1917.

IMPERIAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE IN INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Pusa, the 27th March 1917.

No. 4543.—Mr. Chandra Sekhar Misra, B. A., First Assistant to the Imperial Entomologist, is granted an extension of privilege leave for one day under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations and leave on Medical Certificate for four months and eight days under Articles 233 and 336 of the same Regulations, in continuation of the privilege leave granted to him in this Department Notification No. 370-C. of 24th January 1917.

J. MACKENNA,
Agricultural Adviser to the Government of India.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 2nd March 1917.

No. 261.—The following promotions and appointment of officers are ordered with effect from the 21st November 1916, *vice* Mr. Bhan Chand, Superintendent, retired :—

Mr. N. Daly, Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, to be Superintendent, 4th grade.

Mr. Bijay Krishna De, Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, to be Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade.

Mr. Abid Husain, Inspector, officiating as an Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, in the leave vacancy of Mr. Bhan Chand, Superintendent, to be an Assistant Superintendent. 2nd grade, sub.*pro tem.* in the succession caused by the retirement of Mr. Bhan Chand.

The 8th March 1917.

No. 265.—Babu Ashutosh Banarji, Head clerk, office of Assistant Commissioner, Sambhar Lake Division, and *Ex-Officio* Treasury Officer, Sambhar, is granted furlough for 18 months in extension of the period sanctioned in Notification No. 97, dated the 10th August 1916.

The 16th March 1917.

No. 275.—Mr. Raja Lal, Inspector, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, from the 12th to the 15th October 1916, both dates inclusive, during the transit period of Pandit Sri Kishen Munshi, *Rai Sahib*, Superintendent.

J. F. CONNOLLY,
Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 21st March 1917.

No. 6.—The leave granted to 4th Class Assistant Surgeon C. G. S. Corner, I.S.M.D. in this office Notification No. 11, dated the 20th October 1916, is extended by three months on medical certificate.

The 24th March 1917.

No. 2.—Major C. F. Marr, M.B., I.M.S., Medical Store-Keeper to Government, is granted combined leave for 8 months on medical certificate with effect from the 20th September 1916, under paragraph 222, Army Regulations, India, Volume II ; the first 3 months being on full pay.

This office Notifications No. 9, dated the 24th October 1916, and No. 1, dated the 20th January 1917, are hereby cancelled.

R. A. NEEDHAM, Major, I.M.S.,
for Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 23rd March 1917.

No. 1130-*G.-Camp.*—Mr. J. H. Brown, Superintendent (temporary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 2nd (Rawalpindi) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office from the 12th to the 25th February 1917.

No 1131-*G.-Camp.*—Mr. J. H. Brown, Superintendent (temporary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 2nd (Rawalpindi) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office with effect from the 1st March 1917.

No. 1132-*G.-Camp.*—Mr. Provakhar Chatterjee, Accountant, 1st grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 2nd (Rawalpindi) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office with effect from the 2nd March 1917.

Dated the 24th March 1917.

No. 1155-*G.-Camp.*—Mr. Ramjee Dass, officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, reverts to his own grade with effect from the 21st March 1917.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant-General.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 72 OF 1912.

Dated the 27th March 1917.

Re Narendra Nath Gupta.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an Order of Court, dated the 4th day of August 1914, the order of adjudication made herein on the 26th day of March 1912, was annulled.

No. 126 OF 1913.

Dated the 27th March 1917.

Re Runglal Poddar and another.

Ex parte the creditor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 6th day of July 1915 the order of adjudication made herein on the 17th day of July 1913, was annulled.

No. 54 OF 1916.

Dated the 27th March 1917.

Re Debendra Prosad Ghose.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 1st day of May 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 40 OF 1917.

Dated the 21st March 1917.

Re Kali Prosonna Bondopadhya, residing at No. 7, Beadon Row, in the town of Calcutta, without any occupation.

Ex parte the debtor. B. P. Chunder—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 15th day of March 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 41 OF 1917.

Dated the 28th March 1917.

Re Ram Doyal Saha, residing at No. 323, Upper Chitpore Road, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business there as dealer in dal, but at present of no occupation.

Ex parte the debtor. Chatterjee & Co.,—Attorneys for the Insolvent.

On the 16th day of March 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 42 OF 1917.

Dated the 29th March 1917.

Re Mrs. Catherine Millard, formerly Mrs. Catherine Batelho, lately residing at No. 10, Bow Street, in the town of Calcutta, at present residing at No. 4, Khairo's Lane, in Calcutta, aforesaid, without any occupation.

Debtor—In Person.

On the 23rd day of March 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 43 OF 1917.

Dated the 28th March 1917.

Re Bahadurmull Surana, residing at and carrying on business as piece goods merchant under the name style and firm of Bahadurmull Manick Chand at No. 94, Cross Street, in the town of Calcutta.

Ex parte Munnalal—The Creditor.

S. C. Mookerjee—Attorney for the Creditor.

On the 27th day of March 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.
In Insolvency.

No. 293 OF 1915.

Bombay, the 22nd March 1917.

Re Esmail Haji Alli Memon, of Bombay Mahomedan Inhabitant, residing at Abdul Rehman Street, formerly doing business in partnership with Cassum Haji Alli in the name of Cassum Esmail & Co., and lately a dealer in cloth on his own account and now unemployed; an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 5th day of May 1915 against the said Insolvent has been this day annulled.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
138—1917	Nauji Govindji Bhat	Hindu	Kalbadevi	Lately doing business as cloth merchant in partnership with Amichand Kushalchand deceased (now represented by his next-of-kin Sakalchand Khushalchand), Vithaldas Gulabchand, Manilal Gulabchand and Horivalabh Popatlal, in the name and firm of Amichand Vithaldas & Company, and also in partnership with Vithaldas Govindji and Moolshankar Govindji (since deceased) in the name and firm of Vithaldas Moolshankar and now unemployed.	19th	March	1917	20th	March	1917
139—1917	Janardhan Harichandra Pathare	,,	No. 10, Gamdevi	Lately clerk in the employ of Sobhamal Dhanamal and now unemployed.	20th	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
140—1917	Arthur Crossbi *alias* Clarence Manuel *alias* Godfrey Wilfred Cotgrave.	European	Bellasis Road	Tallyman in the G. I. P. Railway, Parel	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
141—1917	Keshew Kendiba Ghadve	Hindu	Kamathipura 5th Lane	Lately dealer in sweet paste and now unemployed.	22nd	,,	,,	22nd	,,	,,
142—1917	Gaffoor Valad Karim Khan Pathan and Fatemahomed Valad Khudabux Pathan.	Mahomedan	Madanpura	Lately dealers in fire wood in partnership in the name of Fatemahomed Khudabux and now unemployed.	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
143—1917	Vinayek Ramchandra Laxumonji Ajuikya.	Hindu	No. 538, Girgaum	State Pensioner	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
144—1917	Krishnaji Sakharam Mapeukar	,,	Elphinstone Road	Cutlocur in the Textile Mills Limited, Elphinstone Road.	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
146—1917	Nagesh Makund Sthalekar	,,	New Bhatwadi	Lately clerk in His Majesty's Customs and now unemployed.	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909)—*contd.*

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
145—1917	Amirudin Nooroodin Dawoodi, Esabhai Amirudin Dawoodi and Abdul Karim Esabhai Dawoodi.	Mahomedan	Dhanji Street, Mumbadevi	Lately carrying on business in partnership under the name of Abdul Karim Esabhai as Haberdashers and the 1st and 3rd Debtors now unemployed and the 2nd Debtor Servant in the employ of Tribhowan Dayal.	22nd	March	1917	22nd	March	1917
147—1917	Shankar Govind Wania	Hindu	Elphinstone Road	Lately Servant in the employ of Messrs. Neghaji Ghela & Co. and now unemployed.	23rd	"	"	23rd	"	"
148—1917	Shivraj Napu Sha	"	No. 112—116, 1st Fanaswadi	Lately trading in partnership with Nagsi Napu Sha and Vijpal Napu Sha in the name and style of Shivraj Napu & Co., at Mazagon as Grain Merchants and now Servant in the employ of Deoji Karpal.	26th	"	"	26th	"	"
149—1917	Khasedji Nasserwanji Wadya	Parsi	Warden Road	Lately landed proprietor and now unemployed	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors' have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,
Bombay, this 26th day of March 1917.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE COURT OF M. RAHIM BAKHSH, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

SUIT No. 15 OF 1917.

Dated the 16th March 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Phool Singh, son of Ghasi Ram Vaish of Kucha Seth, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under Section 12 of Act 3 of 1907 that an application filed by Phool Singh to be adjudicated an insolvent has been admitted in this Court and will be heard on 10th April 1917.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI (INSOLVENCY JURISDICTION).

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 8 OF 1917.

Dated the 19th March 1917.

In the matter of Rahim Baksh, son of Husein Baksh, of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 29th January 1917, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

RAHIM BAKHSH,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 159 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 12th March 1917.

In the matter of Mirza Mahomed Sheerazee, Broker, of No. 43, Lewis Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Mirza Mahomed Sheerazee an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 8th day of March 1917.

CASE No. 184 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 21st February 1917.

In the matter of M. V. Sreerama Naicker, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition presented by S. S. A. O. firm of Rangoon, a creditor of M. V. Sreerama Naicker, Contractor, of No. 73, Thompson Street, Rangoon, on the 31st day of October 1916, an order of adjudication of Insolvency pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, against the said M. V. Sreerama Naicker was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 19th day of February 1917.

CASE No. 204 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 12th March 1917.

In the matter of Mahomed Kunju Kaka of No. 285, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Mahomed Kunju Kaka an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 8th day of March 1917.

CASE No. 94 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 12th March 1917.

In the matter of P. L. S. C. M. firm, carrying on business as Saw Millers and Timber Traders at Botataung, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said P. L. S. C. M firm an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 8th day of March 1917.

CASE No. 44 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 9th March 1917.

In the matter of William Hubert Francke, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by William Hubert Francke, of No. 5(a), Sparks Street, Rangoon, on the 8th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said William Hubert Francke.

CASE No. 45 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 9th March 1917.

In the matter of Kunnappen Timothy, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Kunnappen Timothy of No. 40, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 8th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kunnappen Timothy.

CASE No. 46 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 9th March 1917.

In the matter of Mahomed Omar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mahomed Omar, Trader, of No. 32, Judha Ezeikiel Street, Rangoon, at present a Civil Prisoner, on the 9th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Mahomed Omar.

CASE No. 47 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 12th March 1917.

In the matter of Bahadur Khan, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Bahadur Khan of 130th Street, Rangoon, at present a Civil Prisoner, on the 10th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Bahadur Khan.

CASE No. 48 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 12th March 1917.

In the matter of Ah Pin, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ah Pin, residing in the compound of Messrs. Dickmann Bros. & Co., Pazundaung, Rangoon, on the 10th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ah Pin.

CASE No. 49 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 13th March 1917.

In the matter of Wasup Alli Tumaya, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Wasup Alli Tumaya, Boat Tindal of Mr. Fraser's godown, Dunneedaw, Rangoon, on the 12th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Wasup Alli Tumaya.

CASE No. 50 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 13th March 1917.

In the matter of Subbah Ram, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Subbah Ram, Durwan of No. 37, 34th Street, Rangoon, on the 13th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Subbah Ram.

CASE No. 51 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 13th March 1917.

In the matter of Periathumby Chinnaya Poonoosawmy, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Periathumby Chinnaya Poonoosawmy of No. 78, Stockade Road, Rangoon, on the 13th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Periathumby Chinnaya Poonoosawmy.

CASE No. 52 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 14th March 1917.

In the matter of Ko Shwe Kyo, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ko Shwe Kyo, of No. 74, 11th Street, Rangoon, on the 13th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ko Shwe Kyo.

CASE No. 53 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 15th March 1917.

In the matter of Abboo Buker and Abdool Majid, Insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Abboo Buker and Abdool Majid carrying on business under the name and style of Abboo Buker and Abdool Majid at No. 396, 25th Street, Rangoon, on the 14th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Abboo Buker and Abdool Majid.

CASE No. 211 OF 1916.

Rangoon, the 22nd March 1917.

In the matter of Mahomed Esoof, son of Goolam Hoosain of Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Mahomed Esoof, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 21st day of March 1917.

CASE No. 54 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 16th March 1917.

In the matter of Maung Ba, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Ba, No. 99, 62nd Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Ba.

CASE NO. 55 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 20th March 1917.

In the matter of Abdulla Ahmed, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition presented by M. C. Bham, S. Dadabhoy Brothers and M. G. Parekh & Co., of Rangoon, creditors of Abdulla Ahmed, carrying on business at No. 24, Edward Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of Insolvency pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, against the said Abdulla Ahmed was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 16th day of March 1917.

CASE NO. 56 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd March 1917.

In the matter of Maung Bah Uyah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Bah Uyah, No. 21, 108th Street, Rangoon, on the 19th day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Bah Uyah.

CASE NO. 57 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 20th March 1917.

In the matter of T. P. Achyutham Nayar, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by T. P. Achyutham Nayar, clerk in Signal Engineer's office, Burma Railway, Sule Pagoda Road, Rangoon, on the 19th day March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said T. P. Achyutham Nayar.

CASE NO. 59 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 20th March 1917.

In the matter of Bissessar Ahir, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Bissessar Ahir, Hackney Carriage Driver, No. 29, Lower Kemmendine Road, Rangoon, on the 20th day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Bissessar Ahir.

CASE NO. 60 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 21st March 1917.

In the matter of Maung Aye, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Aye, clerk in Rangoon Municipality, residing at No. 16, 112th Street, Rangoon, on the 20th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Aye.

CASE NO. 61 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd March 1917.

In the matter of Mahomed Wally, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Mahomed Wally, fitter, of No. 46, 60th Street, Rangoon, on the 19th day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 21st day of March 1917 against the said Mahomed Wally.

CASE No. 62 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd March 1917.

In the matter of Vannianather Vaithilingam, insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Vannianather Vaithilingam, contractor of No. 71, Thompson Street, Rangoon, on the 21st day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Vannianather Vaithilingam.

CASE No. 63 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd March 1917.

In the matter of Maung Kyiu Khai, insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Kyiu Khai, Actor of No. 95, Zegale Quarter, Kemmendine, Rangoon, on the 21st day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Kyiu Khai.

CASE No. 64 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd March 1917.

In the matter of Maung Ba, insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Ba, No. 49, Morton Street, Rangoon, on the 22nd day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Ba.

CASE No. 65 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 23rd March 1917.

In the matter of Siblal Sunar, insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Siblal Sunar, No. 58, 36th Street, Rangoon, on the 22nd day of March 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Siblal Sunar.

D. O'SULLIVAN,
Registrar.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 22nd March 1917.

No. 570s-*Ap*.—The following appointments and promotions are made *vice* Mr. R. J. Hogan, Postmaster, Ambala, pay Rs. 300—400, retired :—

Mr. E. W. Hawkins, Deputy Postmaster, Lahore, pay Rs. 300—400, to be Postmaster, Ambala, on his own pay from the 23rd February 1917.

Lala Thakur Dass, 2nd Assistant Postmaster, Delhi, pay Rs. 100—150 and sub. *pro tem.* Assistant Postmaster, Lahore, pay Rs. 150—200, to act as Deputy Postmaster, Lahore, from the 16th February 1917 to the 7th March 1917 inclusive.

Mr. Syed Muhammad Ali Haider, Postmaster, Burdwan, pay Rs. 200—300, to be Deputy Postmaster, Lahore, from the 8th March 1917.

The 26th March 1917.

No. 591-s-*Ap*.—Khan Bahadur D. S. Captain, Superintendent of post offices, 1st grade, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, Bombay, with effect from the 13th February 1917 and until further orders.

No. 594-s-*Ap*.—Mr. Hassomal Hotchand, Supernumerary Inspector, Office of the Postmaster-General, Bombay, pay Rs. 100, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 13th February 1917 and until further orders.

Simla, the 27th March 1917.

No. 619-s-*Ap*.—Babu Karindra Nath Ghosal, Clerk, Office of the Postmaster-General, Bengal and Assam, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 17th March 1917 and until further orders.

No. 630-s-*Ap*.—Mr. S. M. Yusuf Quraeshi, Superintendent of post offices, 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 8th March 1917.

Mr. D. F. Kamdin, Inspector of post offices, Dhoraji Sub-Division, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. S. M. Yusuf Quraeshi, or until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Camp Delhi, the 22nd March 1917.

No. 201-*C*.—*E*.-*E*.—Mr. M. N. Crawford, Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, is granted privilege leave for thirty days with effect from the 2nd January 1917.

This cancels this office Notification No. 287-E.-E., dated 19th January 1917.

Calcutta, the 26th March 1917.

No. 1348-*E*-*E*.—Mr. T. W. E. Axford, Deputy Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with leave on medical certificate for three months with effect from the 1st March 1917.

No. 1355-*E*-*E*.—The following sub. *pro tem.* promotion in the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. C. O. Shortt .	Inspecting Telegraphist .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem*.	19th December 1916.

No. 1358-*E*-*E*.—The following officiating promotion in the upper subordinate establishment (Technical Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. J. C. Parthew .	Telegraph Master, Technical.	Deputy Superintendent, Technical, 2nd class, officiating.	15th November 1916.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 28th March 1917.

No. 1857-T.—Mr. J. V. Robbins, Deputy Superintendent, 1st class, is granted privilege leave for six days combined with leave on medical certificate for five months and twenty-five days with effect from the 10th February 1917.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

No. 1878-T.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 22nd March 1917 to 28th March 1917.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	Remarks.
	Railway Telegraph Office.		
Nangal Raya . .	Bombay, Baroda & Central India Railway.	15th February 1917 . .	Opened.

The following alteration in the name of a Government Telegraph office is notified:—

"Alvertirunagari" instead of "Alvartirunagari".

The following alteration in the name of a Railway Telegraph office is notified :—

On the Morvi Railway.

"Rajkot City" instead of "Rajkot"

W. SUTHERLAND,
Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

OUDH AND ROHILKHAND RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lucknow, the 24th March 1917.

No. 1.—Mr. Kanchi Prasad, Assistant Engineer, passed the professional examination prescribed in para. 640 of the State Railway Construction Code on 12th March 1917.

H. B. HOLMES,
Agent, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.

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CALCUTTA,
The 29th March 1917.

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The following is a statement of the cash balances at the Home Treasury of the Government of India on the last day of January 1917 and of the form in which they were held :—

	General Balance.	Gold Standard Reserve.
	£	£
Cash at the Bank of England	1,668.116	...
Short loans	2,547,113	6,002,887
Total Home Treasury balances as shown in the accounts	4,215,229	6,002,887
	10,218,116	

M. M. S. GUBBAY,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

THE TREASURY;
Calcutta, the 29th March 1917.

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PARTICULARS.	For the quarter ending 30th April 1916.	For the quarter ending 30th April 1915.	Increase.	Decrease.
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Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,41,23,832 2 3	1,43,51,837 15 3	......	2,28,005 13 0
ADD INCOME—				
Subscriptions from 1st February to 30th April in the Widows' Fund	77,431 1 0	82,218 0 0	......	4,786 15 0
Subscriptions from 1st February to 30th April in the Children's Fund	80,051 4 0	82,266 10 0	......	2,215 6 0
Income and outlay on office buildings and grounds	1,382 7 0	1,403 15 0	......	21 8 0
Fees and stamps	1 0 0	2 0 0	......	1 0 0
Amount of pension with interest received from Government of India on behalf of incumbents who came upon the Fund in consequence of the Mutiny of 1857	198 3 10	198 3 10	......	......
Amount of interest received from Government of India for the year 1915-16—1914-15	8,50,677 1 1	8,65,039 14 1	......	14,362 13 0
Amount of fine imposed on subscriptions in arrears	36 0 2	15 5 3	20 10 11	......
Total Income	9,59,777 1 1	9,81,144 0 2	20 10 11	21,387 10 0
GRAND TOTAL	1,50,83,609 3 4	1,53,32,981 15 5	20 10 11	A 2,49,393 7 0
DEDUCT DISBURSEMENTS—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund	1,88,149 2 11	1,93,537 2 1	......	5,387 15 2
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund	92,770 8 0	93,412 13 7	......	642 5 7
Establishment and contingencies	6,377 6 10	7,177 13 7	......	800 6 9
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India	20,962 8 0	9,123 9 7	11,838 15 5	......
Commission paid for money orders	601 2 6	644 8 0	......	43 5 6
Total Expenditure	3,08,860 12 3	3,03,895 13 10	11,838 15 5	B 6,874 1 0
Balance in favour of the Fund	1,47,74,748 7 1	1,50,29,086 1 7	—11,818 4 6	C 2,42,519 6 0
GRAND TOTAL	1,50,83,609 3 4	1,53,32,981 15 5	20 10 11	2,49,393 7 0
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	75,057 9 0	88,278 12 0	......	13,221 3 0

	1916 Widows' Fund.	1916 Children's Fund.	1915 Widows' Fund.	1915 Children's Fund.	Increase Widows' Fund.	Increase Children's Fund.	Decrease Widows' Fund.	Decrease Children's Fund.
Number of subscribers (on 30th April)	696	355	737	382	...	...	41	27
Number of incumbents (on 30th April)	734	798	754	822	...	...	20	24
Number of subscribers sharing abatement (on 1st May)	737	372	777	402	...	...	40	30

	Rs. A. P.
A.—Net decrease in grand total of income	2,49,372 12 1
B.—Net increase in total expenditure	4,964 14 5
C.—Decrease in balance	2,54,337 10 6

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL (FORTNIGHTLY) PRICES

Return showing the Wholesale and Retail Prices of Cereals, Pulses, Oilseeds, Sugar (Raw), Salt, etc., in India by Districts for the fortnight ending 28th February 1917

Department of Statistics, India

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SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the Second half of February 1917 as compared with the corresponding period of 1916.

Province.	Rice (Common)		Wheat		Barley		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dāl (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the second half of February of																			
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma	100	107	100	100	...	...	.	...	100	86	100	86	100	100	100	110	...	...	100	103
Assam	100	87	..	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	100	110	100	107	100	105
Bengal	100	97	100	101	...	..	...	...		...	100	89	100	86	100	114	100	119	100	104
Bihar and Orissa	100	69	100	77	100	70	100	67	100	81	100	86	100	82	100	118	100	111	100	91
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	100	92	100	94	100	87	100	89	100	86	100	90	100	73	100	114	100	116	100	92
Delhi	100	85	100	96	100	95	100	86	100	92	100	104	100	77	100	112	100	99	100	95
Punjab	100	95	100	104	100	91	100	86	100	93	100	111	100	86	100	110	100	89	100	99
North-West Frontier Province	100	93	100	107	100	86	100	84	100	110	100	115	100	83	100	102	100	72	100	120
Sind and Baluchistan	100	105	100	114	100	107	100	88	100	96	100	103	100	76	100	114	...		...	...
Bombay	100	102	100	95	100	90	100	97		...	100	100	100	88	100	136	100	94	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	100	100	92	...	...	100	118	...	...	100	99	100	93	100	119	...	...	100	111
Madras	100	104	...	...	..	..	100	109	.	...	100	85	100	92	100	97	100	108	100	110
India	100	95	100	98	100	89	100	91	100	92	100	97	100	85	100	112	100	101	100	103

NOTE.—The rise in the price of Ghi in the Bombay Presidency is noteworthy. The fall in the prices of common rice, jawar, barley, and wheat was greatest in Bihar and Orissa. The price of *gur* fell most in the North-West Frontier Province, and that of Arhar dāl in the United Provinces.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 28th February 1917 as compared with the previous fortnight.

Province	Rice (common)		Wheat		Barley		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dāl (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending																			
	15th Feb. 1917	28th Feb 1917	15th Feb 1917	28th Feb. 1917	15th Feb 1917	28th Feb. 1917	15th Feb. 1917	28th Feb. 1917	15th Feb 1917	28th Feb 1917	15th Feb 1917	28th Feb. 1917	15th Feb 1917	28th Feb 1917	15th Feb. 1917	28th Feb 1917	15th Feb 1917	28th Feb 1917	15th Feb 1917	28th Feb. 1917
Burma	100	103	100	100	..	..	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	[illegible]	100	105	...	.	100	101
Assam	100	113	..	...	...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	98	100	111	100	105
Bengal	100	103	100	101	..	..	...	.	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	101	100	100	100	104
Bihar and Orissa	100	97	100	97	100	95	100	106	100	104	100	102	100	99	100	100	100	107	100	106
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	98	100	98	100	99	100	101	100	97	100	101	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	99
Delhi	100	85	100	97	100	110	100	96	100	100	100	104	100	100	100	101	100	110	100	103
Punjab	100	101	100	102	100	103	100	103	100	104	100	98	100	100	100	100	100	96	100	84
North-West Frontier Province.	100	106	100	103	100	108	100	102	100	102	100	98	100	100	100	100	100	93	100	100
Sind and Baluchistan.	100	99	100	102	100	98	100	95	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	99	100	87	...	...
Bombay	100	103	100	85	100	106	100	90	...	...	100	101	100	107	100	100	100	100	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	104	100	105	...	...	100	108	...	...	100	100	100	97	100	100	...	...	100	100
Madras	100	103	..	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	105	100	101
India	100	101	100	99	100	103	100	100	100	101	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	101	100	100

NOTE.—The fall in the price of salt in the Punjab, of common rice in Delhi, of wheat in the Bombay Presidency and of gur (raw sugar) in Sind is noteworthy.
The rise in the prices of common rice and gur was greatest in Assam.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 3.

WHOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82⅐ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at certain selected markets during the second half of February of the years 1915, 1916 and 1917.

Marts	Wheat			Rice (common)			Jawar (*Andropogon sorghum*)			Bajra (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)			Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		
	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	4 10 0	4 14 0	6 8 0	5 10 0	6 4 0	6 2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 4 0	4 12 0
Bombay	5 8 1	6 2 2	...	4 11 3	4 11 9	4 12 2	3 4 0	3 5 0	...	3 6 2	4 0 4	...	3 4 6	3 9 7	...
Karachi	4 15 0	4 3 9	6 0 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	2 13 6	3 4 [illegible]	...	3 1 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	6 1 5	5 4 10	5 4 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 4	4 10 5	5 0 8
Rangoon	4 14 2	...	5 8 3	2 15 5	3 0 6	2 12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 14 1	4 2 1	5 3 3
Dacca	...	...	...	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Patna	3 15 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	3 7 0	4 10 6	4 10 0	2 3 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	...	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 7 0	3 8 0	4 14 0
Ranchi	5 12 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 4 0	5 4 0
Cuttack	4 11 3	5 1 3	6 12 11	3 9 6	3 15 4	4 1 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 1 2	4 1 3	4 2 0
Benares	4 9 4	4 11 9	5 14 7	4 13 5	5 2 11	5 8 3	2 14 0	3 0 11	3 3 1	3 1 11	3 3 1	3 8 5	2 15 7	3 6 1	4 11 0
Cawnpore	4 7 0	4 11 6	6 2 0	5 2 0	5 4 0	5 1 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	3 7 0	2 11 0	3 5 0	3 9 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	4 4 0
Meerut	5 11 3	4 7 0	5 11 6	5 14 9	5 11 0	5 11 6	2 11 9	3 1 3	3 10 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 11 6	3 3 3	3 2 3	4 0 0
Agra	5 0 0	4 11 3	6 10 8	6 10 8	6 6 4	6 2 5	2 10 8	3 1 2	3 12 10	2 4 6	3 10 2	3 8 10	3 5 1	3 5 4	4 9 1
Lucknow	4 3 4	4 11 3	6 2 3	4 1 9	4 11 3	4 7 1	2 12 2	3 1 8	3 10 2	2 10 8	...	3 12 9	2 12 2	3 5 4	4 9 0
Ferozepur	4 5 3	4 3 3	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	2 15 6	3 5 3	3 5 0	2 13 9	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 5 3	2 15 6	3 5 0
Lahore	4 5 3	4 3 3	5 5 3	4 11 3	5 2 6	5 11 6	3 1 3	3 10 3	...	3 0 3	3 14 3	4 3 3	3 6 3	3 2 3	3 10 3
Amritsar	4 2 0	4 0 0	5 6 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 14 9	3 1 3	...	...	2 10 9	...	...	3 11 6	3 0 0	4 0 0
Rawalpindi	4 11 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	5 6 0	5 11 0	5 12 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	3 13 0	3 5 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 11 0	3 5 0	3 11 6
Lyallpur	4 8 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	...	2 14 0	..	2 14 0	3 8 0	...	3 7 0	2 14 3	3 11 0
Ambala	4 9 0	4 9 0	6 2 0	4 8 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	2 8 0	2 14 0	4 4 0	2 12 0	3 12 0	4 4 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	4 7 0
Delhi	4 9 0	4 12 0	6 2 0	5 10 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	3 14 0	2 15 0	3 6 0	4 2 0	3 5 0	3 3 0	4 5 0
Peshawar	4 9 8	4 8 1	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 13 11	6 2 5	...	3 4 6	2 5 9	3 8 3	4 8 10	3 8 6	3 14 7	3 5 1	3 15 7
Quetta	5 5 0	4 12 6	5 8 4	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poona	4 11 7	...	5 8 4	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 6 9	...	2 11 4	2 12 11	3 5 4	3 8 8	3 4 3	3 2 8	3 14 11	4 10 11
Ahmednagar	3 13 6	4 3 4	5 2 3	5 2 0	...	...	2 4 10	2 5 4	2 5 10	2 12 8	2 7 3	2 8 1	3 3 11	3 2 5	4 10 6
Ahmedabad	5 0 0	4 11 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	6 6 0	5 10 0	2 6 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	2 6 0	4 8 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 6 0	4 2 0
Nagpur	4 3 5	4 9 7	5 0 0	4 6 10	4 0 7	4 0 7	3 2 6	2 8 10	3 0 8	...	...	...	3 10 10	3 14 0	5 4 2
Jubbulpur	4 3 5	4 11 4	5 14 10	4 3 5	4 3 4	4 11 4	2 10 8	2 3 6	3 1 2	...	...	...	3 7 7	3 1 2	4 0 0
Godavari	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malabar	...	...	...	4 15 0	5 2 11	4 15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma *—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	34·78	40·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	38·55	32·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	30·19	27·47	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	29·63	30·33	48·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	32·47	32·32	82·05	68·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	38·55	27·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	35·75	34·41	68·08	68·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	34·97	27·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	34·59	41·19	35·36	48·48	...	...	...	...	19·69	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	35·75	45·71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	38·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam*—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	25	32·5	42·5	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	25	25	37·5	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	22·5	25	42·5	48·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal *—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	26·87	26·87	42·5	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	30	35	53·5	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	36·25	31·25	56·25	62·5	46·25	48·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	21·25	31·25	37·5	44·37	53·75	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapore	21·87	24·37	42·5	46·25	55	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	24·37	28·12	46·25	52·5	41·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	25	22·5	46·25	47·5	55	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa*															
Bihár, north—															
Bhágalpur	...	...	37·5	60	40	61·25	...	...	23·75	32·5	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	44·87	66·56	40	53·12	...	...	22·19	31·67	...	...	...	...	...
Bihár, south—															
Patna	...	...	34·37	46·50	39·37	50	...	...	21·87	28·75	21·87	32·5	...	40	...
Orissa—															
Cuttack	...	...	35·94	39·58	47·03	50·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—															
(a) AGRA—															
Eastern—															
Benares	25·31	26·25	48·38	51·82	45·83	47·34	51·2	55·78	29·32	33·8	28·75	30·57	31·2	31·93	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	25	27·5	51·25	52·5	44·37	47·19	51·25	53·75	30	33·44	25	27·5	26·57	33·12	...
Jhánsi	...	...	46·72	50·68	41·37	47·81	...	...	26·25	34·60	21·87	26·56	...	32·66	...
Western—															
Meerut	...	...	59·22	56·87	57·03	44·37	53·28	50	30·78	34·84	27·34	30·78	32·03	33·28	...
Agra	...	...	66·67	63·96	50	47·03	58·18	57·18	32·6	35·52	26·67	30·73	22·81	36·35	...
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	24·37	26·25	38·75	50·62	42·5	45	50	51·25	29·37	33·75	27·5	30·94	27·5	32·5	...
(b) OUDH—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	...	41·09	47·07	42·03	47·03	51·56	56·51	27·6	...	27·6	30·78	20·87	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	25	26·72	46·87	51·87	43·75	50	...	...	...	...	...	30·94	...	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district head-quarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	61·54	61·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	65·98	59·26	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	38·79	41·29	56·14	61·54	49·61	62·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	60·95	54·7	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	43·24	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	42·95	42·95	75·29	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	18·71	21·84	37·43	32·47	64·65	68·82	57·66	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	34·41	34·41	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakôkku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	61·54	57·14	...	72·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balaganj (Sylhet)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·5	45	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	47·5	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	50	50	60	70	...	...	...	...	100	80	50	60	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	60	75	...	...	...	...	55	100	65	60	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	36·25	32·5	47·5	60	...	40	...	...	60	58·75	55	55	Calcutta
															Western—
...	...	...	38·75	41·25	45	60	...	...	...	...	65	60	55	50	Burdwan
...	...	...	41·25	46·25	60	72·5	...	...	...	...	55	47·5	38·75 to 65	60	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	60	75	...	...	...	...	65	57·5	61·87	57·5	Pabna
...	...	...	72·5	70	75	67·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	62·5	60	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa—
															Bihar, north—
...	26·25	25	32·5	37·5	50	60	23.75	32·5	...	...	55	65	42·5 to 50	45 to 50	Bhágalpur
...	23·44	30	32·66	40	50	61·56	24·22	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
...	24·37	30	34·37	35	35·62	57·19	21·25	35	...	...	59·37	55·62	49·37	44·37	Patna
															Orissa—
...	...	...	40·73	40·78	50·78	68·07	40·73	43·54	...	...	...	...	61·04	68·07	Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) Agra—
															Eastern—
...	26·25	27·5	29·74	33·8	41·77	58·07	...	...	...	...	54·74	50·05	52·19	49·53	Benares
															Central—
...	22·5	28·13	30	29·37	38·75	51·87	40	...	25·63	24·37	57·5	50	49·37	44·37	Cawnpore
...	17·5	27·08	28·12	29·06	...	...	...	...	...	30·78	...	...	...	...	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	27·34	30·78	32·03	31·41	45·62	56·72	...	...	...	...	...	61·56	48·28	42·66	Meerut
...	28·49	30·78	33·18	33·33	59·22	61·51	...	...	22·81	26·67	72·71	50	47·03	45·63	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	25·63	27·5	30	33·12	39·37	57·5	...	...	23·75	24·37	56·87	45	51·25	43·75	Shahjahánpur
															(b) Oudh—
															Southern—
...	21·22	...	27·6	33·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	44·43	61·41	50	Lucknow
															Northern—
...	21·22	29·69	26·59	33·28	...	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY—*continued.*

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *jinjili*) 1917	Sesamum 1916	Ghi 1917	Ghi 1916	Sugar, raw (*Gúr*) 1917	Sugar, raw 1916	Salt 1917	Salt 1916	Tobacco leaf 1917	Tobacco leaf 1916	Turmeric 1917	Turmeric 1916	Grass 1917	Grass 1916	Straw 1917
Burma—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	640	640	...	...	27·47	22·86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	640	640	...	...	25·7	25·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457·14	457·14	...	...	24·62	24·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	581·82	533·33	...	...	33·16	31·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	581·82	492·31	...	...	40	39·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	45·71	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	533·33	492·31	...	...	35·75	35·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·16	34·97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	711·11	640	...	...	40	36·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	45·89	38·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	36·36	36·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	...	...	580	490	45	60	35	33·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	...	...	540	440	75	70	36·87	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	...	...	540	570	75	97·5	45	37·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	...	...	540	540	80	85	30·62	39·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	600	570	100	92·5	40	47·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	...	...	550	480	63·75	58·75	36·25	36·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	...	...	570	450	57·5	55	30	26·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	550 to 580	580 to 550	72·5	60	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	...	...	590	500	80	67·5	38·75	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	580	500	90	80	50	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—															
Bihar, north—															
Bhágalpur	60	62·5	640	450	60	60	40	35	120	100	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	533·12	457·5	44·37	50	38·59	33·28	266·56	266·56	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—															
Patna	49·37	44·37	500	400	55	50	33·75	35	20	22·5	...	...	5	...	5
Orissa—															
Cuttack	76·15	68·07	533·33	183·12	63·96	53·33	20	20	91·41	90	...	...	5	5·62	5·62
United Provinces—															
(*a*) Agra—															
Eastern—															
Benares	54·17	48·07	533·33	499·43	58·07	50·05	31·93	28·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	67·5	56·87	510	420	57·5	53·75	23·12	26·56	120	102·5	160	75	...	...	...
Jhánsi	...	45·62	480	419·69	58·12	68·75	26·25	30	...	...	...	...	...	3·38	...
Western—															
Meerut	53·28	...	512·19	457·19	50	50	23·44	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	57·13	57·13	533·33	412·16	66·67	70·15	22·19	24·22	120	160	150	113	7·5	10	12·5
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	57·5	50	500	440	60	50	25·62	28·12	180	170	155 and 180	100 and 123·75	...	...	...
(*b*) Oudh—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	...	125	470	...	50	26·67	29·60	...	...	...	90	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	...	...	492·5	480	44·37	48·75	26·56	30	...	...	...	...	5	...	...

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw	Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Coal (Bengal)		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	22·86	17 16		..	...	...	...	...	2 62	3	*Tenasserim—* Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...		..	...	...	...	...	2	2	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	11·9	11·9		7 35	...	...	...	...	2 81	2·25	Moulmein and Amherst
...	...	...	...	...	32 99	36·99	12 49	8 03	...	...	...	...	2	1·87	*Pegu (deltaic)—* Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	..	...	...	...	8 58			...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Bassein
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	...	.	*Pegu (inland)—* Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	...	.	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	...	28 83	28 83			...	...	...	...	...	...	*Upper Burma—* Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	2·06	2 06	Pakokku
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 18	7 35	...	...	...	...	2 81	2·44	*Arakan—* Akyab
															Assam—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	2·27	1·97	*Surma—* Balaganj (Sylhet)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	3·62	3	*Brahmaputra—* Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 62	5 62	...		...	...	2·5	2·06	Gauhati
															Bengal—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	2·12	1 81	*Eastern—* Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	3 12	2 37	Dacca
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 62	2 97	...	...	...	...	2 97	2·3	*Deltaic—* Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...		...	7 19	2 81	...	...	...	...	3 19	2 28	*Western—* Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	3	2 31	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	3 19	2 12	*Northern—* Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	3 25	2 62	Rangpur
								1 47*							**Bihar and Orissa—**
...	...	...	...	...	30	27 5			...	...	...	...	3 12	2 12	*Bihar, north—* Bhágalpur
...	...	...	10	10	24 22	30 78			...	...	...	...	3	2·05	Muzaffarpur
5	...		10	8 75	20 62	18 75			..	...	...	...	2·25	2 12	*Bihar, south—* Patna
5 62	...	...	...	...	7 5	7 5	...			...	...	...	2·75	2 37	*Orissa—* Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) Agra—
...	...	...	...	...	25	28 59	3 96 to 7 92	3 96 to 7 71	...	...	...	...	3 62	2 5	*Eastern—* Benares
...	...	3 75	9 37	7 5	24 37	25	6 87	5	65	65	...	...	3 5	2 53	*Central—* Cawnpore
6 67	...	3 33	...	..	...	...			...	...	...	...	3 69	2 97	Jhánsi
...	...	...	10	10	26 56	25	10		...	...	...	...	3·62	2·75	*Western—* Meerut
12·5	...	...	6 67	7·97	30·73	30·16			...	...	100	80	3 56	2 75	Agra
...	...	...	11 25	10	35	*35	6 25	6 25	70 and 80	70 and 90	50 and 80	50 and 80	3·44	2 75	*Submontane west—* Shahjahánpur
															(b) Oudh—
...	...	...	8 02	10	23 75	25		5 62	...	...	...	...	3·75	2·75	*Southern—* Lucknow
...	...		10	12·5	..	...	12 5	3 12	...		50	50	3·25	2·44	*Northern—* Fyzabad

* Price of 1st class coal at Jharia

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY—*continued*

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Rajputana—															
Eastern—															
Ajmer	26 67	26 67	...	...	55 16	53·44	...	...	37 24	40 94	26 67	36 41	28·49	42·81	...
Delhi—															
Delhi	...	...	56 25	66·25	45 62	47 5	48 12	50	33 12	35	27 5	31 87	29·37	33 75	...
Punjab—															
Southern—															
Ferozepur	25 78	30 78	50	50	43 28	42·03	45 62	47 03	28 59	36 41	29 69	33 28	28·59	38 12	...
Central—															
Lahore	25	30 78	47 03	51 56	48 28	42 03	50	48·44	30 16	30 78	30 78	36·41	30·16	38 91	...
Submontane—															
Amritsar	28 75	31 41	51 25	55	41·25	40	44 53	44 37	36 41	..	30 78		26·72	...	...
Northern—															
Rawalpindi	...	...	53 75	56·87	46 87	42·5	50	46·87	29 69	31·87	27·5	35	33 12	41·25	...
Western—															
Lyallpur	...	..	55	55	41 87	40	46 87	45	28 75	32 5	...	28 75	28 75	35	...
Multan	28 75	28 75	45 62	48 75	40 94	38·12	43 91	42 5	31 87	34 69	29 06	31 41	30	38 75	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	...	57 18	58 7	46 04	45·05	50 78	46·35	26 87	28·96	.	32 81	35 16	42·4	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	..	63 44	70 31	48 59	48 65	55 68	48 65	30 99	38 49	26 51	31 41	29 54	35 16	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karachi			52 5	51 25	49 37	42 34	...	...	..		28·44	32 5	30·62	36·87	...
Shikarpur	13 28	25 47	65 62	61 25	46 25		...	...	36 87	42 5	26 25	32 5	25	33·75	...
Quetta	...	...	...	...	51 87 to 54 37	46 87 to 42 75	67 5 to 75	75 to 77·5	38·75	38 38	33 75	35 62	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan—															
Bombay	35 16	27 71	47 03	47 34	55·05	61·35	...	...	38·07	42 34	32 5	33·12	33 85	40·21	...
Deccan and Karnátak—															
Dharwar	...	...	.		40 1	34·37	...	...	...	...	27 97	16 15	...	...	...
Sholapur	..		49 81	47 08	36 04	41 77	...	...	...	.	22 66	20·03	23 7	28 18	...
Poona	...	38 8	55	55	47 24	..	...	...	...	...		27 08	33 33	35 42	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—															
Ahmednagar	...	...	51 25		28 44	42 08	...	...	...	...	23·02	28 33	27·91	24 58	...
Dhulia	...	...	...		..	46 67	...	...	...	...	25·31		35 47	34·43	...
Gujarat—															
Surat	...	...	..	..		51 87	...	...	.	...	36 77	33 49		43 23	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	70	63 75	50	46 87	...	...	..		28·75	30	23 75	41 87	...
Central Provinces*—															
Western—															
Nagpur	32 60	36 5	44 25	40 37	42 12	46	53 31	66 62	...	...	31 56	25 5	...	...	...
Central—															
Jubbulpore	...	...	42 12	42 06	42 12	47 06	57 12	57 12	...	...	26 69	22 19	...	...	...
Eastern—															
Raipur	35	34 75	40	38	40	40	50	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	...	...	40 75	43 56	34 87	41·62	...	...	...		28·81	24 12	...	...	...
Amraoti	...	...	44·44	44 44	43 91	46·25	...	...	...	..	27 19	23·44	...	...	...
Madras—															
South, central—															
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36 6	34	..	36 0	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32·1
Central—															
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 0	20 7	...	...	...
Cuddapah	39 7	35 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29 1	27 8		26	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central—															
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31·3
East Coast, south—															
Madras	39 5	39 7	60·9	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	27 1	32 6	45 5	49 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29 6
Southern—															
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37·2	32 5	48	36 6	...
Mysore (a)—															
Mysore		22		51	..	36		60	...	...	...	24	...	...	...
Bangalore		22	..	50	.	34	..	67·76	...	..	...	28	...	...	.

* The figures under "Rice, husked," represent the prices of cleaned rice

(a) Figures have not so far been reported

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Rajputana—
															Eastern—
...	26·67	37·24	35·57	36·93	...	...	...	66·72	...	...	84·22	106·56	...	...	Ajmer
															Delhi—
...	27·5	30	33·12	31·87	42·5	55	...	...	28·75	30	60	55	45	47·5	Delhi
															Punjab—
															Southern—
...	23·39	30·78	33·28	29·69	66·72	66·72	...	...	23·28	32·03	80	66·72	...	...	Ferozepur
															Central—
...	30·78	32·66	33·91	31·41	50	69·53	36·41	40	30·78	30·16	55·16	55·16	50	47·03	Lahore
															Submontane—
...	26·72	...	37·19	30	...	...	...	...	33·12	30·62	62·5	...	51·25	50	Amritsar
															Northern—
...	32·5	32·5	36·87	33·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	57·5	47·5	45	43·75	Ráwalpindi
															Western—
...	25	27·5	34·37	28·91	...	...	...	...	28·75	30	...	...	41·87	45	Lyallpur
...	26·56	30	33·91	31·25	60	70	33·75	36·87	28·12	25·41	60	60	45	45	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	35·36	32·13	39·11	33·18	45·36	55·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	45·36	50	Peshâwar
...	31·35	...	38·18	33·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26·72	31·87	...	...	...	...	Karáchi
...	...	...	37·66	36·41	...	67·5	...	...	28·75	33·44	...	...	40	37·5	Shikarpur
..	37·5 to 45	43·12	...	...	56·25 to 63·12	73·75 to 83·75	62·5	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
															Bombay—
															Konkan—
...	...	...	32·81	35·09	60·1	67·29	37·5	48·23	25·52	25·52	63·85	59·84	...	...	Bombay
															Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	37·66	39·17	56·15	...	...	...	26·61	20·36	50·1	...	...	...	Dharwar
...	...	...	34·84	33·8	50·31	45·52	...	...	20·83	20	56·15	50·47	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	37·92	39·32	...	50·73	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	...	Poona
															Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	32·45	31·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	42·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	22·24	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
															Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	35	33·75	58·75	66·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
															Western—
...	...	...	36·75	38·75	46·94	46·87	...	...	22·44	21·87	64·94	58·56	...	...	Nagpur
															Central—
...	...	...	34·75	30·75	43·75	53·31	44·44	44·44	28·56	22·19	57·12	47·06	38·06	42·06	Jubbulpore
															Eastern—
...	...	...	32	31·25	40	42·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Raipur
															Berar—
...	...	...	34·06	35·12	37·19	50	...	...	20	19·31	67·56	55·56	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	36·19	37·25	45·06	40·44	...	...	19·37	18·75	66·09	...	...	...	Amráoti
															Madras—
															South, central—
...	...	...	55·8	55·8	...	...	...	...	40	32	...	...	...	...	Coimbatore
26·3	...	...	...	...	33·6	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salem
															Central—
...	...	...	46·3	61·7	35·3	35·3	...	...	20·8	23·8	...	...	...	...	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnúl
															East Coast, central—
25·3	...	...	...	...	34	39·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nellore
															East Coast, south—
...	...	...	47·7	40·5	...	...	56·6	63·4	57·6	57·6	...	...	...	...	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
23·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
															Southern—
...	...	...	...	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Madura
															Mysore—
24	...	...	...	26	...	56	...	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
22	...	...	...	28	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangalore

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY—*concluded*

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *Jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gúr*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass		Straw
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Rajputana—															
Eastern— Ajmer	55·16	69·53	581·3	474·06	65 94	80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13·96	...
Delhi— Delhi	63·75	62·5	565	505	55 to 66·25	61·25	23·75	25	80	80	170	115	10	18·13	...
Punjab—															
Southern— Ferozepur	72·66	72·66	512·03	492·34	69·53	61·56	26·72	30·78	133·28	133·28	145·47	94·06	...	...	...
Central— Lahore	61·56	63 91	609·53	492·34	55·16	63·91	23·44	25	133·28	111·09	200	114·22	10	10	...
Submontane— Amritsar	62·5	62·5	587·5	480	47·5	59·06	20	22 5	80	...	150	85	...	...	...
Northern— Ráwalpindi	...	...	550	492·34	55	80	25	21·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western— Lyallpur	...	...	515	460	46·25	55	22·5	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	52·5	55	520	456·87	55·16	61·56	29·06	23·75	122·5	110	195	180	10	10	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	...	511·98	501·93	58·7	77·08	21·61	18·65	106 67	136·15	...	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	581·82	...	52·71	76 72	24·79	20	...	...	...	...	10·16	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karáchi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	...	...	561·25	485	56 25	...	...	...	33·75	...	...	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	560 to 620	520 to 535	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan— Bombay	68·59	62·86	...	514·27	85·73	84·37	...	...	...	...	142 86	89·79	9·58	10·42	...
Deccan and Karnátak— Dharwar	60·94	...	...	...	71·98	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	450	419·27	73·7	78·38	...	...	100	...	171.09	...	...	...	...
Poona	...	...	...	445·62	71·04	76·3	...	...	210·52	200	...	...	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmednagar	...	55 57	516·67	425	75·33	80	...	...	65·94	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	...	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat— Surat	...	...	605·42	475·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	570	440	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces—															
Western— Nagpur	66·69	62·75	533·31	486·62	...	...	32·5	25	100	91·62	..	95	...	5·25	...
Central— Jubbulpore	59·25	45·12	510	430	...	...	26·69	25	66·69	80	177·75	100	5·69	5	...
Eastern— Raipur	...	...	490	420	...	...	29	26·75	160	140	90	66·62	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	66·69	53·56	504·75	404·75	...	...	27·75	28·31	100	100	...	...	...	...	...
Amráoti	73·81	55 37	540	440	...	...	25	20	142·25	124·44	...	...	...	4	...
Madras—															
South, central— Coimbatore	77·6	77·6	487·8	487·8	51·2	64	22·6	24·6	...	...	128	96	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	462·4	466·5	...	...	...	...	171·3	171·3	126·9	67	...	...	7·7
Central— Bellary	58	51·5	471·7	444·4	71·4	79·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	493·4	460·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	115·3	74·1	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66·7	164·5	131·7	75·2	...	...	...
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	433·3	416·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·7
East Coast, south— Madras	...	70·8	559·6	559 6	67·5	65·8	17·5	18 3	136·6	139·9	121·8	74·1	...	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466·7	466·7	...	...	23·4	17·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	473	540·5	...	...	25	30	123·4	123·4	...	...	...	...	...
Southern— Madura	66·7	66·7	675·7	675·7	...	...	...	...	141·1	141·1	...	...	...	...	15
Mysore—															
Mysore (a)	...	72	...	480	...	111·8	...	...	...	205·78*	...	102 86	...	4·79	...
Bangalore	...	56	...	514·27	...	68·54	...	...	...	274·27*	...	85·68	...	8·8	...

* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 108 per 10 maunds

(a) Figures have not so far been reported.

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw	Jawar stalks		Brusa (white)		Bran		Coal (Bengal)		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil per tin		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Rajputana— *Eastern—*
8·59	...	12·84	...	...	34·79	37·24	...	...	...	110	80 to 90	80	3·25	2·56	Ajmer
															Delhi—
...	...	12·5	11·25	10	22·5	28·75	10	6·25	100	60	250	150	2·58	2·2	Delhi
															Punjab— *Southern—*
...	...	...	8·91	8·91	25	23·59	...	7·97	142	95	225	175	3·5	2·72	Ferozepur
															Central—
...	...	...	12·5	10	26·72	27·5	11·25	6·56	150	160	170	170	3·75	2·75	Lahore
															Submontane—
...	...	...	12·5	9·69	23·75	28·75	10·62	10	120	180	...	...	3·56	2·94	Amritsar
															Northern—
...	...	...	12·5	11·41	...	...	11·25	7·5	100	90	120	120	3·75	2·5	Rávalpindi
															Western—
...	...	...	10	7·97	24·37	23·12	11·25	8·75	112	100	180	140	3·5	2·97	Lyallpur
...	...	...	8·91	8·91	26·25	25·91	...	...	105	100	...	...	3·5	2·81	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	...	...	7·34	6·77	25·57	22·76	14·63	8·7	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	4	2·92	Peshâwar
...	...	...	12·03	14·53	24·37	32·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3·12	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·03	2·34	Karáchi
...	...	...	8·12	8·12	25·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·27	2·64	Shikárpur
...	...	...	13·12	12·03	27·5	32·[illegible]	14·14	11·02	120 to 220	105 to 205	...	...	3·34	2·75	Quetta
															Bombay— *Konkan—*
...	...	...	...	...	20·1	31·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·16	2·47	Bombay
															Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75	80	...	...	3·37	2·62	Dharwar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·41	2·53	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·11	2·42	Poona
															Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·39	2·08	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·31	2·56	Dhulia
															Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	22·5	22·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·37	2·69	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces— *Western—*
4·5	...	8	...	...	...	...	7·87	6·25	...	65 to 70	...	120 to 190	2·62	2·31	Nagpur
															Central—
...	...	...	...	...	30	28·56	...	...	60	60	70	70	2·25	1·94	Jubbulpore
															Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·62	2·25	Raipur
															Berar—
...	4·12	8·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	99	90	64	56	2·87	2·56	Akola
...	...	3·69	...	...	...	...	5·69	...	70	65	70	65	2·5	2·19	Amraoti
															Madras— *South, Central—*
...	4	4	...	...	90·5*	90·4*	...	...	...	...	60	60	3·42	2·5	Coimbatore
7·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	...	...	3·38	2·35	Salem
															Central—
...	10·3	10·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	150	140	3·32	2·47	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·38	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·75	2·94	Karnul
															East Coast, Central—
5·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·06	1·85	Nellore
															East Coast, South—
...	...	...	...	...	30·9	35·3	...	...	195†	225†	...	...	...	...	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	11·5	4·1	...	...	170†	170†	...	...	3·58	2·3	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	38·2	44·1	9·2	5·9	...	...	...	...	3·9	2·6	Trichinopoly
															Southern—
15	...	...	...	...	20·4	20·4	...	...	...	...	60	60	3·75	2·25	Madura
															More—
5·1	...	4·43	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	50 to 100	...	50 to 100	...	2·78	Mysore
8·8	...	...	...	...	...	38·8	...	...	...	160	...	120 to 150	...	2·62	Bangalore

* Superior quality † Sheep or goats

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY 1917

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice				Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half month of report	Previous half month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 2	10 2	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	5 1	5 1	...	...	11 3	11 8	12 2	12 3	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 8	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Maubin	4 10	4 10	...	...	9 2	9 2	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	13 2	13 2	...	...	...	...
Henzada	5 9	5 9	...	...	10 6	11 3	10 6	11 3	...	...	...	...
Prome	...	...	...	...	9 11	10 —	13 14	14 9	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 3	12 2	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	12 11	12 3	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	10 5	10 12	...	...	8 5	8 5	10 13	10 13	17 14	17 14	...	...
Bhamo	...	...	...	...	11 3	12 2	12 2	13 4	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Meiktila	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	16 3	16 3	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway	2 10	2 10	...	...	10 10	10 10	12 12	12 12	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyu	3 8	3 8	...	...	9 —	10 —	10 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	8 —	9 —	9 8	11 —	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
Surma—												
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 12	...	...	...	...
Cachar	4 —	4 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 7	7 7	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts—												
Khási and Jáintia Hills	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	7 12	7 8	...	...	...	...
Manipur	18 —	18 —	...	...	22 —	22 —	24 —	24 —	...	...	...	...
Nágá Hills	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	7 —	6 8	...	...	6 8	6 —	10 8	11 —	...	...	...	...
Kámrúp (Gauhati)*	...	7 —	...	...	...	6 —	...	9 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Sibságar	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Backerganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 4	...	...	...	...
Maimensingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 5	7 5	...	...	...	...
Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 1	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	...	...	...	...
Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 14	7 8	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 4	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 2	8 14	...	...	...	...
Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Faridpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight.

*Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	Mergui
...	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 3	11 3	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	4 9	4 9	10 2	10 2	Pegu
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 3	11 3	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 6	9 6	Maubin
...	...	...	...	8 10	8 10	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	9 9	9 9	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 9	9 9	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Henzada
...	...	...	...	8 9	7 6	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 8	9 8	Prome
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	9 2	9 2	...	...	4 10	4 10	8 5	8 5	Thayetmyo
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	9 14	10 11	19 10	19 10	5 14	5 14	8 9	8 9	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	9 5	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Pakôkku
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	32 1	32 1	...	...	9 6	9 6	Meiktila
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4	3 4	14 9	14 9	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	15 —	15 —	Kyaukpyu
...	...	...	...	5 —	5 3	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	Akyab
												Assam—
												Surma—
...	...	...	...	7 4	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 —	11 —	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 12	6 —	9 —	9 —	Cachar
												Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	8 1	7 9	8 14	8 14	6 12	6 2	8 1	7 12	Khási and Jáintia Hills
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Gáro Hills
...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	20 —	20 —	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Manipur
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Nágá Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Lushai Hills
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	11 —	...	...	...	7 4	...	10 —	Kámrúp (Gauhati)
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	8 —	9 —	Darrang
...	...	...	...	6 —	6 8	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 —	8 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	8 —	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 8	9 —	9 —	Sibságar
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 8	9 —	Lakhimpur
												Bengal—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 9	10 9	Noakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 —	10 4	10 —	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Maimensingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 13	5 13	10 11	10 11	Tippera
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	...	10 —	10 —	Dacca
												Deltaic—
...	...		...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 —	Khulna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 8	10 8	24-Parganas
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 —	13 —	Howrah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 1	10 —	10 1	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	Hooghly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 12	12 13	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	10 4	10 4	Jessore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 8	8 8	Faridpur

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY 1917—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Bengal—*continued*												
Western—												
Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 4	10 4	...	...	...	...
Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	...	...	.	...	...	...	10 8	9 12	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 10	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	...	...	...	...
Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 9	9 5	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	..	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...	9 10	9 8	...	...	...	...
Bhágalpur	9 8	9 4	14 —	12 8	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	9 14	9 5	16 8	18 11	...	...	10 7	10 7	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	9 8	9 —	17 —	17 —	..	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
Sáran	9 —	9 —	14 —	16 —	...	...	9 8	9 12	...	...	...	...
Champáran	9 8	10 —	18 —	18 8	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar south—												
Santhal Parganas	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	9 8	9 8	...	20 —	...	...	9 12	9 12	...		...	...
Gaya	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 —	15 —		...
Patna	10 —	10 8	17 —	17 —	...	...	.	12 —	18 —	19 —	...	..
Shahabad	9 —	9 —	12 —	13 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singhbhum	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	8 —	9 —	...	..	...	...
Mánbhum	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...		11 —
Ranchi	7 4	7 4	9 8	9 8	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	9 —	9 —
Palámau*	...	9 —	...	13 8	...	...		10 2	...	...	...	...
Hazáribágh	7 —	7 8	10 —		...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri	7 9	7 11	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur	9 — to 9 8	9 — to 9 8	...	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	8 —	8 —	12 —	12 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	14 —	12 —	11 —	11 —
Benares	8 6	8 6	12 11	12 11	5 9	5 9	7 13	7 13	13 —	13 —	11 15	11 15
Ghazipur	8 3	9 1	13 8	13 4	5 —	5 —	8 11	8 6	13 10	13 13	13 2	13 4
Jaunpur	8 —	8 6	11 13	11 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	9 2	...		...	...
Allahabad	8 8	8 8	10 8	10 8	4 8	4 8	8 12	9 —	14 8	13 8	12 4	12 12
Central—												
Bánda	9 12	9 12	12 8	12 8	5 —	5 —	9 —	8 12	17 8	17 8	13 4	13 4
Fatehpur	9 8	9 —	13 4	14 —	3 8	3 8	9 8	9 9	15 —	16 —	13 4	14 —
Hamirpur	10 12	10 6	10 10	10 10	4 12	4 12	7 12	7 12	14 4	14 8	12 8	12 8
Jalaun	11 13	11 —	15 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	7 —	6 6	15 —	15 —	14 —	14 —
Cawnpore	8 8	8 12	12 8	12 12	...	...	7 4	7 4	15 4	15 4	14 4	13 4
Jhansi	8 7	8 4	14 —	14 12	4 12	4 12	8 1	8 —	13 4	12 8	14 11	14 —
Etáwah	9 2	8 14	12 12	12 12	3 —	3 —	9 —	9 —	14 8	14 —	14 8	13 8
Farrukhabad	9 3	9 9	13 —	13 —	4 1	4 1	9 9	9 9	13 —	13 10	14 10	13 10
Mainpuri	9 8	9 8	12 8	12 8	5 —	5 —	10 —	9 —	13 8	13 8	13 8	13 8
Etah	9 8	10 —	13 —	15 —	4 —	4 —	9 8	9 8	13 8	14 —	14 —	14 8
Western—												
Meerut	(a) 8 4	8 8	12 8	12 8	3 —	3 —	6 1.	6 12	14 —	13 8	12 —	12 —
Agra	7 12	7 8	11 12	12 —	5 12	5 12	..	6 4	14 8	14 8	17 —	16 4
Muttra	9 —	8 8	12 8	12 8	4 8	4 8	7 12	7 12	13 8	16 —	13 —	16 —
Aligarh	8 4	10 —	13 —	14 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	6 —	15 8	16 —	15 —	16 —
Bulandshahr	8 11	9 3	12 12	12 —	3 —	3 —	5 — to 8 —	5 — to 8 —	14 8	15 —	13 —	13 —
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	8 13	8 13	12 8	12 8	5 3	5 3	9 2	9 2	13 10	13 10	...	
Azamgarh	8 12	8 12	14 —	14 —	6 —	6 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	10 —	10 —	13 —	14 4	7 8	8 —	9 12	10 12	...	...	...	...
Basti	9 12	9 8	14 8	16 —	6 4	6 4	11 8	8 8	...	...	...	..

* Figures have not so far been reported.
(a) Under enquiry.

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Bengal—*continued*
												Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	Bankura
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	12 —	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 6	8 —	11 —	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	9 —	9 —	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	9 —	11 —	13 —	Murshidabad
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	9 12	9 12	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	Malda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 2	9 12	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 3	10 —	10 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	8 —	8 —	Rangpur
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Darjeeling
												Bihar and Orissa—
												Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 8	..	18 —	6 8	6 8	9 —	10 —	Purnea
...	...	...	...	12 —	13 —	...	16 —	8 —	...	10 —	...	Bhágalpur
12 10	12 1	...	...	13 12	12 1	14 4	13 12	8 4	8 4	13 12	13 3	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	16 8	16 8	7 8	7 8	13 8	13 8	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	14 —	16 —	13 —	13 —	10 —	10 —	Sáran
...	12 —	...	...	15 —	16 —	18 —	18 —	7 8	7 8	8 12	10 6	Champáran
												Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 8	11 —	12 —	Santhal Parganas
...	...	...	...	11 —	14 —	13 —	12 —	10 —	10 —	9 —	10 —	Monghyr
20 —	18 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 8	16 —	16 —	9 8	9 8	11 —	11 —	Gaya
...	...	13 —	13 —	...	12 —	...	17 8	10 8	11 —	...	12 8	Patna
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	14 —	15 —	8 —	8 —	10 8	10 —	Shahabad
												Chota Nagpur—
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 8	7 —	10 —	10 —	Singbhum
...	...	...	...	9 4	10 8	16 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	Mánbhum
12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	6 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	Ránchi
...	..	...	...	...	12 6	..	15 8	...	9 9	...	10 11	Palámau
16 —	17 —	...	...	10 —	11 —	14 —	15 —	7 8	7 8	9 —	9 2	Hazáribágh
												Orissa—
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	7 3	11 13	16 —	16 —	Puri
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	7 14	7 14	20 —	20 —	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	Balasore
...	...	...	...	10 — to 11 8	10 — to 11—8	..	12 —	7 — to 8 —	7 — to 8 —	14 8	14 8	Sambalpur
												United Provinces—
												(*a*) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 8	16 —	14 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Mirzapur
...	...	11 6	11 6	12 11	12 11	14 10	14 10	8 6	8 6	12 6	12 6	Benares
...	...	...	...	13 2	13 13	18 2	15 1	9 10	9 —	13 7	13 7	Ghazipur
...	9 8	...	15 —	11 8	12 —	16 4	15 12	9 12	9 8	14 —	14 —	Jaunpur
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 8	...	...	11 8	12 4	14 —	12 —	Allahabad
												Central—
...	...	...	...	15 —	13 4	...	...	9 8	9 8	15 4	15 4	Banda
...	...	...	...	13 12	13 12	...	...	11 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	13 12	13 8	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Hamirpur
...	...	...	...	15 2	14 —	...	...	9 -	9 —	...	...	Jalaun
...	...	12 8	12 8	13 —	13 4	17 4	16 12	10 —	10 —	16 8	16 8	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	13 10	13 5	21 6	21 6	8 —	7 11	14 12	14 —	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 12	...	15 —	9 8	10 8	14 —	14 8	Etáwah
...	...	...	...	13 5	13 10	16 6	15 11	10 4	9 14	17 1	16 6	Farrukhabad
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	15 —	15 —	9 —	9 —	15 —	15 —	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	14 —	15 —	9 —	9 —	16 —	15 —	Etah
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 4	14 —	13 8	8 8	8 8	16 12	16 8	Meerut
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	16 —	15 8	6 8	6 12	17 8	17 8	Agra
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	20 —	18 —	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	Muttra
...	...	10 —	10 —	12 8	13 —	16 —	17 —	10 8	10 8	16 4	16 —	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	13 4	12 8	14 8	14 8	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	Bulandshahr
												Submontane, east—
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 6	14 4	13 12	9 7	9 7	13 —	13 —	Ballia
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	15 8	15 8	9 4	9 4	13 —	13 —	Azamgarh
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 12	...	...	10 —	9 8	14 —	14 —	Gorakhpur
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	16 —	16 8	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Basti

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY 1917—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces—*continued*												
(a) AGRA—*continued*												
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	9 4	9 4	13 8	13 4	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	14 8	14 8	14 8	14 —
Budaun	8 5	8 4	11 12	11 4	3 8	3 8	7 4	6 12	12 10	12 10	11 12	11 8
Pilibit	9 —	9 —	13 12	13 12	4 8	4 8	10 4	10 4	...	...	13 8	12 8
Bareli	8 10	8 8	14 4	14 2	4 8	4 8	8 12	9 5	14 12	14 15	13 11	13 12
Moradabad	8 8	8 9	12 12	12 12	4 12	4 12	9 —	9 4	14 4	14 4	12 4	12 8
Bijnor	8 6	8 6	13 12	13 12	3 4	3 4	6 12	6 12	...	...	12 —	12 —
Muzaffarnagar	9 —	8 12	13 2	13 2	7 10	7 10	8 12	8 12	13 2	13 2	13 2	13 2
Saháranpur *	...	8 8	...	12 12	...	8 8	...	7 3	...	...	...	13 13
Dehra-Dun	8 8	8 —	13 —	13 —	3 —	3 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal	6 8	6 8	9 8	9 8	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	9 —	...	9 —	9 —
Almora	5 12	5 8	7 12	7 8	3 —	3 —	6 8	6 4	...	...	...	...
Garhwál *	...	5 —	...	10 —	...	3 —	...	4 8	...	...	...	...
(b) OUDH—												
Southern—												
Partabgarh	9 —	8 12	14 —	12 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	12 —	13 —	12 —
Sultanpur	9 4	9 —	13 4	14 4		...	9 12	10 8	15 —	15 —	...	...
Rae Bareli	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	14 —	13 —
Unao	8 12	8 12	12 10	12 8	4 8	4 8	8 6	8 8	14 —	13 —	14 8	13 12
Lucknow	9 —	8 12	14 —	14 —	4 —	4 —	8 4	8 4	14 —	14 —	14 8	14 —
Hardoi	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	14 8	14 8
Northern—												
Fyzabad	8 14	8 10	13 8	13 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	13 8	13 14	11 —	11 8
Barabanki	9 10	9 4	14 8	14 —	4 6	4 8	9 13	9 6	15 —	14 10	14 2	12 8
Gonda	9 4	9 4	16 —	16 —	5 —	5 —	9 4	9 4	17 —	17 —	14 8	14 8
Bahraich	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 8	5 —	5 —	10 4	10 —	19 —	19 8	18 —	16 8
Sitapur	9 8	9 8	13 8	13 8	4 —	4 —	9 8	10 —	16 —	16 —	15 —	15 —
Kheri	9 4	9 —	14 —	14 —	3 —	3 —	9 —	9 —	16 —	17 8	15 —	14 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	7 12	7 15	11 9	11 15	4 8	4 15	5 2	5 10	21 4	20 9	14 13	15 15
Ajmer	7 —	7 —	10 8	10 8	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	14 —	14 —	12 —	11 —
Kishangarh	7 12	7 8	11 —	10 4	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 —	14 8	14 —	17 —	16 8
Tonk	7 7	7 7	11 4	11 10½	4 4	4 4	7 7	7 7	21 4	21 4	19 2	17 —
Jaipur	8 2	8 2	12 13	11 8	5 —	5 —	5 4	...	17 13	17 4	14 2	14 2
Karauli*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dholpur	8 8½	8 1	14 —	13 8	5 —	5 —	5 4	5 4	16 4	16 14	15 8½	18 —
Bharatpur *	...	7 12	...	12 9	...	4 14	...	5 8	...	17 —	...	17 4
Alwar*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nasirabad	7 12	7 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	16 —	16 —	15 —	14 —
Western—												
Bikaner	7 12	8 —	13 —	13 —	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	14 8	14 —	11 —	11 —
Jaisalmer	6 8	8 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 8	13 —	13 —	10 —	10 —
Jodhpur	6 9 and 7 1	6 8 and 7 4	11 2	11 4	5 4	4 —	6 8	5 —	15 10	16 —	13 5 and 14 6	13 4 and 14 8
Central India—												
Indore	10 —	10 8	11 —	11 —	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	14 —	14 —
Neemuch	9 —	9 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	10 —	10 —
Gwalior	8 8	8 —	...	...	4 12	4 12	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Delhi—												
Delhi	8 8	8 8	11 8	12 —	3 —	3 —	5 12	5 12	14 —	13 8	13 —	13 8
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	8 8	8 8	12 12	12 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Ferozepur	9 —	9 8	13 8	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 4	13 4	13 8	13 8
Central—												
Lahore	9 —	9 —	13 —	12 12	...	...	8 4	8 8	13 —	15 —	13 —	13 [illegible]
Gujranwala	10 4	10 —	13 8	13 8	...	...	9 4	9 4	13 12	13 —	13 12	12 12
Gujrat	10 —	9 4	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 8	...	...	14 —	14 —
Jhelam	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	7 8	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —

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[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												United Provinces—*continued*
												(*a*) Agra—*continued*
												Submontane, west—
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	15 —	15 —	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	Shahjahánpur
...	...	...	10 —	11 15	11 4	14 4	14 12	7 4	7 —	...	15 12	Budaun
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 —	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	11 12	12 1	16 4	16 2	9 —	8 14	16 —	15 12	Bareli
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	14 12	14 12	8 12	8 12	16 4	15 12	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	10 12	11 4	...	...	8 12	8 —	15 —	15 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 8	13 2	18 2	5 8	5 8	16 8	16 8	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	...	11 3	...	14 6	...	8 8	...	16 —	Sahâranpur
11 —	11 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	9 8	9 8	11 —	10 —	Dehra-Dun
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	10 —	10 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Naini Tal
8 4	8 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	5 4	5 4	8 4	8 —	Almora
...	...	...	...	...	6 —	...	...	...	5 —	...	7 —	Garhwál
												(*b*) Oudh—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	Partabgarh
...	...	...	...	15 8	15 8	...	...	10 8	11 —	12 8	13 4	Sultanpur
20 —	20 —	12 —	12 —	14 —	15 —	12 —	12 —	13 —	12 —	13 —	13 —	Rae-Bareli
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	...	15 —	8 8	8 8	15 8	14 8	Unao
...	...	...	...	14 —	13 8	16 —	16 —	10 —	10 —	14 8	14 8	Lucknow
...	...	...	...	14 —	13 8	.	15 8	9 8	9 8	12 —	12 —	Hardoi
												Northern—
...	...	10 8	11 4	13 10	13 8	16 —	16 —	9 12	9 12	14 8	14 8	Fyzabad
16 —	.	10 —	..	15 4	15 5	16 1	14 9	10 —	9 10	11 14	14 8	Barabanki
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	17 8	17 8	8 8	8 8	12 —	16 —	Gonda
...	...	7 —	6 —	17 —	16 8	18 8	18 12	10 —	9 8	13 —	16 —	Bahraich
...	...	12 —	12 —	15 —	15 —	16 —	16 —	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	Sitapur
20 —	20 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	12 8	17 —	16 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	15 —	Kheri
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
...	...	10 5	10 10	9 11	9 15	23 8	23 6	6 12	7 —	12 4	12 5	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	...	4 8	4 8	11 —	10 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Ajmer
...	...	...	...	10 4	10 —	15 —	14 8	...	...	18 —	18 —	Kishangarh
...	...	...	...	10 2	9 13	19 2	17 —	...	...	17 —	17 —	Tonk
...	...	16 3	16 3	11 12 and 12 14	11 8 to 16 3	17 13	16 12	10 —	10 —	17 4	17 4	Jaipur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karauli
...	...	11 8	11 —	12 —	12 4	...	...	8 4	8 4	15 —	15 12½	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	...	11 10	...	17 8	...	7 4	...	15 —	Bharatpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Alwar
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	17 —	17 —	Nasirabad
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	14 —	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	22 — and 24 —	22 — and 24 —	Jaisalmer
...	...	...	...	10 12	10 12	17 8	19 8	5 10 to 6 4	5 — to 6 —	18 —	18 —	Jodhpur
												Central India—
...	...	...	...	13 —	11 8	26 —	26 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Indore
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 8	16 8	16 8	Neemuch
...	...	15 —	15 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	9 10	9 —	14 —	14 —	Gwalior
												Delhi—
...	...	...	...	11 8	12 —	14 —	14 —	9 —	9 6	16 8	16 8	Delhi
												Punjab—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	11 12	13 4	13 12	18 12	5 8	5 8	13 —	10 8	Ferozepur
												Central—
...	...	12 8	12 8	11 8	11 4	12 12	12 12	7 12	7 12	16 [illegible]	16 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 12	13 4	12 8	...	...	17 12	14 12	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	14 —	18 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	12 —	11 8	7 —	6 —	16 —	13 —	Jhelam

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY 1917—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Punjab—*continued*												
South-eastern—												
Gurgáon	8 4	8 4	13 4	13 4	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	15 —	15 8	15 8
Rohtak	8 12	9 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	17 4	17 4	17 —	17 —
Karnál	9 —	9 4	14 8	14 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	15 —	15 —	14 —	14 —
Submontane—												
Ambala	8 8	8 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	15 8	15 8	14 —	14 —
Ludhiana	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	14 8	15 —	12 8	11 8
Jullundur	9 4	9 4	11 12	12 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 8	13 8	12 —	12 —
Hoshiárpur	9 4	9 4	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 6	6 6	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Gurdáspur	9 8	10 —	12 8	12 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 —	...	...
Amritsar	9 7	9 7	10 12	14 4	...	...	7 11	7 12	13 12	13 12	14 12	13 4
Siálkot	9 8	9 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	13 —	13 —
Hills—												
Simla	7 8	7 8	9 4	10 12	...	...	6 8	6	10 —	10 —	10 —	10 —
Kángra	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	..	...	..	...
Northern—												
Káwalpindi	8 4	8 4	13 —	13 8	...	...	7 4	7 4	14 —	14 —	11 12	11 4
Attock	8 6	8 8	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	11 —	11 4
Western—												
Sháhpur	10 4	10 4	...	14 8	...	...	7 12	6 12		10 —	15 —	15 —
Jhang	9 4	9 —	13 4	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	11 12	11 8
Lyallpur	9 8	9 8	13 8	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	..	13 —	13 —
Multan	9 8	9 4	12 —	11 8	...	...	8 8	8 8	13 4	13 8	12 12	12 8
Montgomery	9 4	9 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	12 —	11 —
Muzaffargarh	9 12	9 8	12 —	12 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Dera Ghazi Khan	9 —	9 —	14 —	13 12	...	...	8 12	8 12	14 —	13 12	14 —	14 —
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazára	8 6	8 12	12 10	13 2	3 9	3 9	7 8	8 —	...	...	10 —	10 —
Pesháwar	8 10	8 11	14 12	14 12	4 9	4 9	6 13	6 13	...	...	11 1	11 1
Kohát	8 1	8 1	12 10	12 6	3 13	3 13	8 -	8 —	14 8	14 8	12 7	12 7
Bannu	9 8	9 11	14 11	15 —	4 6	4 6	8 12	9 6	16 14	16 14	12 13	12 13
Dera Ismael Khan	8 2	8 7	12 10	12 12	3 12	3 7	6 4	6 9	14 12	15 —	13 2	13 8
Tochi	11 8	11 8	21 —	21 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Kurram	10 8	10 8	16 —	17 8	7 10	7 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	9 —	9 —	16 —	12 —	4 8	4 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Wano	7 8	7 9	8 8	11 8	3 1	3 —	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karáchi	7 8	7 8	...	..	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	11 —	11 —	11 —	11 —
Hyderabad	8 —	8 —	...	...	8 —	7 —	8 8	8 —	11 8	11 —	13 —	13 —
Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)	8 8	8 8	...	...	4 12	5 —	6 4	6 4	14 —	13 8	13 —	12 —
Shikárpur	8 8	8 8	...	...	5 —	4 8	6 —	5 8	14 —	13 —	14 —	14 —
Upper Sind Frontier	8 6	8 4	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	13 —	12 8	15 —	15 —
Quetta	7 5 to 7 11	7 5 to 7 11	9 14	9 14	3 2	3 2	6 8	6 8	11 4	11 4	11 6	11 6
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	6 13	6 13	...	...	6 1	...	7 4	7 4	11 9	11 9	9 —	10 8
Ratnagiri	6 14	6 14	...	...	5 13	5 13	7 8	7 8	11 15	11 15	10 2	10 2
Alibág	6 5	6 5	...	...	6 1	6 1	7 10	7 10	...	...	8 5	8 5
Bombay	*7 —	*7 —	...	...	4 13	4 13	7 —	6 6	11 —	11 —	8 10	8 10
Thanna	7 15	7 15	...	...	5 8	5 8	5 15	5 15	12 7	12 7	10 15	10 15
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	9 5	9 5	...	...	6 13	6 13	7 10	7 10	14 3	14 3	13 2	13 2
Belgaum	10 1	8 12	...	...	7 6	7 6	8 1	8 1	12 7	12 15	13 13	13 13
Satara	7 10	6 15	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 3	6 15	12 10	12 10	12 2	12 2
Sholapur	10 3	10 3	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 9	8 —	16 5	16 5	15 5	13 8
Bijapur	10 14	10 2	...	...	5 6	5 12	7 5	7 13	15 5	14 13	16 5	15 6
Poona	8 6	8 6	...	...	6 4	5 —	7 4	6 11	15 10	15 10	12 —	12 —
Khandesh and N. E. Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	9 7	9 7	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	17 4	17 4	11 14	11 14
Násik	9 9	9 9	...	...	5 15	5 15	6 10	6 10	...	...	11 10	11 10
Dhulia	10 8	...	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 6	7 6	12 15	12 1	11 2	11 2
Jalgaon	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 10	7 10	12 11	13 2	10 15	11 13
Gujarat—												
Surat	7 6	6 15	...	...	4 10	4 10	6 15	6 15	10 10	10 10	11 2	10 10
Broach	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	12 —	12 —	9 8	9 8
Kaira	6 —	6 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	17 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Baróda	7 —	6 12	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 8	8 8	13 —	13 —	8 8	8 8
Ahmedabad	7 8	7 8	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 —	5 8	15 —	15 —	15 —	15 —
Godhra	7 8	7 —	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	...	...	11 8	12 —
Disa	8 —	7 4	...	...	4 12	4 12	5 4	5 4	16 —	16 —	14 —	13 —
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	10 —	10 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	5 —	5 —	13 —	13 —	10 8	10 8
Central Provinces—												
Nimar	8 7	8 7	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 12	6 12	13 6	13 6	...	...
Hoshangabad	9 2	9 2	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	15 8	15 8	...	...
Betul	9 6	9 6	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 15	6 15	13 9	13 9	...	...
Chhindwara	8 12	8 12	...	...	5 10	5 10	8 12	8 12	12 7	12 7	...	...
Nagpur	9 9 (a)	9 9	...	...	5 —	5 —	9 —	9 12	...	12 7	...	...
Wardha	10 —	9 6	...	...	5 2	5 2	8 15	8 15	13 8	13 3	...	...

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

(a) Under enquiry

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Punjab—*continued*
												South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	8 8	8 8	17 —	16 —	Gurgáon
...	...	...	...	13 12	12 14	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	15 —	Rohtak
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 4	14 8	14 8	5 —	6 8	14 8	14 12	Karnál
												Submontane—
17 —	17 —	9 12	9 12	12 —	12 —	15 8	15 8	8 4	8 4	16 —	15 —	Ambala
...	...	7 8	7 8	12 4	12 —	16 8	16 —	6 8	6 8	16 8	16 8	Ludhiána
...	...	9 —	9 —	11 4	11 8	15 —	15 4	...	...	14 —	14 —	Jullundur
...	...	...	...	10 12	10 12	14 12	15 4	...	...	13 —	12 —	Hoshiárpur
...	...	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 8	16 —	16 —	...	...	18 —	11 —	Gurdáspur
...	...	11 8	10 12	10 8	11 —	14 —	15 —	7 8	7 4	18 —	14 —	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	15 —	13 8	Siálkot
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	11 8	10 12	5 12	5 12	11 —	9 8	Simla
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	5	5 —	8 —	8 —	Kángra
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	10 8	9 12	13 —	11 8	6 —	6 —	15 —	12 —	Ráwalpindi
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 8	11 8	11 8	5 4	5 4	12 —	11 8	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	14 8	14 8	6 —	7 —	14 —	15 —	Sháhpur
14 —	4 —	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	13 8	13 —	...	...	13 —	11 8	Jhang
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 4	15 —	15 —	7	7 —	17 —	14 —	Lyallpur
...	...	13 —	13 —	11 4	11 —	14 8	14 8	6 8	6 8	13 4	12 12	Multan
...	...	...	...	11 10	11 4	15 —	15 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	13 8	12 8	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 4	...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	Dera Ghazi Khan
												N.-W. F. Province—
...	...	9 8	...	8 —	8 —	13 8	14 —	...	...	...	10 4	Hazára
...	...	11 1	11 1	10 2	9 7	11 8	11 7	8 10	8 10	18 3	16 15	Peshawar
...	...	11 —	11 —	9 9	9 9	11 12	11 12	...	...	21 11	21 11	Kohát
...	...	...	...	10 5	11 1	15 —	15 5	...	...	21 4	22 8	Bannu
...	...	...	...	10 5	10 10	12 8	12 8	...	...	15 12	16 4	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	16 —	16 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	10 12	10 12	...	...	...	...	Wano
												Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Karachi
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 8	7 —	18 —	18 —	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	...	...	10 8	...	...	7 4	7 8	16 —	20 —	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	8 —	8 —	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	10 2	10 2	8 7 to 10 —	8 7 to 10 —	5 15 to 6 8	5 15 to 6 8	9 8	9 8	Quetta
												Bombay—
												Konkan—
13 8	13 8	...	...	8 11	8 11	...	...	6 12	6 12	14 10	14 10	Karwar
11 8	11 8	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	6 12	6 12	13 11	13 11	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	8 9	8 9	...	...	6 5	6 5	14 6	17 9	Alibág
8 6	8 6	...	...	9 —	8 6	...	...	6 2	6 2	13 13	13 3	Bombay
9 4	9 4	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	5 15	5 15	15 2	15 2	Thanna
												Deccan and Karnáták—
...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	7 1	7 1	11 13	11 13	Dharwar
14 11	14 11	...	...	9 15	9 7	...	...	7 5	7 9	12 15	13 2	Belgaum
...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	...	...	5 13	6 8	13 1	13 1	Satara
...	...	...	...	10 3	10 3	...	...	7 9	8 6	14 4	14 4	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	10 2	10 10	...	...	7 12	7 11	12 5	13 12	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	10 1	10 1	...	...	6 14	7 8	14 13	14 13	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	11 5	11 5	...	...	7 3	7 3	14 7	14 7	Ahmednagar
13 13	13 13	...	...	12 3	11 8	...	...	7 4	7 4	15 7	15 7	Násik
...	...	...	...	8 2	8 2	...	...	7 9	7 9	10 3	11 8	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	10 1	9 13	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 9	13 2	Jalgáon
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	9 4	9 11	...	...	6 —	6 —	23 2	23 2	Surat
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	21 5	21 5	Broach
16 —	16 —	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	19 —	19 —	Baroda
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	22 8	22 5	Ahmedabad
16 —	17 —	...	...	13 —	12 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	21 —	21 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	30 —	30 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	10 10	10 10	...	...	6 15	6 15	12 4	12 4	Nimar
...	...	...	...	13 8	12 6	...	...	9 2	9 2	14 —	14 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 15	5 15	13 —	11 —	Betul
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	6 11	6 11	14 —	13 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	10 1	11 —	...	...	8 9	7 11	12 —	12 —	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	...	...	8 3	8 3	13 13	12 12	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY 1917—concluded

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice: Best sort		Rice: Common		Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Central Provinces *continued*												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	8 13	8 8	...	...	4 8	4 —	7 —	6 13	13 7	14 —	...	...
Saugor	8 12	9 4	...	...	6 8	6 13	8 12	8 8	15 —	15 —	...	...
Damoh	9 12	9 12	...	...	7 11	8 —	8 11	8 11	18 5	17 2	...	...
Jubbulpore	9 4	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	16 —	...	...
Mandla	9 —	9 8	...	...	8 5	8 5	11 4	11 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni	9 —	9 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	...	...
Bálághát	9 4	9 4	...	...	5 7	5 7	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Bhandára	9 13	9 3	...	...	...	...	10 3	9 9	14 4	14 4	...	...
Chánda	8 2	8 2	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	13 1	13 1	...	...
Eastern—												
Bilaspur	9 14	9 14	...	...	9 14	9 14	11 11	11 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur	10 —	10 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Drug	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	11 6	10 11	...	...	4 13	4 13	6 14	6 14	15 11	16 7	...	...
Akola	9 11	9 11	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 14	15 12	15 12	...	...
Amraoti	8 3	8 3	...	...	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 —	14 3	14 3	...	...
Yeotmal	8 13	8 13	...	...	4 7	4 7	8 1	8 1	13 —	14 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad	7 —	7 —	...	8 12	3 10	4 —	8 3	8 3	13 —	13 —	11 10	14 —
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 5	8 5	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
South central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 15	13 5	10 4	9 15
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	14 9	14 1	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	14 9	15 10	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	...	...	...
Kurnool	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 12	12 12	13 7	...	8 —
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	...	15 1
Godavari	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	18 —	18 —
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 14	11 14	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 7	10 7	11 —	11 —
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	9 14	9 14	...	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 6	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	6 9	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 11	9 1	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	7 8	...	...	11 10	11 10
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	...	...	13 —	12 5
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	7 7	11 12	11 12	10 15	12 5
Southern—												
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 11	11 —	11 —	10 4	10 4
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	10 10	10 10	...	...
Mysore*—												
Mysore	...	...	...	5 8	...	6 8	...	8 —	...	16 —	...	...
Bangalore	...	7 —	...	6 8	...	5 8	..	6 4	...	14 —	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	9 —	8 4	...	...	...	...
Aden	5 1	5 1	...	...	4 —	4 —	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	7 7	7 7

* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Central Provinces —*continued*
												Central—
...	...	...	...	11 15	11 4	...	...	7 12	7 14	14 —	11 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 8	...	...	6 4	6 12	14 —	13 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	12 —	13 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	14 12	14 8	Damoh
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	9 —	8 —	14 —	14 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	11 1	12 1	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 —	13 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	7 13	7 13	9 4	10 13	Bálághát
...	...	...	...	9 5	8 6	...	...	6 11	6 1	10 4	10 11	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	7 11	7 12	...	...	8 2	8 2	11 10	9 9	Chánda
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	10 11	10 11	9 2	9 2	Biláspur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	Raipur
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 8	10 8	Drug
												Berar—
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 12	10 12	Buldána
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	8 6	8 6	11 6	11 6	Akola
...	...	...	...	...	9 15	...	...	...	8 3	16 —	16 —	Amráoti
...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 15	12 15	Yeotmal
												Hyderabad
18 4	18 4	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	11 10	11 10	10 8	10 8	Secunderabad
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 2	16 7	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 6	15 11	S. Canara
												South, central—
11 13	12 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 14	14 14	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 13	11 3	Nilgiris
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12	16 3	Salem
												Central—
15 13	14 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 5	14 5	Bellary
13 14	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 9	14 9	Anantapur
13 1	13 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 6	14 6	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 13	12 8	Karnul
												East Coast, north—
15 10	15 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 13	18 4	Ganjam
16 5	16 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Vizagapatam
15 13	15 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 3	Godavari
												East Coast, central—
13 12	13 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 10	Kistna
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	15 10	Guntur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 —	18 —	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
12 5	12 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 14	22 4	Madras
10 15	10 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	18 11	Chingleput
14 13	15 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 13	13 13	N. Arcot
12 9	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	16 13	S. Arcot
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 3	16 9	Tanjore
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
11 13	12 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 14	20 2	Tinnevelly
10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 5	16 5	Madura
												Mysore—
...	16 —	...	...	...	8 —	...	...	...	7 —	...	12 —	Mysore
...	15 —	...	...	...	7 —	...	...	...	7 4	...	15 —	Bangalore
												Coorg—
15 —	15 —	...	...	18 —	17 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 8	13 8	Coorg
...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 3	6 3	32 —	32 —	**Aden**

COTTON PRESS RETURN.

No. 9 of 1916-17.

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 15th January, 1917.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs. each) (a)	Percentage to total for India	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton pressed in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs. each)	Total quantity pressed from 1st September, 1916, to 15th January, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs. each)	
						Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	35·6	194	26	17,740	116,851	185,451
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	14·0	164	93	51,203	291,287	406,741
Madras	377,000	8·8	55	18	(b)718	44,243	74,101
Punjab (including Native States)	333,000	7·8	92	19	23,602	116,003	89,689
United Provinces	309,000	7·2	80	44	52,499	220,409	192,351
Sind	74,000	1·7	16	2	5,723	26,713	24,292
Burma	45,000	1·1	16	2	4,216	28,416	15,128
Bihar and Orissa	16,000	0·4	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	20,000	0·5	3	1	168	433	931
Assam	11,000	0·3	...	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province	6,000	0·1	1	1	124	2,591	682
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	0·4	9	3	2,022	13,935	(c)
Delhi	...	...	1	1	82	454	399
TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (d)	3,329,000	77·9	631	210	158,097	864,335	989,765
Hyderabad	500,000	11·7	41	(c)	(c)	(c)	7,154
Central India	309,000	7·2	32	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Rajputana	119,000	2·8	10	2	(c)	15,663	6,089
Mysore	16,000	0·4	3	(c)	(c)	2,445	4,485
TOTAL NATIVE STATES (e)	944,000	22·1	86	2	(c)	18,108	17,728
GRAND TOTAL	4,273,000	100	717	212	158,097	882,443	1,007,493

(a) The figures in column 2 are the estimates for 1916-17 as published in the Supplementary Memorandum on the Cotton crop of 1916-17, dated the 20th March, 1917.
(b) Figures for the weeks ending 6th and 13th January, 1917.
(c) No returns received.
(d) Including Native States within provincial boundaries.
(e) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 15th January, 1917.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received in the half-month	Quantity of cotton received in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs. each)	TOTAL QUANTITY RECEIVED FROM 1ST SEPTEMBER, 1916, TO 15TH JANUARY, 1917, (BALES OF 400 lbs. EACH)	
				Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	177	37	18,039	92,316	9,817
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	10	9	7,521	24,424	38,378
Madras	14	9	(a)2,191	40,624	37,877
Punjab	8	2	803	3,576	8,485
United Provinces	15	6	2,566	18,296	29,155
Sind	3	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Bengal	10	9	3,993	28,644	24,873
Ajmer-Merwara	2	2	8,153	30,079	(b)
Delhi	2	2	251	7,794	9,082
TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (c)	236	76	43,517	245,753	157,667
Hyderabad	3	1	377	1,953	1,744
Central India	3	1	1,016	6,824	4,699
Rajputana	1	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Mysore	2	(b)	(b)	617	938
TOTAL NATIVE STATES (d)	9	2	1,393	9,394	7,381
GRAND TOTAL	245	78	44,910	255,147	165,048

Note.—This statement shows the quantity of *unpressed* cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.

(a) Figures for the weeks ending 6th and 13th January, 1917.
(b) No returns received.
(c) Including Native States within provincial boundaries.
(d) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.

III.—Total quantity of Cotton Pressed in the Pressing Factories and of unpressed cotton received in the Spinning Mills, from 1st September, 1916, to 15th January, 1917, in *British Provinces (including Native States within Provincial boundaries)*.

Province	Total estimated outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs. each)	Quantity of cotton pressed up to 15th January, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs. each)	Quantity of unpressed cotton received in spinning mills up to 15th January, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs. each)	Total of columns 3 and 4 (bales of 400 lbs. each)	Percentage ratio of col. 5 to col. 2
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	116,851	92,316	209,167	13·8
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	294,287	24,424	318,711	53·1
Madras	377,000	44,243	40,624	84,867	22·5
Punjab (including Native States) North-West Frontier Province Delhi	339,000	119,048	11,370	130,418	38·5
United Provinces	309,000	220,409	18,296	238,705	77·3
Sind	74,000	26,713	...	26,713	36·1
Burma	45,000	28,416	...	28,416	63·1
Bengal Bihar and Orissa Assam	47,000	433	28,644	29,077	61·9
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	13,935	30,079	44,014*	231·7
TOTAL	3,329,000	864,335	245,753	1,110,088	33·3

Note.—This table contains the totals of tables I and II excluding Hyderabad, Central India, Rajputana and Mysore.

* Includes cotton received from adjoining States in Rajputana.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA
March 23, 1917

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WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA

RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY 1914 TO THE SECOND HALF OF FEBRUARY 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA
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A.—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.	31st October 1914.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3	4 12 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11	4 3 6
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0	5 2 6
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9	4 3 3
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 3 0
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 2 0
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 14 6
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	4 2 0
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6	3 12 0
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 11 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5	4 7 6
	Aligarh	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8	4 13 8
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 9 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0	4 2 0
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 6 2	4 9 1	4 13 6
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 2 3
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 8 1
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1	4 9 1
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	4 1 7
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7	5 5 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 1 0
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...	...
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7	4 12 4
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Dharwar	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4	4 12 4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 8 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	5 0 0
	Cuttack	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4	5 1 4
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5	4 9 0
	Index Numbers (a).	100	100	102	103	104	105	110

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from *fortnightly* returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs.

FORTNIGHT ENDING

15th November 1914.			30th November 1914.			15th December 1914.			31st December 1914.			15th January 1915.			31st January 1915.		
Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
5	3	9	5	0	3	5	2	3	5	8	10	5	5	4	5	5	10
4	9	5	4	8	0	4	10	7	5	1	6	5	3	5	5	0	5
5	5	0	5	9	6	5	6	6	5	10	0	5	10	0	5	14	0
4	11	3	4	13	6	4	11	3	4	13	6	4	13	6	5	2	6
4	11	0	4	11	0	4	8	0	4	8	0	4	12	0	5	2	6
4	9	0	4	9	0	4	7	0	4	10	0	4	12	0	5	6	0
4	7	0	4	8	0	4	6	0	4	10	0	4	9	0	4	14	0
4	7	0	4	7	0	4	5	6	4	12	0	4	14	0	5	0	0
4	3	0	4	3	0	4	2	0	4	4	0	4	5	0	4	15	0
5	0	0	5	0	0	4	14	0	5	0	0	5	2	0	5	8	0
5	6	0	5	6	0	5	2	6	6	5	0	5	5	0	5	8	0
4	9	10	4	12	2	5	1	5	5	1	7	5	4	4	5	6	1
5	5	8	5	5	7	5	4	[illegible]	5	2	8	5	8	0	5	3	0
5	4	0	5	6	0	5	4	0	5	6	0	5	9	0	5	12	0
4	13	6	5	2	6	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	11	5	5	14	9
4	10	0	5	0	0	4	15	0	5	0	0	5	11	6	5	6	0
5	5	6	5	11	5	5	5	4	5	8	3	5	8	3	5	11	5
4	7	0	5	0	0	5	1	0	5	1	0	5	8	0	5	8	3
5	0	0	5	2	6	5	8	4	5	8	4	5	11	5	5	8	3
4	11	4	4	11	4	4	11	4	4	11	4	5	6	5	5	11	0
4	13	7	4	13	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	8	4	5	14	10
4	8	0	4	14	5	4	14	5	4	14	5	5	8	0	6	9	7
5	2	0	5	5	7	4	15	2	5	13	7	7	8	10	7	8	10
3	15	7	4	3	10	4	3	10	4	3	10	4	3	10	4	6	2
4	5	6	4	8	1	4	1	0	4	9	0	4	9	0	4	10	5
...			5	14	10	...			5	11	7	...			6	5	3
...			...			...			6	14	4	...			6	1	7
5	3	0	5	14	0	5	14	0	5	14	0	6	0	0	6	8	0
4	10	3	4	3	3	4	11	2	4	1	5	...			4	14	6
4	6	0	4	12	0	4	10	0	5	4	0	5	8	0	5	12	0
4	11	0	5	4	0	5	4	0	5	4	0	5	11	0	6	6	0
4	7	0	4	7	0	4	7	0	5	5	0	5	11	6	6	2	6
5	4	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	6	4	0	6	4	0	6	4	0
5	4	0	5	9	0	5	9	0	5	9	0	5	9	0	5	9	0
5	8	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	6	8	0	...			...		
5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	6	0	0
5	9	0	5	9	0	5	9	0	5	9	0	5	9	0	5	9	0
5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	9	0	5	13	1
4	12	5	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	2	8	5	8	0	5	9	0
115			121			121			125			133			134		

15th February 1915.			28th February 1915.			15th March 1915.			31st March 1915.			15th April 1915.			30th April 1915.		
Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
6	2	4	6	4	4	5	6	4	5	4	3	5	4	3	4	12	3
5	5	9	5	2	8	4	13	6	4	7	7	4	15	2	4	11	1
6	10	0	6	6	0	5	4	0	5	3	0	5	3	6	4	13	0
5	14	9	5	5	3	5	2	6	5	0	0	4	13	6	4	3	3
5	12	0	4	14	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	4	0	0
5	14	0	5	0	0	4	12	0	4	12	0	4	10	0	4	1	0
5	6	9	5	6	0	4	14	9	5	0	0	5	0	0	4	8	0
5	8	0	5	8	0	4	9	6	4	7	0	4	6	0	3	13	0
5	6	0	4	8	0	4	8	0	4	5	0	4	8	0	4	6	6
6	2	0	6	2	0	5	8	0	5	13	0	5	4	0	3	12	0
6	2	0	6	2	0	5	8	0	6	6	0	5	0	0	4	7	1
5	14	7	5	14	7	5	12	1	5	8	10	4	15	3	4	13	11
5	15	2	...			5	5	7	5	11	2	4	8	8	4	3	6
6	10	8	6	2	0	5	12	0	5	0	0	4	9	0	4	5	0
6	10	9	5	11	6	5	5	3	6	2	6	4	8	6	4	0	0
5	11	6	5	14	3	6	2	3	4	9	0	4	5	0	4	2	0
6	10	8	6	10	8	5	8	3	6	6	4	4	11	3	4	7	1
6	2	9	6	2	9	5	4	6	4	12	3	4	9	2	4	5	6
6	2	3	6	2	3	5	0	0	4	13	6	4	5	3	4	5	3
5	11	0	5	0	0	...			4	6	7	4	5	0	4	5	0
6	6	5	5	14	10	5	14	10	4	11	4	4	8	2	4	8	2
6	9	7	6	0	0	5	3	2	3	14	5	4	0	0	4	0	0
6	1	7	5	10	5	5	8	10	4	12	5	4	6	0	4	9	0
5	3	11	5	0	0	4	11	10	4	3	10	4	8	7	4	8	7
4	14	6	5	8	4	5	10	7	5	5	3	5	2	0	4	15	6
6	5	3	5	8	4	5	1	11	5	6	3	5	7	10	5	6	2
5	2	3	5	2	3	4	8	4	4	6	6	4	1	1	...		
6	4	0	5	8	0	5	6	0	5	0	0	4	14	0	4	14	0
4	6	6	4	1	5	3	11	10	3	10	6	3	3	5	3	7	0
6	0	0	6	0	0	5	12	0	5	6	0	4	6	0	4	9	0
6	6	0	6	6	0	5	12	0	4	13	0	4	8	0	4	8	0
6	2	6	6	2	6	6	10	6	6	10	6	5	0	0	5	0	0
7	0	0	7	0	0	6	0	0	5	0	0	4	12	0	4	14	0
6	12	11	6	12	11	6	1	6	6	1	6	4	11	3	5	1	3
...			...			...			...			...			...		
6	0	0	6	4	0	6	4	0	6	4	C	5	8	0	5	8	0
5	9	0	5	9	0	5	9	0	6	5	5	6	5	5	6	5	5
5	13	1	5	7	6	5	2	7	4	13	7	4	12	5	4	12	5
6	0	0	5	12	10	5	5	9	5	0	0	4	11	3	4	8	0
145			140			129			121			114			109		

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 15th May 1915	31st May 1915	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	4 7 9	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 4 3	4 6 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 8 3	4 12 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 12 7	4 15 2	4 9 10	...	...	...	...	5 3 0	5 4 4
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 6	4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6
Punjab	Lahore	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 11 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3
	Ferozepur	3 10 0	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0
	Lyallpur	3 11 0	3 14 6	3 9 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0
	Amritsar	3 7 9	3 12 3	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 3
	Multan	3 7 6	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 3
	Rawalpindi	3 10 0	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 14 0	4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0
	Ambala	3 14 0	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0
Delhi	Delhi	4 1 6	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 8 8	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4
	Aligarh	4 0 2	3 14 1	3 14 5	4 3 5	4 9 4	4 7 5	4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3
	Cawnpore	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6
	Meerut	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 3 6	4 7 3	4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0
	Agra	3 12 11	4 5 2	4 4 8	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Fyzabad	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 9 6	4 10 0	4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6
	Lucknow	4 2 6	4 4 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 11	4 3 5	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 10	4 7 2	4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10
	Jubbulpore	4 3 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 4 10	4 7 2	4 7 2	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2
	Akola	4 8 10	4 2 10	4 2 10	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 14 5	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 11 6	3 4 6	3 8 10	3 8 10	3 13 4	4 1 7	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 13 6	4 11 2	4 10 0	4 7 3	4 0 5	3 15 6	4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6
Bombay	Poona	5 10 6	5 6 2	5 1 11	5 1 4	5 4 1	5 4 1	5 5 1	...	5 8 11
	Ahmednagar	4 11 11	4 10 1	4 8 4	4 10 1	4 13 9	4 14 8	4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11
	Ahmedabad	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4
	Dharwar	3 10 6	3 8 1	3 7 0	3 11 9	3 8 1	3 8 1	3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0
	Bhagalpur	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0
	Muzaffarpur	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Ranchi	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0
	Cuttack	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5
	Mandalay	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6
	(Median Average)	4 4 0	4 5 2	4 5 0	4 6 2	4 7 1	4 7 4	4 11 9	4 9 3	4 11 3
	Index Numbers (a)	103	104	104	106	107	108	114	111	114

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100

India per maund of 82½ lbs—contd.

Fortnight ending													
30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915	15th January 1916	31st January 1916	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9
5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 3 9
5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0
4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9
4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6
4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0
4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0
4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 2 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0
4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
4 10 6	4 12 11	4 1[illegible] 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 8 10	4 2 10	4 1 2
4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0
4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0
4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6
5 2 6	5 2 6	5 3 3	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4
4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 [illegible]	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 8	3 13 6
4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6
4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2
4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 1	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2
4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	.	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2
3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6
4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4
4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0
5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11
4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10
5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0
3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 9	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 [illegible]	3 2 3	3 0 10	2 15 11
5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0
5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0
5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1
4 12 10	4 12 0	4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0
116	115	117	118	117	117	118	117	117	114	113	101	95	92

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 30th April 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th May 1916. Rs. A. P.	31st May 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th June 1916. Rs. A. P.	30th June 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th July 1916. Rs. A. P.	31st July 1916. Rs. A. P.	15th August 1916. Rs. A. P.	31st August 1916. Rs. A. P.
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	3 11 8	3 12 3	3 12 9	3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 3	4 6 9	4 8 9
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0
Punjab	Lahore	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0
	Ferozepur	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0
	Lyallpur	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0
	Amritsar	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0
	Multan	3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6
	Rawalpindi	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0
	Ambala	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0
Delhi	Delhi	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 1 2	4 1 2	3 14 11	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5
	Aligarh	3 13 1	3 13 1	3 13 1	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8
	Cawnpore	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Meerut	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 9 0	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6
	Shahjahanpur	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 5 6	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6
	Agra	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2
	Fyzabad	3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0
	Lucknow	3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2
	Jubbulpore	3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5
	Raipur	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5
	Akola	3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6
Bombay	Poona	4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8
	Ahmednagar	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2	3 9 10	3 11 2	..	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9
	Ahmedabad	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0
	Dharwar	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6
	Bhagalpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0
	Muzaffarpur	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Ranchi	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0
	Cuttack	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4
Bengal	Rangpur	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Ahmherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 8 1
	Mandalay	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9
	(Median Average)	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0
	Index Numbers (b)	92	92	92	92	90	93	92	94	97

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 80% red.

(a) Prices at ports after 28th February 1917.

Ports	Rate per	On 9th March 1917. Rs. A. P.	On 16th March 1917. Rs. A. P.	On 23rd March 1917. Rs. A. P.
Karachi (white)	Maund	4 13 3	4 13 3	4 12 9
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	"	4 10 2	4 10 9	4 8 9
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	"	4 12 0	4 14 6	4 9 6

(b) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—*concld.*

Fortnight ending												Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 28th February 1917 compared with preceding fortnight
15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917	
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	R. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
4 7 0	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 7 3	4 9 3	4 13 3	4 13 9	4 14 9	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 12 9	4 13 6	+1
4 8 0	4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 6	4 9 6	4 14 10	4 13 0	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 8 9	4 10 7	4 9 10	−1
4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 10 0	5 2 6	5 0 0	...	4 13 0	4 10 0	4 11 0	4 13 0	+3
3 13 0	3 11 6	3 14 3	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	*Nil*
3 11 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 1 9	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 1 9	4 5 3	+5
3 11 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 15 6	4 6 0	4 1 0	4 3 0	4 7 0	4 4 6	4 2 0	4 3 0	+2
3 10 0	3 7 0	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 9 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	4 3 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	*Nil*
3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	−4
3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	4 10 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	*Nil*
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 12 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	*Nil*
3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	5 0 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	−3
4 0 8	4 0 8	4 0 8	3 15 9	3 14 11	3 14 11	4 14 3	4 12 11	4 10 6	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	*Nil*
4 1 4	4 1 8	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 9	4 11 7	4 6 11	4 8 11	4 8 11	4 5 2	4 5 4	4 5 5	*Nil*
4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	+3
3 13 0	3 10 3	3 11 3	3 11 6	4 0 0	5 2 9	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 11 3	5 11 3	+21
3 11 6	3 11 9	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 14 6	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	*Nil*
4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	−2
4 0 0	3 14 9	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 5 6	4 9 3	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 5 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	−1
4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 2	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	−5
3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 3 5	+5
3 14 10	3 14 5	3 12 2	3 11 6	4 0 10	4 6 0	4 7 1	4 6 0	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 4 4	4 3 5	−1
3 10 5	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7	4 8 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
3 14 0	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	*Nil*
3 9 6	3 8 3	3 8 3	3 10 4	3 12 7	4 4 3	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 5 8	4 4 9	4 8 7	4 9 8	+1
4 13 9	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 15 0	4 13 0	5 0 3	5 3 3	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	*Nil*
4 2 8	4 2 8	4 11 7	4 11 7	...	4 11 9	4 12 8	...	4 11 7	4 10 5	..	4 11 7	
3 8 11	3 9 10	3 9 5	3 8 11	3 8 1	3 10 9	3 11 3	3 8 1†	3 8 11	3 4 5	4 1 1	3 13 7	−6
4 3 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	*Nil*
3 1 10	3 3 10	3 2 10	3 8 2	3 10 6	3 8 2	.	3 11 11	3 4 10	3 2 4	3 8 2	4 0 2	+14
3 7 6	3 7 6	3 4 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	+7
4 0 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	−6
4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	*Nil*
4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 1 5	5 1 5	5 1 5	4 11 3	4 11 3	*Nil*
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	*Nil*
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	*Nil*
5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 0 8	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 4 3	3 14 1	3 8 7	3 5 7	3 8 7	+5
4 0 0	3 14 9	3 14 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 0	4 7 6	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 6 2	4 6 0	*Nil*
97	95	94	94	97	110	108	107	110	107	106	103	

† Subject to revision

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 28th February as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	15th February	28th February	Increase or Decrease.	15th February	28th February	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	100	*Nil*	100	99	—1
Punjab . .	100	102	+2	100	100	*Nil*
United Provinces .	100	99	—1	100	97	—3
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	102	+2	100	99	—1

B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.	31st October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0	7 8
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0	9 4
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 4
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 4
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4	9 8
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4	9 8
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 4
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13	8 8
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 0
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 8
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 11	9 10	9 6	9 4	9 8
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 4
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5¼	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	6 13
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Index Numbers (a)	100	103	103	106	106	109	112

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from fortnightly returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head-quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending											
15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 3	5 8	5 14	5 14
6 14	6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12	8 0	9 0
8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12	8 0	9 8
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12	7 14	8 8
9 4	9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 14
8 4	8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 8	9 8
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12	9 0	10 4
7 12	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8	7 8	10 4
7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0	7 12	9 0
8 6	8 1½	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5	7 13	7 13
7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 12	7 12	8 8	9 0
8 0	7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4	8 4	9 12
7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 8
7 12*	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0	9 0	9 0
7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14	8 2	8 14
8 8	8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4	8 12	9 10
8 12	7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2	8 8	8 12
8 5	8 5	8 8	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15	8 15	8 15
8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4	8 8	8 8
8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0	9 12	9 8
7 6	7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6	5 6	7 6
9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2	8 7	8 7
9 4	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10½	8 2¾	7 4¾	7 1	7 8¾	7 13	8 1
6 13	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2	6 13	7 2
8 2	8 2	8 2	5 14	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2
7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8	8 0	8 0
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0	10 8	10 8
9 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	7 2	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8	8 12	8 8
8 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4	8 12	8 14
8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	7 8	7 8
7 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 4	8 0	8 4	8 0
7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9	8 8	7 14
7 4	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	5 10	5 10	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 8	6 8	6 14	7 5	7 12	8 0	8 0
8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12	8 4	8 8
120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	128	116	112

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.
		Fortnight ending								
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Bombay *	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8
	Ferozepur	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12	9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12
	Amritsar	11 4	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8
	Rawalpindi	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4
	Lyallpur	10 4	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
	Multan	11 4	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12
	Ambala	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2
Delhi	Delhi	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4
United Provinces.	Benares	7 15	8 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4
	Cawnpore	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0
	Meerut	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8	8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0
	Agra	..	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	Lucknow	9 8	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4
	Aligarh	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14	9 10	9 0	9 12	8 12
	Fyzabad	9 0	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	9 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	9 8	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Akola	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14
Baluchistan	Quetta	8 4	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0	10 2	9 13¾	9 11½	9 10½
Bombay	Poona	6 13	6 13	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 3
	Ahmednagar	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0
	Dharwar	10 8	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Bhagalpur	8 14	8 12	8 10	8 12	9 14	8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9
	Muzaffarpur	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8
	Ranchi	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12
	Cuttack	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay	7 8	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14
	(Median Average)	9 0	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4
	Index Numbers (a)	106	106	108	109	112	112	116	116	116

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas.]

FORTNIGHT ENDING

30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
5 8	5 8	5 8	5 3	5 8	5 3	5 3	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0
8 12	8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0
8 12	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8
8 8	8 8	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0
8 14	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8
8 2	8 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8
7 15	7 13	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	...	9 8
8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0
7 8	7 8	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12
8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0
9 0	8 8	7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12
8 12	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0
8 0	7 9	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6
8 2	8 2	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0
8 0	8 4	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4
8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4
9 7	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8
8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0
9 8½	9 8	9 0⅜	8 4⅜	8 4½	8 6	8 9½	8 8½	8 6½	8 6⅓	8 6½	8 8½	8 11
7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6
7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14	8 2	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9
7 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0
9 15	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5
7 12	8 8	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0
6 14	6 15	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8
6 12	7 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 3
5 10	5 10	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4
8 0	8 2	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 0½	10 0
120	118	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	118	116	106	96

B—Retail prices of·

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8
	Bombay*	7 5	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	11 0	11 8	10 12	10 12	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0
	Ferozepore	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8
	Amritsar	11 8	11 12	12 12	11 12	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12
	Rawalpindi	10 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0
	Lyallpur	12 8	13 0	12 12	12 8	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0
	Multan	11 12	12 4	12 4	11 8	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4
	Ambala	10 12	11 8	11 12	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12
Delhi	Delhi	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
United Provinces	Benares	9 8	8 15	...	9 12	9 12	..	9 10	9 10	9 10
	Cawnpore	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Meerut	10 8	11 0	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0
	Agra	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4
	Lucknow	10 8	11 0	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0
	Aligarh	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0
	Shahjahanpur	10 10	11 12	12 8	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0
	Fyzabad	10 2	10 4	11 0	10 10	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	10 0	9 11	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3
	Jubbulpore	10 12	11 4	11 14	11 14	12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4
	Raipur	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Akola	9 7	10 8	10 8	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	9 4	9 1	9 1	9 0¾	9 0	9 0	9 2¼	8 15	8 10
Bombay	Poona	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10
	Ahmednagar	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Dharwar	11 5	11 5	10 14	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 0	10 0	10 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0
	Bhagalpur	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0
	Muzaffarpur	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Ranchi	8 0	8 0	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8
	Cuttack	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12
	(Median Average)	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 0	10 0
	Index Numbers (a)	96	96	92	96	96	92	94	96	96

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*contd.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending: 31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 28th February 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	*Nil*
7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	*Nil*
...	...	...	...	..	.	...	..	...		..	...	...	...
10 4	10 4	10 8	10 0	9 12	9 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	*Nil*
10 4	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	+6
10 10	10 12	11 8	10 12	10 9	10 12	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 1	9 4	9 7	9 7	*Nil*
10 4	10 4	10 6	10 6	10 10	9 11	8 6	8 14	8 4	8 14	8 10	8 4	8 4	*Nil*
10 0	10 9	10 8	10 11	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 8	9 4	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	—3
10 6	10 6	10 6	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 2	8 10	8 10	8 6	8 6	8 8	8 8	*Nil*
10 0	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 8	9 8	7 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	*Nil*
9 10	9 8	9 8	9 10	9 10	9 12	9 3	7 15	7 15	8 4	8 6	8 6	8 6	*Nil*
9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	+3
10 0	10 1	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 12	7 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	+3
9 0	9 [illegible]	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 12	7 8	7 12	—3
9 12	9 2	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 14	8 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	—3
9 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	9 0	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	10 0*	8 4*	+21
10 8	10 8	10 8	10 10	10 12	10 6	9 0	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	*Nil*
9 12	9 14	9 14	9 12	10 0	10 0	8 14	8 4	8 10	8 6	8 10	8 10	8 14	—3
10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	8 15	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9*	*Nil*
10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 8	9 10	9 0	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 14*	9 4	+7
10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	8 2	9 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
10 12	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	*Nil*
10 0	11 0	11 4	11 4	10 14	10 7	9 5	9 5	9 3	9 2	9 3	8 11	8 10	+1
8 5½	8 4	8 6	8 8	8 1½	8 1½	7 15½	7 11	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	*Nil*
9 10	9 10	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	*Nil*
9 9	9 9	9 9	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 2	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	*Nil*
8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	*Nil*
11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	10 11	10 4	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	*Nil*
11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	10 8	9 0	9 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	+5
9 8	10 0	10 2	10 5	9 6	8 0	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 6	9 4	9 8	—3
9 8	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 8	—5
9 0	9 8	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 8	7 8	7 7	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	*Nil*
9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13	9 13	7 11	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	*Nil*
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	*Nil*
7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 14	9 9	10 5	10 12	10 5	+4
9 12	9 14	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	8 8	8 9	8 10	8 8	8 10	8 12	8 14	—1
98	97	96	96	96	98	112	112	111	112	111	109	108	

*Under enquiry

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 28th February as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917. 15th February	1917. 28th February	1917. Increase or Decrease Per cent.	1916. 15th February	1916. 28th February	1916. Increase or Decrease Per cent.
India . . .	100	99	—1	100	98	—2
Punjab . .	100	103	+3	100	100	*Nil*
United Provinces .	100	103	+3	100	97	—3
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	102	+2	100	100	*Nil*

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending 30th July 1914=100]

Date.	Karachi. White (5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red). Price.	Karachi. White. Index Numbers.	Karachi. Red (5% barley, 3% dirt and 92% red). Price.	Karachi. Red. Index Numbers.	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pissy). Price.	Bombay. Index Numbers.	Calcutta (Club No. 2). Price.	Calcutta. Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 30th July 1914	31 6	100	31 3	100	32 9	100	34 9½	100
„ 6th August „	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9½	100
„ 3rd September „	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
„ 1st October „	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...	...
„ 5th November „	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8½	120
„ 3rd December „	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
„ 30th „ „	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	...
„ 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
„ 4th February „	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
„ 25th „ „	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10	146
„ 4th March „	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
„ 1st April „	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
„ 6th May „	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
„ 3rd June „	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
„ 2nd July „	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	..	35 10½	103
„ 23rd „ „	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
„ 6th August „	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
„ 27th „ „	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
„ 3rd September „	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
„ 29th „ „	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
„ 8th October „	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
„ 5th November „	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	122
„ 3rd December „	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
„ 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	122
„ 4th February „	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
„ 3rd March „	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
„ 7th April „	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
„ 5th May „	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11	95
„ 12th „ „	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5	93
„ 2nd June „	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
„ 9th „ „	30 0	95	29 9	95	32 3	98	32 11	95
„ 16th „ „	29 0	92	28 9	92	32 7	99	32 8	94
„ 23rd „ „	28 6	90	28 3	90	32 7	99	32 2	92
„ 30th „ „	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
„ 7th July „	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
„ 14th „ „	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2	95
„ 21st „ „	32 9	104	32 6	104	34 5	105	32 8	94
„ 28th „ „	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96
„ 4th August „	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
„ 11th „ „	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
„ 18th „ „	35 3	112	34 3	110	36 5	111	34 4½	99
„ 25th „ „	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
„ 31st „ „	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2½	111	33 4½	96
„ 8th September „	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1½	98
„ 15th „ „	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	35 10½	110	34 1½	98
„ 22nd „ „	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
„ 29th „ „	34 0	108	33 0	106	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
„ 5th October „	34 0	108	33 0	106	33 8	103	...	...
„ 13th „ „	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
„ 20th „ „	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½	98
„ 27th „ „	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½	98
„ 3rd November „	36 3	115	35 3	113	37 0	113	34 11	100
„ 10th „ „	36 9	117	35 9	114	37 0	113	34 11	100
„ 17th „ „	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 7	112	36 10	106
„ 24th „ „	37 9	120	36 9	118	39 2	120	37 10	109
„ 1st December „	38 6	122	37 6	120	39 3	120	41 1	118
„ 8th „ „	38 9	123	37 9	121	39 4	120	40 7	117
„ 15th „ „	38 9	123	37 9	121	38 4	117	39 10	114
„ 22nd „ „	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 0	116	38 10	112
„ 29th „ „	39 3	125	38 3	122	37 5	114	...	...
„ 5th January 1917	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 1	116	39 4	113
„ 12th „ „	40 6	129	39 6	126	38 2	117	38 4	110
„ 19th „ „	40 3	128	39 3	126	37 6	114	37 4	107
„ 26th „ „	40 6	129	39 6	126	36 3	111	36 10	106
„ 2nd February „	40 0	127	39 0	125	36 8	112	36 10	106
„ 9th „ „	39 6	125	38 6	123	37 2	113	36 10	106
„ 16th „ „	38 3	121	37 3	119	37 2	113	37 4	107
„ 23rd „ „	39 0	124	38 0	122	37 2	113	37 10	109
„ 2nd March „	38 7½	123	37 7½	120	36 9	112	38 4	110
„ 9th „ „	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	37 10	109
„ 16th „ „	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 3	114	39 1	112
„ 23rd „ „	38 3	121	37 3	119	36 3	111	36 7	105

NOTE.—The Indian price quotations are market and not F. O. B. prices. The source of these quotations is the Price Current [illegible]

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN LONDON.

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades, taken as 100.]

Date.	Choice White Karachi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Red Karachi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Delhi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Choice White Bombay. Price.	Index Numbers.	Club No. 1. Price.	Index Numbers.	Club No. 2. Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-Aug.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st August „	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...
3rd September 1914	46 0	116	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October „	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November „	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December „	50 6	128	50 0	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th „ „	Nominal	...	..	..	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	..	..	50 6 April-May sellers.	100
30th „ „	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	103
9th January 1915	52 3 Do.	132	..	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	.	...	...	53 6 Do.	106
4th February „	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th „ „	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April.	128
4th March „	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	.	...	59 6 April-May.	118
8th April „	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	.	64 3 Do.	127
6th May „	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	129
12th „ „	63 9 Do.	161	63 3 Do.	126	64 3 Do	127	66 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June „	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	121
2nd July „	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	104
23rd „ „	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	110
6th August „	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
27th „ „	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
3rd September „	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	..		Nominal	.	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
From 24th Sept. 15 to 18th April 16.	No sellers	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...
From 28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
2nd and 9th June 1916	Nominal	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
17th June 1916	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
23rd „ „	55 0 June sellers.	139	..	.	.	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th „ „	55 6 sellers.	141	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 29th June to 7th July '16.	Nominal	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916	58 6 July-Aug.	148	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
22nd „ „	59 0 Do.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th „ „	61 3 July-Aug. sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...
4th August „	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th „ „	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th „ „	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	.	..	..	...	...	...	..	..
25th „ „	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal	..		...	...	...	..	..	...	...
31st „ „	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th September „	73 6 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15th „ „	72 3 Oct sellers.	183	Do.	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	71 0 Do.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th „ „	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October „	72 3 Oct. paid.	188	Do.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th „ „	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21st „ „	75 6 Do.	191	Do.	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
27th „ „	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	79 6 sellers.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd November „	79 0 paid.	200	Do.	...	79 6 Noml.	157	..	...	...	...	...	...
10th „ „	80 0 passage.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th „ „	80 3 Nov.-Dec. sellers.	208	Do.	...								
24th „ „	81 0 paid.	205	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st December „	82 0 buyers.	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th and 15th Dec. 1916	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th December 1916	82 0 paid.	208	81 6 paid.	163	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	No sellers.	...	Nominal.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
29th „ „	Do.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th January 1917	Do.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
12th „ „	Do.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th „ „	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
26th „ „	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd February „ to 23rd March „	82 0 Feb.-Mar. & Mar.-April.	208	No sellers	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...

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DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA.

CALCUTTA, MARCH 28, 1917.

Supplementary Memorandum on the WHEAT CROP of 1916-17 for the Fortnight ending 20th March.

It has been decided by the Government of India to publish fortnightly a report on the condition of the wheat crop. These fortnightly reports will continue until the end of May. A special wheat forecast will also be published in the third week of April. The fortnightly reports have not, however, been called for from Native States.

Since the publication of the Second Wheat Forecast on March 12, 1917, revised estimates of area have been received from the Central Provinces and Berar and the Jaisalmer State* of Rajputana. The total revised area for All-India thus stands at 32,885,000 acres as against 32,845,000 acres reported in the Second Forecast.

The general condition of the standing crop is good, except in the unirrigated tracts of the North-West Frontier Province and Delhi, where the crop has been badly damaged by lack of rain. In Bengal the crop suffered from high winds and drought, and its condition is reported to be fair. There has been slight damage by hail or frost in some of the western districts of the United Provinces, in two districts of Bihar and Orissa, and in parts of Delhi. No report has been received regarding the present condition of the crop in the Punjab.

Harvesting has commenced in the United Provinces, the Central Provinces and Berar, Bihar and Orissa, Bengal, and Ajmer-Merwara, and is in full swing in the Bombay Presidency. Threshing has begun in parts of the Central Provinces and Berar and Bombay.

The provincial reports so far received are summarised below :—

United Provinces.—There has been no change in the estimate of area sown. The condition of the crop is reported to be generally satisfactory. There has been slight damage by hail in some of the western districts. Hot west winds which set in last week, are ripening the crop somewhat too rapidly. But nothing has occurred so far to affect the outturn, which is estimated at 100 per cent (normal) for the provinces as a whole. Harvesting has begun in Bundelkhand.

Central Provinces and Berar.—The area sown in the British districts is now estimated at 3,745,000 acres as against 3,716,000 acres reported in the Second Forecast, or an increase of nearly 1 per cent. The area in the Native States of Khairagarh and Nandgaon has also been raised to 130,000 acres from 124,000 acres in the Second Forecast. The combined area comes to 3,875,000 acres as against 3,840,000 acres in the Second Forecast. There has been no rainfall during the fortnight and no damage is reported. Harvesting commenced from 22nd February and is likely to be completed by the end of April. Threshing has begun only in nine districts. Prospects of yield are reported to be excellent.

Bombay and Sind.—There has been no change in the estimate of area sown. No rain fell during the fortnight and weather conditions continue favourable throughout the Presidency and Sind. Harvesting of unirrigated wheat is in full swing in the Presidency, and threshing has commenced in places. In the Karnatak the crop has been benefited by recent rains and is now estimated to yield above normal.

Bihar and Orissa.—There has been no change in the estimate of area sown. Recent rains have been beneficial to the wheat crop. Slight damage by hail and frost is, however, reported from small areas in two districts. Harvesting has just commenced in most districts of the Patna and Tirhut divisions. Prospects of the crop are good.

North-West Frontier Province.—No change has been made in the estimate of area sown. Slight rain fell in some districts, but more rain is badly wanted throughout the province. The condition of the standing irrigated crop is generally average, but that of the unirrigated crop is below normal and even poor in certain places. Harvesting is not undertaken before the end of April.

Bengal.—There has been no change in the estimate of area sown. High winds have laid the crop in parts of Murshidabad, but little damage is reported. In Pabna the rainfall of February last has improved the condition of the crop. In Burdwan slight damage has been caused by the rainfall of the past weeks; whereas in Nadia and Darjeeling drought has slightly affected the crop. Prospects are reported to be fair on the whole. Harvesting has commenced and is likely to be completed by the end of April. The outturn is not generally reported to be satisfactory.

Delhi.—No change has been reported in the estimate of area sown. Lack of rain has adversely affected the unirrigated crop, and there has been damage by chill and frost. These adverse conditions may reduce the outturn to half the normal crop. Harvesting has not yet commenced.

Ajmer-Merwara.—The estimate of area sown remains unchanged. Rain fell throughout the province, but no damage has been reported. Harvesting has commenced in Merwara.

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* In the Second Forecast the area for Jaisalmer was stated as 4,015 acres, which was the first estimate for the State. This has since been revised to 9,267 acres.

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APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

May 24.

3067. W. C. Echlin. *Simplex alarm passenger communication valve for use on railway carriages in connection with the vacuum automatic brake.*

3068 W. W. H. Silk. *A new or improved traveller's drinking cup and accessories.*

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3069. G. Honegger. *Improvements in expansion valve gears for simplex steam pumps.*

3070. Titan Co., A/S. *Improvements in the process of precipitating titanic acid from concentrated solutions.*

3071. J. G. Inshaw and G. R. Inshaw. *Improvements in apparatus for pilgering hollow blooms or billets and the like.*

3072. Oliver Arc Lamp Limited. *Improvements in and connected with distance operated mechanisms and signals connected to electric supply systems.*

3073. H. S. Cairns. *A trip grab fishing tool.*

3074. T. G. Allen. *An improved method of and means for storing compressed or dissolved acetylene gas.*

3075. F. L. Rapson. *Improvements in or relating to lifting jacks and the like for use on motor road and other vehicles.*

3076. H. S. Cairns. *An improved pump for use in petroleum wells.*

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2757. General Electric Company. *Improvements in and relating to systems of electric motor control.*

2755. General Electric Co. *Improvements in and relating to regenerative electric motor control systems.*

2947. S. O. Johns. *Improvements in flushing valves.*

2985. C. Fell and C. Bell. *Motor danger signals.*

3012. W. J. H. Strong. *Motor driven fans.*

3015. Thakurdass Sureka. *Patternless system of producing rice-bowl moulds by means of dies.*

3035. J. W. Stamp. *Improved mode of and apparatus for deodorising night soil, slaughter house refuse and other analogous materials.*

3040. G. Constantinesco and W. Haddon. *Improvements in mechanical wave transmission of power.*

3041. J. N. Wilbur and J. G. Mohrweis. *Improvements in mowing machines.*

3042. A. Wilzin. *Improvements in the manufacture of glass bottles and in glass shaping and blowing machines therefor.*

3043. W. W. Coe and W. W. Coe, Jr. *Improvements in or relating to the production of dyes or stains.*

3044. Dorr Company. *Improvements in or relating to apparatus for separating liquids from solids in fluid suspensions.*

3046. H. J. Jack and A. G. Lobley. *Improvements in or relating to the production of powdered or granulated metals.*

3047. L. Girodo and Sir E. L. Durand. *Improvements in apparatus for the generation of acetylene.*

3048. G. Honegger. *Improvements in governing devices for piston pumps.*

3049. W. J. H. Strong. *Improvements in and relating to hot air motors or the like especially adapted for driving fans.*

3050. Donaldson & Fisher Co. *Improvements in and relating to cotton-picking machines.*

3051. B. Johnson. *An improved cotton picker.*

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2395. Industrie A. G. Zweiseitiger Kettenstich. *Improvements in or relating to, single thread chain stitch sewing machines.*

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2753. D. C. Spruance. *Flexible tubes and methods and apparatus for making same.*

2798. Kitchen Service Co. *Improved machine for washing dishes and the like.*

2889. L. Wilputte. *Improvement in coke ovens.*

2956. A. E. Lamkin. *Improvements in and relating to internal combustion engines.*

2997. Hari Shanker. *Lid elevator for surgical use.*

2998. E. E. Lucy. *Improvements relating to steam superheaters for locomotives and other boilers.*

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3006. G. R. Nicholson and A. B. Horsley. *Improvements relating to syphons.*

3007. La [illegible]rosse Tractor Company. *Improvements in plough tractors.*

3008. T. H. Watson & Co. (of Sheffield), Ld., H. A. Greaves, and H. Etchells. *I[illegible]ments in electric furnaces.*

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2718. Petty and Aylard

2[illegible]71. Jenkins and C. I. (1914) Syndicate, Ld.

2888. Kanter.

2895. Pratt.

2900. McLeod and Cohen.

29[illegible]2. Datta.

2[illegible]04 Loudes Jr.

2905. Blane.

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2380. Ginn.

2385. Flaxman.

2609. Naicker and Asari.

2632. Thomas and Petree

2642. H. W. Johns-Manville Co.

2701. Molassine Co., Ld.

2725. Mead McLean & Co., Ltd. and Mead.

2763. Key.

2808. Moffat.

2812. Acetylene Illuminating Co., Ld.

28[illegible]9. Lemaire.

2839. Haywood, Kershaw, Saxby and Farmer, Ld., and Saxby and Farmer (India) Ld.

2872. Theriot.

2873. Hinchley.

2[illegible]81. Crozier.

2882. Crozier.

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359 of 1903. Hinks. (To 23 March 1918.)
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M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi	Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

M. Ahmed Din	Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
M. Abdur Rahim	Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

M. Mohd. Rahim Shah	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Ahmed Bux	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. S. Karim Bukhsh	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Mohd. Ishaq	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Mohamed Sarwar	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
Pt. Sita Ram Mehta	Hindustani Instructor, Cadet College.
Pt. Hirday Narayan	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Syed Inam Ali	Mission Road, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

M. Ghulam Muhiuddin	R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
M. Ghulam Rasul	Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan	C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

M. Fazl-i-Haq	Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

M. Ajab Shah Anand	Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

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CALCUTTA,
The 16th April 1917.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

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For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	30 ,,

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	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

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	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

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	R
For any quantity	4 per lb.

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Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tin.

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Quinoidine tab. 1 lb. Weg. 3 lbs. Postage	Re.	0	10	0
,, ,, 2 ,, ,, 6 ,, ,,	Re.	1	0	0
,, ,, 3 ,, ,, 9 ,, ,,	Re.	1	8	0

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BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th May 1917.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT.		GRAND TOTAL.
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	TOTAL.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	
Balance of 30th April 1917	28,29,200	95,14,900	4,27,84,900	1,48,42,600	65,21,900	21,48,600	7,58,12,900	2,500	20,50,400	8,06,95,000
Add—										
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 25th April 1917	...	...	9,000	...	...	...	9,000	...	...	9,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th May 1917	...	8,100	...	9,000	...	...	17,100	...	...	17,100
	28,29,200	95,23,000	4,27,93,900	1,48,51,600	65,21,900	21,48,600	7,58,39,000	2,500	20,50,400	8,07,21,100
Deduct—										
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	24,900	4,91,900	83,000	61,200	500	6,61,500	...	...	6,61,500
Balance on 15th May 1917	28,29,200	94,98,100	4,23,02,000	1,47,68,600	64,60,700	21,48,100	7,51,77,500	2,500	20,50,400	8,00,59,600

NOTE.—

From	to	Enfaced from India	re-transferred from London
From 9th June 1867	to 15th Mar. 1917	12,410 lakhs,	12,919 lakhs
" 16th Mar. 1917	" 31st " "	ditto ...	ditto 9 lakhs.
" 1st April "	" 15th Apl. "	ditto ...	ditto 1 lakh.
" 16th " "	" 30th " "	ditto ...	ditto 22 lakhs.
" 1st May "	" 15th May "	ditto ...	ditto 7 lakhs.
		12,410	12,958

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 28th May 1917.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Quetta, the 21th May 1917.

No. 1373-*R*.—The following changes are ordered among Extra Assistant Commissioners in Baluchistan :—

Serial No.	Name.	Rank.	Appointed or promoted to	Reverted to	Posted or transferred to	With effect from
1	Seth K. P. Kaikobad	Sub. *pro tempore* Extra Assistant Commissioner, 6th grade and on deputation as Second Assistant to the Political Officer, Mekran Border.	......	......	Extra Assistant Commissioner, Kalat Mastung.	1st May 1917 (forenoon).
2	M. Barkat Ali	Tahsildar, 2nd grade and officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner, 6th grade and Extra Assistant Commissioner, Kalat.	......	Tahsildar, 2nd grade. (On Foreign Service in Kalat State.)	......	Ditto.
3	Mr. B. H. Ford	Superintendent Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General's Office.	Officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 4th grade and Treasury Officer, Quetta.	......	Quetta	16th May 1917 (afternoon).
4	„ H. G. B. Adie	Provisional Extra Assistant Commissioner, 4th grade and Treasury Officer, Quetta.	......	......	Extra Assistant Commissioner and Registrar Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General's Office.	17th May 1917 (forenoon).
5	L. Narain Khan	Tahsildar, 3rd (Provisional 2nd) grade, and Tahsildar, Dalbandin.	Officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner, 6th grade and Extra Assistant Commissioner, Nushki.	......	Nushki	Date of relieving K. S. Rana Mohamed Ali Khan.

No. -*R*.—K. S. Rana Mohamed Ali Khan, Provisional Extra Assistant Commissioner, 5th grade and Extra Assistant Commissioner, Nushki, was granted privilege leave for 2 months 27 days with effect from the date of being relieved by L. Narain Khan.

No. -*R*.—Mr. B. C. Fernandes, Extra Assistant Commissioner and Registrar of the office of the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General, was granted sick leave on medical certificate for three weeks from the forenoon of the 17th May 1917.

Quetta, the 25th May 1917.

No. 1433.—With reference to the schedule attached to this office Notification No. 4401, dated the 5th December 1916, and to section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act (XXVI of 1881), the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner in Baluchistan is pleased to declare that Monday, the 4th June 1917, shall be observed as a public holiday in honour of the birthday of His Majesty the King-Emperor.

By order,

R. H. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

First Assistant.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 24th May 1917.

No. 1379-*R*.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) of section 38 of the British Baluchistan Bazars Regulations, 1910 (V of 1910), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules promulgated with his Notification No. 152-R., dated the 8th January 1912 :—

In line 2 of rule 3 for the words "equal to one half of" substitute the words "not exceeding".

This will take effect from the 1st April 1917.

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

Secretary.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 26th May 1917

No. 1644-*B*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 9 of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872 (XV of 1872), as delegated to him by the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3744-I B., dated the 1st October 1897, the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India is pleased to license the Reverend George S. Karimulla, an ordained Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, to solemnize marriages and to grant certificates of marriage between Native Christians under the Act within the Gwalior State and the States in the Malwa Political Agency.

The 28th May 1917.

No. 1672-*D*.—Pandit Ghana Nand Joshi, Assistant Inspector of Schools, United Provinces, is appointed Inspector of Schools for the Administered Areas in Central India with effect from the afternoon of the 19th May 1917.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 23rd May 1917.

No. 1034—1044.—The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to approve of Mr. T. B. Kantharia of Bombay as a candidate for a license to prospect and mine for minerals in the British district of Ajmer-Merwara.

No. 1138—269.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint Munshi Gopi Nath Mathur of the Mayo College, Ajmer, to be an Honorary Magistrate and to invest him with the ordinary powers of a Magistrate of the second class to be exercised in regard to cases generally within the Municipal limits of the city of Ajmer for a term of three years.

2. The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is also pleased to direct that the name of Munshi Gopi Nath Mathur be included in the list of the Honorary Magistrates published in this office Notification No. 236, dated the 16th February 1909, under sections 15 and 261 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898).

The 24th May 1917.

No. 1145.—Under section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to declare the 4th June 1917 to be a public holiday on account of the birthday of His Imperial Majesty the King-Emperor of India.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 24th May 1917.

No. 5043-*Home*.—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi during the half month ending 15th May 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
			Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.		
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.
P. S. Alipur	41	58	...	...	...	26	...	31	...	...	1	...	13	12	25
Nangloi	42	21	...	...	...	12		7	...	...	2	2	1	5	6
Najafgarh	22	23	...	...	...	18	...	5	...	...	...	...	4	8	12
Subzimundi	2	10	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
Paharganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mehrauli	37	35	...	...	...	22	...	10	...	...	8	8	6	9	15
Raisina	5	9	...	2	...	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	1	3
Shahdara	11	9	...	...	...	6	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	2	2
New Cantonment	15	12	...	5	...	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Total of the District	175	177	...	7	...	106	...	57	...	...	7	5	26	39	67

Delhi, the 26th May 1917.

No. 5118-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 19th May 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi	235,471	93	74	167	77	82	159	...	8	...	80	2	54	...	20	...	28	31	59	38·51	36·67
	Notified Area	8,673	...	...	...	1	2	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·47
	Total	229,144	93	74	167	78	84	162	...	8	...	82	2	54	1	20	...	28	31	59	37·89	36·76

The 28th May 1917.

No. 5151-*Home*.—The services of Major M. Corry, I.M.S., Chief Medical Officer, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India, Army Department, with effect from the afternoon of the 23rd May 1917.

No. 5166-*Home*.—Dr. A. E. Moore, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., assumed charge of the duties of the Chief Medical Officer, Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of the 25th May 1917.

By order,

D. JOHNSTONE,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE.

Delhi, the 26th May 1917.

No. 622-*E*.—Mr. H. E. Parker, Sanitary Engineer, Delhi Province, is granted privilege leave for one month and twelve days under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 28th May 1917, or such subsequent date as he is relieved of his duties.

A. M. ROUSE,

Secretary, P. W. D.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, 26th May 1917.

No. 25.—Mr. Abinash Chunder Bose, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for one month in extension of that granted him in Notification No. 24, dated the 30th April 1917, under Articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

A. MEARS, LT.-COL., I.A.,
for Superintendent, Map Publication.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 21st May 1917.

No. 766.—Mr. W. H. Strong, Extra Assistant Superintendent, was granted special medical leave for 2 months from 21st June to 20th August 1916 both dates inclusive, under the Government of India, Finance Department Endorsement No. 283-C. S. R., dated 28th March 1917.

S. G. BURRARD, Colonel, R.E.,
Surveyor General of India.

SURVEY OF INDIA—TRIGONOMETRICAL SURVEY OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Dehra Dun, the 25th May 1917.

No. 144.—Mr. Abdul Karim, B. A., Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for 1 month and 13 days, under the provisions of Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 11th May 1917.

G. P. LENOX-CONYNGHAM, Colonel, R.E.,
Superintendent, Trigonometrical Survey.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATION.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, the 22nd May 1917.

No. 17.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave in India on medical certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name:—

Temporary Engineer-Lt. R. N. Ashton, R.I.M. . 1 month with effect from 15th May 1917.

J. WILSON,
for Director, Royal Indian Marine.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 58 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 15th May 1917.

In the matter of T. A. R. A. R. M. firm carrying on business as Money Lenders and Bankers at No. 10, Mogul Street, Rangoon, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition presented by Goolabrai Sagarmul of Rangoon, a creditor of T. A. R. A. R. M. firm carrying on business as Money Lenders and Bankers at No. 10, Mogul Street, Rangoon, on the 19th day of March 1917, an order of adjudication of Insolvency pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, against Ramanathan Chetty, sole proprietor of the said T. A. R. A. R. M. firm except minor partners was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 10th day of May 1917.

CASE No. 83 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 11th May 1917.

In the matter of Dewarka Kanoo, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Dewarka Kanoo, stall-keeper of No. 14, Kundawglay Road, Rangoon, on the 10th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Dewarka Kanoo.

CASE No. 84 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 16th May 1917.

In the matter of Bhaktavatchala Naidoo, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Bhaktavatchala Naidoo, Pressman of No. 22, 30th Street, Rangoon, on the 16th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Bhaktavatchala Naidoo.

CASE No. 85 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 23rd May 1917.

In the matter of Thuraswamy Arunachellam, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Thuraswamy Arunachellam, of No. 9, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 22nd day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Thuraswamy Arunachellam

R. R. BROWN,
Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA.

Testamentary and Intestate Jurisdiction.

TESTAMENTARY APPLICATION No. 1 OF 1917.

In the matter of the goods of A. B. Duncan deceased.

Whereas application has been made to this Court by John Tarlton Whitty, Esq., I.C.S., resident of Bettiah, District Champaran for probate of the will in respect of the properties in India of A. B. Duncan who died in Baluchistan on the 5th August 1916, this citation is issued calling upon all persons claiming to have any interest in the estate of the deceased to come and see the proceedings before the grant of probate of the will in this court on Monday the 9th day of July 1917 at 10-30 o'clock A.M.

S. N. MUKHARJI.
Assistant Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
254—1917	*Re* Abdulhusein Karimji Kapadia.	Mahomedan	Doctor Street	Lately a dealer in Gold, Silver and Silk embroidery and now a Turban Folder.	21st	May	1917	21st	May	1917
255—1917	" Dominic Garzago Augustino D'Souza.	Portuguese	Kumbharwada, Dadar	A clerk in the G. I. P. Railway Workshop, Parel.	"	"	"	"	"	"
256—1917	" Alimahomed Vali Khoja	Mahomedan	Khaduck	A General Broker	"	"	"	"	"	"
257—1917	" Jamsetji Edulji Bhesania and Bomonji Byramji Kapadia.	Parsi	Hornby Road and Frere Road, respectively.	Trading as J. B. Bhesania & Co. as silk mercer at Hornby Road.	22nd	"	"	22nd	"	"
258—1917	" Gulamali Fazalbhai Dandawalla.	Mahomedan	Bhayunder	A Canvasser for the National Trading Co. at Jakeria Maszed, Bombay.	25th	"	"	25th	"	"
259—1917	" Valantine Remedios	East Indian	Thana	A clerk in the G. I. P. Ry. Engineering Department, Fort.	28th	"	"	28th	"	"
260—1917	" Soorya Pandoo *alias* Pandoo Sooria Naguf.	Hindu	Parel	A jobber in the Morarji Goculdas Mills, Ltd.	"	"	"	"	"	"
261—1917	" Jamal Deenmahomed *alias* Jamal Jeena Billimoria.	Mahomedan	Parel	A boilermaker in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company, Parel Workshop.	"	"	"	"	"	"
262—1917	" Tulsiram Gangaram Dhobi Bundela.	Hindu	Saint Zavier's Hospital, Fort.	A washerman in the Saint Zavier's Hospital	"	"	"	"	"	"
263—1917	" Jeewaji Sullemanji Dawoodi Vora.	Mahomedan	Toolgully	Lately a dealer in sweetmeats and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
264—1917	" Mahomed Kassam Abdul Rehman *alias* Shaik Kassam Abdul Rehman.	"	Allimud Street	A fitter in the Royal Indian Marine Dockyard.	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the orders of adjudication made herein against the undermentioned Insolvents have been this day annulled.

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of the adjudication. Day.	Month.	Year.
505—1915	*Re* Appa *alias* Sakharam Mahadu Dhond.	Hindoo	Byculla	A Jobber in the Simplex Mills	4th	August	1915
506—1915	" Saigappa Angara Shalina	"	Medow Street, Fort	A Clerk in the employ of Messrs. Greaves, Cotton and Co.	5th	"	"
508—1915	" Bandaally Hassam Khoja	Mahomedan	Khaduck	Lately a Bullock Cart Driver and now unemployed	"	"	"
511—1915	" Vardhilal Bahadur Sha	Hindu	Kolsa Moholla	Lately Speculator in jatta and now unemployed	"	"	"
514—1915	" Bhikoo Sonoo Gurati	"	Chinchpoogly	A Moulder in the service of Bai Kashibai	9th	"	"
518—1915	" Pandurang Narayen Ram	"	Sandhurst Road	A Clerk in the French Bank	"	"	"
525—1915	" Vishnu Bhikoo Panchal	"	Chikalwady	A Carpenter in the Bombay United Mills	12th	"	"
526—1915	" Crushna Babaji Bhakre	"	Lower Parel	A Jobber in the Dawn Mills Limited	"	"	"
528—1915	" Ramchandra Bhairoo *alias* Bhiwa Kelambe.	"	Tardev	A Fitter in Jiwraj Baloo Mill	"	"	"
529—1915	" Wilfred Watts	Anglo-Indian	Byculla	An Electrician in the employ of Josh Engineering Company Limited.	14th	"	"
530—1915	" Sayed Goolab Sayed Mahomed Dakhin.	Mahomedan	Matorpakhdy, Mazagon	Formerly doing business in partnership with Custoorji Hindooji as dealers in Grass, etc., and lately a Muccadum in the employ of Jamshedji Shapurji and now unemployed.	16th	"	"

531—1915	„ Purbhudas Purshotumdas Patel	„	3rd Bhoiwada	Formerly carrying on business in partnership with Jaikisondas Chagonlal under the name and style of Jaikisondas Changonlal as dealers in embroidery work and afterwards as a Hawker in embroidery work on his own account, and now unemployed.	„	„	„
534—1915	„ Khushal Vanwali Bhewsar	„	Bagalgate Street	A Carpenter in the R. I. M. Dockyard	17th	„	„
536—1915	„ Yadneshwar, Chintaman Phatak	„	Worli	A Signaller in the B., B. & C. I. Railway	19th	„	„
537—1915	„ Premji Morarji Sha	„	Gulalwadi	A Clerk in the service of Nagaidas Manilal Sha	„	„	„
540—1915	„ Gordhandas Ghelabhai Kania	„	Maroti Lane, Fort	An Embroiderer	21st	„	„
541—1915	„ Padoo Bharmal Sha	„	Parel, Ferguson Road	Lately dealer in Grain and now unemployed	23rd	„	„
543—1915	„ Soodkia Motoo Jamnalkar	„	Parel	A Reviter in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company.	„	„	„
551—1915	„ Abdul Husein Esoofally Dawoodi Vora.	Mahomedan	No. 11-12, Chimna Butcher Street	Lately a Contractor for Painting work, and now unemployed.	25th	„	„
558—1915	„ Esmail Mahomed Memon	„	Rungari Moholla	Unemployed	28th	„	„
561—1915	„ Mahadoo Bhiwa Moorker	Hindu	Lady Jamsetji Road	A Toddy drawer	31st	„	„
389—1915	„ Cursondas Hunsraj Thacker	„	Dana Bunder	Lately doing business as a Grain Commission Agent in the name of Hunsraj Hurji & Son and a Country Rice Commission Agent on his own account and also a Speculator in seed, etc., and now unemployed.	13th	July	„
732—1915	„ Thomas Edward Lawrent	European	51, Apollo Street, Fort	A Building Contractor in the name of Messrs. Scott, Basu & Co. and also an Estate Broker.	4th	December	„

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT
Bombay, this 28th day of May 1917.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS.

In Insolvency.

Madras, 25th May 1917.

Notice is hereby given that an order has been made by this Court adjudging the persons hereunder mentioned Insolvents and vesting the estates and effects of the said Insolvents in the Official Assignee of this Court; and all persons indebted to the said Insolvents or who have any of their estates and effects, are hereby required forthwith to pay or deliver the same to the said Official Assignee.

Number of Petition.	Date of Presentation.	Name, address and description of Insolvent.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of public Examination of the Insolvents.
101 of 1917	21st May 1917	K. Ethirajulu Chetty, K. Kannan Chetty and K. Venkatesaperumal Chetty *alias* Panpiah Chetty, formerly merchants carrying on business under the name, style and firm of K. Venkataramanujam Chetty and Sons, residing at No. 70, Varathamuthiappen Street, George Town, Madras.	21st May 1917	16th July 1917.

J. R. ATKINSON,
Deputy Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 44 OF 1915.

Dated the 25th May 1917.

Re Mahodeo and another.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 22nd day of February 1917, the order of adjudication made herein on the 2nd day of February 1915, was annulled.

No. 48 OF 1915.

Dated the 25th May 1917.

Re Ashootosh Mullick.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 6th day of February 1917, the order of adjudication made herein on the 3rd day of February 1915, was annulled.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 78 OF 1917.

Dated the 25th May 1917.

Re Surendra Nath Mukerjee, lately residing at No. 370, Upper Chitpore Road but at present of 18-1, Chutarparah Lane, in the town of Calcutta, Hindu Inhabitant.

Ex parte Jateendra Sunkar Roy—The Creditor. Subodh Kumar Garguli—Attorney for the Creditor.

On the 23rd day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 79 OF 1917.

Dated the 28th May 1917.

Re Hari Charan Dass, residing at No. 9, Chunapooker Lane, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business as a sweet-meat seller at No. 117-2, Bowbazar Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, now without employment.

Ex parte the debtor. Bonerjee & Bonerjee—Attorneys for the Insolvent.

On the 25th day of May 1917 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 80 OF 1917.

Dated the 28th May 1917.

Re Joseph Solomon Tweno, residing at No. 275, Bow Bazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately doing business in silver and coal and jute shares, at present of no occupation.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 25th day of May 1917 an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,

Official Assignee of Calcutta.

IN THE COURT OF THE SUB-JUDGE, FIRST CLASS, WITH INSOLVENCY POWERS, BEAWAR.

No. 1 OF 1917.

Lalji, son of Poonju, proprietor of the firm styled Daya Ram Lalji at Nayanagar, Applicant

versus

No.	Name	Place	Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Ramdeo Phulchand	Nayanagar	786	14	0
2.	Bakhtawarmal Kesarimal	,,	939	10	0
3.	Kesarimal Chatarbhuj	,,	1,014	2	6
4.	Hariram Narayandass	,,	778	2	0
5.	Jawanmal Sobhachand	,,	993	12	0
6.	Mulchand Ratanlal	,,	535	15	0
7.	Oojagarmal Lachhmi Narayan	,,	167	3	0
8.	Hazarimal Kalu Ram	,,	114	1	0
9.	Balu Ram Bodu Ram	,,	50	0	0
10.	Abheychand Motilal	,,	57	13	0
11.	Chotmal Vishanulal	,,	562	8	0
12.	Ganeshdass Mulchand	,,	317	3	0
13.	Ganeshdass Alla Bax	,,	71	14	0
14.	Basti Ram Ram Goupal	,,	229	11	0
15.	Rohkarmal Nannalal	,,	34	6	0
16.	Khajulal Oonkar	,,	28	6	0
17.	Phulchand Misrimal	,,	215	10	0
18.	Ramanand Surajmal	,,	120	0	0
19.	Ganeshdass Dhulmal	,,	35	15	0
20.	Panchulal Gulabchand	,,	53	2	0
21.	Sheonath Ramgopal	,,	131	4	0
22.	Kesarimal Jagannath	,,	142	3	0

			Rs.	A.	P.
23.	Otarmal Chatar Bhuj	Nayanagar	45	5	0
24.	Ram Partap Dhut	"	65	10	0
25.	Ganeshdass Jugraj	"	29	10	0
26.	Tejmal Sahasmal	"	28	7	0
27.	Sheo Kishan Totalal	"	17	8	0
28.	Shankarlal Champalal	"	57	13	0
29.	Ranchhordass Kanhyalal	Nadiad	41	12	0
30.	Kalyanmal Odeymal	Nayanagar	10	0	0
31.	Hiralal Jagannath	"	135	0	0
32.	Swalal Dalal	"	25	0	0

Whereas the applicant Lalji has filed an application under section 11 of Act No. III of 1907 to be adjudged an Insolvent. And whereas the said application is fixed for hearing on the 15th June 1917 at 11 A.M. All the creditors are hereby informed that they must either appear in person or through an authorized agent on the date fixed.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court, 11th May 1917.

No. 2 OF 1917.

Kasim, son of Alla Rakh Mohmadan Chhipa of Nayanagar . . . Applicant

versus

		Residence.	Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Khajulal, son of Ghasi Ram	Nayanagar	100	0	0
2.	Ghisulal, son of Jaserup	"	250	0	0
3.	Nathmal Dhulchand	"	21	0	0
4.	Hazarimal Beharilal	"	140	0	0
5.	Punamchand	"	60	0	0
6.	Gulabchand Medi	"	15	0	0
7.	Rahim Bux, son of Nanik	"	150	0	0
8.	Usman, son of Alla Rakh	"	150	0	0
9.	Bhurji, son of Ramzu	Ajmer	50	0	0
10.	Sultanji Kasim Chhipa	Ahmedabad	160	0	0
11.	Sultanji Modaji Chhipa	"	152	0	0
12.	Nurji Kaluji Chhipa	"	25	8	0

Whereas the applicant Kasim has filed an application under section 11 of Act III of 1907 to be adjudged an Insolvent. And whereas the said application is fixed for hearing on 15th June 1917 at 11 A.M. All the creditors are hereby informed that they must either appear in person or through an authorized agent on the date fixed.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court, 22nd May 1917.

DURGA PRASAD,
Sub-Judge, First Class, with Insolvency Powers, Beawar.

REPORT OF DESERTION.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the Madras Volunteer Guard (I. D. Force), dated at Madras, this 22nd day of May 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—8568, Private, Pascal Clarence.
Age—20 years.
Height—5 feet 5 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, brown; hair, black; eyes, dark brown.
Trade—*Nil.*

Date of Enlistment—18th October 1913.
Place of Enlistment—Madras.
Parish and County in which born—Madras.
Date of Desertion or absence—29th April 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Madras.
Under 4 years' service.

R. A. GIFFIN, Captain, for Lieut.-Colonel,
Commandant, Madras Volunteer Guard (I. D. Force).

CURRENCY NOTE.

The following Currency Note of the Karachi Circle is stated to have been destroyed and payment of its value has been claimed by the person named below. Any other person claiming a right to the note is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned.

Note wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
W. 1 (17-18)	GA98-12019	Rs. 50	Gokal Chand, Pensioner, C/o B. Kharaiti Di of Jullundur, Kucha Babian Macchi Hatta, Lahore.

C. W. LAUDER.
Currency Officer.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
Karachi, the 23rd May 1917.

The following Currency Note of the Bombay Circle is stated to have been destroyed, and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number; any other person claiming a right to it is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

NOTE WHOLLY DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
D/2 of 1917-1918	W/43 87172	R 10	Agent, The Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, New York.

CYRIC E. GWYTHER,
Asst. Accountant-General, Paper Currency, Bombay.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
Bombay, the 23rd May 1917.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
5. Tracers.
6. Men trained in—
   (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
   (b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

W. G. WOOD, C.S.I.,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 23rd May 1917.

No. 1162s-*Ap*.—Mr. W. Rehill, Postmaster, Cawnpore, pay Rs. 500—600, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 6th June 1917, or from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Simla, the 28th May 1917.

No. 1181s-*Ap*.—Mr. H. L. Duncan, Deputy Postmaster-General, 1st grade, Bengal and Assam, Shillong, is granted privilege leave for three months with effect from the 1st June 1917, or from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

The following officiating appointments are made during his absence on privilege leave, or until further orders :—

Mr. C. A. Stowell, Deputy Postmaster-General, 2nd grade and Inspector-General R. M. S. and Sorting, Northern Circle, to act in the 1st grade.

Babu Hemanta Kumar Raha, Deputy Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, Bengal and Assam, Calcutta, to act in the 2nd grade.

Babu Kali Prasanna Sen, Superintendent of post offices, 1st grade, to act as Deputy Postmaster-General, 3rd grade, Bengal and Assam, Calcutta.

No. 1193s-*Ap*.—The following reversions in the grades of Deputy Postmasters-General are made with effect from the date noted against each :—

Mr. C. A. Stowell to revert to the 2nd grade from the 9th April 1917.

Babu Hemanta Kumar Raha to revert to the 3rd grade from the 9th April 1917.

Babu Kali Prasanna Sen to revert as Superintendent of post offices, 1st grade, from the 16th April 1917.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 23rd May 1917.

No. 724s-*E.-E*.—Mr. R. M. Kewalramani, Assistant Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, is granted privilege leave for two months with effect from the 7th May 1917.

No. 769s-*E.-E*.—The following promotion in the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) is sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. R. F. Massey . .	Inspecting Telegraphist .	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, officiating.	14th to 25th April 1917.

Simla, the 28th May 1917.

No. 863-s-*E.-E*.—Mr. R. A. A. Hooper, Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, is granted an extension of extraordinary leave for twenty-two days with effect from the 1st March 1917.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 29th May 1917.

No. 3015-T.—The following officiating promotions are sanctioned for the periods specified :—

Name.	Rank.		Period.	
	From	To	From	To
Mr. W J. Blackwell .	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, 1st class.	28th February 1917.	Until further orders.
" P. L. Gupta .	Telegraph Master . .	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	10th February 1917.	7th May 1917.
" P. J. DeMello .	Ditto . .	Ditto.	8th May 1917.	Until further orders

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 29th May 1917.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up				2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	2,13,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* .	63,00,000	0	0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				63,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	7,60,22,516	6	7	10,08,57,015	15	11
Public Deposits at Branches	2,48,34,499	9	4			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches . . .				21,64,36,201	13	3
Bank Post Bills, etc. . .				14,06,124	8	0
Sundries				26,74,722	4	11
RUPEES .				36,26,74,374	5	1

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities . .				6,55,30,502	12	0
Other authorized Investments .				1,24,28,540	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .				7,47,41,488	14	10
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities				4,48,07,436	0	10
Bills discounted and purchased				3,21,33,980	11	4
Balances with other Banks .				37,58,603	7	8
Bullion				......		
Dead Stock				29,42,823	6	10
Stamps				11,175	8	11
Sundries				3,93,665	7	10
				23,67,48,216	6	3
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	8,70,04,291	15	8	12,59,26,157	14	10
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches†	3,89,21,865	15	2			
RUPEES .				36,26,74,374	5	1

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,172 8 0
† Do. do. do. " 8,52,022 8 0

Rs. 12,03,195 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 1st June 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

By order of the Directors,
N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 39·18

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 29th May 1917.

No. 925-*G*.—Mr. S. Raghavulu Chettiar, officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Senior Controller of Military Supply Accounts, Calcutta, reverts to his own grade, with effect from the 15th May 1917.

No. 926-*G*.—Major K. H. Jackson, I.A., Military Accountant, 3rd class, Military Accounts Department, is granted leave in India under the provisions of India Army Order 291 of 1917 for sixty days, with effect from the 23rd May 1917.

No. 927-*G*.—Mr. E. A. Gracias, officiating Superintendent in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 1st (Peshawar) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 23rd May 1917.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant-General.

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7th April „
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5th May „
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31st „ „
15th April „

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15th December „
31st „ „

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30th „ „
6th January 1917.
13th „ „
20th „ „
27th „ „
3rd February „
10th „ „
17th „ „
24th „ „
3rd March „
10th „ „

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Residence—Peari Kalan, Benares City.

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R. KIRKPATRICK,

Deputy Conservator of Forests,

Singhbhum Division.

Estate Lieutenant-Colonel E. F. Rainey, decd.

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J. C. R. JOHNSTON.

Calcutta, the 25th May 1917.

REGISTERED No. C. 696.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL (FORTNIGHTLY) PRICES

RETURN SHOWING the WHOLESALE and RETAIL PRICES of CEREALS, PULSES, OILSEEDS, SUGAR (RAW), SALT, ETC., in INDIA by DISTRICTS for the FORTNIGHT ENDING 30TH APRIL 1917

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA }
May 29, 1917 }

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics

Published by order of the Governor-General in Council

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 30th April, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916.

Province.	Rice (Common)		Wheat		Barley		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending 30th April of																			
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma . . .	100	92	100	100	...	...	100	88	100	86	100	98	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	100
Assam . . .	100	92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	116	100	107	100	104
Bengal . . .	100	92	100	98	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	100	100	89	100	109	100	98	100	104
Bihar and Orissa	100	71	100	100	100	89	100	82	100	82	100	96	100	96	100	111	100	98	100	90
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	100	88	100	102	100	93	100	98	100	91	100	96	100	80	100	112	100	95	100	92
Delhi . . .	100	81	100	100	100	98	100	93	100	90	100	96	100	67	100	116	100	108	100	103
Punjab . .	100	91	100	121	100	104	100	107	100	120	100	103	100	92	100	113	100	82	100	121
North-West Frontier Province . .	100	86	100	109	100	98	100	97	100	127	100	101	100	89	100	111	100	79	100	123
Sind and Baluchistan . .	100	97	100	136	100	105	100	95	100	133	100	101	100	78	100	110	100	94	...	...
Bombay . . .	100	92	100	103	100	93	100	89	...	...	100	97	100	98	100	115	100	87	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar .	100	95	100	99	...	...	100	185	...	..	100	95	100	87	100	111	...	...	100	107
Madras . . .	100	100	...	...	...	...	100	112	...	..	100	108	100	89	100	95	100	96	100	121
India . . .	100	90	100	107	100	97	100	100	100	104	100	99	100	88	100	110	100	94	100	106

NOTE.—The rise in the price of wheat in Sind and in the Punjab, of jawar in the Central Provinces and Berar of maize in Sind, the North-West Frontier Province and the Punjab, and of salt in the North West Frontier Province, the Punjab and the Madras Presidency, is noteworthy The fall in the price of Arhar dál in Delhi, Sind and the United Provinces, of rice in Bihar and Orissa, and of raw sugar (gur) in the North-West Frontier Province is also noticeable.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 30th April, 1917, as compared with the previous fortnight.

Province	Rice (common)		Wheat		Barley		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending																			
	15th Apr 1917	30th Apr 1917	15th Apr. 1917	30th Apr 1917	15th Apr. 1917	30th Apr. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	30th Apr 1917	15th Apr. 1917	30th Apr 1917	15th Apr. 1917	30th Apr. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	30th Apr. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	30th Apr. 1917	15th Apr 1917	30th Apr. 1917	15th Apr. 1917	30th Apr. 1917
Burma . . .	100	100	100	100	...	..	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	100
Assam . . .	100	99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	106	100	94	100	104
Bengal . . .	100	103	100	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	98	100	100	100	101	100	90	100	98
Bihar and Orissa .	100	96	100	101	100	101	100	95	100	88	100	95	100	100	100	100	100	106	100	94
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	98	100	96	100	95	100	92	100	96	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	99
Delhi . . .	100	96	100	86	100	100	100	100	100	92	100	100	100	98	100	100	100	102	100	97
Punjab . . .	100	97	100	100	100	95	100	107	100	100	100	99	100	100	100	101	100	103	100	100
North-West Frontier Province	100	99	100	91	100	91	100	100	100	97	100	101	100	108	100	101	100	104	100	91
Sind and Baluchistan	100	101	100	99	100	104	100	98	100	102	100	92	100	101	100	100	100	101	...	...
Bombay . .	100	100	100	103	100	97	100	111	...	...	100	97	100	100	100	98	100	100	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	97	100	93	...	...	100	104	...	...	100	99	100	98	100	100	...	...	100	100
Madras . .	100	102	...	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	98
India . . .	100	99	100	97	100	98	100	101	100	96	100	98	100	100	100	101	100	100	100	98

NOTE.—The rise in the price of jawar in the Bombay Presidency is noteworthy The fall in the price of wheat in Delhi, of maize in Bihar and Orissa, and of raw sugar (gur) in Bengal is also noticeable.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 3.

WHOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82⅔ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at certain selected markets during the fortnight ending 30th April of the years 1917, 1916 and 1915.

Marts	Wheat			Rice (common)			Jawar (*Andropogon sorghum*)			Bajra (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)			Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		
	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	4 10 0	4 0 0	5 8 0	5 10 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 0 0	4 6 0
Bombay	5 8 1	4 10 6	5 9 9	4 9 4	4 11 3	4 11 3	3 6 0	2 15 0	3 0 0	3 9 7	3 11 3	3 4 6	3 2 10	3 4 6	4 2 0
Karachi	4 13 0	3 8 6	4 9 0	5 2 0	5 2 9	4 14 9	2 13 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 14 9	3 6 0	3 13 0	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	5 4 10	5 4 10	4 12 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 4	4 3 4	5 0 3
Rangoon	4 8 1	.	5 1 3	2 15 5	3 7 1	2 12 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 9 10	3 15 3	4 0 10
Dacca	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 12 0	5 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Patna	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 9 0	3 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	2 3 0	2 10 9	3 1 3	..	4 0 0	3 5 3	2 11 3	3 0 0	3 6 6
Ranchi	4 14 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	4 13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 2 0
Cuttack	4 5 8	4 1 4	5 1 3	3 9 6	3 15 4	4 11 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11
Benares	4 3 1	4 1 2	4 13 11	4 8 8	5 6 1	5 8 3	2 12 3	...	...	2 11 5	...		2 12 10	2 13 3	3 5 4
Cawnpore	3 11 6	3 11 0	4 5 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 1 4	2 5 6	2 4 0	2 13 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	3 5 3	2 10 0	2 11 0	3 3 0
Meerut	3 11 0	3 9 0	4 0 0	5 11 3	5 11 0	5 8 3	2 9 3	2 12 2	...	...	3 3 3	...	3 2 3	3 1 0	2 15 3
Agra	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 7 1	6 10 8	5 14 9	6 10 8	2 2 7	2 9 3	2 13 9	2 0 0	3 1 2	3 8 2	2 9 3	3 0 3	2 15 4
Lucknow	3 12 11	3 7 8	4 5 3	4 3 4	4 11 3	4 0 0	..	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 8	2 2 6	3 5 4
Ferozepur	3 14 6	3 7 9	4 0 6	5 5 3	5 0 0	5 8 3	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 4 3	2 13 9	4 0 0	3 8 9	2 15 6	2 15 3	2 13 6
Lahore	4 3 8	3 6 3	4 3 8	4 11 3	4 13 6	5 5 [illegible]	3 5 8	3 1 3	3 7 6	3 0 3	3 11 6	3 10 3	3 0 3	3 0 3	2 12 0
Amritsar	4 0 0	3 8 0	4 8 0	4 15 6	5 8 0	5 11 6	3 5	...	[illegible]	2 10 6	...	...	3 4 0	2 15 6	3 3 3
Rawalpindi	4 5 0	3 8 0	4 6 0	4 12 0	5 11 0	5 12 0	3 8 0	4 2 0	3 14 0	2 12 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 6 0
Lyallpur	4 2 0	3 0 0	4 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	4 0 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	2 10 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	2 15 0	3 0 0	2 11 3
Ambala	4 0 0	3 6 0	3 12 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	2 5 0	2 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	2 13 0	2 11 0	2 9 0
Delhi	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 7 1	5 6 0	6 10 0	6 10 0	2 9 0	2 12 0	2 15 0	2 4 0	3 3 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	2 13 9
Peshawar	4 2 1	3 13 4	4 8 7	5 7 6	5 13 11	6 2 5	3 13 4	3 11 6	2 13 8	3 3 9	4 1 7	3 5 1	3 3 9	3 2 5	3 2 5
Quetta	5 5 0	4 6 0	4 15 0	...	...	...	3 5 0	3 7 5	2 10 0	...	...	.	...	...	...
Poona	4 10 5	4 6 0	5 6 2	5 1 4	5 12 4	4 12 0	2 8 0	2 11 4	2 10 8	3 8 8	3 10 4	3 3 1	3 10 5	3 13 9	3 15 7
Ahmednagar	3 13 7	3 11 8	..	5 14 6	...	..	2 5 1	2 3 11	2 4 6	2 9 11	2 9 11	2 8 1	3 3 11	3 5 10	4 0 7
Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 14 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	5 10 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	3 2 0	2 4 0	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	3 8 0
Nagpur	3 11 7	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 3 8	4 3 8	2 14 4	2 6 5	2 13 2	...	...	...	3 4 2	3 6 5	4 0 0
Jubbulpur	3 14 5	3 7 7	4 8 2	4 3 5	4 3 4	4 11 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 1 2	3 1 2	3 6 6
Godavari	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 0 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malabar	...	...	...	4 15 0	5 2 11	4 11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF APRIL

Districts	Rice, unhusked 1917	Rice, unhusked 1916	Rice, husked 1917	Rice, husked 1916	Wheat 1917	Wheat 1916	Flour (wheat) 1917	Flour (wheat) 1916	Barley 1917	Barley 1916	Jawar 1917	Jawar 1916	Bajra 1917	Bajra 1916	Ragi 1917
Burma *—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	34·78	44·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy †	...	...		32 99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	32 99	32 99	71·91	71 91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	29 63	34·41	45·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	32 47	36 78	82 05	82·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	35 75	36 99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	35·75	35 75	68·08	68 08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	31·84	30·77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	32·99	44·14	38·70	48·48	...	...	...	...	19·60	22 38	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	35 75	35·75		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	36·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam *—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	32 5	..	42 5	46·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	28·75	25	37 5	42·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	21·25	26 25	45	49 37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal *—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	25 62	27·5	43 75	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	30	37 5	50	57 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	26 25	31·25	56·25	60	46 25	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	31 25	30	33 75	50	60	52 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapore	20	26·87	42 5	47 5	50	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	25	28·12	46·25	50	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	25	25	46 25	47 5	52 5	52·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa*															
Bihár, north—															
Bhágalpur	..	...	35	53 12	38·25	40	...	...	20	28 75	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	44·37	66·56	40	38 12	...	...	22 19	25	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—															
Patna	...	...	33 75	44·37	40	40	...	...	25	25	21·87	26 72		40	...
Orissa—															
Cuttack	...	...	35 94	39 58	43·54	40 83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—															
(a) AGRA—															
Eastern—															
Benares	24·48	26 67	45 42	53·8	41 93	40·73	44·48	48 7	28·28	28·23	27·66	...	27·13	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	23·75	28·75	52·5	55	37·19	36·87	44·69	46 25	26·25	26 56	23·44	22 5	25	30	...
Jhánsi	...	...	47 08	49 22	39 06	40·21	...	...	23·49	26·3	20 52	21·87	...	...	...
Western—															
Meerut	..	..	57·03	56·67	36·87	35·62	40 94	40	25	28·39	25·78	27·66	...	32·03	...
Agra	...	...	66·67	59 22	40 9)	40·99	50·78	48 44	26 2	28·02	21·61	26·78	20	30·78	...
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	22·5	30	38·75	50	35 16	32·5	40·94	38·75	23·28	25	...	25	...	...	...
(b) OUDH—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	...	42·08	47·68	38·07	34·79	45·78	44·43	25	24·22	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	28·85	2.·94	45 78	51·87	38·75	38·44	...	...	25·47	27·5	...	25	..	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

† Figures have not so far been reported

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, &c. They relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district head-quarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	61·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	65·98	65·98	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	88·16	39·51	57·14	62·75	57·66	62·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	60·95	56·04	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	42·88	43 84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	42·95	42·95	75·29	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	18·71	21·24	34·41	34·41	64·65	68·82	57·66	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	34·41	34·41	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakôkku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	66·67	57·14	...	66·6.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	48·12	...	...	Balaganj (Sylhet)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37·5	37·5	Goalpara
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	37·5	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	45	50	60	70	...	...	...	...	80	80	55	55	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	80	67·5	...	...	...	...	70	70	55	60	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	32·5	30	47·5	60	...	...	...	...	52·5	50	55	43 75	Calcutta
															Western—
...	...	...	39·37	33·75	45	52·5	...	...	...	...	65	55	55	50	Burdwan
...	...	...	40	40	60	67·5	...	...	...	...	47·5	42·5	56·25 to 63·75	55	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	60	73 75	...	...	...	...	65	58·75	65	55	Pabna
...	...	...	72·5	70	75	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa—
															Bihar, north—
...	20	26·56	27·5	31·25	47 5	48·75	20	30·62	...	...	52·5	48·75	41·25 to 46 25	40 to 52·5	Bhágalpur
...	25	30	32·66	31·87	50	53·12	20 94	23·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
...	21·87	25	27·03	30	36·25	47·5	28 75	21·25	...	...	51·25	53·12	44·37	45·62	Patna
															Orissa—
...	...	...	38·07	38·07	50·78	60 94	38·07	38·07	...	...	...	...	61·04	75	Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) AGRA—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	28 02	28·23	34·9	48·19	...	...	...	...	50 05	46·87	49·53	47·92	Benares
															Central—
...	...	...	26·25	26·87	35	42·5	36·25	...	28·14	25	53·12	48·12	44·69	36·56	Cawnpore
...	...	...	25 to 25 42	26·72	...	...	...	...	...	30·78	47·08 to 50·86	45 05	42·19 to 44·87	37·71	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	...	22·81	31·41	30·62	44·37	50	...	...	...	...	...	61·56	42·19	33·12	Meerut
...	21·04	21·58	25·78	30·16	47·03	44·43	...	...	26·67	27·86	50	44·43	42·08	44·43	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	24·37	...	23·75	28·12	33·59	38·75	...	...	23·44	...	42·03	40	48·12	42·5	Shahjahánpur
															(b) OUDH—
															Southern—
...	...	...	23·54	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	48·23	42·08	57·3	44·43	Lucknow
															Northern—
...	23·12	23·75	20·25	26·85	...	44·37	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	40	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF APRIL—*continued*

DISTRICTS	SESAMUM (*Til or jinjili*)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (*Gúr*)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURMERIC		GRASS		STRAW
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	581·82	640	...	...	27 47	22·86	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy *	...	...		640	...	...	...	25·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457 14	457·14	...	...	24·62	24 62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	533 33	533 33	...		33 16	33 68	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Maubin	...	...	492 31	492 31	...		40	39 20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	640	581·82	...	..	45 71	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	533 33	492·31	...		35 75	35 75		...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...		36 16	36 16	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	711 11	640	...	...	40	36 57	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Pakokku	...	...	640	581 82	...	...	45 39	45 39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	581·82	581 82	...	...	30 77	36 36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	...	...	580	495	55	70	33·75	33 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	...	...	525	450	75	70	36·25	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	...	...	550	475	85	80	36 25	37 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Bengal—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	...	...	580	540	70	55	31 25	31 25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	580	540	110	80	40	37 5	..	...	...	...	...	..	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	..	...	550	480	63 75	63 75	33 75	33 75	...	...	...	...		...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	...	..	570	470	58 75	62 5	35	25	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	556 to 580	550 to 570	75	75	35	33 75	...	.	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	...	...	590	530	80	75	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	580	500	70	80	50	45	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—															
Bihar, north—															
Bhágalpur	57 5	53 12	640	533 12	56 25	63 75	40	36 25	85	100	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	533 12	426·25	44 37	50	28 59	31 87	266 56	160	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—															
Patna	57 5	59	190	430	50	55	32·5	36 25	25	25	...	...	5		4·37
Orissa—															
Cuttack	76 15	75	538·33	583 33	57·13	53 33	20	30	91 41	90	...	...	5	5 62	5·62
United Provinces—															
AGRA—															
Eastern—															
Benares	54 17	48 91	521 41	499 43	55 78	50 05	29 32	31 93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	65 94		520	455	57 19	60	21 87	22·5	117·5	102·5	150	90	...	...	...
Jhánsi	48 41	46·05	474 06	406 25	55	66 72	25 14	25 76	..	...	†	128 12		8·33	...
Western—															
Meerut			512 19	465 47	57 08	55 16	23 44	21 09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	57 13	61 51	533 33	426 67	66 67	72 71	21 04	20	120	160	150	115	10	10	12·5
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahanpur	55	50	480	440	64 96	66·25	18 75	25	180	170	130 to 150	80	...	...	...
OUDH—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...		510	460	..	...	25	27 6	...	...		100	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	..	...	530	500	44 37	50	25	20 67	...	...	...	...	6 25	.	...

† Figures have not so far been reported

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw	Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Coal (Bengal)		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	22·86	20 58		...	...	...	...	...	2·62	3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	..			..	...	...	...	...		2	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	...	11·9	11·9		7 85	...	...	...	...	2·75	2 56	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...		36 99	12 12	8 45	...	...	...	...	2	1·87	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	..				...	...	...	...	...	...	Manbin
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 56		..	...	...	...	...	1·87	1·87	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	...	.	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	...	..	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	...	...	..	...	28 83	30 92			...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	..	...	...	..			...	...	...	...	2·06	2 06	Pakokku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 18	7 85	...	...	...	...	2 81	2·44	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	..	..	2 47	1·94	Balaganj (Sylhet)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	3·75	3 25	Goalpara
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	5 62	5 62	...	...	...	..	2 5	2	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	..		...	...	...	...	2·06	1 81	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	3 06	2 78	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	.	...	7 5	3 75	..	...	...	...	2·89	2 3	Calcutta
															Central—
...	...	...	...	...			5	5	...	...	...	...	3 09	2 75	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	3	2·69	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	.		..	...	.	.	3 25	2 31	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	3 25	2·75	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa—
															Bihar, north—
...	...	...	.	...	20	28 75		1 47* to 1 84	..	...	...	...	2 84	2 12	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	10	5	24 22	25			..	...	...	...	2·75	2·05	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
6 25	...		8 75	8 12	18 75	20	.		..	...	...	...	3 17	2·44	Patna
															Orissa—
5 62	..	...	.	...	7·5	7 5	...		.	...	...	...	3 5	2·75	Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) Agra—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	23 54	26 67	3 96 to 7 92	8 96 to 7 92	...	...	...	...	3 62	2 91	Benares
															Central—
...	...	...	7·5	8 12	26 25	28 75	8 12	6·25	65	65	...	...	3 31	2 91	Cawnpore
6 67	...	3 33	...	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	3 5	2·56	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	...	...	10	7 97	26 56	25	8 91	7 5	...	...	...	...	3·56	3 12	Meerut
12 5	...	...	7 97	10	26 67	30·16				...	100	80	3 56	3 12	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	...	...	10	7 5	35	36 25	6 25	6 25	90 and 100	60 and 80	60 and 100	50 and 90	3 5	3 06	Shahjahánpur
															(b) Oudh—
															Southern—
...	...	...	7 29	6 09	23 75	32 5		6 25	...	...	...	...	3 37	3	Lucknow
															Northern—
...	...		8 75	10	..	...	12 5	10			50	50	3 28	2·62	Fyzabad

* Price of 1st class coal at Jharia

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF APRIL—continued.

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (Wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Rajputana—															
Eastern— Ajmer*	...	16·67	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	36·41	...	31·09	...	34·79	...
Delhi— Delhi	...	...	53·75	66·25	38·12	38·12	42·5	42·5	28·75	29·37	25·62	27·5	22·5	31·87	...
Punjab—															
Southern— Ferozepur	27·66	30·78	53·25	50	39·06	34·84	45·47	39·12	29·69	26·72	34·84	33·28	28·59	40	...
Central— Lahore	25	34·69	47·03	48·44	42·03	33·91	48·44	33·12	30·16	26·72	33·28	30·78	30·16	37·19	...
Submontane— Amritsar	25	30·62	48·44	55	40	38·12	45·62	35·47	23·78	26.72	33·28	...	26·56	...	...
Northern— Rawalpindi	...	...	47·5	56·87	43·12	35	47·5	40	27·5	29·37	35	41·25	27·5	40	...
Western— Lyallpur	...	...	55	55	41·25	30	46·25	35	28·12	26·25	40	32·5	26·25	33	...
Multan	28·75	25	45·62	44·37	37·5	31·41	42·5	31·84	27·5	28·12	30	31·41	28·44	29·06	...
N. W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar	...	...	54·69	58·7	41·3	38·33	45	42·34	24·06	30·52	38·33	37·19	32·34	40·99	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	56·51	70·47	42·03	38·12	46·46	42·34	26·04	30·62	31·35	35	26·01	31·3	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karachi	...	...	51·25	51·25	48·12	35·81	...	...	...	...	28·12	30	29·22	33·75	...
Shikarpur	20·62	...	56·25	59·37	42·5	32·5	...	...	20·16	...	23·75	...	25·81	...	...
Quetta	...	...	...	...	51·87 to 54·87	42·5 to 45	68·75 to 77·5	73·75 to 79·37	36·87	35	33·12	34·63	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan— Bombay	33·8	31·77	45·83	47·03	55·05	46·56	...	...	30·68	34·9	33·75	29·37	35·99	37·03	...
Deccan and Karnátak— Dharwar (Hubli)	...	...	...	...	31·56	3 ·15	...	...	...	...	29·17	27·83	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	47·18	49·06	36·04	41·77	...	...	...	...	26·77	20·52	26·15	28·65	...
Poona	...	43·28	50·83	57·71	46·51	43·75	...	...	...	39·79	25	27·06	35·42	36·46	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmednagar	...	...	59·06	...	38·49	37·29	...	...	...	...	28·18	22·45	26·2	26·2	...
Dhulia	...	...	...	...	43·33	42·34	...	...	...	...	...	25·26	35·31	31·46	...
Gujarat— Surat	...	...	...	...	46·15	52·6	...	...	...	...	38·54	30·99	32·45	40·36	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	70	65	45	43·75	...	...	28·75	28·75	21·87	27·5	22·5	37·19	...
Central Provinces†—															
Western— Nagpur	32·69	36·5	40·94	42·31	37·25	40	40·75	50	...	...	28·91	24	...	...	...
Central— Jubbulpore	...	...	42·12	47·06	29	31·75	50	47·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern— Raipur	30	35	35	41	35	34·5	42	43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	...	...	40·75	43·12	36·81	37·69	...	...	...	...	24·81	18·75	...	...	...
Amráoti	...	...	44·44	41·44	39·81	43·94	...	...	...	...	28·37	20·94	...	...	...
Madras—															
South, central— Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·6	34	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32·1
Central— Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21·7	22·2	...	...	...
Cuddapah	39·7	40·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·7	27·8	...	26	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·5
East Coast, south— Madras	29·7	29·7	53	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	27·1	32·2	45·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·6
Southern— Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37·2	32·5	43	36·6	...
Mysore—															
Mysore	20	22	50	54	54	56	60	60	...	...	24	24	...	...	24
Bangalore	21	22	60	56	54	54	57·76	57·76	...	...	28	28	...	...	26

* Figures have not so far been reported

† The figures under "Rice, husked," represent the prices of cleaned rice

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dal		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Rajputana—
...	...	29·63	...	35·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	94·06	...	...	*Eastern—* Ajmer
															Delhi—
...	22·5	25	28·75	30	35	52 5	...	...	31·87	28·75	60	55	42·5	42·5	Delhi
															Punjab—
...	27·66	21·56	29·69	29 53	66·72	72 66	...	...	32·08	34·84	80	66·72	...	...	*Southern—* Ferozepur
...	29·06	21·22	30·16	30 16	53·28	57·19	30·78	40	30·78	33 91	55·16	55·16	50	47·03	*Central—* Lahore
...	35		32·5	29·69	...	...	...	...	33·75	33·75	65	...	46·25	50	*Submontane—* Amritsar
...	32·5	25	32·5	32·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	45	41·25	40	*Northern—* Ráwalpindi
...	28·12	21·25	29·37	30	...	...	...	...	33·12	44·37	...	...	41·87	41·25	*Western—* Lyallpur
...	30	25	31·25	28·44	...	70	30	30·62	30	38·75	60	60	42·5	45	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	35 57	27·92	32 34	31·51	47·5	53·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	40·73	43·8	Pesháwar
...			32·08	32 34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27·03	29·60	...	...	...	...	Karáchi
...	...	...	30 62	30·31	...	61·25	...	...	27·5	38 75	...	...	36·25	38·44	Shikarpur
.	38 12 to 45	31·25	...	...	57·5 to 65·94	73 75 to 83·75	62 5	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
															Bombay—
...	...	...	31·77	32·81	60·1	61·3	35·73	41·09	23·49	24 48	59 84	51·48	...	...	*Konkan—* Bombay
...	...	...	34·43	36 00	...	...	...	...	19·06	20·21	43 12	...	...	...	*Deccan and Karnátak—* Dharwar (Hubli).
...	...	...	29 9	33·28	46 56	47·76	...	...	21·67	21·67	56 15	47·19	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	36·51	35·59		50	...	...	24·11	. .	...		...	...	Poona
...	...	...	32·[illegible]	33 65	...	...	...	...	22·92	...	54·43		...	...	*Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—* Ahmednagar
...	...	...	[illegible]	38·07	...	55·26	...	...	...	22·5	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Gujarat—* Surat
...	...	...	33 12	33·75	60	62 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
...	...	...	32 62	34	48·94	46 94	...	...	25·5	25	58·62	55 94	..	...	*Western—* Nagpur
...	...	...	30·75	30·75	34·62	45·12	36 62	44·44	26·69	25	51·02	48·44	36·37	...	*Central—* Jubbulpore
...	...	...	29	29	38	40	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	*Eastern—* Raipur
															Berar—
...	...	...	32·19	35 62	39·09	45·31	...	...	20	20 87	60·08	55 56	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	36 19	35	39·31	48·94	...	...	21·44	19·06	60·87	59 37	...	...	Amráoti
															Madras—
..	...	...	55·8	55 8	...	..	...	...	40	32	...	...	...	...	*South, central—* Coimbatore
26·3	.	...	...	..	38 6	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salem
...	..	...	37	40·3	35·3	35·3	...	...	20 8	28·8	...	...	...	...	*Central—* Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
28 3	...	...	...	...	34	42 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, central—* Nellore
...	...	...	47·7	42·1	...	...	51·5	61·7	57·6	57·6	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, south—* Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
23·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78·1	..	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Southern—* Madura
															Mysore—
24	...	...	22	27	46	56	70	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
22	...	...	26	26	64	56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangalore

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF APRIL—*concluded*

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *Jinjili*)		Ghi		Sugar, raw (*Gúr*)		Salt		Tobacco leaf		Turmeric		Grass		Straw
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Rajputana—															
Eastern— Ajmer (a)	...	69·53	...	492·34	...	74 53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...
Delhi— Delhi	53·75	60	570	490	60 and 70	60	20·62	20	80	80	150	137·5	10	18·44	...
Punjab—															
Southern— Ferozepur	72·66	..	539·53	402·34	69·53	76·09	23·59	22·19	133·28	133·28	152 34	100	...	...	...
Central— Lahore	57 19	63·91	609·53	492·34	53·28	63·91	20·94	18·12	133·28	114·22	133·28	152·34	10	10	...
Submontane— Amritsar	61·25	60	575	460	45	63·91	18·12	17·5	100	...	151·25	100	10	...	...
Northern— Ráwalpindi	...	...	540	490	51·25	66·56	20	15 62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western— Lyallpur	...	...	513 12	472 5	46·25	62·5	22·19	17·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	52·5	55	550	457 5	53·28	61·25	22·81	18·12	122·5	110	160	180	10	10	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshávar	...	...	544·69	482·97	64·68	82·03	18·03	17·34	106·07	136·15	...	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	581 82	533 28	54·53	68·96	22 24	15·86	...	...	...	...	12·03	15·36	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karáchi	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	...	...	557·5	515	58 12	61·56	...	...	...	62·5	...	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	570 to 607 5	515 to 530	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan— Bombay	64·27	60	626·59	514·27	81·61	80·26	...	...	...	...	119 74	104·74	17·6	9·58	...
Deccan and Karnátak— Dharwar (Hubli)	...	...	..	...	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	78·8	...	433 33	450·52	65·36	82·03	...	...	166·67	91 93	108 59	100	...	...	...
Poona	...	...	487·71	466·67	78 23	78 96	...	...	210·52	203·49	...	..	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmednagar	...		483 33	466·67	66·67	80·83	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Dhulia	...	59 17	...	...	...	80 83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat— Surat	.	...	621·61	475·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	590	460	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces—															
Western— Nagpur	76 69	63·31	550	516·62	...	...	33 75	25	100	99·31	..	100		5·87	6
Central— Jubbulpore	48·5	51·62	490	470	...	...	26·69	26 62	88 87	80	160	180	5·69	6·62	...
Eastern— Raipur	..	...	520	450	...	...	29	28·75	160	160	120	70	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	66·69	54·75	495·25	498·06	..	...	23·19	20·69	104·75	104·25	...	...	...	...	...
Amráoti	69 25	55 37	520	480	...	...	25	20	142·25	128	...	...	...	8 19	...
Madras—															
South, central— Coimbatore	87·9	77·6	487·8	487·8	54·4	72	21·6	16·4	...	...	112	100	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	462·4	466·5	...	...	...	...	171·3	171·3	91 4	67	...	...	7·7
Central— Bellary	62	51·5	471·7	476·2	71·4	79·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	526 3	526·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	82 4	93·9	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66 7	133 3	98·8	75·2	...	...	...
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	...	416 7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·7
East Coast, south— Madras	...	74·1	559·6	559 6	69 1	67·5	15·3	15·8	141·6	131·7	115·2	90·5	...	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466·7	466 7	...	...	23·4	23·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	473	540·5	...	...	23·1	20 6	128·4	128·4	...	...	...	...	...
Southern— Madura	66·7	66·1	675·7	675·7	...	...	...	...	141·1	141·1	...	...	...	...	15
Mysore—															
Mysore	70 *	72	480	480	111·41	102·86	...	...	214·27*	214·27*	222·86	102·86	5·1	5·1	5·1
Bangalore	64	64	548 54	548·54	77·18	77·18	...	...	240*	274·27*	85·68	85·68	8·8	8·8	8·8

(–) Figures have not so far been reported

* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 108 per 10 maunds

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw	Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Coal (Bengal)		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil per tin		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Rajputana— *Eastern—*
8·59	...	8·91	...	...	...	34·79	...	...	...	...	...	80 to 90	...	2·75	Ajmer
															Delhi—
...	10	16 09	10	10	21·25	30	10	...	80	80	250	150	2·58	2·2	Delhi
															Punjab— *Southern—*
...	...	...	10	8·75	24·22	20	...	8·75	142·5	142·5	225	212·5	3·5	3·09	Ferozepur
															Central—
...	...	...	16·56	11·41	26·72	20·72	11·25	7·5	150	160	170	170	3·62	3·12	Lahore
															Submontane—
...	...	...	12·5	10	25	25·78	12·5	8·12	120	130	...	...	3·56	3·41	Amritsar
															Northern—
...	...	...	20	11·41	...	...	15	7·5	100	90	120	120	3·75	2·75	Ráwalpindi
															Western—
...	...	...	11·25	7·97	28·75	25	18·75	18·75	112	100	180	140	3·53	3·19	Lyallpur
...	...	...	7·97	7·97	25·94	25·78	...	...	105	100	...	...	3·5	3·19	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	...	...	7 34	6·77	21·72	21·2	14·63	11·15	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	3·87	3·41	Peshāwar
...	...	...	10	12·18	27·97	29·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·75	3 37	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 03	2·72	Karāchi
...	...	...	8·12	8·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·06	Shikārpur
...	...	...	13·12	14·37	25·62	30	[illegible]	11·02	120 to 220	120 to 220	...	...	3·84	2 97	Quetta
															Bombay— *Konkan—*
...	...	...	...	...	18·75	30·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·84	Bombay
															Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	...	...	3·31	3	Dharwar (Hubli)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·41	2·09	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·11	2·81	Poona
															Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·39	2·08	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·25	2·91	Dhulia
															Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	22·5	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·94	Ahmedábad
															Central Provinces— *Western—*
4·5	18·10	8	...	...	...	...	7·37	7·37	...	70 to 80	...	120 to 190	2·44	2·62	Nagpur
															Central—
...	...	...	9	7	28·56	32·5	...	...	60	60	70	70	2 37	2·12	Jubbulpore
															Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·25	Raipur
															Berar—
...	6·87	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	99	95	64	56	2·81	3	Akola
...	...	3·69	...	...	...	...	5·69	...	70	65	60	70	3·12	3	Amráoti
															Madras— *South, Central—*
...	4	4	...	...	90·4*	90·4*	...	...	...	...	60	60	3·4	2·96	Coimbatore
7·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	...	...	3·13	2·69	Salem
															Central—
...	10·3	10·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	150	140	3·32	2·79	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·05	2·63	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·75	3·25	Karnul
															East Coast, Central—
5·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·08	2·04	Nellore
															East Coast, South—
...	...	...	...	...	29·4	37·5	9·2	5·9	202·5†	195†	...	...	...	2·25	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	9·5	5·6	...	...	170†	[illegible]†	...	...	2·72	2·98	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	38·2	44·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·53	3·13	Trichinopoly
															Southern—
15	...	...	...	...	20·4	20·4	...	...	...	...	60	60	3·75	2·88	Madura
															Mysore—
5·1	3·18	4·43	...	...	40	40	...	...	50 to 100	50 to 100	50 to 100	50 to 100	3·75	3·25	Mysore
8·8	...	...	...	...	33·3	38·8	...	...	160	160	120 to 150	120 to 150	3·25	2·63	Bangalore

* Superior quality † Sheep or goats

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF APRIL 1917—continued

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Bengal—*continued*												
Western—												
Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 8	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	...	...	...	...
Murshidabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	...	...	...	...
Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Bogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 9	9 9	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	6 —	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Bhágalpur	10 12	10 8	18 4	18 4	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	12 1	12 1	18 11	17 9	...	...	10 9	11 4	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	9 8	9 8	17 —	17 —	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
Sáran	9 —	9 —	16 —	15 —	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Champáran	11 4	11 —	20 —	20 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Santhal Parganas	9 —	8 —	14 —	13 —	...	...	12 —	13 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	11 8	11 8	20 —	20 —	...	...	9 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Gaya	11 4	10 8	18 —	18 —	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 —	12 —	...	...
Patna	10 —	10 —	16 —	18 —	...	...	11 8	11 —	18 —	17 —	...	...
Shahabad	10 —	9 8	15 8	14 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singbhum	10 —	9 8	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Mánbhum	8 4	8 4	10 8	10 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	14 —	14 —
Ranchi	8 4	7 4	11 —	9 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	9 8	9 —
Palámau	10 2	10 11	15 3	15 3	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Hazáribágh	9 —	9 —	13 8	12 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Orissa—												
Puri	7 15	7 14	...	...	...	...	10 8	11 13	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	11 2	11 2	...	...	...	...
Balasore	7 8	6 8	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 4	...	...	...	...
Sambalpur	10 4	10 —	...	...	...	...	12 4	12 8	...	...	...	...
United Provinces—												
(a) Agra—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	9 —	9 —	15 —	14 8	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	15 8	12 —	12 —
Benares	9 10	9 1	13 13	13 9	6 12	6 12	8 6	8 6	13 13	13 13	14 1¼	13 9
Ghazipur	9 5	8 8	14 14	14 5	5 —	5 —	8 10	8 12	14 5	14 5	13 12	14 2
Jaunpur	9 10	9 4	14 4	14 3	3 12	3 12	8 12	8 12	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	10 —	9 8	14 12	14 8	4 8	4 8	9 4	9 —	13 8	13 12	13 —	13 4
Central—												
Bánda	13 4	12 —	14 4	13 8	5 —	5 —	9 4	10 4	20 8	19 8	13 4	13 4
Fatehpur *	...	10 8	...	17 —	...	8 8	...	10 —	...	...	...	...
Hamirpur *	...	12 12	...	13 14	...	4 12	...	7 12	...	16 8	...	12 4
Jalaun	13 8	12 8	17 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	6 —	7 —	18 —	18 —	...	...
Cawnpore	10 4	10 —	15 —	14 14	...	...	7 4	7 4	16 12	17 4	15 4	15 8
Jhansi	9 15½	8 6	16 8½	15 7	4 10½	4 12	8 2	8 2	...	19 1	...	...
Etáwah	10 14	10 10	14 12	14 6	3 —	3 —	9 —	9 12	17 4	17 —	...	15 6
Farrukhabad	11 4	9 9	15 5	15 —	4 1	4 1	10 4	9 14	...	15 11	...	...
Mainpuri	11 —	10 8	16 4	15 8	5 —	5 —	10 —	10 8	15 —	15 8	15 —	...
Etah	12 —	11 —	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 4	...	...	...	...
Western—												
Meerut	10 4	9 8	15 8	14 4	3 —	3 —	6 12	6 12	15 —	16 —	...	14 —
Agra	9 8	8 4	15 —	14 8	5 8	6 —	6 —	...	18 —	17 —	19 4	19 4
Muttra	11 8	10 8	16 8	16 8	4 8	4 8	7 12	7 12	20 —	20 —	21 —	21 —
Aligarh	11 4	10 12	16 —	15 4	3 —	3 —	5 8	5 8	17 8	17 12	20 8	19 12
Bulandshahr	11 1	9 8	15 —	15 4	3 —	3 —	5 — to 8 —	5 — to 8 —	19 —	19 —	15 8	15 8
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	9 2	9 2	16 4	15 10	5 8	5 8	9 2	9 2	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh	10 —	9 12	16 —	16 —	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	10 8	10 4	14 8	14 4	7 8	7 8	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Basti	11 8	11 —	16 8	10 —	6 —	6 —	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...

*Figures have not so far been reported.

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Bengal—*continued*
												Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 —	12 —	Bankura
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 8	10 12	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	6 8	13 —	13 —	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	9 —	9 —	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	Murshidabad
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	9 12	9 12	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 8	10 —	10 8	Malda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 13	9 13	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	...		...	...	8 6	7 13	10 —	10 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	8 —	8 —	Rangpur
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Darjeeling
												Bihar and Orissa—
												Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 —	16 —	14 8	6 8	6 8	10 —	10 —	Purnea
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	19 —	16 —	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	Bhágalpur
13 3	13 3	...	...	14 10	14 5	17 9	16 8	8 13	8 4	12 10	13 3	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	15 8	15 8	7 8	7 8	13 8	13 8	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	13 —	14 —	17 —	14 8	14 —	13 —	11 —	10 4	Sáran
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	18 —	19 —	8 —	8 —	10 8	10 8	Champáran
												Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	20 —	20 —	8 —	8 8	13 —	12 12	Santhal Parganas
...	...	...	...	13 —	14 —	16 —	14 —	12 —	11 —	10 —	10 —	Monghyr
17 —	17 —	8 —	8 —	13 8	13 8	15 —	15 —	10 —	10 8	11 —	11 —	Gaya
...	...	10 —	10 —	14 8	13 —	17 8	...	10 —	10 8	12 —	11 —	Patna
...	...	...	...	14 —	13 —	15 —	14 —	10 —	9 8	13 —	11 —	Shahabad
												Chota Nagpur—
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 —	...	...	8 —	7 8	10 —	10 —	Singbhum
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	16 —	18 —	8 —	8 4	10 —	10 —	Mánbhum
12 —	12 —	...	...	11 —	10 —	10 —	10 —	6 4	5 14	10 —	10 —	Ránchi
...	...	...	...	14 1	13 8	18 —	...	11 4	9 —	11 4	11 4	Palámau
17 —	16 —	...	...	10 12	11 —	13 —	18 —	8 —	8 —	11 —	10 —	Hazáribágh
												Orissa—
...	...	...	...	9 5	9 13	...	...	9 —	7 14	13 —	13 —	Puri
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	7 14	7 14	20 —	20 —	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	8 12	8 8	...	...	7 —	6 8	10 —	10 8	Balasore
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 —	17 —	12 —	8 — to 8 8	8 — to 9 —	13 —	12 —	Sambalpur
												United Provinces—
												(a) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 8	18 —	18 —	10 —	9 8	14 —	14 —	Mirzapur
...	...	11 6	11 6	14 4½	13 9	...	...	10 13½	10 13½	12 15	12 15	Benares
...	...	...	...	15 1	13 13	18 2	18 2	9 12	9 10	13 13	13 13	Ghazipur
...	...	...	...	14 8	15 6	...	...	12 —	12 8	14 —	14 —	Jaunpur
...	...	...	...	15 4	15 8	...	...	13 —	12 8	14 —	14 —	Allahabad
												Central—
...	...	...	...	16 2	16 2	...	...	10 12	10 8	16 —	16 —	Bánda
...	...	...	...	...	16 8	...	...	...	12 —		15 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	...	16 —	...	...	...	10 12	...	15 —	Hamirpur
...	...	...	...	17 —	16 —	...	...	10 —	9 8	...	...	Jalaun
...	...	12 4	12 4	15 —	14 12	16 8	16 8	11 3	11 —	17 12	17 12	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	15 ¼	14 14	...	...	8 7	8 —	16 8	16 —	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	14 12	14 6	...	...	11 8	10 14	16 —	17 —	Etáwah
...	...	...	...	16 3	15 11	...	...	10 15	10 15	17 12	17 6	Farrukhabad
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	16 —	15 —	Etah
												Western—
...	...	...	...	...	12 8	...	16 8	8 8	8 8	15 8	17 —	Meerut
...	...	...	...	16 —	15 —	18 —	18 —	8 4	8 —	18 8	18 8	Agra
...	...	...	...	16 12	16 8	...	...	12 —	13 —	16 —	16 —	Muttra
...	...	10 4	10 4	15 —	14 12	15 8	16 8	12 4	12 4	16 12	16 4	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 4	19 —	19 —	11 —	8 8	16 —	16 —	Bulandshahr
												Submontane, east—
...	...	...	...	15 10	14 4	16 14	16 4	9 12	9 12	13 —	13 —	Ballia
...	...	...	...	14 8	13 8	...	15 8	11 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	Azamgarh
...	...	...	...	14 —	12 8	...	...	11 —	10 4	14 —	14 —	Gorakhpur
...	...	...	...	15 4	15 —	16 8	16 8	11 4	11 4	16 —	16 —	Basti

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF APRIL 1917—continued

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces— *continued*												
(a) AGRA—*continued*												
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	11 4	10 —	17 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	...	14 —		...
Budaun	10 7	9 10	16 10	14 10	8 8	8 8	7 8	7 12	15 11	14 9	14 6	18 15
Pilibit*		10 —	...	18 12	...	4 8	...	10 8	..			...
Bareli	10 8	9 9	16 6	15 9	4 8	4 8	9 —	8 14	17 —	16 8	14 6	14 6
Moradabad	9 12	9 4	15 4	14 12	4 6	4 8	8 12	8 12	18 12	13 12	12 11	12 12
Bijnor	10 5	9 4	16 8	15 12	8 4	8 4	6 12	6 12		...	18 —	13 —
Muzaffarnagar	10 2	10 2	15 5	15 5	6 9	6 9	7 10	7 10	18 2	18 2	14 4	14 4
Sahåranpur	10 —	8 4	15 2	12 12	8 8	8 8	7 12	7 7		.		12 12
Dehra-Dun	8 12	8 4	18 8	18 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	8 —	18 —	18 —	12 —	12 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal*	.	7 —	...	9 8	...	3 —	.	6 8	...	10 —	...	9 —
Almora*	...	6 —	...	8 —	..	8 4		6 8	...	...	...	...
Garhwál*	...	5 —	...	10 —	...	8 —		5 —	...	...	...	...
(b) OUDH—												
Southern—												
Partábgarh	10 8	10 8	15 8	16 —	6 —	5 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	16 —	12 —	14 —
Sultanpur	11 —	11 —	16 4	16 4	.	...	9 4	8 8		..	...	...
Rae-Bareli	10 4	10 —	15 8	15 8	4 —	4 —	9 —	8 8	14 —	13 —	12 —	11 8
Unao	10 12	10 2	15 12	15 8	4 8	4 8	8 8	8 8	13 —	13 8	18 —	13 —
Lucknow	10 4	10 4	15 8	15 —	4 —	4 —	8 4	8 4	14 —	14 —	14 —	14 —
Hardoi	12 —	10 4	16 8	15 —	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	...	...		.
Northern—												
Fyzabad	10 —	9 12	15 —	13 12	...	...	8 6	8 4	11 2	13 8	11 4	11 [illegible]
Barabanki*	...	10 10	...	15 6	.	4 5	...	9 4	.	14 6		13 8
Gonda	11 8	11 —	17 —	16 —	5 —	5 —	9 4	9 4	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Bahraich	11 8	10 8	20 —	17 8	5 —	5 —	10 4	10 4	25 —	25 —	19 —	19 —
Sitapur	10 12	10 8	16 —	14 8	4 —	4 —	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	13 —	14 —
Kheri	10 12	10 8	17 8	14 —	3 —	3 —	8 —	8 —	20 —	17 8	15 —	15 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	9 13	8 14	16 13	15 9	4 13	4 7	5 6	5 1	22 8	22 13	15 15	16 8
Ajmer*		..	..	...		...	...		..	..		
Kishangarh	9 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	6 —	6 —	17 —	17 —	17 —	18 —
Tonk	10 8	10 2	16 8	16 —	4 5	4 4	8 9	8 8	22 9	21 4	21 9	18 —
Jaipur	9 4	9 4	14 2	14 6	4 14	4 14	5 2	5 2	17 8	17 10	14 15	14 15
Karauli	11 4	11 4	16 14	17 8	7 8	7 8	8 12	7 12	20 —	21 4	18 7	19 11
Dholpur	11 4½	10 5	15 5½	15 —	5 1½	5 4	5 5½	5 8	15 13½	16 2½	18 7	19 8
Bharatpur	10 13	9 15	15 8	14 1	4 11	4 14	5 5	5 8	18 8	18 8	19 8	19 8
Alwar	11 3	10 3	15 8	14 9	5 2	5 2	6 10	6 10	19 10	20 9	17 8	20 2
Nasirabad	9 —	8 4	...	..	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	16 —	17 —	15 —	15 —
Western—												
Bikaner	8 4	8 —	13 —	13 —	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	12 4	12 —	11 —	11 —
Jaisalmer	6 15	5 15	...	...	3 15	4 —	5 15	5 15	12 14	12 14	10 14	11 —
Jodhpur	9 2 and 9 13	9 4 and 9 12	13 8	13 11	5 8	5 —	6 8	6 8	13 15 and 14 15	14 8 and 16 —	14 9 and 15 7	13 12 and 15 8
Central India—												
Indore	11 —	11 —	14 —	12 —	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	17 —	14 —
Neemuch	11 —	10 12	...	...	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	12 —	12 —
Gwalior	11 —	11 —	...	...	4 12	4 12	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Delhi—												
Delhi	10 4	9 —	13 8	13 8	5 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	15 —	15 —	17 —	16 —
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	9 12	9 8	13 8	12 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	15 —	15 8
Ferozepur	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	13 8	13 8
Central—												
Lahore	9 4	9 4	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 4	8 4	11 8	13 —	13 —	13 8
Gujranwala	10 —	10 —	14 8	16 —	...	...	8 12	9 4	...	11 4	...	..
Gujrat	10 —	10 —	16 —	15 —	...	...	8 8	8 —	...	...	14 —	14 —
Jhelam	9 8	9 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	12 8

* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine coracana*)		KANGNI, OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*)		GRAM, CHENNA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*)		MAIZE (*Zea Mays*)		ARHAR DÁL (*Cajanus Indicus*)		SALT		DISTRICTS
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												United Provinces— *continued*
												(*a*) AGRA—*continued*
												Submontane, west—
...	...	14 —	14 —	16 7	14 8	16 —	15 —	11 —	11 —	16 —	15 —	Shahjahánpur
...	...	10 —	10 —	15 10	13 15	17 —	16 15	11 6	10 15	16 8	16 8	Budaun
...	...	...	...	...	14 —	...	...	...	9 —	...	14 —	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	15 —	12 6	16 4	16 4	12 14	11 9	16 12	16 5	Bareli
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 —	13 12	13 12	10 8	10 8	16 12	16 2	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 —	...	...	10 —	9 —	16 —	15 8	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	13 2	12 10	14 4	14 4	5 8	5 8	16 8	16 8	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	12 12	11 11	...	14 6	9 8	9 1	16 —	16 —	Sahâranpur
11 —	11 —	...	...	11 12	11 4	18 —	13 —	8 14	8 6	11 8	12 —	Dehra-Dun
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	9 —	...	10 —	...	6 —	...	9 —	Naini Tal
...	8 8	...	...	...	7 4	...	...	...	6 —	...	8 8	Almora
...	...	...	...	...	5 8	...	...	...	4 8	...	7 —	Garhwál
												(*b*) OUDH—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	Partábgarh
...	...	...	...	17 —	17 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	12 8	12 8	Sultanpur
...	18 —	10 —	11 —	16 4	15 8	...	12 —	13 —	12 —	12 —	12 8	Rae-Bareli
...	...	12 —	12 —	16 12	16 4	...	...	9 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Unao
...	...	...	...	16 4	16 —	...	...	12 8	12 —	15 8	15 —	Lucknow
...	...	...	...	17 4	16 —	...	...	9 8	10 —	14 —	14 —	Hardoi
												Northern—
...	...	11 —	11 —	14 3	13 12	17 —	17 —	10 8	10 —	15 —	14 12	Fyzabad
...	16 —	...	12 —	...	16 10	...	15	...	10 6	...	14 14	Barabanki
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	18 —	18 —	9 —	9 —	12 —	13 —	Gonda
...	...	8 —	8 —	18 8	17 8	21 —	20 —	10 —	10 —	14 8	14 8	Bahraich
...	...	12 —	12 —	15 8	15 —	14 —	14 —	11 —	10 8	16 —	16 —	Sitapur
20 —	20 —	8 —	8 —	14 8	14 —	18 —	18 —	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	Kheri
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
...	...	9 8	10 2	13 —	13 —	25 6	25 6	7 9	7 5	15 4	13 10	Mewar (Udaipur)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ajmer
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	16 —	16 —	...	...	19 —	18 8	Kishangarh
...	...	...	...	15 8	16 —	21 9	19 —	...	...	17 4	17 —	Tonk
...	...	16 —	16 —	14 6 and 14 14	14 10 to 17 8	17 —	17 8	9 12	9 12	17 —	17 —	Jaipur
...	...	...	...	17 8	18 12	...	...	...	...	16 4	16 4	Karauli
...	...	12 8	12 8	16 —	16 —	...	...	12 4	12 4	15 8	15 4	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	16 1	15 6	19 8	19 8	7 4	7 4	16 —	16 —	Bharatpur
...	...	9 12	9 12	16 7	16 —	16 5	16 9	19 9	18 10	18 12	18 —	Alwar
...	...	...	...	12 15½	13 —	...	...	8 8	8 —	20 —	19 —	Nasirabad
												Western—
...	...	...	...	18 12	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	17 —	20 —	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	7 15	7 14	...	...	...	...	22 — and 24 —	22 — and 24 —	Jaisalmer
...	...	...	...	14 1 to 14 15	14 7	16 13	...	...	6 4 to 6 14	18 —	18 —	Jodhpur
												Central India—
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 12	24 —	28 —	8 8	8 8	17 —	17 —	Indore
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 8	...	...	9 —	8 8	17 —	16 8	Neemuch
...	...	16 —	15 —	17 4	17 8	...	...	14 —	14 3	16 —	15 —	Gwalior
												Delhi—
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	17 —	16 —	11 —	10 —	18 —	18 —	Delhi
												Punjab—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	15 8	15 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	15 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 —	14 —	14 —	5 8	5 8	15 —	15 —	Ferozepur
												Central—
...	...	12 8	12 8	13 —	12 12	13 8	13 8	7 4	7 4	18 —	17 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	18 —	13 8	...	...	...	...	19 —	20 —	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 12	13 —	14 —	...	...	16 —	18 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	11 4	12 —	12 —	12 —	7 —	7 —	20 —	19 —	Jhelam

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF APRIL 1917—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*) Half month of report	Wheat Previous half-month	Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*) Half-month of report	Barley Previous half-month	Rice Best sort Half-month of report	Rice Best sort Previous half-month	Rice Common Half-month of report	Rice Common Previous half-month	Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*) Half-month of report	Jawar or Cholum Previous half month	Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*) Half-month of report	Bajra or Cumbu Previous half-month
Punjab—*continued*												
South-eastern—												
Gurgáon	10 8	10 —	15 —	15 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Rohtak	10 12	9 12	15 —	15 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	18 —	18 —	17 8	17 8
Karnál	11 —	10 —	16 —	15 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	15 —
Submontane—												
Ambala	9 10	9 12	13 4	13 4	...	...	8 12	8 12	17 —	17 —	18 8	18 8
Ludhiana	10 4	10 —	15 —	13 8	...	...	6 —	6 —	13 8	14 8	13 8	13 8
Jullundur	10 —	10 —	13 —	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	13 —	13 —	13 —	13 —
Hoshiarpur	10 8	10 —	12 8	12 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	12 —	12 —
Gurdáspur	11 —	9 8	13 8	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	...	...
Amritsar	9 12	9 14	14 12	14 12	...	...	8 —	7 11	11 12	12 8		15 12*
Siálkot	10 —	10 —	13 —	12 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	...		14 —	13 —
Hills—												
Simla	7 12	7 8	10 12	10 12	...	...	6 8	6 12	10 —	10 —	11 8*	10 12
Kángra	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Rawalpindi	8 12	8 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 4	11 —	14 —	13 —
Attock	9 —	8 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	12 8	12 —
Western—												
Sháhpur	10 —	9 9	13 —	14 9	...	...	7 —	7	10 —	13 —	15 —	14 8
Jhang	10 —	9 12	13 4	13 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 8	10 —	12 —	12 —
Lyallpur	9 12	9 12	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	12 —	15 —	15 —
Multan	10 8	9 8	14 —	13 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 12	12 12	13 8	13 8
Montgomery	10 4	9 —	12 —	11 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Muzaffargarh	10 8	9 8	12 8	12 8	...	...	6 8	6 8		...		...
Dera Ghazi Khan	10 —	9 8	16 —	16 8	...	...	9 0	9 6	13 8	14 12	15 —	16 —
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazára	8 4	8 4	14 2	12 10	8 9	8 9	7 1	7 4	...		10 —	10 —
Peshámar	9 10	8 9	16 5	14 10	4 15	4 9	7 3	7 8	10 2	10 2	12 3	11 11
Kohát	8 9	8 3	12 3	12 3	8 13	8 13	8 4	8 —	14 5	14 5	12 10	11 12
Bannu	10 —	10 7	15 5	15 —	4 6	4 6	6 7	8 7	15 10	15 5	11 14	13 3
Dera Ismael Khan	9 6	8 12	15 —	14 —	8 8	8 8	7 —	6 11	12 8	12 8	15 —	15 —
Tochi	10 8	10 8	21 —	20 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Kurram	10 8	10 8	15 —	16 —	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	9 8	9 8	16 —	15 —	4 —	5 —	6 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
Wano	8 —	7 6	8 8	8 8	8 1	8 1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan—												
Karáchi	7 8	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 —	6 —	12 —	11 —	12 —	12 —
Hyderabad	8 8	8 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —
Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)	9 —	9 —	...	...	4 12	4 12	6 4	6 4	13 —	13 —	13 8	13 8
Shikárpur	9 —	8 10	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	15 —	15 —	15 —	15 —
Upper Sind Frontier	9 4	8 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	16 —	16 —
Quetta	7 5 to 7 11	7 5 to 7 11	10 5½	10 —	8 2	8 2	6 8	6 8	11 7	11 4	13 5	11 —
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	6 13	6 13	...	...	6 1	6 1	7 4	7 4	10 9	10 9	10 8	10 8
Ratnagiri	6 14	6 14	...	...	5 13	5 13	7 8	7 8	10 11	11 15	10 4	10 2
Alibág	6 7	6 5	...	...	6 7	6 7	7 6	7 14	...		9 4	8 5
Bombay	*7 —	*7 —	...	...	4 13	4 13	7 —	7 —	10 7	9 13	8 15	8 15
Thanna	8 7	8 7	...	...	5 9	5 9	6 7	6 7	12 4	12 1	10 10	10 10
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	10 11	10 11	...	...	6 13	6 13	7 3	7 3	12 12	12 12	11 4	11 4
Belgaum	10 1	10 10	...	...	7 —	6 9	7 10	7 8	11 15	12 15	13 8	14 5
Satara	9 6	9 6	...	...	5 6	5 6	5 14	5 14	12 10	12 10	12 7	12 7
Sholapur	10 8	9 4	...	...	7 6	7 6	8 —	8 —	11 8	16 5	13 8	13 6
Bijapur	11 1	11 1	...	...	5 12	5 12	7 13	7 13	12 15	13 14	15 6	15 6
Poona	8 6	8 6	...	...	6 4	6 4	7 4	7 4	15 10	15 10	10 13	10 13
Khandesh and N. E. Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	9 7	9 7	...	...	5 14	5 14	6 10	6 10	10 8	10 8	12 10	12 10
Násik	10 5	10 5	...	...	5 15	5 15	6 10	6 10	...	...	10 14	11 10
Dhulia	9 4	9 4	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 6	7 6	12 15	12 1	11 2	11 3
Jalgaon	8 —	8 3	...	...	5 11	5 11	7 10	7 10	12 4	13 5	11 6	11 9
Gujarat—												
Surat	8 5	8 5	...	...	4 10	4 10	6 15	6 15	10 3	10 3	11 2	11 2
Broach	9 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	11 6	12 —	10 —	9 8
Kaira	8 —	8 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 8	7 8	20 —	20 —	18 8	19 —
Baroda	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	11 8	11 8	9 8	9 —
Ahmedabad	8 8	8 8	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 4	5 4	17 —	17 —	16 —	16 —
Godhra	8 —	7 8	...	...	5 —	4 8	6 8	6 —	...	...	10 —	12 —
Disa	9 4	9 12	...	...	4 8	4 12	5 —	5 4	16 —	18 —	12 8	13 —
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	10 8	10 8	...	...	3 8	3 8	4 8	4 8	14 8	15 —	11 —	11 —
Central Provinces—												
Nimar	9 9	8 7	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 5	7 5	14 7	14 7	...	...
Hoshangabad	12 8	9 11	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	15 8	15 8	...	...
Betul	10 11	9 14	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 9	6 9	15 1	15 1	...	...
Chhindwara	11 4	10 10	...	...	5 —	5 10	8 2	8 12	13 1	13 1	...	...
Nagpur	10 8	9 9	...	...	5 8	5 8	9 6	9 2	13 1	13 11	...	...
Wardha	10 10	11 4	...	...	4 11	5 2	8 15	9 4	13 13	13 13	...	...

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Punjab—*continued*
												South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	15 4	15 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Gurgáon
...	...	...	...	14 12	14 12	...	...	8 —	8 —	15 —	16 —	Rohtak
...	...	...	...	14 12	15 —		...	9 —	9 8	16 8	16 8	Karnál
												Submontane—
17 —	17 —	9 12	9 12	14 —	14 4	15 —	15 —	8 12	8 12	19 —	19 —	Ambala
...	...	7 —	7 8	13 —	12 4	15 8	15 8	6 —	6 —	17 8	17 —	Ludhiána
...	...	9 —	9 —	12 8	12 12	14 8	14 8	...	...	18 4	18 —	Jullundur
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 —	15 8	15 8	..	...	18 —	18 —	Hoshiárpur
...	...	8 —	8 —	11 8	10 8	15 —	15 —	...	...	16 8	16 8	Gurdáspur
...	...	15 4	15 4	12 —	12 4	11 4	14 8	8 —	8 —	19 14	20 —	Amritsar
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Siálkot
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	11 —	10 —	11 —	10 12	6 4	5 4	11 8	13 —	Simla
...	...	...	...	7 12	7 12	11 —	11 —	5 —	5 —	9 8	9 8	Kángra
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 8	12 —	12 —	7 —		19 —	18 —	Ráwalpindi
...	...	...	...	12 4	11 12	11 12	11 8	5 4	5 4	14 —	14 —	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	13 8	15 —	7 14	7 14	16 —	16 —	Sháhpur
14 —	14 —	11 8	11 8	12 12	12 12	13 —	12 8	...	...	13 8	13 8	Jhang
...	...	..	..	13 4	13 8	14 —	14 8	7 —	7 —	17 8	17 8	Lyallpur
...	...	14 —	14 —	12 4	12 4	12 12	13 —	6 8	6 8	16 8	18 —	Multan
...	...	...	...	12 —	11 4	12 —	12 —	7 —	7 —	12 —	11 —	Montgomery
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 —	...	...	...	...	16 —	14 —	Muzaffargarh
...	...	...	...	11 12	11 8	..	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	Dera Ghazi Khan
												N.-W. F. Province—
...	...	...	9 8	10 —	9 8	12 8	12 8	...	...	13 12	18 12	Hazára
..	...	12 6	12 —	12 3	12 3	11 2	10 13		8 13	21 8	20 13	Peshawar
...	...	11 —	11 —	9 9	11 [illegible]	11 8	11 5	..	...	24 —	24 —	Kohát
...	...	...	...	12 3	12 [illegible]	14 11		...	...	23 12	23 12	Bannu
..	...	...	...	12 4	12 8		12 —	...	...	17 8	15 12	Dera Ismail Khan
...	...	...	...	...		16 —	16 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	Kurram
...	...	...	..	9 —	9 —	12 —	13 —	...	...	15 —	13 —	Malakand
...	...	..	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	Wana
												Sind and Baluchistan—
..	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	8 7	7 —	18 —	18 —	Karachi
...	..	...	...	10 —	9 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Thar and Parkar (Mirpur Khas)
...	...	.	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	9 —	8 8	19 —	19 —	Shikárpur
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												Bombay—
												Konkan—
13 8	13 8	...	...	9 10	8 11	...	...	6 12	6 12	14 10	14 10	Karwar
11 6	11 6	...	...	10 5	8 12	...	...	6 12	6 12	15 9	13 12	Ratnagiri
..	..	...	...	9 4	9 4	...	...	6 5	6 5	19 9	16 —	Alibag
8 6	8 6	...	...	8 6	8 6	...	...	6 2	6 2	19 3	19 3	Bombay
11 —	11 —	...	...	9 14	9 14	..		6 3	6 3	15 12	15 12	Thana
												Deccan and Karnatak—
..	..	...	...	10 5	10 5	...	...	6 3	6 3	13 4	11 13	Dharwar
14 8	15 12	...	...	10 6	11 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	15 —	14 1	Belgaum
..	...	...	...	12 13	13 3	...	...	7 2	7 2	13 1	13 1	Satara
...	...	...	...	11 14	11 1[illegible]	...	...	7 9	7 9	15 —	15 —	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	11 1	10 10	...	...	7 11	7 11	12 3	12 3	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	6 14	6 14	15 15	15 15	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	11 5	11 5	...	...	7 14	7 14	14 7	14 7	Ahmednagar
16 2	16 2	...	...	13 3	12 3	...	...	7 4	7 4	16 12	15 7	Násik
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	...	...	7 9	7 9	11 5	11 8	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	10 15	10 15	...	...	7 7	7 3	15 15	16 2	Jalgaon
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	10 3	10 3	...	...	6 —	6 —	23 2	23 2	Surat
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	20 —	17 13	Broach
16 —	17 8	...	...	10 —	11 —	...	...	8 8	9 —	20 —	20 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	19 —	19 —	Baroda
...	..	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 12	5 12	22 8	22 8	Ahmedabad
17 —	17 8	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	7 —	8 —	20 —	20 —	Godhra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	21 —	21 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
...	...	...	...	9 —	8 8	...	...	7 8	7 8	30 —	30 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	7 15	7 7	14 14	14 —	Nimar
...	...	...	...	13 13	13 3	...	...	9 2	9 2	14 —	14 —	Hoshangabad
...	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	...	...	5 13	5 13	12 —	13 —	Betul
..	...	...	...	12 7	11 5	...	...	7 5	6 11	13 —	13 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	7 15	8 1	11 4	13 —	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	9 6	9 6	17 —	15 15	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE SECOND HALF OF APRIL 1917—*concld.*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or, cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Central Provinces—*continued*												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	11 2	10 9	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 1	7 1	15 1	15 1	...	...
Saugor	11 —	9 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	16 —	13 —	...	...
Damoh	11 11	10 6	...	...	7 5	7 5	8 —	8 —	21 15	21 15	...	...
Jubbulpore	10 —	9 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Mandla	12 —	11 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	10 4	10 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni	11 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	9 8	9 8	14 —	14 —	...	...
Bálághát	10 10	10 10	...	...	5 7	5 7	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Bhandára	10 11	10 11	...	...	...	...	9 9	9 9	16 10	16 10	...	...
Chánda	9 6	10 9	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	14 4	14 4	...	...
Eastern—												
Biláspur	11 11	10 11	...	...	9 14	9 14	11 11	11 11	...	...	...	...
Raipur	11 —	10 2	...	...	6* —	6 —	11 —	...	...	...	...	...
Drug	13 —	10 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	10 2	10 2	...	...	4 13	4 13	6 14	6 14	15 11	15 11	...	...
Akola	9 11	10 12	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 14	7 5	15 12	15 12	...	...
Amráoti	9 12	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 —	13 11	14 3	...	...
Yeotmal	9 15	9 15	...	...	4 7	4 7	8 1	8 1	13 —	13 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad	7 8	7 —	9 5	...	8 14	4 1	8 3	8 3	11 15	11 10	12 3	15 1
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 5	8 5	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	10 6	...	...
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 9	12 9	10 4	10 4
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	...	...	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	15 1	14 9	...	...
Cuddapah*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	...	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 13	11 11	...	
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godávari	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	18 —	18 —
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	10 13	10 13	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 7	10 7	11 —	11 —
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 14	7 11	10 15	10 15	10 —	...
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	...	...	...	...	...
Chingleput		...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 8	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 11	8 11	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	11 10	11 10
Tanjore*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	...	...	...	13 —
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	11 12	11 12	10 15	10 15
Southern—												
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 6	11 —	9 15	9 9
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 10	10 10	...	...
Mysore—												
Mysore	7 8	7 8	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Bangalore	7 —	7 —	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg	5 12	5 12	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Aden	5 1	5 1	...	...	4 —	8 12	4 10	4 6	8 —	8 6	7 4	7 10

* Figures have not so far been reported

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*) Half-month of report	Marua or Ragi Previous half-month	Kangni or Kakun Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*) Half-month of report	Kangni Previous half-month	Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalai, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*) Half-month of report	Gram Previous half-month	Maize (*Zea Mays*) Half-month of report	Maize Previous half-month	Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*) Half-month of report	Arhar Dál Previous half-month	Salt Half-month of report	Salt Previous half-month	Districts
												Central Provinces—*continued*
												Central—
...	...	...	...	15 10	15 9	...	...	9 15	9 15	13 —	14 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 —	...	...	7 4	7 —	15 —	14 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	16 15	16 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	14 —	Damoh
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	...	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	13 1	11 1	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	12 —	10 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	11 9	10 14	...	...	8 2	7 13	14 —	12 —	Bálághát
...	...	...	...	10 3	10 8	...	...	7 4	7 4	11 11	11 11	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	8 2	8 2	13 13	13 13	Chánda
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	...	...	10 11	10 11	10 11	10 11	Biláspur
...	...	...	...	13 —		...	...	10 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	Raipur
...	...	...	...	14 —	13 —		...	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	Drug
												Berar—
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 12	10 12	Buldána
...	...	...	...	10 7	9 15	...	...	8 6	8 6	14 —	12 4	Akola
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	9 12	9 12	16 —	16 —	Amráoti
...	...	...	...	12 7	12 7	...	...	9 9	9 9	13 14	13 14	Yeotmal
												Hyderabad—
17 8	16 5	...	...	10 13	10 9	...	...	14 —	14 —	11 3	10 10	Secunderabad
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 6	15 13	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 6	14 6	S Canara
												South, central—
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 7	16 7	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 8	Nilgiris
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 —	12 2	Salem
												Central—
15 13	15 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 5	14 5	Bellary
12 14	11 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	15 10	Anantapur
	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		13 15	Cuddapah
8 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 15	Karnul
												East Coast, north—
16 8	16 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 7	17 12	Ganjam
16 5	16 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	16 —	Vizagapatam
15 13	15 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 8	Godavari
												East Coast, central—
12 12	12 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 10	Kistna
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 10	17 10	Guntur
		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 5	Madras
11 10	11 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 6	17 8	Chingleput
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 6	18 —	N. Arcot
12 9	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	17 8	S Arcot
...	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	15 15	Tanjore
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 12	14 12	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
13 5	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 1	19 8	Tinnevelly
10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 5	16 5	Madura
												Mysore—
16 —	16 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	12 —	13 —	Mysore
15 —	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	Bangalore
												Coorg—
16 —	16 —	...	...	17 —	18 —	...	...	5 12	6 4	14 —	13 8	Coorg
...	...	...	...	6 9	6 6	...	...	6 3	6 8	32 —	32 —	**Aden**

WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA

RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY 1914 TO THE SECOND HALF OF APRIL 1917.

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A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.	31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 8 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3	4 12 3	5 3 9
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 3 1	4 1 11	4 3 6	4 9 5
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0	5 2 6	5 5 0
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9	4 3 3	4 11 3
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 3 0	4 11 0
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	4 9 0
	Amritsar	3 3 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 14 6	4 7 0
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	4 2 0	4 7 0
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6	3 12 0	4 3 0
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	5 0 0
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0•0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 11 0	5 6 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5	4 7 6	4 9 10
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8	4 13 8	5 5 8
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	5 4 0
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 13 6
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 10 0
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 13 6	5 5 6
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 2 3	4 7 0
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	5 0 0
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 8 1	4 11 4
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1	4 9 1	4 13 7
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	4 1 7	4 8 0
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7	5 5 7	5 2 0
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 15 7
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 1 0	4 5 6
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...	...	...
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 13 7	4 12 4	...
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 3 0
	Dharwar (Hubli)	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4	4 12 4	4 10 3
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 6 0
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 8 0	4 11 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	5 4 0
	Cuttack	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4	5 1 4	5 4 0
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 3 7	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5	4 9 0	4 12 5
	Index Numbers (a).	100	100	102	103	104	105	110	115

* 5% barley, 3% dirt and 30% red.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from *fortnightly* returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay, and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82 2/7 lbs.

FORTNIGHT ENDING											
20th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3	5 4 3	4 12 3	4 7 9
4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7	4 15 2	4 11 1	4 12 7
5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	5 3 6	4 13 0	4 6 0
4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 3 3	3 7 6
4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0
4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 1 0	3 11 0
4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	3 7 9
4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	3 13 0	3 7 6
4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0	4 8 0	4 6 6	3 10 0
5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0	5 4 0	3 12 0	3 14 0
5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 1 6
4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10	4 15 3	4 13 11	4 8 8
5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2	4 8 8	4 3 6	4 0 2
5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 4 0
5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 3	6 2 6	4 8 6	4 0 0	3 14 6
5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 0 0
5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4	4 11 3	4 7 1	3 12 11
5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3	4 9 2	4 5 6	4 5 0
5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 2 6
4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 11
4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 7
4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 8 10
4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10	4 8 7	4 8 7	3 11 6
4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2	5 2 0	4 15 6	4 13 6
5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2	5 7 10	5 6 2	5 10 6
...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6	4 1 1	...	4 11 11
5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0
4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6	3 3 5	3 7 0	3 10 6
4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 7 0
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3
6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 12 5	4 12 5	5 2 7
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0	4 11 3	4 8 0	4 4 0
121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121	114	109	103

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 31st May 1915. Rs. A. P.	15th June 1915 Rs. A. P.	30th June 1915. Rs. A. P.	15th July 1915 Rs. A. P.	31st July 1915. Rs. A. P.	15th August 1915 Rs. A. P.	31st August 1915. Rs. A. P.	15th September 1915 Rs. A. P.	30th September 1915. Rs. A. P.	15th October 1915. Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 4 3	4 6 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 8 3	4 12 3	4 12 3	4 9 9
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 15 2	4 9 10	...	...	...	...	5 3 0	5 4 4	5 0 3	4 15 11
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 6	4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 0
Punjab	Lahore	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 11 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 7 0
	Ferozepur	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0
	Lyallpur	3 14 6	3 9 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6
	Amritsar	3 12 3	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 3
	Multan	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 8 0	4 6 3
	Rawalpindi	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 14 0	4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
	Ambala	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0
Delhi	Delhi	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 6
United Provinces	Benares	4 7 6	4 5 0	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11
	Aligarh (Hathras)	3 14 1	3 14 5	4 3 5	4 9 4	4 7 5	4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 12 0
	Cawnpore	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 14 0
	Meerut	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 3 6	4 7 3	4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0
	Agra	4 5 2	4 4 8	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6
	Fyzabad	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 9 6	4 10 0	4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3
	Lucknow	4 4 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 3 5	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 10	4 7 2	4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2
	Jubbulpore	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4
	Raipur	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 4 10	4 7 2	4 7 2	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5
	Akola	4 2 10	4 2 10	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 14 5	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 4 6	3 8 10	3 8 10	3 13 4	4 1 7	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 11 2	4 10 0	4 7 3	4 0 5	3 15 6	4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6
Bombay	Poona	5 6 2	5 1 11	5 1 4	5 4 1	5 4 1	5 5 1	...	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11
	Ahmednagar	4 10 1	4 8 4	4 10 1	4 13 9	4 14 8	4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4
	Ahmedabad	4 14 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 8 1	3 7 0	3 11 9	3 8 1	3 8 1	3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 14 11
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 6 0
	Bhagalpur	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Ranchi	5 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0
	Cuttack	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5
	Mandalay	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	4 5 2	4 5 0	4 6 2	4 7 1	4 7 4	4 11 9	4 9 3	4 11 3	4 12 10	4 12 0
	Index Numbers (a)	104	104	106	107	108	114	111	114	116	115

* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅔ lbs—*contd.*

Fortnight ending													
31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 9 9	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9	3 11 8	3 12 3
5 0 5	5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 3 9	4 4 0	4 4 8
5 2 6	5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 0 0
4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 0 3	3 10 3
4 6 0	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9	3 7 9	3 5 3
4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	3 0 0	3 2 0
4 3 3	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 1 0
4 5 6	4 5 3	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 2 3	3 2 0
4 5 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0
4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 6 0	3 5 0
4 13 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
4 11 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2
4 15 0	5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 13 1	3 13 1
4 14 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 10 0
4 11 3	4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 7 9
4 9 3	4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6	3 4 0	3 3 0
5 8 3	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 1 7
5 3 2	5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 10 3
4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6	3 7 8	3 6 6
4 10 5	4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2	4 0 0	3 14 5
5 0 0	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2	3 7 7	3 5 4
4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	...	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2
4 10 10	4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 12 4	3 12 4
4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4
4 7 0	4 13 3	4 13 6	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0
5 6 8	5 6 8	5 8 11	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11	4 6 0	4 4 11
5 2 3	4 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 0	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 11 8	3 9 10
5 0 0	5 1 2	5 5 4	5 3 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0
3 12 1	3 14 11	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 3	3 0 10	2 15 11	3 1 10	3 5 10
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 3 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0
5 5 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
5 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0
5 12 0	5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0
5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 1 4	4 1 4
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 3 7	5 3 7	5 3 7	5 3 7	5 7 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1
4 13 6	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
117	118	117	117	118	117	117	114	113	101	95	92	92	92

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	3 12 9	3 10 2	3 10 3	4 0 3	4 3 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 3	4 4 9*
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 5 5	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10	4 4 10
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 2 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 14 3
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3	3 10 3
	Lyallpur	3 3 0	3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 11 0
	Amritsar	3 5 3	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 11 6
	Multan	3 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0
	Ambala	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0
Delhi	Delhi	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0
United Provinces	Benares	3 14 11	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8	4 0 8
	Aligarh (Hathras)	3 13 1	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	4 1 8	3 14 6
	Cawnpore	3 14 0	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Meerut	3 9 0	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 11 3
	Shahjahanpur	3 5 6	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 11 6	3 11 9	3 11 6
	Agra	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2
	Fyzabad	3 10 3	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	4 0 0
	Lucknow	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 8	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6
Central Provinces and Berar	Nagpur	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7
	Jubbulpore	3 4 2	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	3 14 5	3 12 2
	Raipur	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7	3 9 7
	Akola	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 10	3 7 10
North-West Frontier Province	Peshawar	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3	3 8 3
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 6 1	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	4 12 0	4 11 0
Bombay	Poona	4 4 11	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 11 7
	Ahmednagar	3 14 2	3 9 10	3 11 2	...	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10	3 9 5
	Ahmedabad	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 2 0
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 0 11	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10	3 2 10
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 4 6
	Bhagalpur	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 14 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0
	Ranchi	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0
	Cuttack	4 1 4	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 2
Bengal	Rangpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
	Mandalay	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9
	(Median Average)	3 13 1	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 13 4	3 12 11	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	3 14 0
	Index Numbers (b)	92	92	90	93	92	94	97	97	95	94

* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.
(a) Prices at ports after 30th April, 1917.

Ports	Rate per	On 4th May 1917.	On 11th May 1917.	On 18th May 1917.	On 25th May 1917.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Karachi (white)	Maund	4 10 3	4 6 3	4 5 3	4 6 3
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	„	4 9 6	4 11 8	4 10 7	4 11 4
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	„	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 5 6	4 7 6

(b) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅓ lbs—*concld.*

Fortnight ending 31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917.	31st March 1917.	15th April 1917.	30th April 1917.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 30th April 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	R. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
4 7 3	4 9 3	4 13 3	4 13 9	4 14 9	5 1 8	5 1 3	4 12 9	4 13 6	4 13 3	4 12 3	4 13 3	4 13 3	*Nil*
4 6 6	4 9 6	4 14 10	4 13 0	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 8 9	4 10 7	4 9 10	4 10 9	4 9 10	4 10 11	4 9 10	—1
4 4 6	4 10 0	5 2 6	5 0 0	...	4 13 0	4 10 0	4 11 0	4 13 0	4 14 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 4 0	—9
4 0 0	4 1 6	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	*Nil*
3 13 0	3 13 0	4 1 9	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 1 9	3 14 6	3 14 6	*Nil*
3 14 0	3 15 6	4 6 0	4 1 0	4 3 0	4 7 0	4 4 6	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 3 6	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	+2
3 12 0	3 9 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	4 3 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 1 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	+2
3 13 0	3 14 6	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	3 12 0	—8
3 11 0	3 15 0	4 10 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 5 0	—5
3 14 0	3 15 0	4 12 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	+2
4 0 0	4 1 6	5 0 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 13 0	—14
3 15 9	3 14 11	3 14 11	4 14 3	4 12 11	4 10 6	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 10	4 5 0	4 3 1	4 3 1	*Nil*
4 1 8	4 1 9	4 11 7	4 6 11	4 8 11	4 8 11	4 5 2	4 5 4	4 5 5	4 5 4	4 3 8	3 14 6	...	...
4 0 0	4 2 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 14 0	3 11 6	—4
3 11 6	4 0 0	5 2 9	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 0	4 1 6	3 11 0	—10
3 10 0	3 14 6	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 9	3 12 0	3 8 3	—6
4 5 2	4 7 1	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 9 1	4 1 7	—10
3 14 6	3 14 6	4 5 6	4 9 3	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 5 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 1 9	4 1 7	4 0 0	3 14 0	—3
3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 2	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 7 1	4 0 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	*Nil*
3 11 7	3 11 7	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 6	4 1 11	3 13 2	4 0 4	3 11 7	—7
3 11 6	4 0 10	4 6 0	4 7 1	4 6 0	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 4 4	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 2	4 1 8	3 14 5	—5
3 9 7	3 9 7	4 8 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 8 0	—8
3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 4 8	3 4 8	3 7 6	3 10 11	+6
3 10 4	3 12 7	4 4 3	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 5 8	4 4 9	4 8 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 7	4 10 2	4 2 1	—11
4 15 0	4 13 0	5 0 3	5 3 3	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	*Nil*
4 11 7	...	4 11 9	4 12 8	...	4 11 7	4 10 5	...	4 11 7	4 13 9	4 11 7	...	4 10 5	...
3 8 11	3 8 1	3 10 9	3 11 3	3 8 1	3 8 11	3 4 5	4 1 1	3 13 6	3 13 0	3 9 11	3 15 5	3 13 7	—3
4 3 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	*Nil*
3 8 2	3 10 6	3 8 2	..	3 11 11	3 4 10	3 2 4	3 8 2	4 0 2	3 5 11	3 3 10	3 9 4	3 2 6	—12
3 7 6	3 7 6	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	+ 2
4 2 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	— 3
3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	*Nil*
4 2 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0†	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 14 0	—15
4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 1 5	5 1 5	5 1 5	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	*Nil*
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	*Nil*
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	*Nil*
4 14 9	5 0 8	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 4 3	3 14 1	3 8 7	3 5 7	3 8 7	3 10 10	3 14 1	3 14 1	3 14 1	*Nil*
3 14 6	4 0 0	4 9 0	4 7 6	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 6 2	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 0 8	4 0 0	—1
94	97	110	108	107	110	107	106	106	106	104	98	97	

† Revised figure

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 30th April as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	15th April	30th April	Increase or Decrease.	15th Aril	30th April	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	99	—1	100	100	*Nil*
Punjab . .	100	98	—2	100	97	—3
United Provinces .	100	95	—5	100	98	—2
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	95	— 5	100	99	—1

B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.	31st October 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 4	8 0	7 8
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0	9 4
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 4
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 4
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4	9 8
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4	9 8
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 4
United Provinces	Benares	9 8	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13	8 8
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 0
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 8
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4	9 8
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8
Central Provinces and Berar	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 4
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5½	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13	9 13
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	6 12
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8	8 8
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0
	Cuttack	9 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 8
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Index Numbers (a)	100	103	103	106	106	109	112

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head-quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, being taken as 100.

* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending												
15th November 1914.	30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 8
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 3	5 8	5 14	5 14	5 14
6 14	6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12	8 0	9 0	11 4
8 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12	8 0	9 8	10 8
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12	7 14	8 8	11 4
9 4	9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 14	10 12
8 4	8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 8	9 8	10 4
8 12	8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12	9 0	10 4	11 4
7 12	7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8	7 8	10 4	10 0
7 8	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0	7 12	9 0	9 8
8 6	8 1¼	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5	7 13	7 13	7 15
7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 12	7 12	8 8	9 0	9 0
8 0	7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4	8 4	9 12	10 0
7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 8	...
7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0	9 0	9 0	9 8
7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14	8 2	8 14	9 8
8 8	8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4	8 12	9 10	10 0
8 12	7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2	8 8	8 12	9 0
8 5	8 5	8 3	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	9 4
8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	9 0
8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0	9 12	9 8	9 8
7 6	7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6	8 6	7 6	7 6
9 12	9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2	8 7	8 7	10 0
9 4	8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10½	8 2½	7 4½	7 1	7 8½	7 13	8 1	8 4
6 13	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2	6 13	7 2	6 13
8 2	8 2	8 2	5 14	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	7 6
7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 8
9 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	7 2	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8	8 12	[illegible]	9 0
8 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4	8 12	... 11	8 14
8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
7 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9	8 8	7 14	7 14
7 4	7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...
9 8	9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 12	6 13	6 13	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 8	6 8	6 14	7 5	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 8
8 0	7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12	8 4	8 8	9 0
120	121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	128	116	112	106

B—Retail prices of

Port or province	District.	Fortnight ending 31st May 1915	15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Bombay *	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	10 4	10 8	10 8	9 12	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12
	Ferozepur	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 12	9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14
	Amritsar	10 8	10 10	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4
	Rawalpindi	10 4	10 4	10 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8
	Lyallpur	10 0	10 8	11 0	9 12	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
	Multan	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14
	Ambala	9 12	9 12	9 12	9 6	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8
Delhi	Delhi	9 4	9 4	9 4	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0
United Provinces	Benares	8 0	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15	7 13
	Cawnpore	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Meerut	10 0	10 4	10 0	9 8	8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8
	Agra	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8
	Lucknow	9 2	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0
	Aligarh	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 14	9 10	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10
	Fyzabad	8 12	8 10	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4
	Raipur	9 8	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14
Baluchistan	Quetta	8 8½	8 11½	9 0	10 0	10 2	9 13½	9 11½	9 10½	9 8½	9 8
Bombay	Poona	6 12	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 8	7 8	7 8
	Ahmednagar	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	7 8	7 6	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8
	Dharwar	10 8	10 1	10 8	10 8	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	9 0	9 0	9 6	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8
	Bhagalpur	8 12	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14	6 15
	Muzaffarpur	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
	Ranchi	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0
	Cuttack	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
	Mandalay	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5
	(Median Average)	9 0	8 14	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2
	Index Numbers(a)	106	108	109	112	112	116	116	116	120	118

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1914, being taken as 100

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

Wheat in India—*contd.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending													
31st October 1915.	15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	9 0
5 8	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5	7 10	7 10
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 8	10 12
8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8	11 12	12 12
8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8	11 0	10 12
9 0	9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	13 0	12 12
9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12	12 4	12 4
8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12	11 8	11 12
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0
7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1	9 8	8 15	...
8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 8	10 8
8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4
7 0	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 4	9 4
8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4
7 12	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	11 0
8 8	8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10	11 12	12 8
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 4	11 0
8 7	8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0	9 11	10 0
7 12	7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12	11 4	11 14
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4
7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7	10 8	10 8
8 14	8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
9 0⅜	8 4½	8 4½	8 6	8 9½	8 8½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4	9 1	9 1
7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14	8 2	8 14	8 14	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	10 14
7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4
7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12	10 0	10 0
7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0	10 0	9 8
6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 8
7 14	7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 8	7 8	7 14	7 14	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 12	8 4
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 2	8 4	9 1	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6
120	120	120	120	120	120	120	118	116	106	96	96	96	92

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st May 1916.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Bombay*	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 8	10 0
	Ferozepore	11 0	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 12	10 12
	Amritsar	11 12	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	11 8	10 12
	Rawalpindi	10 0	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 6	10 6
	Lyallpur	12 8	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	10 8	10 11
	Multan	11 8	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4
	Ambala	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 4
Delhi	Delhi	10 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 4
United Provinces	Benares	9 12	9 12	...	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	9 8	9 10
	Cawnpore	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Meerut	11 0	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 8	10 8
	Agra	9 0	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
	Lucknow	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0
	Aligarh	11 0	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 12
	Shahjahanpur	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 10
	Fyzabad	10 10	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	9 14	9 12
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	10 0	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3
	Jubbulpore	11 14	12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6
	Raipur	11 4	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0
	Akola	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	9 11	9 11
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4	11 4
Baluchistan	Quetta	9 0¾	9 0	9 0	9 2½	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 4	8 6	8 8
Bombay	Poona	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 5
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0
	Dharwar	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0
	Bhagalpur	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 2	10 5
	Muzaffarpur	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 0
	Ranchi	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 12	9 12
	Cuttack	9 13	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay	7 12	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12
	(Median Average)	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0	10 0
	Index Numbers (a)	96	96	92	94	96	96	98	97	96	96

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1914, being taken as 100.
* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

Wheat in India—*concld.* **[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]**

Fortnight ending 31st October 1916.	15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917	15th March 1917.	31st March. 1917.	15th April 1917.	30th April 1917.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 30th April 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	7 8	+7
7 10	7 10	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	*Nil*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 12	9 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	*Nil*
10 4	10 4	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
10 9	10 12	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 1	9 4	9 7	9 7	9 9	10 0	9 14	9 12	+1
10 10	9 14	8 6	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 10	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 12	−3
10 0	10 0	9 0	9 8	9 4	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 12	9 12	9 12	*Nil*
10 4	10 0	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 8	−10
10 4	10 0	8 2	8 10	8 10	8 6	8 6	8 8	8 8	8 14	10 0	9 12	9 10	+1
9 8	9 8	7 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 3	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	10 4	−12
9 10	9 12	9 3	7 15	7 15	8 4	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 13	9 1	9 1	9 10	−6
9 8	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	10 0	10 4	−2
10 8	9 12	7 6	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	9 0	9 8	10 4	−7
9 0	8 12	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 12	7 8	7 12	8 0	7 12	8 4	9 8	−13
10 0	9 14	8 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	9 12	10 4	10 4	*Nil*
9 12	9 8	9 0	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	10 0	8 4	9 4	9 4	10 12	11 4	−4
10 12	10 6	9 0	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	11 4	−11
10 0	10 0	8 14	8 4	8 10	8 6	8 10	8 10	8 14	8 14	9 12	9 12	10 0	−3
10 3	10 3	8 15	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 3	9 9	10 3	−6
10 8	9 10	9 0	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 2†	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 8	10 0	−5
11 0	11 0	8 2	9 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 2	10 2	11 0	−8
9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	10 12*	9 11	+11
10 14	10 7	9 5	9 5	9 3	9 2	9 3	8 11	8 10	8 10	8 12	8 9	9 10	−11
8 1½	8 1½	7 15¾	7 11	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	*Nil*
8 6	8 6	8 6	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	*Nil*
10 5	10 5	10 5	10 5	10 2	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	*Nil*
8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	*Nil*
11 3	11 3	10 11	10 4	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	10 4	10 11	10 11	10 11	*Nil*
11 8	11 8	10 8	9 0	9 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
9 6	8 0	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 6	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	10 8	10 12	−2
10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	*Nil*
9 12	9 8	7 8	7 7	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	8 4	−12
9 13	9 13	9 13	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	*Nil*
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	*Nil*
7 12	7 8	8 4	8 4	8 14	9 9	10 5	10 12	10 5	10 5	9 9	9 9	9 9	*Nil*
10 0	9 12	8 8	8 9	8 10	8 8	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 3	9 8	9 11	−2
96	98	112	112	111	112	111	109	108	108	104	101	99	

† Revised figures. * Under enquiry.

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 30th April as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917. 15th April	1917. 30th April	1917. Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	1916. 15th April	1916. 30th April	1916. Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . .	100	98	−2	100	100	*Nil*
Punjab . . .	100	100	*Nil*	100	96	−4
United Provinces .	100	96	−4	100	97	−3
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	98	−2	100	95	−5

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending 30th July 1914=100]

Date.	Karachi. White (5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red) Price.	Index Numbers.	Karachi. Red (5% barley, 3% dirt, and 92% red) Price.	Index Numbers.	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pissy). Price.	Index Numbers.	Calcutta Club No. 2. Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 30th July 1914	31 6	100	31 3	100	32 9	100	34 9½	100
" 6th August "	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9½	100
" 3rd September "	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
" 1st October "	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...	...
" 5th November "	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8½	120
" 3rd December "	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
" 30th " "	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	...
" 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
" 4th February "	46 0	148	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
" 25th " "	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10	146
" 4th March "	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
" 1st April "	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
" 6th May "	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
" 3rd June "	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
" 2nd July "	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	...	35 10½	103
" 23rd " "	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
" 6th August "	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
" 27th " "	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
" 3rd September "	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
" 29th " "	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
" 8th October "	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
" 5th November "	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	122
" 3rd December "	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
" 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	122
" 4th February "	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
" 3rd March "	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
" 7th April "	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
" 5th May "	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11	95
" 12th " "	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5	93
" 2nd June "	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
" 9th " "	30 0	95	29 9	95	32 3	98	32 11	95
" 16th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	32 7	99	32 8	94
" 23rd " "	28 6	90	28 3	90	32 7	99	32 2	92
" 30th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
" 7th July "	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
" 14th " "	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2	95
" 21st " "	32 9	104	32 6	104	34 5	105	32 8	94
" 28th " "	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96
" 4th August "	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
" 11th " "	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
" 18th " "	35 3	112	34 3	110	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 25th " "	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 31st " "	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2½	111	33 4½	96
" 8th September "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1½	98
" 15th " "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	35 10½	110	34 1½	98
" 22nd " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
" 29th " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 5th October "	34 0	108	33 0	106	33 8	103	...	...
" 13th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 20th " "	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½	98
" 27th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½	98
" 3rd November "	36 3	115	35 3	113	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 10th " "	36 9	117	35 9	114	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 17th " "	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 7	112	36 10	106
" 24th " "	37 9	120	36 9	118	39 2	120	37 10	109
" 1st December "	38 6	122	37 6	120	39 3	120	41 1	118
" 8th " "	38 9	123	37 9	121	39 4	120	40 7	117
" 15th " "	38 9	123	37 9	121	38 4	117	39 10	114
" 22nd " "	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 0	116	38 10	112
" 29th " "	39 3	125	38 3	122	37 5	114	...	...
" 5th January 1917	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 1	116	39 4	113
" 12th " "	40 6	129	39 6	126	38 2	117	38 4	110
" 19th " "	40 3	128	39 3	126	37 6	114	37 4	107
" 26th " "	40 6	129	39 6	126	36 3	111	36 10	106
" 2nd February "	40 0	127	39 0	125	36 8	112	36 10	106
" 9th " "	39 6	125	38 6	123	37 2	113	36 10	106
" 16th " "	38 3	121	37 3	119	37 2	113	37 4	107
" 23rd " "	39 0	124	38 0	122	37 2	113	37 10	109
" 2nd March "	38 7½	123	37 7½	120	36 9	112	38 4	110
" 9th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	37 10	109
" 16th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 3	114	39 1	112
" 23rd " "	38 3	121	37 3	119	36 3	111	36 7	105
" 30th " "	38 0	121	37 0	118	36 9	112	36 4	104
" 6th April "	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	37 4	107
" 13th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 4	114	37 4	107
" 20th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	35 5	102
" 27th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	36 6	112	33 11	97
" 4th May "	37 0	117	36 0	115	36 7	112	34 2	98
" 11th " "	35 0	111	34 0	109	37 8	115	34 2	98
" 18th " "	34 6	110	33 6	107	37 2	113	34 8	100
" 25th " "	35 0	111	34 0	109	37 6	114	35 8	103

NOTE.—The Indian price quotations are market and not F. O. B. prices. The source of these quotations is the Price Current

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN LONDON.

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades, taken as 100.]

Date.	Choice White Karachi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Red Karachi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Delhi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Choice White Bombay. Price.	Index Numbers.	Club No. 1. Price.	Index Numbers.	Club No. 2. Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-Aug.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st August „	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd September 1914	46 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October „	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November „	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December „	50 6	128	50 0	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th „ „	Nominal	...	...	...	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	...	...	50 6 April-May sellers.	100
30th „ „	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	10[illegible]
8th January 1915	52 3 Do.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	106
4th February „	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th „ „	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April.	128
4th March „	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	118
8th April „	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	127
6th May „	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	129
12th „ „	63 9 Do.	161	63 3 Do.	126	64 3 Do	127	68 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June „	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	121
2nd July „	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	104
23rd „ „	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	110
6th August „	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
27th „ „	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
3rd September „	54 0 July sellers	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	...	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
From 24th Sept. 15 to 18th April 16.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd and 9th June 1916	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th June 1916	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23rd „ „	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th „ „	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 29th June to 7th July '16.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916	58 6 July-Aug.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	59 0 Do.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th „ „	61 3 July-Aug. sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th August „	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th „ „	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th „ „	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25th „ „	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31st „ „	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6th September „	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15th „ „	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	71 0 Do.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29th „ „	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October „	72 3 Oct. paid.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th „ „	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21st „ „	75 6 Do.	191	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th „ „	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd November „	79 0 paid.	200	Do.	...	79 6 sellers.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
10th „ „	80 0 passage.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Noml.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th „ „	80 3 Nov.-Dec. sellers.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
24th „ „	81 0 paid	205	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st December „	82 0 buyers.	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th and 15th Dec. 1916	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th December 1916	82 0 paid.	208	81 6 paid.	163	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd December '16 to 12th January 1917.	No sellers.	...	Nominal.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th „ „	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
26th „ „	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd February „ to 30th March „	82 0 Feb.-Mar. & Mar.-April	208	No sellers	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th April „	83 0 April-May	210	Do.	..	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	..	...
13th Apl. to 4th May 17	85 0 „ „	215	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	87 6	129	...	...	...	...
5th to 11th „ „	86 9 May-June quoted.	220	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	87 6	129	...	...	...	..
18th and 25th „ „	86 9 quoted.	220	86 3	172	86 9	171	...	...	86 9	129	...	..

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COTTON PRESS RETURN.

No. 15 OF 1916-17.

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 15th April, 1917.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each) (a)	Percentage to total for India	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton pressed in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity pressed from 1st September, 1916, to 15th April, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs each)	
						Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	35·6	194	38	47,204	289,524	472,612
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	14·0	164	64	28,991	583,857	965,570
Madras	377,000	8·8	55	16	(b)8,497	74,131	112,945
Punjab (including Native States)	333,000	7·8	92	5	1,766	158,250	186,224
United Provinces	309,000	7·2	80	5	1,885	244,006	233,013
Sind	74,000	1·7	16	3	8,553	49,161	35,839
Burma	45,000	1·1	16	2	752	40,048	24,175
Bihar and Orissa	16,000	0·4	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	20,000	0·5	3	3	1,879	6,650	9,036
Assam	11,000	0·3	...	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province	6,000	0·1	1	1	...	2,998	930
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	0·4	9	2	717	26,272	(c)
Delhi	...	...	1	1	...	1,067	1,193
TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (d)	3,329,000	77·9	631	140	95,244	1,475,964	2,041,537
Hyderabad	500,000	11·7	41	(f)	(f)	3,541	17,993
Central India	309,000	7·2	32	(f)	(f)	(f)	(f)
Rajputana	119,000	2·8	10	(f)	(f)	31,193	17,627
Mysore	16,000	0·4	3	(f)	(f)	6,025	11,771
TOTAL NATIVE STATES (e)	944,000	22·1	86	(f)	(f)	40,759	47,391
GRAND TOTAL	4,273,000	100	717	140	95,244	1,516,723	2,088,928

(a) The figures in column 2 are the estimates for 1916-17 as published in the Supplementary Memorandum on the Cotton crop of 1916-17, dated the 20th March, 1917.
(b) Figures for the weeks ending 7th and 14th April, 1917.
(c) No returns received.
(d) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(e) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.
(f) Returns not received from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 15th April, 1917. (Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton received in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity received from 1st September, 1916, to 15th April, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs each)	
				Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	177	31	11,773	163,300	221,155
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	10	9	1,725	39,581	78,215
Madras	14	7	(*a*)5,924	62,413	60,068
Punjab	3	1	177	4,786	9,135
United Provinces	15	(*b*)	(*b*)	19,450	41,638
Sind	3	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)
Bengal	10	8	4,037	48,756	40,487
Ajmer-Merwara	2	2	1,171	37,136	(*b*)
Delhi	2	2	120	9,179	11,136
TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (*c*)	236	60	24,927	384,601	456,834
Hyderabad	3	1	48	4,003	3,820
Central India	3	1	1,036	18,376	9,840
Rajputana	1	(*e*)	(*e*)	(*e*)	(*e*)
Mysore	2	(*e*)	(*e*)	1,337	2,005
TOTAL NATIVE STATES (*d*)	9	2	1,084	23,716	15,665
GRAND TOTAL	245	62	26,011	408,317	472,499

Note.—This statement shows the quantity of *unpressed* cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.

(*a*) Figures for the weeks ending 7th and 15th April, 1917.
(*b*) No returns received.
(*c*) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*d*) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*e*) Returns not received from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

III.—Total quantity of cotton pressed in the Pressing Factories and of unpressed cotton received in the Spinning Mills, from 1st September, 1916, to 15th April, 1917, in *British Provinces (including Native States within Provincial boundaries).*

Province	Total estimated outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of cotton pressed up to 15th April, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of unpressed cotton received in spinning mills, up to 15th April, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total of columns 3 and 4 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Percentage ratio of col. 5 to col. 2
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	289,524	163,300	452,824	29·8
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	583,857	39,581	623,438	103·9
Madras	377,000	74,131	62,413	136,544	36·2
Punjab (including Native States)					
North-West Frontier Province	339,000	162,315	13,965	176,280	52
Delhi					
United Provinces	309,000	244,006	19,450	263,456	85·3
Sind	74,000	49,161	...	49,161	66·4
Burma	45,000	40,048	...	40,018	89
Bengal					
Bihar and Orissa	47,000	6,650	48,756	55,406	117·9
Assam					
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	26,272	37,136	63,408*	333·7
TOTAL	3,329,000	1,475,964	384,601	1,860,565	55·9

Note.—This table contains the totals of tables I and II excluding Hyderabad, Central India, Rajputana, and Mysore

* Includes cotton received from the adjoining States in Rajputana.

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Final General Memorandum on the WINTER OILSEEDS (Rape, Mustard and Linseed) Crop of 1916-17.

THIS forecast is based upon reports received from provinces where rape, mustard, and linseed are grown to any considerable extent. These provinces contain 99·2 per cent of the total area under rape and mustard, and 98·9 per cent of the total linseed area in British India. Of the Native States, estimates are furnished only by Hyderabad and the Native States in the Bombay Presidency (including Baroda).

The total area under rape and mustard is now reported to be 6,507,000 acres, which is one per cent above the finally revised area of last year. The total estimated yield is 1,186,000 tons, as against 1,102,000 tons, the revised final figure of last year, or an increase of 8 per cent. The detailed figures for each province are given below :—

Rape and Mustard

Provinces and States	Yield (1,000 tons)		Area (1,000 acres)		Yield per acre (lbs)	
	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16
United Provinces	497	484	2,656	2,581	419	420
Bengal	238	233	1,225	1,322	435	395
Punjab	163	146	1,083	1,129	337	290
Bihar and Orissa	167	137	758	725	494	423
Assam	49	60	284	325	386	414
Sind (a)	42	17	279	208	337	188
Bombay (a)	14	6	53	36	592	373
North-West Frontier Province.	26	19	163	110	350	387
Hyderabad	(b)	(c)	6	6	75	37
Total	1,186	1,103	6,507	6,437	408	384

The total area under linseed amounts to 3,533,000 acres, which is 6 per cent above the finally revised area of last year. The total estimated yield is 520,000 tons as against 476,000 tons, the revised final estimate of last year, or an increase of 9 per cent. The detailed figures for each province are given below :—

Linseed

Provinces and States	Yield (1,000 tons)		Area (1,000 acres)		Yield per acre (lb)	
	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16
Central Provinces and Berar.	99	83	1,176	1,048	189	177
United Provinces	210	189	1,029	945	457	448
Bihar and Orissa	147	136	668	663	493	459
Bengal	25	28	157	181	357	347
Bombay (a)	20	25	146	176	303	318
Punjab	3	3	34	33	198	204
Hyderabad	16	12	321	289	112	93
Total	520	476	3,533	3,334	330	320

In addition to the areas for which particulars are given above, the crops are grown in certain other tracts in British India, and the average areas so grown for the last five years have been some 51,000 acres under rape and mustard and some 37,000 acres under linseed. And on account of these areas an outturn of 0·8 per cent (or about 9,000 tons) may be added to the estimated total yield of rape and mustard and of one per cent (or about 5,000 tons) to that of linseed, given above.

The condition of the crops is generally reported to be good, except in Assam where the rapeseed crop suffered through drought, and in Bengal where the linseed crop was at first adversely affected by heavy rainfall and later by drought.

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

Rape and Mustard

United Provinces (40·4 per cent of the total area under rape and mustard in British India).—The area sown with the unmixed crop is reported to be 156,000 acres, which is 14 per cent below the area of last year. The decrease occurred mainly in Oudh. The yield is estimated at 29,000 tons, which is 15 per cent short of last year's yield. The area and yield of rapeseed grown mixed with other crops, as borders and lines, and used chiefly for home consumption, are roughly estimated at 2,500,000 acres and 468,000 tons as compared with 2,400,000 acres and 450,000 tons last year. The crop suffered in places from insect pests, and the yield has been moderate. For the provinces as a whole the outturn is estimated at 75 per cent of the normal.

Bengal (20·8 per cent of the total area under rape and mustard in British India).—The area sown is reported to be 1,225,000 acres, which is 7 per cent below last year's area. The yield is estimated at 238,000 tons, which is 2 per cent above the yield of last year. The excessive rainfall of September and October retarded sowings generally. The heavy showers in the first part of November checked further sowings and caused some damage to the crops already sown. Since then the total absence of rain interfered with the development of the crop to some extent. The average outturn for the province as a whole is estimated at 88 per cent of the normal as against 80 per cent last year.

Punjab (17·1 per cent of the total area under rape and mustard in British India).—The total area is now estimated at 1,083,000 acres, which is 4 per cent short of last year's area. The yield is reported to be 163,000 tons, which exceeds the yield of last year by 12 per cent. Owing to heavy rain in July and September the season was very favourable for sowing, but the absence of winter rains led to failures on the unirrigated area in the Lahore and Rawalpindi Divisions. The decrease in area is, however, attributed to the restriction in foreign demand and consequent low prices. *Toria* (an early variety of rapeseed), which is almost entirely grown on irrigated land, did better than other oilseeds. Its yield was normal to good, while that of other oilseeds was generally below normal, and in parts of the south-east poor.

Bihar and Orissa (11·6 per cent of the total area under rape and mustard in British India).—The total area sown is reported to be 758,000 acres,

(a) Including Native States (b) 200 tons (c) 100 tons

which is nearly 5 per cent above that of last year. The yield is estimated at 167,000 tons, which is 22 per cent in excess of last year's yield. The rainfall in February was below normal in Shahabad, Palamau, and the Bhagalpur Division, normal in Patna and Darbhanga, and above normal elsewhere. In March light rain was fairly general over the province. The weather conditions have been favourable on the whole for the growth of the crops, and the yield has generally been satisfactory. According to district estimates, the average outturn for the province works out to 95 per cent of the normal against 86 per cent estimated last year. The Director of Agriculture, however, believes this is an under-estimate and the outturn will not fall short of the normal or 100 per cent.

Assam (4·7 **per cent** of the total area under rape and mustard in British India).—The total area sown is reported to be 284,000 acres, which is 13 per cent below last year's area. The yield is estimated at 49,000 tons, which is 18 per cent short of last year's yield. The weather was unfavourable at the time of sowing. Practically no rain fell in December and January anywhere, except in Darrang, Sibsagar, and Lakhimpur, and the drought retarded the growth of the crop to a considerable extent.

Sind (2·9 **per cent** of the total area under rape and mustard in British India).—The total area sown is reported to be 279,000 acres (11,000 acres being in the Khairpur State), which shows an increase of 37 per cent over last year's area. The yield is estimated at 42,000 tons (2,000 tons in the Khairpur State) as against 17,000 tons last year. The increase in area is attributed to good rains and favourable inundation. The outturn is reported at three-fourths of the normal in Upper Sind Frontier and Khairpur; elsewhere between 50 to 70 per cent.

Bombay (0·1 **per cent** of the total area under rape and mustard in British India).—The total area reported is 53,000 acres (50,000 acres being in the Native States), which is 47 per cent above that of last year. The extension in cultivation is attributed to good sowing rains. The total yield is estimated at 14,000 tons (13,000 tons in the Native States) as compared with 6,000 tons last year. The crop throve well owing to favourable seasonal conditions, and is expected to yield between 80 to 85 per cent of the normal

North-West Frontier Province (1·6 **per cent** of the total area under rape and mustard in British India).—The total area sown is estimated at 163,000 acres, which exceeds the area of last year by 48 per cent The yield is estimated at 16,000 tons, which is 16 per cent below last year's yield. Climatic conditions at sowing time were more favourable in the southern than in the northern parts of the province The crop was somewhat damaged by rain on the threshing floor. The outturn on irrigated areas was average in Peshawar and Bannu, and below average elsewhere, while on un-irrigated areas it was generally below average.

Hyderabad reports 6,000 acres and 200 tons as against 6,000 acres and 100 tons last year.

Linseed

Central Provinces and Berar (38·4 **per cent** of the total area under linseed in British India).—The total area sown is reported to be 1,176,000 acres (1,128,000 acres in the Central Provinces and 48,000 acres in Berar), which is 12 per cent above last year's area. The yield is estimated at 99,000 tons (92,000 tons in the Central Provinces and 7,000 tons in Berar), which is 19 per cent above last year's yield The increase in area is due partly to the favourable seasonal conditions at sowing time and partly to the substitution of linseed where cotton and jawar failed owing to excessive rain. Sowings were made under favourable conditions everywhere, except in Nagpur, Seoni, Mandla, Chanda, Bhandara, Bilaspur, and Yeotmal, where operations were somewhat impeded owing to heavy and continuous rains in September and October. Germination was on the whole good, although some resowing was necessary in parts of Jubbulpur, Nimar, the Chhattisgarh tracts, and some of the above-named districts. Cloudy weather, untimely rain, hail, rust, and insects slightly damaged the crop in parts of Damoh, Hoshangabad, Nimar, and in the Nagpur, Chhattisgarh, and Berar divisions, and reduced the outturn in several districts. For the provinces, as a whole, a normal crop was reaped.

United Provinces (31 **per cent** of the total area under linseed in British India).—The area under linseed sown unmixed is reported to be 354,000 acres, which is 20 per cent above that of last year. The increase is shared by all tracts where the crop is chiefly sown unmixed. The yield is estimated at 72,000 tons, which is 22 per cent more than last year's yield. The yield has uniformly been satisfactory, and the seed is reported to be of good quality. For the provinces, as a whole, the outturn is estimated at 95 per cent of the normal. The area and yield of linseed grown mixed with other crops, and used chiefly for home consumption, are roughly estimated at 675,000 acres and 138,000 tons as compared with 650,000 acres and 130,000 tons last year.

Bihar and Orissa (17·8 **per cent** of the total area under linseed in British India).—The total area is reported to be 668,000 acres, which is less than one per cent above last year's area. The yield is estimated at 147,000 tons, which is 8 per cent above the yield of last year. The weather conditions have been favourable, on the whole, for the growth of the crop, and the yield has been satisfactory.

Bengal (5·7 **per cent** of the total area under linseed in British India).—The total area sown is reported to be 157,000 acres, which is 13 per cent below last year's area. The yield is estimated at 25,000 tons, or a decrease of 10 per cent as compared with last year. The decrease in area is attributed to excessive rainfall at sowing time. The season was, on the whole, generally unfavourable, and the average outturn is estimated at 73 per cent of the normal as against 70 per cent last year.

Bombay (4·8 **per cent** of the total area under linseed in British India).—The total area sown is reported to be 148,000 acres (14,000 acres being in the Native States), which is 16 per cent short of last year's area. The total yield is estimated at 20,000 tons (1,000 tons being in the Native States), which falls 20 per cent below last year's yield. The cultivation was restricted throughout, except in Khandesh and Ahmednagar in the North Deccan, on account of untimely and excessive rain. The season has, since the last forecast, been favourable, and the crop has fared well except in places where rain early in February damaged it to some extent.

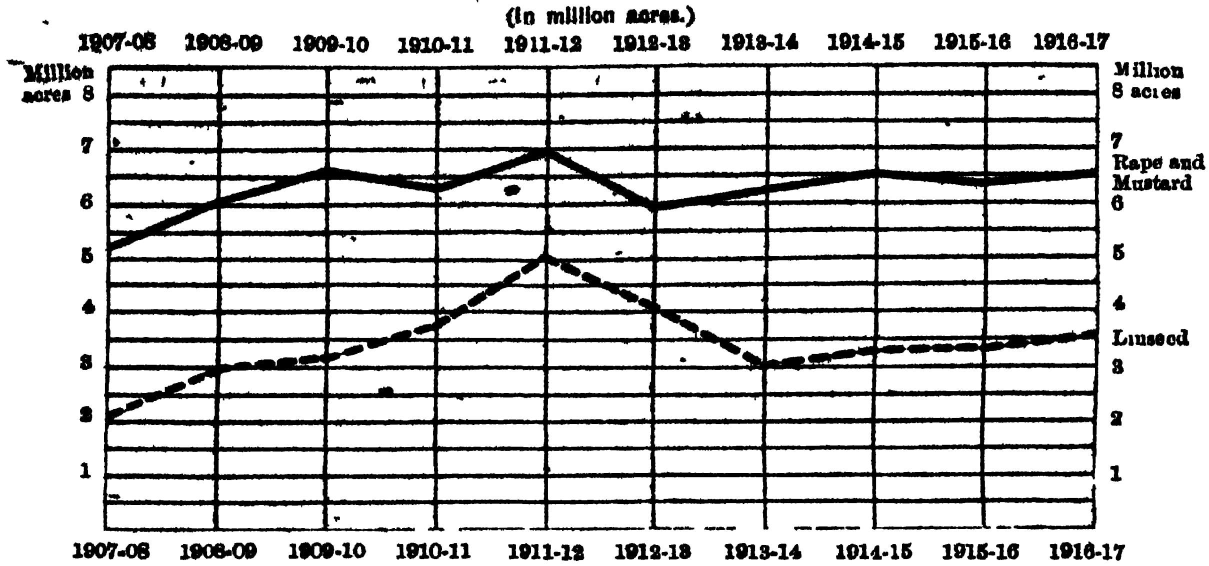
Punjab (1·2 **per cent** of the total area under linseed in British India).—The total area sown is reported to be 34,000 acres, or an increase of 3 per cent as compared with last year. The yield is estimated at 2,900 tons as against 2,700 tons last year. The season was favourable for sowing, on account of heavy rains in July and September, but owing to the absence of winter rainfall the yield was generally below normal and in parts of the south-east poor.

Hyderabad reports 321,000 acres under linseed, which shows an increase of 11 per cent as compared with last year. The total yield is estimated at 16,000 tons, which is 33 per cent above last year's yield.

Charts.—The charts below illustrate the variations in the area and yield of each crop in the last ten years.

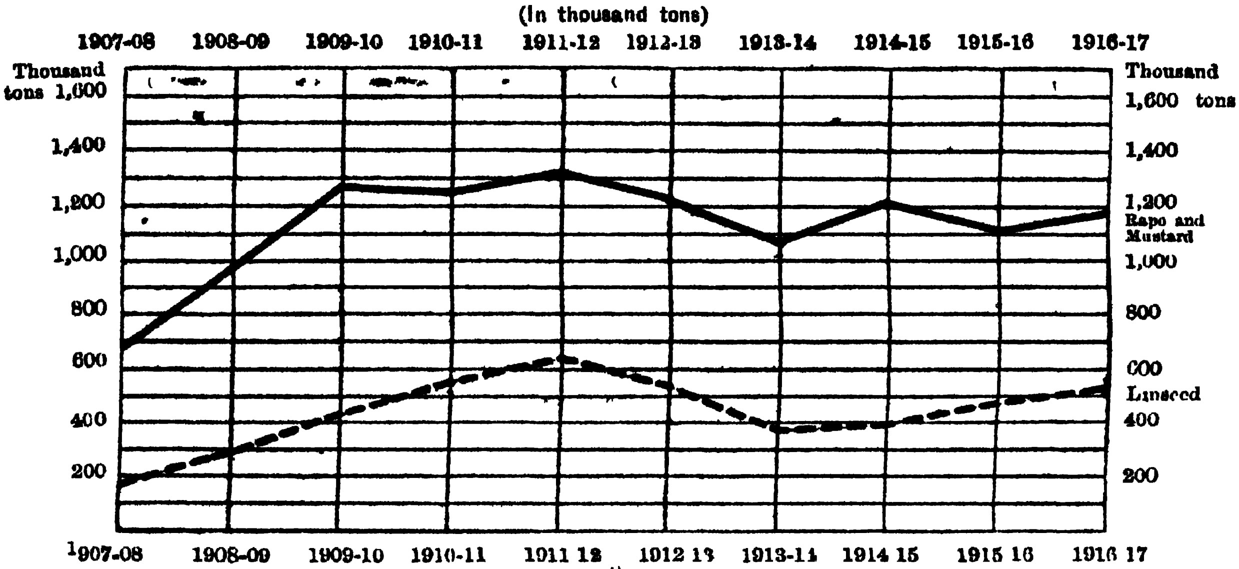
AREA OF RAPE AND MUSTARD AND LINSEED.

(In million acres.)



YIELD OF RAPE AND MUSTARD AND LINSEED.

(In thousand tons)



Prices—The figures below represent the quotations at or about the middle of May 1917 and at the corresponding period of the four preceding years —

—	Rapeseed Bombay (per cwt)			Rapeseed Karachi (per cwt)			Linseed Calcutta (per cwt)			Linseed Bombay (per cwt)		
	Rs	A	P	Rs	A	P	Rs	A	P	Rs	A	P
1913	8	14	0	7	14	4	7	4	4	8	12	6
1914	9	12	0	8	9	11	8	1	4	8	14	6
1915	7	8	0	6	11	8	6	7	5	7	7	6
1916	7	7	0	6	9	2	7	1	0	7	10	0
1917	7	5	0	6	4	5	6	12	11	8	4	0

Exports—The quantity exported by sea to foreign countries during each of the last five years has been :—

	Rapeseed Tons	Linseed Tons
1912-13	217,829	354,489
1913-14	249,005	413,671
1914-15	96,912	321,577
1915-16	95,214	192,987
1916-17	121,749	394,103

The countries to which the exports of the last two years were directed are stated below —

	Rapeseed 1915-16 Tons	Rapeseed 1916-17 Tons	Linseed 1915-16 Tons	Linseed 1916-17 Tons
United Kingdom	47,473	88,991	144,755	308,969
France	40,280	23,126	18,818	47,254
Spain	700		2,375	200
Italy	6,375	4,769	12,180	22,582
Australia	3	..	7,389	10,457
Other countries	383	4,573	7,140	4,641
	95,214	121,749	192,987	394,103

Oilseeds crop in foreign countries—The latest information published by the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, shows that the estimates of the linseed crop of 1916-17 in the Argentine are 3,206,000 acres and 132,000 tons as compared with 3,999,000 acres and 980,000 tons in 1915-16 The area and yield of linseed in the United States are estimated at 1,604,000 acres and 386,000 tons in 1916, as against 1,386,000 acres and 350,000 tons in 1915 The area and yield of linseed in Canada are stated to be 606,000 acres and 178,000 tons in 1916 compared with 806,000 acres and 265,000 tons in the previous year

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Estimate of the Winter Oilseeds Crop of 1916-17.

Provinces and States		Area (in acres)			Increase (+) or Decrease (—) in the current year over	
		Current year (1916-17)	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years
					Per cent	Per cent
Rape and Mustard						
United Provinces	Unmixed	156 000	181 000	162,000	—13·8	— 3·7
	Mixed	2,500 000	2,400,000	2,424,000	+ 4·2	+ 3·1
Bengal		1,225 000	1,322,000	1,326,000	— 7·3	— 7·6
Punjab		1,083,000	1,129,000	1,086,000	— 4·1	— 0·3
Bihar and Orissa		758,000	725,000	760,000	+ 4·6	— 0·3
Assam		284,000	325,000	295,000	—12·6	— 3·7
Sind (including Native States)		279 000	203,000	(a)	+37·4	...
Bombay (including Native States)		53,000	36,000	68,000	+47·2	—22·1
North-West Frontier Province		163,000	110,000	102,000	+48·2	+59·8
Hyderabad		6,000	6,000	8,000	...	—25·0
Total	Unmixed	4,007,000	4,037,000	3,807,000	— 0·7	+ 5·3
	Mixed	2,500 000	2,400,000	2,424,000	+ 4·2	+ 3·1
Grand Total		6,507,000	6,437,000	6,231,000	+ 1·1	+ 4·4
Linseed						
Central Provinces and Berar		1,176,000	1,048,000	1,319,000	+12·2	—10·8
United Provinces	Unmixed	354,000	295,000	464,000	+20·0	—23·7
	Mixed	675,000	650,000	611,000	+ 3·8	+10·5
Bihar and Orissa		668,000	663,000	577,000	+ 0·8	+15·8
Bengal		157,000	181,000	196,000	—13·3	—19·9
Bombay (including Native States)		148,000	176,000	165,000	—15·9	—10·3
Punjab		34,000	33,000	43,000	+ 3·0	—20·9
Hyderabad		321,000	288,000	479,000	+11·5	—33·0
Total	Unmixed	2,858,000	2,684,000	3,243,000	+ 6·5	—11·9
	Mixed	675,000	650,000	611,000	+ 3·8	+10·5
Grand Total		3,533,000	3,334,000	3,854,000	+ 6·0	— 8·3

Provinces and States		Yield (in tons)			Increase (+) or Decrease (—) in the current year over	
		Current year (1916-17)	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years
					Per cent	Per cent
Rape and Mustard						
United Provinces	Unmixed	29,000	34,000	34 000	—14·7	—14·7
	Mixed	468,000	450,000	516,000	+4·0	—9·3
Bengal		238,000	233,000	246,000	+2·1	—3·3
Punjab		163,000	146 000	164 000	+11·6	—0·6
Bihar and Orissa		167,000	137,000	149,000	+21·9	+12·1
Assam		49,000	60 000	56,000	—18·3	—12·5
Sind (including Native States)		42,000	17,000	(a)	+147·1	...
Bombay (including Native States)		14,000	6,000	(a)	+133·3	...
North-West Frontier Province		16 000	19,000	12,000	—15·8	+33·3
Hyderabad		200	100	200	+100·0	...
Total	Unmixed	718 200	652 100	661,200	+10·1	+8·6
	Mixed	468,000	450 000	516 000	+ 4·0	—9·3
Grand Total		1 186 200	1,102,100	1,177,200	+7·6	+0·8
Linseed						
Central Provinces and Berar		99 000	83 000	114 000	+19·3	—13·2
United Provinces	Unmixed	72,000	59 000	89 000	+22·0	—19·1
	Mixed	138,000	130 000	116 000	+6·2	+19·0
Bihar and Orissa		147 000	136 000	119 000	+8·1	+23·5
Bengal		25 000	28 000	34 000	—10·7	—26·5
Bombay (including Native States)		20 000	25,000	18,000	—20·0	+11·1
Punjab		3 000	3,000	(a)	..	...
Hyderabad		16 000	12,000	20,000	+33·3	—20·0
Total	Unmixed	382 000	346,000	394 000	+10·4	—3·0
	Mixed	138,000	130 000	116,000	+6·2	+19·0
Grand Total		520,000	476,000	510,000	+9·2	+2·0

(a) Not available

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Third General Memorandum on the WHEAT CROP of 1916-17.

This memorandum is based on the third or final reports on the wheat crop of the season 1916-17, received from local authorities, and relates to 98 5 per cent of the total wheat area in India. The returns, therefore, cover practically all the important wheat growing areas of India. Telegraphic reports on the condition of the wheat crop for the fortnight ending 20th May have been included in this memorandum. The final memorandum on the wheat crop, will be issued in the second week of August.

The total area is estimated at 33,040,000 acres as compared with 30,143,000 acres at this time last year, or an increase of 10 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 10,160,000 tons as against 8,518,000 tons reported at this time last year, or an increase of 19 per cent. It may be noted that the figures of both area and yield are the highest on record.

The detailed figures are as follows :—

1.—Area (in thousand acres).

Provinces and States	1916-17 (May, 1917)	1915-16 (May, 1916)	Increase + or Decrease —
Punjab (*a*)	10,799	10,256	+ 543
United Provinces	6,833	6,621	+ 212
Central Provinces and Berar (*a*)	3,977	3,616	+ 361
Bombay (*a*)	2,188	2,049	+ 139
Sind (*a*)	600	571	+ 29
Bihar and Orissa	1,308	1,330	—22
North-West Frontier Province	1,054	859	+ 195
Bengal	129	134	—5
Delhi	36	28	+ 8
Ajmer-Merwara	28	12	+ 16
Central India	3,581	2,969	+ 612
Rajputana	1,158	649	+ 509
Hyderabad	1,344	1,045	+ 299
Mysore	5	4	+ 1
Total	33,040	30,143	+ 2,897

2.—Yield (in thousand tons).

Provinces and States.	1916-17 (May, 1917)	1915-16 (May, 1916)	Increase + or Decrease —	Yield per acre 1916-17	Yield per acre 1915-16
				lbs.	lbs.
Punjab (*a*)	2,961	2,487	+474	614	543
United Provinces	3,086	2,713	+373	1,012	918
Central Provinces and Berar (*a*)	1,165	973	+192	656	693
Bombay (*a*)	593	496	+97	607	543
Sind (*a*)	173	162	+11	646	636
Bihar and Orissa	598	581	+17	1,024	979
North-West Frontier Province	239	212	+27	508	553
Bengal	40	40	...	695	669
Delhi	12	11	+1	747	880
Ajmer-Merwara	10	2	+8	800	373
Central India	891	649	+242	557	490
Rajputana	265	116	+149	513	400
Hyderabad	126	75	+51	210	161
Mysore	1	1	..	373	328
Total	10,160	8,518	+1,642	689	633

It will be seen that the present estimate of yield as against the estimate made at this time last year, shows an increase of 128 per cent in Rajputana, 68 per cent in Hyderabad, 37 per cent in Central India, 20 per cent in the Central Provinces and Berar and also in Bombay, 19 per cent in the Punjab, 14 per cent in the United Provinces, 13 per cent in the North-West Frontier Province, 9 per cent in Delhi, 7 per cent in Sind, and 3 per cent in Bihar and Orissa.

The condition of the crop is good, except in parts of the unirrigated * areas in the Punjab and Delhi. The unsettled weather in April and May has slightly affected the quality of the crop, and caused some discolouration of the grain in northern and central India. Harvesting has been completed everywhere except in parts of the North-West Frontier Province. Threshing operations, retarded by the recent rains, still continue in parts of northern and central India.

The provincial reports are summarised below :—

Punjab (33 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area is now estimated at 10,799,000 acres (1,269,000 acres being in the Native States) as against 10,256,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 5 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 2,961,000 tons (379,000 tons being in the Native States) as against 2,487,000 tons at the corresponding period of last year, or an increase of 19 per cent. The deficient winter rainfall seriously affected the canal supply, except in the Western Jumna Canal and the Sirhind Canals, where the water supply was not unsatisfactory; but further west, especially in the canals constituting the Triple Project, the shortage of water was marked. The Lower Bari Doab Canal suffered most, and the supplies which it obtained, were at long and irregular intervals. The rainfall in April was harmful in the east and south-east of the province, where much of the wheat had been cut, when it occurred. But, on the whole, it did more good than harm, as it benefited very greatly the crop of the northern Punjab, where harvesting generally begins later than in the further east. The unirrigated crop is, on the whole, distinctly better than that of last year, but it is far less than it would have been, had normal winter rains fallen. The crop irrigated from wells is generally very fair, but the yield of the canal irrigated crop, save in the east of the province, is below the average. The year has shown markedly the advantages of light loamy soil in such rainfall conditions as obtained this year. The crop on this soil was distinctly better than on heavier lands. There have been no complaints of disease, and rust has naturally been far less prevalent than usual. Later report shows that light or moderate rain has been received very recently in all the districts, and some damage has been done to wheat grain and straw on threshing floors. The effect of this rainfall on the quality of the grain will, it is anticipated, show itself in a very small proportion of discoloured, weathered, and sprouted grains. Reaping has been finished. Threshing, which has been delayed by unfavourable weather, continues and is likely to be completed by the end of this month.

United Provinces (23·2 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area under wheat is now estimated at 6,833,000 acres as against

(*a*) Including Native States.

* The unirrigated area is on the average of the five years ending 1915-16 about 50 per cent of the total wheat area in the Punjab 51 per cent in the United Provinces, 73 per cent in the North-West Frontier Province, and 44 per cent (three years' average) in Delhi.

6,621,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 3 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 3,086,000 tons, which is about 14 per cent above the estimate made at this time last year. Weather conditions were, on the whole, favourable for the crop. As reported in the Special Forecast (April), the weather was unsettled during March with local storms and hail, but no damage was done. The weather has since been cloudy and unsettled, and heavy showers of rain have recently fallen, and have seriously delayed threshing and winnowing operations in the western districts, and it is estimated that a third to a half of the crop is still on threshing floors. With fine weather the actual loss may not be large, but there will probably be a considerable quantity of discoloured grain. Over the rest of the provinces threshing has been for the most part completed. Later returns, based on experimental weighments, confirm the estimates made in the Special Forecast. They are generally favourable and vary from 95 to 105 per cent of the normal, except in the Meerut and Gorakhpur divisions, where the crop is estimated at 90 per cent of the normal For the provinces as a whole the crop is estimated at 95 per cent of the normal, as compared with 90 per cent last year.

Central Provinces and Berar (11·5 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area is now estimated at 3,977,000 acres (3,400,000 acres in the Central Provinces, 447,000 acres in Berar, and 130,000 acres in the Native States of Khairagarh and Nandgaon), which is 10 per cent above the area reported at this time last year. The total yield is estimated at 1,165,000 tons (1,010,000 tons in the Central Provinces, 117,000 tons in Berar, and 38,000 tons in Khairagarh and Nandgaon) as compared with 973,000 tons at this time last year, or an increase of nearly 20 per cent. The weather in the first fortnight of April was warm and cloudy with local storms. Hail fell in places but no serious damage was caused. During the fortnight ending the 20th May light to moderate showers were received throughout the provinces and slight damage was caused in places, especially in the northern districts, to the crops lying on threshing floors. Showery weather still continues. Threshing and winnowing operations were retarded owing to rain in a few districts, but are approaching completion. Harvesting has now been finished everywhere. Climatic conditions have been generally favourable to the crop, although untimely rain in Chanda and the absence of winter rains in Bhandara slightly affected the plants in places. The average outturn for the Central Provinces and Berar is estimated at 109 per cent of the normal, as against a normal crop last year. The State of Khairagarh estimates an outturn of 115 per cent and the Nandgaon State 105 per cent of the normal.

Bombay (6 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area is estimated at 2,188,000 acres (586,000 acres being in the Native States) as against 2,049,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 7 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 593,000 tons (202,000 tons being in the Native States), which is about 20 per cent above the estimate made at this time last year. The crop generally throve well everywhere in the Presidency, except in a few places, mainly in the Deccan, where rain in February affected the crop. The unirrigated crop was harvested in Gujarat and the north Deccan generally in the first fortnight of March and in the south Deccan and the Karnatak by the end of February. The irrigated crop was reaped a fortnight to a month later. Threshing has been completed.

Sind (1·7 per cent of the total area under wheat in India) —The total area is estimated at 600,000 acres (22,000 acres being in the Native State), which is 5 per cent above the area reported at this time last year. The total yield is estimated at 178,000 tons (5,000 tons in the Native State) as against 162,000 tons reported at this time last year, or an increase of 7 per cent. Rain at the end of March caused rust in places in the south, and the insufficiency of water supply on the Jamrao Canals reduced the outturn of the crop. Some damage was also done by hailstorm in the north. Elsewhere the crop did well. The crop in Thar and Parkar is reported to be half the normal. Elsewhere the yield ranged between 67 to 90 per cent of the normal.

Bihar and Orissa (4·1 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area is estimated at 1,308,000 acres as against 1,330,000 acres estimated at this time last year, or a decrease of 2 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 598,000 tons, which is 3 per cent above that reported at this time last year. The weather conditions have, on the whole, been more than ordinarily favourable for the growth of the crop, and reports of yield are generally satisfactory. Slight damage to wheat on threshing floors by recent rainfall is reported from three districts. Threshing has been almost completed. According to the estimates of District Officers the average outturn for the province works out to 91 per cent of the normal ; but the provincial Director of Agriculture remarks that the estimates appear to be below the mark, and in view of the beneficial rain of February, he is of opinion that the outturn will not fall short of 105 per cent, and on this basis the total yield given above has been estimated.

North-West Frontier Province (3·4 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area is estimated at 1,054,000 acres, which is about 23 per cent above the area reported at this time last year. The total yield is estimated at 239,000 tons as against 212,000 tons reported at this time last year, or an increase of 13 per cent. Rain accompanied by hailstorm recently fell in certain places, but no serious damage has been caused to the crop. Harvesting is in progress and will be completed by the middle of next month. Threshing has commenced, and is in full swing in certain tracts.

Bengal (0·5 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area is estimated at 129,000 acres, which is 4 per cent less than that reported at this time last year. The total yield is estimated at 40,000 tons, the same as last year. The season was, on the whole, unsatisfactory for the crop owing to excessive rain at sowing time and to drought later on. The winter rain came too late to be of any real benefit to the crop. The rainfall in the fortnight ending the 20th May had no effect on the crop which had already been harvested. Threshing has been finished.

Delhi (0·1 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area and yield are estimated at 36,000 acres and 12,000 tons as against 28,000 acres and 11,000 tons reported at this time last year. Harvesting began from the 29th March and was finished in the first week of May. Threshing is not in full swing owing to untimely rainfall, and less than half the crop has been threshed and winnowed. It is reported that the recent rain reduced outturn 10 per cent.

Ajmer-Merwara (0·1 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area and yield are estimated at 28,000 acres and 10,000 tons as against 12,000 acres and 2,000 tons last year. Hail at places in Kekri and rain in Beawar damaged the wheat lying on threshing floors to some extent ; otherwise reports of yield are satisfactory.

Central India (9 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area sown is reported to be 3,581,000 acres, as against 2,969,000 acres at this time last year, or an increase of 21 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 891,000 tons, as against 649,000 tons at this time last year, showing an

increase of 37 per cent. Detailed figures* are as follows :—

Agencies.	AREA (acres).		YIELD (tons).	
	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16
Gwalior . .	1,508,772	1,125,358	424,574	275,278
Indore . .	427,830	394,533	82,867	67,299
Bhopal . .	812,904	698,420	211,912	167,200
Bundelkhand .	303,516	261,853	61,866	47,312
Baghelkhand .	180,463	168,405	40,971	37,153
Malwa . .	158,991	128,197	29,882	17,858
Southern States .	188,929	192,467	39,834	36,590
TOTAL .	3,581,414	2,969,233	891,426	648,690

Rajputana (3 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area is estimated at 1,158,000 acres, as against 649,000 acres reported at this time last year, or an increase of 78 per cent. The total yield is estimated at 265,000 tons, which is 128 per cent above the estimate made at this time last year. The details are as follows :—

States.	Area (acres).		Yield (tons).	
	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16
Bundi . . .	57,865	35,802	4,250	2,000
Tonk . . .	118,528	98,622	20,928	16,661
Kishangarh . .	3,016	1,223	1,167	230
Jaipur . . .	89,940	46,336	21,698	10,469
Dungarpur . .	11,071	6,933	5,140	2,228
Partabgarh . .	23,545	22,395	4,204	2,799
Banswara . .	22,104	16,102	4,060	2,958
Kushalgarh . .	3,544	2,020	444	108
Jaisalmer . .	9,267	83	1,078	10
Marwar . . .	294,670	62,817	61,654	13,294
Bikaner . . .	81,104	740	4,448	90
Sirohi . . .	8,600	8,400	3,060	2,980
Karauli . . .	5,386	4,423	1,233	1,173
Dholpur . .	19,358	12,140	8,288	3,977
Alwar . . .	42,221	28,206	17,761	8,823
Bharatpur . .	35,451	29,291	17,155	9,018
Kotah . . .	327,787	238,060	68,801	33,116
Jhalawar . .	16,626	8,655	4,960	1,036
Mewar . . .	40,000	25,000	14,000	5,257
Shahpura . .	3,255	1,692	500	171
TOTAL .	1,158,283	648,940	264,819	115,993

Hyderabad (2·9 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area is estimated at 1,344,000 acres, which is 29 per cent above the estimate made at this time last year. The total yield is estimated at 126,000 tons, as against 75,000 tons reported at this time last year, or an increase of 68 per cent. The details are as follows :—

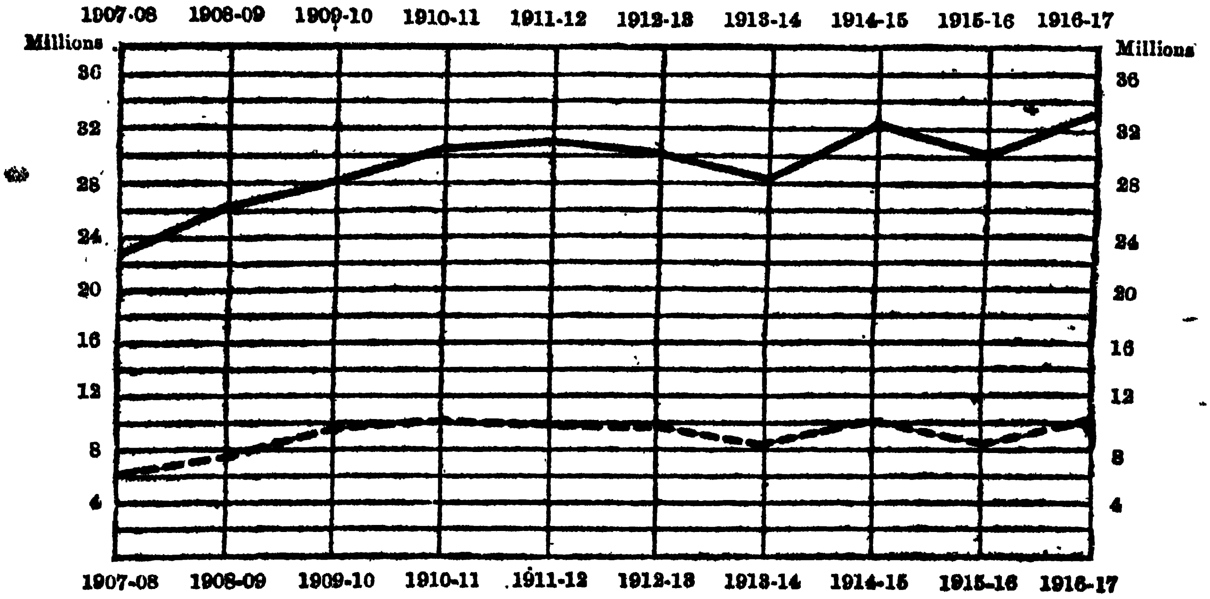
Districts	AREA (acres)		YIELD (tons)	
	1916-17	1915-16	1916-17	1915-16
Aurangabad .	318,926	219,990	36,853	22,280
Bir . . .	110,946	80,734	8,873	4,462
Parbhani . .	221,722	222,660	21,402	11,719
Nander . .	110,353	110,882	17,306	13,628
Gulbarga . .	15,956	17,381	3,895	1,680
Raichur . .	29,984	36,602	1,524	1,841
Usmanabad . .	28,572	25,706	5,102	1,147
Bidar . . .	42,896	34,696	2,012	2,503
Medak . .	2,431	2,705	137	218
Mahboobnagar .	643	836	62	77
Nizamabad . .	1,024	476	105	41
Warangal . .	129	113	21	15
Adilabad . .	19,058	7,873	2,847	421
Karimnagar .	448	514	63	42
Non-Government Estates.	441,830	283,689	25,671	14,826
TOTAL .	1,344,418	1,044,857	125,873	74,845

Mysore (0·01 per cent of the total area under wheat in India).—The total area and yield are estimated at 4,800 acres and 800 tons, as against 4,100 acres and 600 tons reported at this time last year.

Chart.—The chart below illustrates the present estimates of area and yield as compared with the final figures of the preceding nine years :—

AREA AND YIELD OF WHEAT

Area (in million acres)———— Yield (in million tons)- - - - - -



* Detailed figures are given for Native States, since these details are not otherwise readily available to the trade.

Exports.—The statement below shows the exports of wheat by sea to foreign countries in each month of the last four years :—

	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
April	27,300	9,100	10,600	(a)3,200	93,493
May	166,300	24,500	(a)105,000	(a)2,100	(a)137,134*
June	260,400	160,000	(a)291,900	41,900	...
July	318,500	169,500	(a)187,600	44,000	...
August	134,700	42,500	(a)47,900	74,000	...
September	134,800	56,100	(a)5,800	198,700	...
October	52,700	88,300	400	150,900	...
November	46,700	55,000	200	(a)79,000	...
December	21,700	37,000	300	(a)99,400	...
January	20,700	25,[illegible]00	400	(a)52,200	...
February	9,700	21,600	(a)1,900	(a)14,500	...
March	8,700	8,800	900	(a)32,800	...
Total	1,202,200	706,400	(a)652,900	(a)733,600	...

(a) Including exports on Government account.
* For three weeks only.

The course of Prices.—The following statement shows the wholesale prices of wheat (per maund of 82⁶⁄₇lbs) at the end of April, 1917, as compared with those at the corresponding period of the preceding three years :—

Stations	1914	1915	1916	1917
	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.	R a. p.
Karachi (White)	3 15 9	4 12 3	3 11 8	4 13 3
Calcutta (Club No. 2)	4 4 0	4 13 0	4 4 0	4 4 0
Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pissy)	4 5 5	4 11 1	4 4 0	4 9 10
Lahore	3 10 0	4 3 3	3 8 3	4 3 3
Cawnpore	3 15 0	4 5 0	3 11 0	3 11 6
Nagpur	3 14 8	4 5 0	4 0 0	3 11 7
Patna	3 14 0	4 9 0	4 0 0	4 0 0

Prices of wheat in London at or about the middle of April 1917 are compared below with the quotations at the corresponding period of the preceding three years :—

	Per	1914	1915	1916	1917
	lbs	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
English white	504	33 6	61 0	59 6	80 6
,, red	504	33 0	63 6	59 0	80 6
Gazette average	480	31 7	55 4	53 2	85 2
No. 2 Manitoba	480	35 3	68 6	63 0	81 6

Freights.—Wheat freights at or about the middle of April 1917 are shown in the table below as compared with those at the corresponding period of the previous two years, and those at the outbreak of war :—

	July 1914 (outbreak of war).	April 1915.	April 1916.	April 1917.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
United States Atlantic Ports to United Kingdom.	2 0	9 6	14 6	37 6
River Plate to United Kingdom.	11 4½	72 6	165 0	...
Australia to United Kingdom.	17 0	...	110 0	200 0*
Karachi to Liverpool	10 0	65 0	100 0	240 0

* Government rates for foreign steamers.

It will be seen that, as compared with this time last year, freights from the United States Atlantic Ports have risen by 159 per cent, those from India (Karachi) have risen by 140 per cent, and from Australia by 82 per cent.

Wheat crops in foreign countries.—The latest available information published by the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, is as follows :—In the Argentine the area and yield are estimated at 16,082,000 acres and 2,069,000 tons as against 16,413,000 acres and 4,615,000 tons in 1915-16. In Australia the estimates are 12,525,000 acres and 3,835,000 tons as against 12,525,000 acres and 4,801,000 tons, in 1915-16. From the April Crop Report, issued by the Department of Agriculture, United States of America, it appears that the estimates of winter wheat in the United States of America are 40,090,000 acres and 11,518,000 tons as against 37,256,000 acres and 12,911,000 tons in 1915-16. The average condition of the crop for the whole country is estimated to be 63·4 per cent, as against 78·3 per cent in April, 1916. In France the area under wheat is estimated at 10,564,000 acres as against 12,435,000 acres in 1915-16. In Spain the estimate of area is 10,130,000 acres as against 9,835,000 acres last year.

From unofficial sources it appears that both in Canada and the United States of America steps are being taken to assist farmers in the sowing of spring wheat in every way with good seed and extra labour. In Canada reports as to the prospects of sowing are good. It is reported that in the United Kingdom the condition of winter wheat "has been about maintained", in spite of the bad weather; but the late sown crop is thin and poor, and the acreage is 8 per cent below last year's: spring seeding is naturally going slowly, and the work is in arrears. In France the weather is reported to be cold and unseasonable, and the crops are not doing well. It is estimated that 494,000 acres under winter wheat will have to be ploughed up, owing to the damage done by the unfavourable weather experienced during the past few months. In Italy prospects for the new crops are fairly good. In Australia prospects of sowing a large acreage for the next crop are bright, as Government are guaranteeing growers a price, which it is believed they will find satisfactory.

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Estimate of the Wheat Crop of 1916-17.

Provinces and States	Area (in acres)			Increase (+) or Decrease (—) in the current year over	
	Current year (1916-17)	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years
				Per cent	Per cent
British Provinces—					
Punjab	9,530,000	9,000,000	9,137,000	+5·9	+4·3
United Provinces	6,833,000	6,621,000	7,202,000	+3·2	—5·1
Central Provinces and Berar	3,847,000	3,497,000	3,459,000	+10·0	+11·2
Bombay	1,602,000	1,505,000	1,277,000	+6·4	+25·5
Sind	578,000	548,000	498,000	+5·5	+16·1
Bihar and Orissa	1,308,000	1,330,000	1,285,000	—1·7	+1·8
North-West Frontier Province	1,054,000	859,000	1,058,000	+22·7	—0·4
Bengal	129,000	134,000	141,000	—3·7	—8·5
Delhi	36,000	28,000	(a)	+28·6	
Ajmer-Merwara	28,000	12,000	(b) 12,000	+133·3	+133·3
Total British Provinces	24,945,000	23,534,000	(c)24,069,000	+6·0	+3·6
Native States—					
Punjab States	1,269,000	1,256,000	1,209,000	+1·0	+5·0
Central Provinces States	130,000	119,000	124,000	+9·2	+4·8
Bombay and Sind States	608,000	567,000	580,000	+7·2	+4·8
Central India	3,581,000	2,969,000	2,806,000	+20·6	+27·6
Rajputana	1,158,000	649,000	939,000	+78·4	+23·3
Hyderabad	1,344,000	1,045,000	905,000	+28·6	+48·5
Mysore	5,000	4,000	4,000	+25·0	+25·0
Total Native States	8,095,000	6,609,000	6,567,000	+22·5	+23·3
GRAND TOTAL	33,040,000	30,143,000	(c)30,636,000	+9·6	+7·8

Provinces and States	Yield (in tons)			Increase (+) or Decrease (—) in the current year over	
	Current year (1916-17)	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years	Previous year (1915-16)	Average of preceding five years
				Per cent	Per cent
British Provinces—					
Punjab	2,582,000	2,173,000	3,169,000	+18·8	—18·5
United Provinces	3,086,000	2,713,000	2,830,000	+13·7	+9·0
Central Provinces and Berar	1,127,000	940,000	851,000	+19·9	+32·4
Bombay	391,000	338,000	300,000	+15·7	+30·3
Sind	168,000	154,000	176,000	+9·1	—4·5
Bihar and Orissa	598,000	581,000	517,000	+2·9	+15·7
North-West Frontier Province	239,000	212,000	286,000	+12·7	—16·4
Bengal	40,000	40,000	44,000	...	—9·1
Delhi	12,000	11,000	(a)	+9·1	...
Ajmer-Merwara	10,000	2,000	(b)3,000	+400·0	+233·3
Total British Provinces	8,253,000	7,164,000	(c)8,176,000	+15·2	+0·9
Native States—					
Punjab States	379,000	314,000	444,000	+20·7	—14·6
Central Provinces States	38,000	33,000	30,000	+15·2	+26·7
Bombay and Sind States	207,000	166,000	194,000	+24·7	+6·7
Central India	891,000	649,000	691,000	+37·3	+28·9
Rajputana	265,000	116,000	210,000	+128·4	+26·2
Hyderabad	126,000	75,000	57,000	+68·0	+121·1
Mysore	1,000	1,000	1,000	...	...
Total Native States	1,907,000	1,354,000	1,627,000	+40·8	+17·2
GRAND TOTAL	10,160,000	8,518,000	(c)9,803,000	+19·3	+3·6

(a) Not available (b) Average of two years (c) Excluding Delhi

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FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 4th June, 1917.

No. 1008-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to announce that His Imperial Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to command that the badges of the Third Class or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George and the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire shall in future be worn suspended by a ribbon round the neck. Members of this class of these four Orders will, while retaining the title of Companion, be given precedence as Commanders according to the seniority of the Order.

J. B. WOOD,

Political Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

ORDER OF THE BATH.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 4th June, 1917.

No. 1009-I. C.—His Imperial Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath :—

To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the 3rd Class or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order.

Brigadier-General THOMAS EDWIN SCOTT, C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

Lieutenant-Colonel CHARLES ARTHUR JOHNSTON, D.S.O., M.B., Indian Medical Service.

J. B. WOOD,
Political Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

ORDER OF THE STAR OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 4th June, 1917.

No. 26-S. I.—His Excellency the Grand Master of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India is pleased to announce that His Imperial Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the said Order :—

To be a Knight Grand Commander.

His Highness Maharav Shri Mirza Raja Sawai Sir KHENGARJI BAHADUR, G.C.I.E., Rao of Cutch.

To be a Knight Commander.

The Honourable SIR CHARLES EDMOND FOX, Kt., Bar.-at-Law, Chief Judge, Chief Court, Lower Burma.

To be Companions.

The Honourable Mr. HERBERT FRANCIS WEBB GILLMAN, Indian Civil Service, an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor of Madras.

The Honourable Mr. PATRICK JAMES FAGAN, Indian Civil Service, Financial Commissioner, Punjab, and a Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor for making Laws and Regulations.

The Honourable Colonel HORMASJEE EDULJEE BANATVALA, Indian Medical Service, Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Assam, and a Member of the Council of the Chief Commissioner for making Laws and Regulations.

Lieutenant-Colonel LAWRENCE IMPEY, C.I.E., Indian Army, Political Department, Government of India (on leave), late Resident, Baroda.

And for meritorious service in connection with the war:—

Colonel BENJAMIN WILLIAM MARLOW, C.I.E., Indian Army, Military Accountant-General.

Lieutenant-Colonel HAROLD FENTON JACOB, Indian Army (on leave), late 1st Assistant Political Resident at Aden, Bombay Presidency.

Lieutenant-Colonel FRANCIS BEVILLE PRIDEAUX, C.I.E., Indian Army Political Department, Government of India, His Britannic Majesty's Consul for Sistan and Kain.

To be an Honorary Companion.

His Highness SAIYID TAIMUR-BIN-FAISAL, Sultan of Masqat and Oman.

By Order of the Grand Master,

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

ORDER OF THE INDIAN EMPIRE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 4th June, 1917.

No. 59-I. E.—His Excellency the Grand Master of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire is pleased to announce that His Imperial Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the said Order:—

To be Knights Grand Commanders.

The Honourable Sir MICHAEL FRANCIS O'DWYER, K.C.S.I., Indian Civil Service, Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab.

The Honourable Lieutenant-Colonel Sir GEORGE OLAF ROOS-KEPPEL, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., Indian Army, Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor-General, North-West Frontier Province.

The Honourable SIR GHULAM MUHAMMAD ALI, KHAN BAHADUR, K.C.I.E., Prince of Arcot, Madras Presidency, and an Additional Member of the Council of the Governor for making Laws and Regulations.

To be Knights Commanders.

The Honourable Mr. MAHADEV BHASKAR CHAUBAL, C.S.I., an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor of Bombay.

The Honourable Mr. JAMES WALKER, C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Commissioner, Nerbudda Division, Central Provinces, and an Additional Member of the Council of the Governor-General for making Laws and Regulations.

MIRZA ABBAS ALI BAIG, C.S.I., LL.D., late a Member of the Council of the Secretary of State for India.

And for meritorious service in connection with the war:—

His Highness Raja BIJE CHAND, C.S.I., of Bilaspur, Punjab.

Nawab Khan Bahadur SAHIBZADA ABDUL QAIYUM, C.I.E., Assistant Political Agent, Khyber, North-West Frontier Province.

Sardar Bahadur Sardar SHAMSHER SINGH, C.I.E., Chief Minister, Jind State, Punjab.

To be Companions.

Colonel SHAFTO LONGFIELD CRASTER, Royal Engineers, lately Agent, North-Western Railway.

SIDNEY ROBERT HIGNELL, Esquire, Indian Civil Service, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department.

DENYS DE SAUMAREZ BRAY, Esquire, Indian Civil Service, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign and Political Department.

HENRY PHILLIPS TOLLINTON, Esquire, Indian Civil Service, Deputy Commissioner, Lahore.

JAMES MACKENNA, Esquire, M.A., Indian Civil Service, Agricultural Adviser to the Government of India, and Director of the Pusa Institute.

EDWARD LISTER, Esquire, Indian Civil Service (on leave), late Deputy Commissioner of Hazaribagh, Bihar and Orissa.

Lieutenant-Colonel DAVID WATERS SUTHERLAND, M.D., M.R.C.P., F.R.S., Indian Medical Service, Principal, Medical College and School, Lahore, Punjab.

REGINALD ISIDORE ROBERT GLANCY, Esquire, Indian Civil Service, Assistant Minister of Finance, His Highness the Nizam's Government.

ARTHUR WILLSTEED COOK, Esquire, Indian Civil Service, Magistrate and Collector, Bankura, Bengal.

THOMAS EYEBRON MOIR, Esquire, Indian Civil Service, Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of Madras.

JAMES CRERAR, Esquire, Indian Civil Service, Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of Bombay.

HENRY ROBERT CROSTHWAITE, Esquire, Central Provinces Commission, Registrar, Co-operative Credit Societies, Central Provinces.

HILARY LUSHINGTON HOLMAN-HUNT, Esquire, A.M.I.C.E., Public Works Department, Executive Engineer, Twante Canal Division, Burma.

GERALD AYLMER LEVETT-YEATS, Esquire, I.S.O., Opium Department, Factory Superintendent, Ghazipur, United Provinces.

Rai Bahadur HARI RAM GOENKA, Merchant and Banian, Ralli Brothers, Calcutta, and Sheriff of Calcutta.

TAW SEIN KO, Esquire, I.S.O., M.R.A.S., F.A.I., F.S.A., Superintendent, Archæological Survey, and Examiner in Chinese, Burma.

JIVANJI JAMSHEDJI MODI, Esquire, Shams-ul-Ulama, J.P., of Bombay.

Dewan Bahadur Pandit KRISHNA RAO LUXMAN PAONASKAR, Chief Member of Council, Kishangarh State, Rajputana.

Dewan Bahadur KRISHNARAJAPURAM PALLEGONDAI PUTTANNA CHETTY, President of the Municipal Council of Bangalore City, Mysore.

Lieutenant-Colonel JOHN ANDERSON, M.B., Indian Medical Service (retired), Member of the Medical Board, India Office.

ROBERT GLOVER JAQUET, Esquire, Deputy Accountant-General, India Office.

And for meritorious service in connection with the war :—

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) RALPH ELLIS CARR-HALL, Indian Army, Military Accounts Department, Field Controller, Poona.

Lieutenant-Colonel ALEXANDER HIEROM OGILVY SPENCE, Indian Army, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Army Department.

Lieutenant-Colonel CHARLES ALBERT EDMOND O'MEARA, Indian Army, Director of Army Clothing.

Lieutenant-Colonel GODFREY LAMBERT CARTER, Indian Army, Commandant, 106th Hazara Pioneers.

Lieutenant-Colonel ERNEST ARTHUR FREDERICK REDL, Indian Army, 113th Infantry, Military Attaché at Meshed, Persia.

Chief Engineer THOMAS HENRY KNIGHT, Royal Indian Marine, Inspector of Machinery, Bombay Dockyard.

HARRY SEYMOUR HOYLE PILKINGTON, Esquire, M.V.O., Postmaster-General, Bombay.

JAMES ALEXANDER OSSORY FITZPATRICK, Esquire, LL.B., Indian Civil Service, Political Agent, Wano, North-West Frontier Province.

Major DAVID LOCKHART ROBERTSON LORIMER, Indian Army, Political Department, Government of India, His Majesty's Consul, Kerman and Persian Baluchistan, and *ex-officio* Assistant to the Political Resident, Persian Gulf.

Major TERENCE HUMPHREY KEYES, Indian Army, Political Department, Government of India (on leave).

Captain HAROLD HAY THORBURN, Indian Medical Service, serving with the South Persia Rifles.

Captain GEORGE A. LLOYD, M.P., Warwickshire Yeomanry, sometime Special Commissioner for His Majesty's Government to enquire into and report upon the future of British Trade in Turkey, Mesopotamia and the Persian Gulf.

By Order of the Grand Master,

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

KNIGHTHOOD.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 4th June, 1917.

No. 1010-I. C.—His Imperial Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on :—

The Honourable Mr. Justice FRANK CLEMENT OFFLEY BEAMAN, Indian Civil Service, a Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature, Bombay.

The Honourable Mr. Justice ASHUTOSH CHAUDHURI, Bar.-at-Law, a Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

The Honourable Mr. DINSHAH EDALJI VACHHA, a Member of the Municipal Corporation of Bombay, and an Additional Member of the Council of the Governor-General for making Laws and Regulations.

The Honourable Mr. EDWARD HUGH BRAY, Senior Partner, Messrs. Gillanders, Arbuthnot & Co., Calcutta, President of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, and an Additional Member of the Council of the Governor-General for making Laws and Regulations.

HENRY JOHN STANYON, Esquire, C.I.E., V.D., Bar.-at-Law, Second Additional Judicial Commissioner, Central Provinces, and Commandant, Nagpur Volunteer Rifles.

MICHAEL NETHERSOLE, Esquire, C.S.I., Public Works Department (retired), lately Inspector-General of Irrigation.

CHARLES CAMPBELL McLEOD, Esquire, Chairman, East India Section, London Chamber of Commerce.

CHARLES EDWARD MALLET, Esquire, late Secretary for Indian Students, India Office.

J. B. WOOD,
Political Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

IMPERIAL SERVICE ORDER.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 4th June, 1917.

No. 1011-I. C.—His Imperial Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments :—

To be Companions.

Office of the Secretary of State for India.

ARTHUR JOHN PATTLE, Esquire, Senior Clerk, Accountant-General's Department.

Civil Services in India.

FELIX AMBROSE LEMEUR, Esquire, Deputy Registrar, Chief Court, Punjab.

M. R. Ry. Diwan Bahadur LEWIS DOMINIC SWAMIKANNU PILLAI AVARGAL, M.A., B.L., LL.B., Provincial Service, Registrar, Co-operative Credit Societies, Madras.

CHARLES HENDERSON JEFFERY-ORCHARD, Esquire, Senior Assistant Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue Department, Sambhar Lake Division, Rajputana.

Rao Bahadur DAYABHAI SURAJLAL THATHI, Chief Accountant, Office of Superintendent of Customs, Salt and Opium, Bombay.

CHARLES O'HAGAN TEELING, Esquire, Superintendent in the Foreign and Political Department, Government of India.

The Honourable Rai Bahadur PRIYA NATH MUKHARJI, Provincial Executive Service, Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal, and an Additional Member of the Council of the Governor for making Laws and Regulations.

Lieutenant JOHN ARTHUR HAMILTON, I.A.R.O., Indo-European Telegraph Department, in charge of the Telegraph Office, Basrah, Persian Gulf.

Rai Bahadur Lala GANGA SAHAI, M.A., Provincial Service, Punjab, Dewan and Chief Secretary to His Highness the Raja of Faridkot, Punjab.

Captain DOUGLAS WILLIAM MEW GUMBLEY, I.A.R.O., Indo-European Telegraph Department, Assistant Director of Telegraphs, Persian Gulf.

Khan Bahadur Qazi AZIZ-UD-DIN AHMAD, Provincial Service, United Provinces, Judicial Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Dholpur, Rajputana.

J. B. WOOD,

Political Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT

KAISAR-I-HIND MEDAL.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 4th June, 1917.

No. 1012-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to announce that His Imperial Majesty the KING, EMPEROR OF INDIA, has been graciously pleased to award the Kaisar-i-Hind Medal of the First Class for Public Service in India to :—

Mrs. ISABEL WHITEHEAD, wife of the Right Reverend Dr. Whitehead, D.D., Bishop of Madras.

Miss MAY REED, in charge of the Leper Asylum, Chandagh, Pithoragarh, Almora District, United Provinces.

Dr. JOHN POLLEN, C.I.E., LL.D., V.D., late Indian Civil Service (retired).

SETH MOTILAL MANEKCHAND, Mill-owner, Bombay.

Reverend JAMES HAIR MACLEAN, B D., of the United Free Church of Scotland Mission, Chingleput District, Madras.

Dr. BEHARI LAL DHINGRA, M.D., M.R.C S., Chief Medical Officer, Jind State.

Lieutenant-Colonel KANTA PRASAD, Indian Medical Service (retired), of Rangoon, Burma.

Reverend ARTHUR ERNEST BROWN, of the Wesleyan Mission, Bankura, and Superintendent of the Bankura Leper Asylum, Bengal.

Captain ROBERT HENRY BOTT, M.B , F.R.C.S., Indian Medical Service, Professor of Surgery, Medical College, Lahore, Punjab.

Reverend WILLIAM EMERSLIE WILKIE BROWN, of the United Free Church of Scotland Mission, Jalna, His Highness the Nizam's Dominions.

No. 1013-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to award the Kaisar-i-Hind Medal of the Second Class for Public Service in India to :—

Mrs. KATHLEEN JACKSON, wife of the Honourable Lieutenant-Colonel J. Jackson, C.I.E., Inspector-General of Prisons, Bombay.

Mrs. AGNES HICKMAN, wife of the Honourable Mr. R. St. John Hickman, Tea Planter, Cachar District, Assam, and a Member of the Council of the Chief Commissioner for making Laws and Regulations.

Mrs. ETHEL HOPKYNS, wife of Mr. W. S. Hopkyns, I.C.S., Bengal.

Mrs. MILDRED KITCHIN, wife of Mr. A. J. W. Kitchin, C.I.E., I.C.S., Deputy Commissioner, Lyallpur, Punjab.

Mrs. MARJORY FRANCES HARRISON, wife of Mr. C. H. Harrison, I.C.S., Postmaster-General, Punjab and North-West Frontier Circle.

Mrs. KATHLEEN VALE, wife of Commander S. D. Vale, R.I.M., Principal Port Officer, Rangoon, Burma.

Mrs. ALINE ELWES, wife of Major F. F. ELWES, C.I.E., I.M.S., Surgeon to His Excellency the Governor of Madras.

Mrs. EDITH MARY MADELEY, wife of Mr. J. W. Madeley, Special Engineer to the Madras Corporation.

Mrs. ELIZABETH REBECCA BURTON WILSON of Holly Lodge, Simla.

Mrs. EDITH MARTHA BARCLAY, Matron, Lady Hardinge War Hospital, Bombay.

Sister WINIFRED JOSEPHINE KYNVETT HOFF, Matron of the Thomason Hospital, Agra, United Provinces.

Mrs. MARY CALEB, wife of Dr. C. C. Caleb, M.B., Professor of Physiology, Medical College, Lahore, Punjab.

Miss SHIRIN MANEKJI KHARSHEDJI (commonly known as Miss Serene M. Cursetjee) of Bombay.

M. R. Ry. Rao Bahadur TIRUVALYANGUDI VIJAYARAGHAVA ACHARIYAR AVARGAL, M.A., Provincial Service, Revenue Officer, Madras Corporation.

Babu BIRJ BIHARI LAL, Government Pleader, Ballia, United Provinces.

Khan Bahadur HAFIZ MUHAMMAD WALAYATULLAH, Provincial Service, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Akola, Central Provinces.

Reverend GEORGE EDWARD HICKS, of the Baptist Mission, Gaya, Bihar and Orissa.

Mr. KESHAVLAL DURGASHANKAR JOSHI, Mill Manager, Wadhwan, Kathiawad, Bombay Presidency.

Pundit THAKUR PERSHAD of Betul, Landholder and Director of the Betul Co-operative Central Bank, Central Provinces.

LALA GOVIND LAL, Sub-Assistant Surgeon, in charge of the Agency Hospital at Deoli, Rajputana.

J. B. WOOD,

Political Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 4th June, 1917.

No. 1014-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Raja, as an hereditary distinction, upon—

Raja Bahadur Udit Narayan Singh Deo, Chief of Seraikela State, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Thakur Sriram Chandra Singh Deo, Chief of Kharsawan State, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

No. 1015-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer upon Diwan Bahadur Diwan Narendra Nath, M.A., Deputy Commissioner (retired), in the Punjab, the title of Raja, as a personal distinction.

No. 1016-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer upon M. R. Ry. Pandit Lakshmana Suri Avargal, Sanskrit Pandit, Pachaiyappa's College, Madras, the title of Mahamahopadhyaya, as a personal distinction.

No. 1017-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Diwan Bahadur, as a personal distinction, upon—

M. R. Ry. Rao Bahadur Mandayam Ananda Pillay Parthasarathi Ayyangar Avargal, B.A., B.L., Head Cashier, Bank of Madras.

M. R. Ry. Rao Bahadur Thirumangalath Kanhiratan Narayana Kurup Avargal, Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, North Malabar, in the Madras Presidency.

M. R. Ry. Rai Bahadur Penukonda Rama Rao Garu, Public Prosecutor and Government Pleader, Bellary, in the Madras Presidency.

Shrimant Ganpatrao Gaekwad, Senior Counsellor and Naib-Dewan, Baroda State.

No. 1018-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer upon Subadar Mitt Singh, Bhamo Battalion, Burma Military Police, the title of Sardar Bahadur, as a personal distinction.

No. 1019-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer upon Hakim Abdur Rashid, Manager of Takmil-ut-Tibb, Lucknow, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, the title of Shifa-ul-Mulk, as a personal distinction.

No. 1020-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Khan Bahadur, as a personal distinction, upon—

Khan Sahib Muhammad Bazlullah Sahib, B.A., Second Presidency Magistrate, Madras.

Khan Sahib Suleman Ghulam Husain Haji, Deputy Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, in Sind.

Sardar Sundar Khan, of Kandhkot Taluka, Upper Sind Frontier District.

Kawasji Hormusji Katrak, Merchant and Honorary Magistrate of Karachi, in Sind.

Jehangir Cursetjee Daji, L. M. & S., of Bombay.

Budan Khan, Retired Subhedar, in the Bombay Presidency.

Maulvi Naziruddin Ahmad, Deputy Collector, Dacca, in Bengal.

Kunwar Ubaid-ullah Khan, Landholder and Honorary Magistrate, Dharampur, District Bulandshahr, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Saiyid Ashfaq Husain, Deputy Superintendent of Police, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Khan Sahib Munshi Muhammad Alamgir Khan, Honorary Magistrate and Honorary Assistant Collector, Bijnor, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Saiyid Abdul Aziz, Honorary Magistrate and Honorary Assistant Collector, Farrukhabad, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Khan Sahib Shaikh Amir Ali, District and Sessions Judge, in the Punjab.

Khan Sahib Muhammad Zafar Khan, I.O.M., Extra Assistant Commissioner, in the Punjab.

Khan Sahib Muhammad Sher Baz Khan, Honorary Magistrate, Kasur, Lahore District, in the Punjab.

Liakat Hayat Khan, Deputy Superintendent of Police, in the Punjab.

Maulavi Saiyid Zamiruddin Ahmad, Honorary Magistrate, and Secretary to the Provincial Haj Committee, Patna City, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Subadar Abdul Aziz, Chindwin Battalion, Burma Military Police.

Jehangir Cursetji Cama, Barrister-at-Law, Wardha, in the Central Provinces.

Khan Sahib Musa Khan, Political Extra Assistant Commissioner (on special duty), Wano, in the North-West Frontier Province.

Khan Sahib Muhammad Jan Khan, Rais and Jagirdar, Wazir, Muhammad Khel, Bannu District, in the North-West Frontier Province.

Khan Sahib Arbab Karam Khan, Naib-Wazir, Kalat State, in Baluchistan.

Khan Sahib Gulzar Khan, Extra Assistant Commissioner, in Baluchistan.

Khan Sahib Sardar Mir Ahmad Khan, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Wazir, Makran, Kalat State, in Baluchistan.

Khan Sahib Munshi Ahmed Baksh, Sub-Assistant Surgeon in charge, Nowgong, in Central India.

Khan Sahib Maulvi Mahommed Ashfaq Hasan Khan, Revenue Member of Council, Bharatpur, in Rajputana.

Khan Sahib Hakim Ahmed Said Khan, Honorary Magistrate, Delhi.

Khan Sahib Muhammad Zaman, Temporary Sub-Engineer, M. W. S., 2nd (Rawalpindi) Division, in the Punjab.

Khan Sahib Qazi Siraj-ud-Din Ahmad, Barrister-at-Law, of Rawalpindi, in the Punjab.

Dinsha Manekji Kalapesi, Superintendent of Post Offices and Personal Assistant to the Postmaster-General, Bombay.

No. 1021-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Rai Bahadur, as a personal distinction, upon—

M. R. Ry. Balajapalli Suryanarayana Shastrulu Garu, B.A., B.L., Public Prosecutor and Government Pleader, Vizagapatam, in the Madras Presidency.

M. R. Ry. Kurma Venkata Reddi Nayudu Garu, B.A., B.L., High Court Vakil, President, Ellore Taluk Board, Kistna District, in the Madras Presidency.

Babu Bankim Chandra Mitra, 5th Judge, Small Cause Court, Calcutta, in Bengal.

Babu Bihari Lal Chatarji, Retired Subordinate Judge, Bengal.

Babu Basanta Kumar Neogi, Government Pleader, Bankura, in Bengal.

Babu Upendra Lal Ray, Zamindar and Merchant, Chittagong, in Bengal.

Babu Ramesh Chandra Datta, Sub-Divisional Officer, Nowgong, Rajshahi, in Bengal.

Babu Suresh Chandra Sinha, Deputy Collector, Dacca, in Bengal.

Babu Bharat Chandra Dhar, Civil Surgeon, Nadia, in Bengal.

Rai Sahib Pramada Kumar Bose, 2nd Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, in Bengal.

Babu Indu Bhusan Bhaduri, Pleader, Krishnagar, Nadia, in Bengal.

Rai Chandra Har Bali, of Daryabad, Bara Banki District, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

The Hon'ble Pandit Tara Dat Gairola, Member of the Provincial Legislative Council, of Pauri, Garhwal District, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Munshi Man Singh, Deputy Superintendent of Police, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Rai Sahib Ganga Prasad, Vakil, Mainpuri, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Babu Umesh Chandra Ghosh, Professor, Muir Central College, Allahabad, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Doctor Baijnath Vyas, Civil Surgeon, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Thakur Amar Chand, Honorary Magistrate, Lahaul, Kangra District, in the Punjab.

The Hon'ble Raizada Bhagat Ram, Barrister-at-Law, and Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab for making Laws and Regulations.

Risaldar Sarup Singh, Zaildar of Badli, Jhajjar Tahsil, Rohtak District, in the Punjab.

Babu Binod Bihari Ghoshal, Officiating Civil Surgeon, of Monghyr, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Babu Prasanna Kumar Gupta, Retired District Judge, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Babu Baroda Kanta Ganguli, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sadr Sub-Divisional Officer, Patna, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Rai Sahib Rajnath Chaudhuri, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Monghyr, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Rai Sahib Mehta Ramji Mal, Deputy Superintendent of Police, in Burma.

Babu Kali Charan Sen, Government Pleader, Gauhati, in Assam.

Babu Girish Chandra Nag, M.A., B.L., Assam Provincial Civil Service, and Sub-divisional Officer in charge of the Mangaldai Sub-division, Darrang District, in Assam.

Shiam Sunder Lal, Extra Assistant Conservator, Provincial Forest Service, and Conservator of Forests, Indore State, in Central India.

Munshi Gajpat Rai, Commissioner of Customs and Excise, Gwalior State, in Central India.

Pandit Din Diyal Tiwari, Munserim of the Khetri Estate, Jaipur, in Rajputana.

Rai Sahib Nathu Mal, Extra Assistant Commissioner and Treasury Officer, Delhi.

Rai Sahib Dina Nath, 1st Grade Agent, Supply and Transport Corps.

Rai Sahib Chaudhri Gurmukh Singh Chadda, Honorary Magistrate, of Rawalpindi, in the Punjab.

Babu Ashutosh Banerji, Senior Superintendent, Accountant-General's Office, Bengal.

Lala Salig Ram, General Contractor, Timber Merchant and Railway Stores Supplier, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.

Babu Akshay Bhusan Ganguli, Postmaster, Dacca, in Bengal.

No 1022-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Rao Bahadur, as a personal distinction, upon—

M. R. Ry. Vethamuthu Ponnayya Avargal, Deputy Registrar, Revenue Secretariat, Madras.

M. R. Ry. Kuthur Balakrishnan Ramanathan Avargal, M.A., B.L., L.T., Professor of English, Pachaiyappa's College, Madras.

M. R. Ry. Kadavasal Ramayya Kunjithapatham Ayyar Avargal, Chairman of the Municipal Council, Negapatam, Tanjore District, in the Madras Presidency.

M. R. Ry. Iyaswami Srinivasa Ayyar Avargal, B.A., Principal of the Hindu College, Tinnevelly, in the Madras Presidency.

M. R. Ry. Cumbakonam Rangasami Tiruvenkata Achariyar Avargal, B.A., B.L., Judge, City Civil Court, Madras.

M. R. Ry. Rao Sahib Saidapet Chandrasekhara Mudaliyar Avargal, L.M.S., Civil Surgeon, and Acting District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Godavari, in the Madras Presidency.

M. R. Ry. Paruvakattil Narayana Menon Avargal, B.A., Deputy Collector, in the Madras Presidency.

Thakorram Kapilram Mehta, B.A., LL.B., President of the Surat City Municipality, in the Bombay Presidency.

Anant Shivaji Desai, Topiwalla, Bombay.

Sakrayyaputna Shrinivas Ayyangar, B.A., L.C.E., Acting Executive Engineer, in the Bombay Presidency.

Ganesh Vishnu Dange, B.A., Late Head Master, Garud High School, Dhulia, in the Bombay Presidency.

Wasudeo Ramchandra Dhoble, B.A., B.L., District and Sessions Judge, Akola, in West Berar.

Madho Ganesh Deshpande, Nagpur, in the Central Provinces.

Rao Sahib Padma Rao Mudali, Contractor of Secunderabad, Deccan.

Ganesh Balvant Ambegaokar, B.A., LL.B., Nyaya Mantri (Legal Remembrancer) and Counsellor, Baroda State.

No. 1023-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Sardar Sahib, as a personal distinction, upon—

Sardar Jamiat Singh, of Moga, Ferozepore District, in the Punjab.

Sardar Hari Singh, Extra Assistant Commissioner, in the Punjab.

Munshi Harnam Singh (No. 169), Inspector of Police, in the Punjab.

Bhai Kalian Singh, Divisional Inspector of Vaccination (retired), in the Punjab.

Sardar Sujan Singh, of Delhi.

Buddha Singh, Senior Jamadar, Shanghai Municipal Police.

No. 1024-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Khan Sahib, as a personal distinction, upon—

Muhammad Fazl-ul-lah Sahib, Deputy Collector, in the Madras Presidency.

Jam Mitho Khan, of Sinjhoro Taluka, in Sind.

Mahomed Isak Gauskhan, Desai of Ankalgi, Belgaum District, in the Bombay Presidency.

Obeidulla Khan Abdulla Khan, Inspector of Police, Bombay City.

Abdul Rashid Khan, 2nd Grade Deputy Superintendent of Police, Satara, in the Bombay Presidency.

Dhanjishah Bomanji Cooper, of Satara, in the Bombay Presidency.

Dr. Dinshah Burjorji Behramji, M.R.C.S. (Edin.), L.R.C.P. (London), Chief Medical Officer of Jetpur, Kathiawar, in the Bombay Presidency.

Shaikh Gaffoor Shaikh Lal, Superintendent of Police, Palitana State, Kathiawar, in the Bombay Presidency.

Maulvi Nasiruddin Ahmad, Dewani Peshkar of the Deputy Commissioner's Court, Darjeeling, in Bengal.

Maulvi Muhammad Yusuf, Head Master of the Anglo-Persian Department of the Calcutta Madrassa, in Bengal.

Maulvi Sattar Baksh, District Sub-Registrar, Hooghly, in Bengal.

Mir Imtiaz Ahmad of Safipur, Unao District, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Hafiz Muhammad Ibrahim, Jailer, Lucknow District Jail, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Mian Abdul Aziz, M.A., Extra Assistant Commissioner, in the Punjab.

Sayad Nazir Hussain, Senior Grade Assistant Surgeon and Officiating Civil Surgeon of Montgomery, in the Punjab.

Munshi Muhammad Akram Khan, Tahsildar, Assistant Recruiting Officer, Rawalpindi, in the Punjab.

Mian Muhammad Hayat, Koreshi, Shahpur District, in the Punjab.

Muhammad Khan, Ghakkar, of Mallu, Sanghoi, Jhelum District, in the Punjab.

Maulavi Amiruddin Ahmad, Secretary to the District Board, Gaya, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Raisuddin Ahmed, Sub-Assistant Surgeon, in Burma.

Saiyid Ishaq, Inspector of Police, Nagpur, in the Central Provinces.

Bostan Khan, Awan, of Pair, and Naib-Tahsildar, Hazara District, in the North-West Frontier Province.

Sheikh Khuda Bakhsh, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Peshawar District, in the North-West Frontier Province.

Muhammad Nawaz Khan, I.O.M., Sadezai, Naib-Tahsildar, Wano Agency, in the North-West Frontier Province.

Abdul Karim Khan, of Shaidu, Peshawar District, in the North-West Frontier Province.

Seth Kaikobad, Tahsildar, in Baluchistan.

Mir Wali Muhammad, Kurd, of Kalat, in Baluchistan.

Shaikh Haider, Deputy Sanitary Inspector, Bolarum, Deccan.

Munshi Muhammad Abdul Hadi, Civil Judge, Jodhpur, in Rajputana.

Munshi Sirajuddin Ahmad, Mir Munshi, Kashmir Residency Office.

Sawali Esau Khan, Artificer, Indo-European Telegraph Department (Persian Gulf Section).

Abdur Razzak Khan, 1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon, of Dinapore, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Munshi Abdul Samad Khan, Nazim of Jhunjhnu, Jaipur State, in Rajputana.

Dadabhoy Dinshaw, 1st Class Agent, Supply and Transport Corps.

Sheikh Nur Muhammad, 1st Class Agent, Supply and Transport Corps.

Sayad Nazarul Bakar, 1st Class Agent, Supply and Transport Corps.

Munshi Akhtar Hussain, 1st Class Hospital Storekeeper, Supply and Transport Corps.

Sheikh Fazal Mohammad, 1st Class Agent, Supply and Transport Corps.

Rustomji Hormasji Poonegar, 2nd Assistant to the Mint Master Bombay.

Mr. Mordecai Joseph, Deputy Examiner, 2nd Grade, in the Office of the Field Controller of Military Accounts, Poona, in the Bombay Presidency.

Subadar Muhammad Naim Ullah Khan, 1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon (retired).

No. 1025-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Rai Sahib, as a personal distinction, upon—

M. R. Ry. Valiswarayar Subba Rao Avargal, B.A., District Registrar, in the Madras Presidency.

M. R. Ry. Benigal Raghavendra Rao Avargal, Civil Apothecary, Madras.

M. R. Ry. Arabolu Gurumurti Nayudu Garu, retired Deputy Collector and Honorary First Class Magistrate, Berhampore, Ganjam District, in the Madras Presidency.

Babu Thakur Das Bose, Calcutta, in Bengal.

Babu Krishnadhan Mukharji, Head Assistant, Police Department, Bengal Secretariat.

Babu Satish Chandra Mazumdar, Officiating Deputy Superintendent of Police, Intelligence Branch, Bengal.

Babu Kali Krishna Gupta, Head Assistant, Calcutta Police Office, Bengal.

Babu Nritya Gopal Chaki, Pleader, Pabna, in Bengal.

Babu Nil Kumar Chakrabatti, Head Master, Hasanali Jubilee Aided High English School, Chandpur, in Bengal.

Babu Bidhu Bhusan Goswami, Professor of Sanskrit, Dacca College, in Bengal.

Babu Pratap Chandra Mukharji, Honorary Magistrate, Barisal, in Bengal.

Babu Shambu Nath, Subordinate Government Pleader and Member, Municipal Board, Sultanpur, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Pandit Ram Dat Pant, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Bareilly, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Thakur Jaswant Singh, Landholder and Honorary Magistrate of Shahpur, Allahabad District, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Chaube Bhagwat Das, Landowner, Amroha, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Pandit Jai Ram Sharma, Retired Computer, Public Works Department, Meerut, in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.

Lala Ganga Ram, Soni, M.A., LL.B., Extra Judicial Assistant Commissioner, in the Punjab.

Mehta Achhru Mal, of Machiwara, Ludhiana District, in the Punjab.

Lala Sri Ram, Civil Surgeon, in the Punjab.

Lala Ram Rakha Mal, Bhandari, Barrister-at-Law, Ferozepore, in the Punjab.

Pandit Chiranji Lal, Honorary Assistant Engineer, Public Works Department, (Assistant Principal, Rasul School of Engineering), Punjab.

Chaudhri Daryao Singh, Zaildar of Mokhrah, Rohtak Tahsil and District, in the Punjab.

Pandit Prabhu Dyal, Pleader, Gaur Brahman, of village Harsana Kalan, near Sonepat, in the Punjab.

Lala Sri Ram, Sud, B.A., Extra Assistant Commissioner, in the Punjab.

Lala Banarsi Das, Mill Owner, Ambala Cantonment, in the Punjab.

Pandit Bishambar Das, District Magistrate and Collector, Sirmur State in the Punjab.

Lala Julli Ram, Contractor, Lahore, in the Punjab.

Babu Sudarshan Das, Deputy Collector, Orissa Canals Revenue Division, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Babu Tameshvar Prashad, Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Aurangabad, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Babu Kailasheshvar Basu, Retired Sheristadar of the Muzaffarpur Judge's Court, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Babu Rampada Ray, Superintendent of the English Office, High Court, Patna, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Babu Shurjya Prashad Marwari, Banker of Gaya, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Babu Lakshmi Narayan Lal, Pleader, Aurangabad, District Gaya, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Babu Harshu Prashad Singh, Honorary Magistrate, Arrah, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Babu Aghornath Mukharji, Head Assistant of the Office of the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Southern Range, Cuttack, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Babu Ramjadu Bhattacharji, Superintendent of the Office of the Board of Revenue, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Babu Harisadhan Mukharji, Registrar, Financial Department, Bihar and Orissa Secretariat, Ranchi, in the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

Govindlal Purohit, Jubbulpore, in the Central Provinces.

Seth Harlall, Kokarda, Amraoti District, in Berar.

Babu Debendra Kumar Mukharji, Assam Provincial Civil Service, and Assistant Settlement Officer, Cachar, in Assam.

Dohory Ropmay, B.A., Assam Provincial Civil Service, Shillong, in Assam.

Srijut Bhola Nath Sarma, Nazir, North Lakhimpur Sub-division, Lakhimpur District, in Assam.

Srijut Jagat Chandra Mech, Honorary Magistrate, Palgaon, District Goalpara, in Assam.

Seth Mangal Chand, of Mardan, Peshawar District, in the North-West Frontier Province.

Pradhan Saligram Brijlal, Member of Council, Ratlam State, in Central India.

Babu Gobind Parshad, of Nowgong, in Central India.

Munshi Mithan Lal Bhargava, Vakil, and Member of the District Board, Ajmer.

Lala Sita Ram Chaudhri, 1/4th Goorkha Rifles, of Kanwat, Jaipur State, in Rajputana.

Lala Nand Lal, Civil Assistant Surgeon, Senior Grade, Ajmer.

Babu Piare Lal, Pleader, Delhi.

Lala Kesho Ram, Motmid Ala and Kashmir Residency Vakil.

Pandit Man Mohan Lal Langar, Motamid Darbar, Kashmir State.

Seth Thirdas Tikamdas Kookani, Director of the Shaikh's Customs, Bahrein, in the Persian Gulf.

Babu Radha Nath Bose, Superintendent of the Foreign and Political Department Press, Government of India.

Shiv Nand, Tahsildar of Jullundur, in the Punjab.

Munshi Lala Shyamsunder Lal, B.A., Nazim of Hindaun, Jaipur State, in Rajputana.

Thakur Surjan Singh, Rais and Local Secretary, Mehton Rajput Sabha, of Panjaur, Hoshiarpur District, in the Punjab.

Roop Narayan, 1st class Agent, Supply and Transport Corps.

Fateh Singh, 1st class Agent, Supply and Transport Corps.

Salamat Rai Sondhi, 1st class Agent, Supply and Transport Corps.

Achrat Ram Nagar, 1st class Hospital Storekeeper, Supply and Transport Corps.

Dhian Chand, 1st class Hospital Storekeeper, Supply and Transport Corps.

Bama Charan Ghose, 1st grade Hospital Storekeeper, Supply and Transport Corps.

Norendro Nath Mukerjee, 1st class Hospital Storekeeper, Supply and Transport Corps.

Chaudhri Narpat Singh, Honorary Magistrate, Bulandshahr District, in the United Provinces.

Lala Hukam Chand, Accountant, 1st Grade, Military Accounts Department, on field service in France.

K. Venkata Reddy, Assistant Auditor, His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed State Railways.

Babu Nagen Dass, Station Master, Comilla (Tippera), Assam-Bengal Railway.

Manmatha Nath Chakrabarti, Superintendent in the Department of Education of the Government of India.

No. 1026-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General pleased to confer the title of Rao Sahib, as a personal distinction, upon—

M. R. Ry. Natteri Krishnama Achariyar Avargal, President, Vellore Taluk Board, in the Madras Presidency.

M. R. Ry. Ayathan Gopalan Avargal, Senior Grade Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Lunatic Asylum, Calicut, Malabar District, in the Madras Presidency.

M. R. Ry. Ganesh Ramachandra Shenoy Avargal, Head Clerk, Port Office, Tellicherry, Malabar District, in the Madras Presidency.

M. R. Ry. Ravunni Edath Sekhara Menon Avargal, Chairman of the Municipal Council, Palghat, Malabar District, in the Madras Presidency.

M. R. Ry. Adanakottai Gangadhara Krishnaswami Ayyar Avargal, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Pudukkottai State, in the Madras Presidency.

M. R. Ry. Sakottai Krishnaswami Ayyangar Avargal, M.A., M.R.A.S., F. R. Hist. S., Professor of Indian History and Archæology, University of Madras.

Seth Chellaram Dalloomal, of Karachi, in Sind.

Shamrao Anant Latkar, Mamlatdar of Yeola, Nasik District, in the Bombay Presidency.

Vinayak Mahadev Tendulkar, Khot and Landholder of Roha, Kolab District, in the Bombay Presidency.

Raghunath Narayen Tawde, Inspector of Police, Bombay City.

Raghunath Balkrishna Rajadhyaksha, Head Clerk, Office of the Inspector General of Police, Bombay Presidency.

Narayen Shrinivas Chitguppi, Landowner, of Hubli, Dharwar District in the Bombay Presidency.

Gurmalapa Rudrappa Kotiwale, Landowner, of Nipani, Belgaum District in the Bombay Presidency.

Krishnarao Ramchandra Jayakar, Secretary, David Sassoon Industria and Reformatory Institution, Bombay.

Damodar Rao Dhulekar, Bengal Survey Department.

Gopal Ramchandra Chikte, First Grade Tehsildar and Superintendent o Land Records, Nagpur, in the Central Provinces.

Waman Baliram Lakhe, Pleader, Raipur, in the Central Provinces.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon R. Lakshminarayanasami Nayudu, I.S.M.D. Secunderabad, Deccan.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Gudalore Ranganayakulu Nayudu, I.S.M.D. Bolarum, Deccan.

Kodamaniandra Subbayya, Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor Coorg.

Wasudeorao Vishnu Sar Desai, Dewan of the Maihar State, in Centra India.

Mohanlal Bapulal Rawal, Accountant, 3rd Grade, attached to the Office of the Executive Engineer, Surat, in the Bombay Presidency.

K. Balakrishna Aiyar, Superintendent, in the Office of the Military Accountant-General.

S Raghavulu Chettiar, Accountant, 1st Grade, in the Office of the Controller of Military Supply Accounts, Calcutta, in Bengal.

Lala Choonilal, Station Master, Sabarmati, Bombay, Baroda and Centra India Railway.

No. 1027-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Kyet thaye zaung shwe Salwè ya Min, as a personal distinction, upon—

Maung Tha Myaing, A.T.M., Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, in Burma.

Maung Shwe Thaung, T.D.M., Deputy Superintendent of Police, in Burma.

No. 1028-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer upon Maung Tun Myat, Myoôk, in Burma, the title of Thuyè gaung ngwe Da ya Min, as a personal distinction.

No. 1029-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Ahmudan gaung Tazeik ya Min, as a personal distinction, upon—

Maung Po Than, Extra Assistant Commissioner, in Burma.

Maung Pe, Honorary Magistrate, Mandalay, in Burma.

Maung Po Chit, Myoôk, in Burma.

Maung Po Tôk, Myoôk, in Burma.

No. 1030-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Taing kyo Pyi kyo Saung, as a personal distinction, upon—

Maung Po Chôk, Chairman of the Indaing Union of Co-operative Societies, in Burma.

Maung Leik Si, Trader, and Chairman of the Hopin Union of Co-operative Societies, in the Myitkyina District, in Burma.

Saya San Te, Chairman of the Hlezeik Union of Co-operative Societies, in Burma.

No. 1031-I. C.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer the title of Aggamahapandita, as a personal distinction, upon—

U Zawana, Manlè *Sayadaw*, in Burma.

U Zagaya, Gaingdauk *Sayadaw*, of Gyatawya Damathuka Daik, Rangoon, in Burma.

U Nyana Wuntha, Tabayin *Sayadaw*, in Burma.

J. B. WOOD,

Political Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 4th June 1917.

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 872.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotions in, and admissions to, the Order of British India with effect from the dates specified :—

To the 1st Class of the Order with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

Subadar Wassawa Singh, *Bahadur*, I.O.M., 32nd Sikh Pioneers, *vice* Subadar-Major Mirza Karam Ali Beg, *Sardar Bahadur*, 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment), deceased. Dated 12th October 1916.

Subadar-Major and Honorary Captain Surja, *Bahadur*, 48th Pioneers, *vice* Subadar-Major and Honorary Captain Mathar Sing Thapa, *Sardar Bahadur*, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment), deceased. Dated 12th October 1916.

Subadar-Major Muhammad Ismail, *Bahadur*, I O.M., 32nd Mountain Battery, *vice* Subadar-Major and Honorary Captain Rae Singh, 41st Dogras, deceased. Dated 4th December 1916

Risaldar-Major Natha Singh, *Bahadur*, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse), *vice* Subadar-Major and Honorary Captain Gopala, *Sardar Bahadur*, I.O.M., 41st Dogras, deceased. Dated 2nd January 1917.

Subadar-Major Waryam Singh, *Bahadur*, 21st Punjabis, *vice* Subadar-Major and Honorary Captain Ghulam Husain, *Sardar Bahadur*, 28th Punjab Infantry, deceased. Dated 2nd February 1917.

Subadar Madaman, *Bahadur*, 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force), *vice* Risaldar-Major and Honorary Captain Wali Muhammad, *Sardar Bahadur*, Governor-General's Body Guard, deceased. Dated 17th February 1917.

Subadar-Major Debi Chand, *Bahadur*, 2nd Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles, *vice* Subadar-Major and Honorary Captain Asa Singh, *Sardar Bahadur*, 24th Punjabis, deceased. Dated 22nd February 1917.

Risaldar Suraj Mal, *Bahadur*, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers, *vice* Risaldar Major and Honorary Captain Muhammad Baksh, *Sardar Bahadur*, 3rd Bombay Cavalry, deceased. Dated 22nd March 1917.

Subadar Fazal Muhammad, *Bahadur*, 29th Punjabis. Dated 4th June 1917.

Subadar-Major Diwan Singh, *Bahadur*, 24th Punjabis. Dated 4th June 1917.

Subadar Bijai Singh, *Bahadur*, 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry). Dated 4th June 19.7.

To the 2nd Class of the Order with the title of "Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Asadullah Khan, 22nd Punjabis, *vice* Subadar Parsram Thapa, *Bahadur*, 2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles, deceased. Dated 12th October 1916.

Risaldar-Major Amir Muhammad Khan, 20th Decc... dar Major Jiwan Singh, *Bahadur*, 42nd Gurkha Ri... *vice* Suba... Dated 12th October 1916. ...ased.

Subadar Arsla Khan, I.O.M., 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force), *vice* Subadar Wassawa Singh, *Bahadur*, I.O.M., 32nd Sikh Pioneers, promoted. Dated 12th October 1916.

Subadar-Major Mir Akbar, 27th Punjabis, *vice* Subadar-Major and Honorary Captain Surja, *Bahadur*, 48th Pioneers, promoted. Dated 12th October 1916.

Risaldar-Major Kartar Singh, 12th Cavalry, *vice* Subadar-Major Muhammad Ismail, *Bahadur*, I.O.M., 32nd Mountain Battery, promoted. Dated 4th December 1916.

Subadar-Major Man Singh, 23rd Sikh Pioneers, *vice* Risaldar Major Natha Singh, *Bahadur*, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse), promoted. Dated 2nd January 1917.

Risaldar-Major Sultan Jan Khan, Army Remount Department, *vice* Subadar-Major Waryam Singh, *Bahadur*, 21st Punjabis, promoted. Dated 2nd February 1917.

Risaldar-Major Santa Singh, I.O.M., 33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry, *vice* Subadar Madanan, *Bahadur*, 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force), promoted. Dated 17th February 1917.

Risaldar-Major Ahmad Khan, 35th Jacob's Horse, *vice* Subadar-Major Debi Chand, *Bahadur*, 2nd Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles, promoted. Dated 22nd February 1917.

Subadar Sudama, 25th Punjabis, *vice* Risaldar Suraj Mal, *Bahadur*, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers, promoted. Dated 22nd March 1917.

Subadar-Major Balkrishna Rao, 110th Mahratta Light Infantry, *vice* Subadar Fazal Muhammad, *Bahadur*, 29th Punjabis, promoted. Dated 4th June 1917

Subadar (Acting Subadar-Major) Ram Singh, I.O.M., 82nd Punjabis, *vice* Subadar-Major Diwan Singh, *Bahadur*, 24th Punjabis, promoted. Dated 4th June 1917.

Subadar Sher Singh, 34th Sikh Pioneers, *vice* Subadar Bijai Singh, *Bahadur*, 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry), promoted. Dated 4th June 1917.

Subadar Major Habibullah Khan, 46th Punjabis. Dated 4th June 1917.

Subadar-Major Khushal Singh, 27th Punjabis. Dated 4th June 1917.

Subadar Matapalt Singh, 11th Rajputs. Dated 4th June 1917.

Subadar Abdul Amir, 130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles). Dated 4th June 1917.

Subadar Sohan Singh, 72nd Punjabis. Dated 4th June 1917.

Subadar-Major Bapurao Gaekwad, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry. Dated 4th June 1917.

Subadar-Major Rudrnarain Nagarkoti, 2nd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment). Dated 4th June 1917.

Subadar Poshati Mari, 3rd Sappers and Miners. Dated 4th June 1917.

Subadar Mansaram Pun, 2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 4th June 1917.

No. 873.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotion in, and admissions to, the Order of British India among

members of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department, with effect from the dates named:—

To the 1st Class of the Order with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Abdur Rahman, ***Bahadur***, Bengal Establishment. Dated 4th June 1917.

To the 2nd Class of the Order with the title of "Bahadur."

1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Muhammad Khan, ***Khan Sahib***, Bengal Establishment, ***vice*** 1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Suhail Singh, ***Rai Bahadur, Bahadur***, promoted, with effect from the 2nd January 1915.

1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Sher Muhammad, ***Khan Sahib***, Bengal Establishment, ***vice*** 1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Abdur Rahman, ***Bahadur***, promoted, with effect from the 4th June 1917.

No. 874.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 521, dated the 3rd June 1915, the date of the admission of 1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Saiyid Ali Naki, ***Khan Sahib***, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, to the 2nd Class of the Order of British India is the 2nd April 1914, *vice* 1st Class Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Bishan Nath, ***Bahadur***, Bengal Establishment, deceased, and not as therein stated.

No. 875.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotion in, and admission to, the Order of British India among Indian officers of the Military Police and Frontier Militia Corps, with effect from the 4th June 1917 :—

To the 1st Class of the Order with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Gopal Chandra Das, *Sirdar Bahadur*, Dacca Military Police.

To the 2nd Class of the Order with the title of "Bahadur."

Subadar Haidar Khan, Khyber Rifles.

No. 876.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotions in, and appointment to, the Order of British India among Indian officers of the Imperial Service Troops, with effect from the 4th June 1917 :—

To the 1st Class of the Order with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

Lieutenant-Colonel Muhammad Afzal Khan, ***Bahadur***, Commandant, Bahawalpur Imperial Service Camel Corps.

Colonel Muhammad Ramzan Khan, *Bahadur*, Commandant, 2nd Patiala Imperial Service Infantry.

To the 2nd Class of the Order with the title of "Bahadur."

Major Abdul Qayum Khan, Commandant, Bhopal Imperial Service Lancers.

No. 877.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the appointment of the undermentioned officer to the Order of British India in recognition of his distinguished conduct in the field :—

To the 2nd Class of the Order with the title of "Bahadur."

Sub-Assistant Surgeon (Jemadar) Muhammad Din, Kashmir Imperial Service Rifles. Dated 4th June 1917.

This appointment will be supernumerary to the authorised establishment of the Order.

A. H. BINGLEY, ***Major-General***,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 8th June 1917.

No. 3493A.—His Majesty the King-Emperor of India has been pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Sir Satyendra Prasanna Sinha, KT., Barrister-at-Law, to be an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 8th June 1917

No. 3494A.—With reference to Government Notification No. 3493A., dated the 8th June 1917, it is hereby notified that the Hon'ble Sir Satyendra Prasanna Sinha, KT., Barrister-at-Law, who has been appointed by His Majesty the King-Emperor of India to be a Member of the Council of the Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, has this day in the forenoon taken upon himself the execution of his office under the usual salute.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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NOTIFICATIONS

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No. 406.—With reference to the Home Department notifications no. 593-C., dated the 5th February 1917, and no. 617-C., dated the 7th February 1917, it is hereby notified that the Hon'ble Sir James Meston, K.C.S.I., returned from deputation and resumed charge of the office of Lieutenant-Governor of the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh on the afternoon of the 2nd June 1917.

No. 420.—The following regulations respecting the examination of candidates for the Indian Civil Service to be held in August 1917 are published for general information :—

Copies of this paper may be obtained on application to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

NOTICE.

An Open Competitive Examination for the Indian Civil Service will be held in London, commencing on the 1st August, 1917, under the Regulations, a copy of which is sent herewith.

The number of vacancies to be filled will be announced hereafter.

No concurrent Examination will be held either for Clerkships (Class I.) in the Home Civil Service or for Eastern Cadetships in the Colonial Service.

No person will be admitted to examination from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received on or before the 1st June, *an application* in the handwriting of the Candidate *on the prescribed form, a copy of which is sent herewith. No allegation that an Application Form or a letter respecting such Form has been lost or delayed in the post will be considered by the Commissioners unless the person making such allegation produces a Post Office certificate of posting. Candidates who delay their applications until the last days will do so at their own risk.*

Acknowledgments of such Application Forms are sent, and any Candidate who has filled up and returned the printed Application Form but has not received an acknowledgment of it within four complete days should at once write to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Burlington Gardens, London, W. 1. Failure to comply with this provision will deprive the Candidate of any claim to consideration.

The Order for Admission to the Examination will be posted early in July to the address given on the Form of Application. It will contain instructions as to the time and place at which the Candidate will be required to attend, and as to the manner in which the prescribed fee (£6) is to be paid.

Civil Service Commission,

April, 1917.

Copies of this paper may be obtained on application to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

EXAMINATIONS FOR THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

REGULATIONS.

*** *The following Regulations, made by the Secretary of State for India in Council, are liable to alteration from year to year.*

1. An examination for admission to the Indian Civil Service, open to all qualified persons, will be held in London in August of each year for such number of appointments to that Service as the Secretary of State may on each occasion determine. The Date of the Examination and the number of appointments to be made for each Province will be announced beforehand by the Civil Service Commissioners.

2. No person will be deemed qualified who shall not satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners :—

(*i*) (*a*) That save as hereinafter provided he is a British subject.

(*b*) That if he (being a British subject) or his father or his mother was not born within His Majesty's Dominions and allegiance then at the time of his birth his father was a British subject and that such father still is or continued to be till his death a British subject.

Provided that a ruler or subject of any state in India in respect of whom the Governor General in Council has made a declaration under section 96-A., of the Government of India Act, 1915 as amended by section 8 of the Government of India (Amendment) Act, 1916 may be considered eligible.

(*ii*) That he had attained the age of twenty-two, and had not attained the age of twenty-four on the first day of August of the year in which the Examination is held, or that he is in a position to claim such a concession under the provisions of the Appendix to these Regulations as will render him eligible.*

[*N.B.—In the case of Natives of India it will be necessary for a Candidate to obtain a certificate of age and nationality issued under Notification of the Government of India, No. 2252, dated 21st August, 1888, as amended by Notification No. 404, dated 19th May, 1898, and signed, should he be a resident in British India, by the Secretary to Government of the Province, or the Commissioner of the Division within which his family resides, or should he reside in a Native State, by the highest Political Officer accredited to the State in which his family resides.*]

(*iii*) That he has no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity, unfitting him, or likely to unfit him, for the Indian Civil Service.†

(*iv*) That he is of good moral character.

2. (A) No person will be eligible for admission to the Indian Civil Service who has made before any Tribunal established under the Military Service Acts, 1916, an application for the issue to him of a certificate of exemption from the provisions of those Acts on the ground of a conscientious objection to the undertaking of combatant service.

3. No person who, in a previous year, accepted the offer of a nomination as a Selected Candidate for the Indian Civil Service and subsequently resigned his position as a Selected Candidate, will be admitted to the examination.

4. Should the evidence upon the above points be *primâ facie* satisfactory to the Civil Service Commissioners, the Candidate, on payment of the prescribed fee, will be admitted to the Examination. The Commissioners may, however, in their discretion, at any time prior to the grant of the Certificate of Qualification hereinafter referred to, institute such further inquiries as they may deem necessary; and if the result of such inquiries in the case of any Candidate should be unsatisfactory to them in any of the above respects he will be ineligible for admission to the Indian Civil Service, and, if already selected, will be removed from the position of a Probationer.

5. The Open Competitive Examination will take place only in the following 38 subjects (*a*) :—

	Marks.
1. English Composition ...	500
2. Sanskrit Language and Literature ...	800
3. Arabic Language and Literature ...	800
Greek, not less than two sub-divisions, of which one must be Translation :—	
4. Translation ...	400
5. Prose Composition ...	200
6. Verse Composition ...	200
7. Literature, &c. ...	300
Latin, not less than two sub-divisions, of which one must be Translation :—	
8. Translation ...	400
9. Prose Composition ...	200
10. Verse Composition ...	200
11. Literature, &c. ...	300
12. English Language and Literature ...	600
13. Italian, Translation, Composition and Conversation ...	400
14. Italian, History of the Language and Literature ...	200
15. French, Translation, Composition and Conversation ...	400
16. French, History of the Language and Literature ...	200
17. German, Translation, Composition and Conversation ...	400
18. German, History of the Language and Literature ...	200
The History of these Languages and their Literatures can only be taken by candidates who also offer themselves for the rest of the examination in those languages.	
19. Lower Mathematics ...	1,200
20. Higher Mathematics ...	1,200

* The Appendix referred to is printed on the 5th page.

† The Civil Service Commissioners will regard no person as constitutionally fitted for appointment to the Indian Civil Service who has not been satisfactorily vaccinated within the last seven years.

(*a*) A Syllabus, defining the character of the Examination in the various subjects, may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, W. 1.

Natural Science, *i.e.*, any number not exceeding *four* of the following, or *three* if both Lower and Higher Mathematics be also taken :—

	Marks.
21. Chemistry	600
22. Physics	600
23. Geology	600
24. Botany	600
25. Zoology	600
26. Animal Physiology	600
27. Geography	600
28. Greek History (Ancient, including Constitution)	500
29. Roman History (Ancient, including Constitution)	500

English History, either or both sections may be taken :—

30. Section I., to A D. 1485	400
31. Section II., A.D. 1485 to 1848	400
32. General Modern History	500
33. Logic and Psychology	600
34. Moral and Metaphysical Philosophy	600
35. Political Economy and Economic History	600
36. Political Science	500
37. Roman Law	500
38. English Law	500

From the marks assigned to Candidates in each subject such deduction will be made as the Civil Service Commissioners may deem necessary in order to secure that no credit be allowed for merely superficial knowledge.

Consistently with the limitations specified above Candidates are at liberty to name any of the foregoing subjects, provided that the maximum number of marks that can be obtained from the subjects chosen is limited to 6,000. If this maximum is exceeded by a Candidate's selection he will be required to indicate one of his subjects, the marks for which should, in his case, be reduced so as to bring his maximum marks within the prescribed limit. The marks so reduced will be subject to a correspondingly reduced deduction.

Moreover, if a Candidate's handwriting is not easily legible a further deduction will, on that account, be made from the total marks otherwise accruing to him.*

6. A list of the competitors shall be made out in order of their proficiency as disclosed by the aggregate marks finally awarded to each competitor, and in that order so many competitors, up to the determined number of appointments, as are found by the Civil Service Commissioners to be qualified by examination, shall be designated to be Selected Candidates for the Indian Civil Service, provided that they appear to be duly qualified in other respects. Should any Selected Candidate become disqualified, the Secretary of State for India will determine whether the vacancy thus created shall be filled or not. In the former case the Candidate next in order of merit, and in other respects duly qualified, shall be deemed to be a Selected Candidate.

7. Selected Candidates, before proceeding to India, will be on probation for one year, at the end of which time they will undergo an examination, called the Final Examination, in the following compulsory subjects (*b*) :—

	Marks.
1. Indian Penal Code	400
2. Code of Criminal Procedure	200
3. The Indian Evidence Act	200
4. Indian History	400
5. The principal Vernacular Language of the Province to which the Candidate is assigned	400

The principal Vernacular Language prescribed for each Province to which Candidates are assigned is as follows :—

For the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, the Punjab or the Central Provinces	Hindustani.
For Bengal or Assam ... ... (unless it is the Candidate's mother tongue.)	Bengali.
For Bihar and Orissa	Hindustani.
For Burma	Burmese.
For Bombay ... ... (unless it is the Candidate's mother tongue.)	Marathi.
For Madras ... ... (at the option of the Candidate.)	Tamil or Telugu.

* It is notified for general information that the number of marks deducted for bad handwriting may be considerable.

(*b*) Instructions, showing the extent of the examination, will be issued to Selected Candidates, as soon as possible after the result of the Open Competition is declared.

In Hindustani the Candidate will be required to be acquainted with both the Persian and the Nagari character.

A Candidate assigned to Bengal or Assam, whose mother tongue is Bengali, must offer for examination Hindustani; a Candidate assigned to Bombay, whose mother tongue is Marathi, must offer for examination Hindustani; and a Candidate assigned to Madras, whose mother tongue is either of the languages shown against his Province, must offer the other for examination.

8. Selected Candidates may in addition offer in the Final Examination one of the following optional subjects :—

	Marks.
1. Hindu and Muhammadan Law	450
2. Sanskrit	400
3. Arabic	400
4. Persian	400
5. Hindustani	400

No Candidate who offered Sanskrit or Arabic at the Open Competition may offer the same language at the Final Examination; and only Candidates assigned to the Province of Burma may offer Hindustani as an optional subject.

9. In the Final Examination, as in the Open Competition, the merit of the Candidates examined will be estimated by marks (which will be subject to deductions in the same way as the marks assigned at the Open Competition), and the number set opposite to each subject denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it. The examination will be conducted on paper and *vivâ voce*, as may be deemed necessary.

If any Candidate is prevented by sickness or any other adequate cause from attending such examination, the Commissioners may, with the concurrence of the Secretary of State for India in Council, allow him to appear at the Final Examination to be held in the following year, or at a special examination.

10. The selected Candidates will also be tested during their probation as to their proficiency in Riding.

The examinations in riding will be held as follows :—

(1) Shortly after the result of the Open Competitive Examination has been declared or at such time or times as the Commissioners may appoint during the course of the probationary year.

(2) Again, at the time of the Final Examination. Candidates who may then satisfy the Commissioners that they are sufficiently at home in the saddle for the efficient performance of all the duties of the Indian Civil Service will be awarded marks ranging between 101 and 200 according to the degree of proficiency displayed, to be added to their marks in the Final Examination. Candidates who fall short of this adequate proficiency but show such minimum proficiency as is evidence that with a moderate amount of practice they can attain full proficiency, will receive marks ranging between 1 and 100; they will be allowed to proceed to India and will on their arrival there be subjected to such further tests in riding as may be prescribed by their Government, and shall receive no increase to their initial salary until they have passed such tests to the satisfaction of that Government.

A candidate who fails at the end of the year of probation to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners that he has reached the minimum standard of proficiency in riding, will be liable to have his name removed from the list of Selected Candidates.

11. The Selected Candidates who, on examination, shall be found to have a competent knowledge of the subjects specified in Regulation 7, and who shall have satisfied the Civil Service Commissioners of their eligibility in respect of nationality, age, health, character, conduct during the period of probation, and ability to ride, shall be certified by the said Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Indian Civil Service provided they shall comply with the regulations in force, at the time, for that Service.

12. Persons desirous to be admitted as candidates must apply on Forms, which may be obtained from "The Secretary to the Civil Service Commissioners, London," at any time after the 1st December, in the year previous to that in which the examination is to be held. No person will be admitted to the examination from whom the Secretary to the Civil Service Commissioners has not received on or before the 1st June (or, if that date should fall on a Sunday or public holiday, then, on or before the first day thereafter on which their office is open), in the year in which the Examination is to be held, an application, in the handwriting of the Candidate, on the prescribed form.

APPENDIX.

1. Any person who has joined since the 4th August, 1914, or may join during the present war, the Army or Navy or Royal Marines, or has rendered or may render during the same period actual military service in the Special Reserve or Territorial Force, Royal Naval Reserve or Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, may, if eligible in point of age under the Regulations as they now stand for admission to the examination or competition held in 1915, 1916, or 1917 (but over age in 1916, 1917, or 1918 respectively), deduct from his actual age at the time of the examination or competition held in 1916, 1917, or 1918, as the case may be:—

(a) The actual period of such service, if it has not exceeded three months.

(b) One year, if the actual period of service has exceeded three months. No candidate will be allowed to deduct more than one year from his actual age.

2. The same concession may also be granted to those who have been employed during the same period in connection with the armed forces of the Crown at home or abroad giving their whole time and under obligation to serve for the duration of the war or until their discharge, or for any period not terminable at their own option, provided that their employment be not on ordinary commercial terms, such as that of Assistant Paymasters, Clerks, artisans, and the like.

3. The grant of the concession described in paragraph (2) will be at the discretion of the Civil Service Commissioners, whose decision in each case will be final. Candidates who contemplate applying for an age deduction under (2) will do well to apply to the Civil Service Commission for a ruling on their case.

4. Candidates to be eligible for the concessions in (1) or (2) must furnish an official certificate of the period and satisfactory character of their service and if any doubt arise whether the service of any candidate is of the kind contemplated, the Secretary of State for India in Council reserves to the Civil Service Commissioners the right to decide the case upon its merits.

The Civil Service Commissioners are authorized by the Secretary of State for India in Council to make the following announcements :—

(i) *Selected Candidates will be allotted to the various provinces upon a consideration of all the circumstances, including their own wishes; but the requirements of the Public Service will rank before every other consideration.*

(ii) *Except in the case of persons continuing to receive Scholarship allowances of equal or greater amounts from the Government of India an allowance amounting to £150 will be given to any Candidate who passes his probation at one of the Universities or Colleges which have been approved by the Secretary of State, viz., the Universities of Oxford, Cambridge, Dublin, Glasgow, Edinburgh, St. Andrews, Aberdeen and London (University College); Victoria University, Manchester.*

This allowance will be paid to the selected Candidate in four instalments on the following dates respectively:—December 24th, after his selection, March 25th, June 24th, and the date of his signing his covenant on being finally appointed to the Service.

An allowance on account of passage to India will be paid to each newly appointed civilian to the amount of £40, for passage to Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, and £50 for passage to Rangoon. These allowances will only be paid after production of evidence that the officer has engaged a First Class *passage. An Officer who prefers it can have a First Class passage taken for him by the India Office in lieu of receiving a passage allowance. Applications giving proposed dates of sailing should be made to the Secretary, Judicial and Public Department, India Office, London, S.W. 1.*

The payment of each of the first three instalments will be conditional on the receipt, by the Secretary of State, through the Civil Service Commissioners, of a Certificate that the Candidate has fulfilled up to date the requirements of the Authorities, and shown satisfactory conduct at the Authorized University or College; the fourth and final instalment will be paid as soon as the selected Candidate has signed his covenant, and for its payment no certificate from College Authorities will be required.

The whole probation must ordinarily be passed at the same Institution. Migration will not be permitted except for special reasons approved by the Secretary of State.

(iii) *Each Candidate will be required before receiving the first instalment of his allowance to execute an agreement binding himself and one surety, jointly and severally, to refund all monies he may have received from the Secretary of State for India in the event of—*

(1) *his failure to pass the Final Examination within the time prescribed by the Regulations, and to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners of his fitness for admission to the Indian Civil Service, or*

(2) *his subsequent failure to execute the usual covenant, and to proceed to India, as and when he shall be directed by the Secretary of State for India.*

(iv) *All Candidates obtaining Certificates will be also required to enter into covenants, by which, amongst other things, they will bind themselves to make such payments as under the rules and regulations for the time being in force, they may be required to make towards their own pensions or for the pensions of their families. The stamps payable on these covenants amount to £1.*

(v) *The seniority in the Indian Civil Service of the Candidates obtaining Certificates will be determined according to the order in which they stand on the list resulting from the combined marks of the Open Competitive and Final Examinations, but may ultimately be affected by appointments made by the Secretary of State under the Temporary Provisions Act, 1915.*

(vi) *Candidates obtaining Certificates will be required to report their arrival in India within such period after the grant of their Certificates of Qualification as the Secretary of State may in each case direct.*

(vii) *Candidates who fail to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners at the Final Examination held in any year will be definitely rejected, and will not be allowed to present themselves for re-examination, unless it shall appear to the Secretary of State in Council, after reference to the Civil Service Commissioners, that such failure is due to circumstances wholly exceptional and beyond the control of the Candidate.*

Civil Service Commission,
May, 1917.

A Manual of Rules and Regulations applicable to members of the Indian Civil Service has been compiled by permission of the Government of India, and may now be procured from the undermentioned Agents for the sale of Indian Official publications. Price 1s. 0*d*. LONDON.—A. Constable & Co., Ltd., 10, Orange Street, Leicester Square, W.C. 2; P. S. King & Son, 2 and 4, Great Smith Street, Westminster, S.W. 1; Kegan Paul, Trench, Trübner & Co., 68, Carter Lane, E.C. 4, and 25, Museum Street, W.C. 1; B. Quaritch, 11, Grafton Street, New Bond Street, W. 1; Henry S. King & Co., 65, Cornhill, E.C. 3; Grindlay & Co., 54, Parliament Street, S.W. 1; T. Fisher Unwin, Ltd., 1, Adelphi Terrace, W.C. 2; W. Thacker & Co., 2, Creed Lane, Ludgate Hill, E.C. 4; Luzac & Co., 46, Great Russell Street, W.C. 1; W. Wesley, 28, Essex Street, Strand, W. C. 2. EDINBURGH.—Oliver & Boyd, Tweeddale Court. DUBLIN.—E. Ponsonby, Ltd., 116, Grafton Street, OXFORD.—B. H. Blackwell, 50 and 51, Broad Street. CAMBRIDGE.—Deighton, Bell & Co., Trinity Street. FRANCE.—Ernest Leroux, Rue Bonaparte, Paris. HOLLAND.—Martinus Nijhoff, The Hague.

The Commissioners have been requested by the Secretary of State for India to draw the attention of Selected Candidates to the prefatory note attached to this manual, as it is considered important that it should be clearly understood that this compilation is not to be regarded in any other light than that of a collection, made for facility of reference, of certain information and rules, that it is by no means exhaustive, and that it is liable to such modifications as may from time to time be sanctioned by competent authority.

MEMORANDUM.

The Secretary of State for India in Council desires that Candidates at the Open Competitive Examination of 1917 for the Indian Civil Service should be made aware that their position as regards seniority in the Indian Civil Service, if selected and duly appointed after the period of probation, may be affected by the appointment of Candidates without Competitive Examination, in accordance with Rules to be made hereafter under the Indian Civil Service (Temporary Provisions) Act, 1915.

Civil Service Commission,
May, 1917.

[*Copies of this paper may be obtained on application to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.*]

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA, &c., &c.

Syllabus of any Open Competitive Examination for the Civil Service of India, and Eastern Cadetships in the Colonial Service that may be held in the year 1917, and of any other competition that may be held in combination therewith.

In view of the importance of legible handwriting in the public service, Candidates are warned that the provision as to deductions for bad handwriting in these Competitions will be strictly enforced.

Candidates are warned that full marks cannot be obtained on any paper unless the whole of it is answered, or in cases where the number of questions to be answered is specified, unless the full number specified is answered.

English Composition.—An Essay to be written on one of several specified subjects.

Sanskrit Language and Literature.—Translation from Sanskrit; composition in Sanskrit; Sanskrit Literature, including the life, thought, and antiquities of Ancient India, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject; questions on the Sanskrit Language (including questions on Philology).

Composition will be required in Classical Sanskrit alone; elsewhere Vedic Sanskrit is also included.

Candidates are expected to make a special study of the Seventh Mandala of the Rig-veda, but other Vedic hymns may also be set in the examination.

Arabic Language and Literature.—Translation from Arabic; set composition and free composition in Arabic; Arabic Literature, including the life and thought of the Arabs as shown in the literature, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject; questions on the Arabic Language (including questions on Philology).

Greek Literature.—Questions on the Greek Language (including questions on Philology), Literature and Antiquities.

Latin Literature.—Questions on the Latin Language (including questions on Philology) and on Roman Literature and Antiquities.

English Language and Literature.—The Examination will be in two parts. In the one Candidates will be expected to show a general acquaintance with the course of English Literature, as represented in the chief writers in verse and prose, between the reign of Edward III and the death of Queen Victoria.

A minute and detailed knowledge will not be looked for in this part of the Examination. But its aim will be to test how far the Candidates have studied at first hand the chief productions of the greatest English writers, and are acquainted with the leading characteristics of their thought and style, and with the place which each of them occupies in the history of English Literature.

The other part of the Examination will relate to one of the following periods, which will follow each other year by year in rotation :—

Period I : 1360 to 1600, Chaucer to Spenser.

Period II : 1600 to 1660, the later Elizabethans.

Period III : 1660 to 1744, the age of Dryden and Pope.

Period IV : 1744 to 1800, from the death of Pope to Cowper.

Period V : 1800 to 1832, Nineteenth Century writers to the death of Scott.

Period VI : 1832 to 1892, from the death of Scott to the death of Tennyson.

The Examination in this part will require from the Candidates a more minute acquaintance with the history of the English Language and Literature, as illustrated in the chief works produced in each period, and will be based to a considerable extent, but by no means exclusively, on certain books specified each year by the Commissioners. The names and other indications placed beside the dates are intended to suggest the general character of the literary development of the period, and, consequently, the natural limits of the Examination. All the works of Shakespeare and Milton, for example, will be regarded as falling within the period 1600 to 1660; all the works of Wordsworth and Coleridge within the period 1800 to 1832; all the works of Carlyle, Landor, and Macaulay within the period 1832 to 1892.

For the year 1917. Period VI (1832--1892) is prescribed, and the following are the specified books :—

Landor.—The Citation of William Shakespeare.

Emerson.—Essays : First series.

Macaulay.—The essays on the Earl of Chatham, those on Warren Hastings and Lord Clive.

Carlyle.—Sartor Resartus; Past and Present.

Ruskin.—Modern Painters, Volume II.

Matthew Arnold.—Elegiac poems; Essays in Criticism; Culture and Anarchy.

J. H. Newman.—Idea of a University.

H. D. Traill.—The New Lucian.

Pater.—The Renaissance.

R. L. Stevenson.—Virginibus Puerisque.

Dickens.—David Copperfield ; The Pickwick Papers.

Thackeray.—Vanity Fair ; Esmond.

Charlotte Brontë.—Jane Eyre.

Mrs. Gaskell.—Mary Barton.

George Eliot.—Scenes of Clerical Life ; Adam Bede.

Disraeli (Earl of Beaconsfield).—Coningsby ; Sybil.

G. Meredith.—Modern Love ; A Reading of Earth ; The Ordeal of Richard Feverel ; The Egoist.

Tennyson.—In Memoriam.

Browning.—Paracelsus ; Men and Women, 1855 ; Dramatis Personæ, 1864.

D. G. Rossetti.—Principal Poems, " Dante in Verona " to " The King's Tragedy", as given in the two volume edition of 1886 or the one volume edition of 1891.

Swinburne.—Songs before Sunrise ; Atalanta in Calydon.

Oxford Book of English Verse ; Numbers 638-811.

Sonnets of the Nineteenth Century, Canterbury Poets ; so far as they fall within the period .

Italian Translation, Composition and Conversation.—In the conversation test importance is attached to pronunciation. The study of phonetics is an important aid to correctness of pronunciation.

Italian, History of the Language and Literature.—Italian Literature including the life and thought as shown in the Literature, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject. Questions will be asked which demand a knowledge of the language in its early stages (i.e , before the time of Dante), but such questions will not be obligatory. Candidates will not be required to write their answers in Italian.

French Translation. Composition and Conversation.—In the conversation test importance is attached to pronunciation. The study of phonetics is an important aid to correctness of pronunciation.

French History of the Language and Literature.—French Literature, including the life and thought as shown in the literature, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject. Questions will be asked which demand a knowledge of the language in its early stages (i.e., before 1500), but such questions will not be obligatory. Candidates will not be required to write their answers in French.

German Translation, Composition and Conversation.—In the conversation test importance is attached to pronunciation. The study of phonetics is an important aid to correctness of pronunciation.

German History of the Language and Literature.—German Literature, including the life and thought as shown in the literature, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject. Questions will be asked which demand a knowledge of the language in its early stages (i.e.. before 1500), but such questions will not be obligatory. Candidates will not be required to write their answers in German.

Lower Mathematics.—Plane Geometry, including conic sections ; Solid Geometry ; including the method of orthogonal projection ; Algebra and Plane Trigonometry ; Elementary Plane Co-ordinate Geometry ; Elementary Mechanics of solids and fluids ; Geometrical Optics ; Elements of Differential and Integral Calculus with simple illustrations from other branches of the subject. The questions may involve the use of drawing instruments. The use of the slide rule is allowed.

Higher Mathematics—Higher Algebra (including Theory of Equations), Plane and Spherical Trigonometry Differential Calculus, Integral Calculus, Differential Equations, Analytical Geometry (Plane and Solid), Statics including Attractions, Dynamics of a Particle, Rigid Dynamics, Hydrodynamics, the Mathematical Theory of Electricity and Magnetism. The questions may involve the use of drawing instruments. The use of the slide rule is allowed.

Chemistry, Physics, Geology, Botany, Zoology, Animal Physiology.—Candidates are warned that the practical Examinations carry a large proportion of the marks.

Geography.—Geography as understood in the universities, not excluding topics which concern geography jointly with other subjects such as economics, history, physics, botany, and geology. There will be a practical test which will necessitate a knowledge of cartographical methods and notations, and for this test drawing instruments may be required.

Greek History.—Questions (*a*) on the General and (*b*) on the Constitutional History of Greece to the death of Alexander. Candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of the original authorities. They must also be prepared to answer questions on historical geography, and to draw sketch maps.

Roman History.—Questi ns (*a*) on the General and (*b*) on the Constitutional History of Rome to the death of Trajan. Candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of the original authorities. They must also be prepared to answer questions on historical geography, and to draw sketch maps.

English History.—The subject will include (*a*) the Political History of the British Isles and the Colonies, (*b*) the Constitutional History of England. Candidates should be acquainted with the following authorities :—

Period I, to 1485 : Stubbs, Select Charters, ninth edition [Clarendon Press].

Period II, 1485 to 1848 ; Prothero, Statutes and Constitutional Documents [Clarendon Press] ; Gardiner, Documents of the Puritan Revolution [Clarendon Press].

In each period the number of marks assigned to the question or questions dealing with the text of the prescribed books will be about one-sixth of that assigned to the whole period. Candidates must be prepared to answer questions on historical geography, and to draw sketch maps.

General Modern History.—Candidates may, at their choice, be examined in any one of the following periods. Periods III, IV and V will include Indian History Candidates are warned that high marks will not be awarded in this subject unless the text of the prescribed books has been carefully studied by them. Candidates must be prepared to answer questions on historical geography, and to draw sketch maps.

I. From the accession of Charlemagne to the Third Crusade. [A.D. 800 to A.D 1193.]

II. From the Third Crusade to the Diet of Worms. [A.D. 1193 to A.D. 1521.]

III. From the Diet of Worms to the Death of Louis XIV. [A.D 1521 to A.D. 1715.]

IV. From the accession of Louis XV to the French Revolution of 1848. [A.D. 1715 to A.D. 1848.]

V. From the Peace of Paris to the Treaty of Berlin. [A.D. 1763 to A.D. 1878.]

Candidates should be acquainted with the following authorities :—

PERIOD I. 800-1193.

Einhard, Vita Caroli Magni, from 800 A.D. Editions :—(1) Pertz (2) Scriptores Rerum Germanicarum, (3) Clarendon Press.

Lambert of Hersfeld, Annales. Editions :—(1) Pertz, (2) Scriptores Rerum Germanicarum.

Suger, Vita Ludovici VI. Editions :—(1) Migne, (2) Société de l'Histoire de France, 1868.

Otto of Freising, De gestis Friderici I. Editions :—(1) Pertz, (2) Scriptores Rerum Germanicarum The continuators are included.

PERIOD II. 1193-1521.

Joinville, St. Louis. Editions :—(1) Petitot, (2) Michaud et Poujoulat, (3) Buchon, (4) Société de l'Histoire de France, 1868.

Philippe de Comines, Mémoires. Editions :—(1) Petitot, (2) Michaud et Poujoulat, (3) Buchon, (4) de Mandrot [Picard, Paris, 1901-3].

Machiavelli, The Prince. English translation by Thomson, published by the Clarendon Press.

PERIOD III. 1521-1715.

Sully, Mémoires up to the Treaty of Vervins. Editions :—(1) Petitot, (2) Michaud et Poujoulat.

Torcy, Mémoires. Editions :—(1) Petitot, (2) Michaud et Poujoulat.

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Logic and Psychology.—The history of the subject will be included.

Moral and Metaphysical Philosophy.—The history of the subject will be included.

Political Economy and Economic History.—Candidates will be expected to possess a knowledge of economic theory; of the existing economic conditions ; of statistical methods ; and of the history of industry, land tenure, and economic legislation in the United Kingdom.

Political Science.—Candidates will be expected to show a knowledge (1) of political theory and the history of political theory, and (2) of the development, and more especially the modern forms and functions of political institutions. Political theory should be understood to include not only the theory of legislation, but also the general theory of the state in its connection with kindred studies such as ethics, psychology, jurisprudence, public international law, and economics ; and candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of original authorities. Under the head of political institutions are included subjects such as early institutions and comparative politics.

English Law.—Law of Contract ; Law of Evidence ; Law of the Constitution ; Criminal Law ; Law of Torts.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

September, 1916.

The following applies only to candidates for Clerkships on the Establishment of the Foreign Office, for Attacheships in the Diplomatic Service, and for Student Interpreterships in China, Japan and Siam :

Russian and Spanish : Translation, Composition and Conversation —In the conversation test importance is attached to pronunciation. The study of phonetics is an important aid to correctness of pronunciation.

Spanish, History of the Language and Literature.—Spanish literature, including the life and thought as shown in the literature, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject. Questions will be asked which demand a knowledge of the language in its early stages (*i.e.*, before 1500), but such questions will not be obligatory. Candidates will not be required to write their answers in Spanish.

Russian Literature.—Russian Literature since 1800, including the life and thought as shown in the literature, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject. Candidates will not be required to write their answers in Russian.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

September, 1916.

Copies of this paper may be obtained on application to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1917.

FORM TO BE FILLED UP BY CANDIDATES FOR EXAMINATION.

*** *The order for admission to the Examination will not be issued unless this Form,* filled up by the Candidate himself, *is received by the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission on or before the* **1st June, 1917**.

SIR,

I beg to inform you that I wish to be admitted to the Open Competitive Examination for the Indian Civil Service, which is appointed to commence in London on the 1st of August, 1917.

A candidate whose case may come under Clause 2 (1) (B) of the Regulations should state the facts fully in a separate letter.

I am a British subject.

I hereby declare that I was born on the day of 18 , and that therefore I shall have attained the age of 22 years and shall not have attained the age of 24* years on the 1st of August, 1917 ; I also declare that I have no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting me, or likely to unfit me, for the Indian Civil Service ; and that I am of good moral character, and otherwise eligible under the Regulations ; and I undertake that, if I am successful, I will conform, during my period of probation, to such rules respecting the conduct of Public Servants as have been laid down, or may hereafter be laid down, by the Secretary of State for India in Council.

*A candidate claiming to be entitled to the concession contained in the Appendix printed on page 5 of the Regulations should attach a special statement of his case for consideration.

I send herewith a Certificate of age and nationality issued in accordance with the rule respecting Natives of India printed in paragraph III, on the next page.

Candidates who are not Natives of India should strike out this paragraph.

I beg to inform you that I was† ——— examined before the Civil Service Commissioners in the month of‡ ——— in the year 1 , as a Candidate for the situation of ———.

†If you have never been examined, insert here the word "never."

‡If you have been examined, give the date, &c., of the last occasion.

I am, SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

Name in full ———

Address to which it is desired that the Order for Examination should be sent§ ———

§If a London address, state the postal district and number of the office of delivery ; if a country address, state the post town.

Date ———

The Secretary,

Civil Service Commission.

Certificates of age (except as mentioned above), health, and character should not be supplied until after the result of the Examination is known.

N.B.—Attention is drawn to the Selection Form on page 3, which must be filled up by every Candidate.

EVIDENCE OF AGE TO BE REQUIRED FROM CANDIDATES FOR THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

I. Every Candidate born in the United Kingdom should be prepared to produce, when required, a Certificate from the Registrar-General of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, or from one of his provincial Officers. This Certificate may be obtained from the Registrar-General in London, Dublin or Edinburgh, or from the Superintendent Registrar of the District in which the birth took place.

II. A Candidate born of European parents in India should be prepared to produce, when required, a Certificate of Baptism from the district in which he was baptised. If this does not also mention the date of birth it should be accompanied by a statutory declaration by one of the Candidate's parents, stating the date and place of birth. When such certificate is not in the possession of the Candidate an Extract from the Registers kept at the India Office will probably be obtainable.

III. A Candidate who is a Native of India must, *on or before the 1st June* preceding the examination produce a certificate of age and nationality issued under Notification of the Government of India, No. 2252, dated 21st August, 1888, as amended by Notification No. 404, dated 19th May, 1898, and signed, should he be a resident in British India, by the Secretary to Government of the Province, or the Commissioner of the Division within which his family resides : or, should he reside in a Native State, by the highest Political Officer accredited to the State in which his family resides. *No other Certificates will be accepted for this Competition.*

IV. All Candidates who claim an extension of age under the provisions of paragraphs 1 and 2 of the Appendix to the Regulations will be required to produce an official certificate of the period and satisfactory character of their service.

To be filled up by the Candidate himself, and returned with the Form of Application.

INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE. OPEN COMPETITION OF 1917.

SELECTION FORM.

****Place your Initials against the Subjects which you select; if your selections exceed 6,000 marks, indicate the Subject which is to be reduced; and sign your name in the place indicated on the next page.*

INITIALS.		MAXIMUM MARKS.
....	1. English Composition	500
....	2. Sanskrit, Language and Literature	800
....	3. Arabic, Language and Literature	800
	Greek, not less than two sub-divisions, of which one must be Translation:—	
....	4. Translation	400
....	5. Prose Composition	200
....	6. Verse Composition	200
....	7. Literature, etc.	300
	Latin, not less than two sub-divisions, of which one must be Translation:—	
....	8. Translation	400
....	9. Prose Composition	200
....	10. Verse Composition	200
....	11. Literature, etc.	300
....	12. English, Language and Literature	600
....	13. Italian, Translation, Composition and Conversation ...	400
....	*14. Italian, History of the Language and Literature ...	200
....	15. French, Translation, Composition and Conversation ...	400
....	*16. French, History of the Language and Literature ...	200
....	17. German, Translation, Composition and Conversation ...	400
....	*18. German, History of the Language and Literature ...	200
....	19. Lower Mathematics	1,200

* The History of these Languages and their Literatures can only be taken by Candidates who also offer themselves for the rest of the examination in these languages.

INITIALS.		MAXIMUM MARKS.
....	20. Higher Mathematics	1,200
	Natural Science, *i.e.*, any number not exceeding *four* of the following, or *three* if both Lower and Higher Mathematics be also taken :—	
....	21. *Chemistry	600
....	22. Physics	600
....	23. Geology	600
....	24. *Botany	600
....	25. Zoology	600
....	26. Animal Physiology	600
....	27. Geography...	600
....	28. Greek History (Antient, including Constitution) ...	500
....	29. Roman History (Ancient, including Constitution) ...	500
	English History, either or both sections may be taken :—	
....	30. Section I., to A.D. 1485	400
....	31. Section II., A.D. 1485 to 1848	400
....	32. General Modern History	500
....	33. Logic and Psychology	600
....	34. Moral and Metaphysical Philosophy	600
....	35. Political Economy and Economic History	600
....	36. Political Science	500
....	37. Roman Law	500
....	38. English Law	500

Signature——————————

Date ——————————

To the Secretary,
Civil Service Commission,
London, W. 1.

N.B.— Attention is drawn to the Application Form on pages 10 and 11, which must be filled up by every Candidate.

* For the Practical Examination in Chemistry, Candidates may bring any printed works on Analysis ; and for the Practical Examination in Botany, any printed Flora. All books brought must be submitted to the Presiding Examiner for his approval ; no written notes of any kind will be allowed.

S. R. HIGNELL,
for Secretary to the Government of India.

JUDICIAL.

The 7th June, 1917.

No. 411.—His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been pleased to appoint Thomas Clarke Pilling Gibbons, Esq., K.C., Barrister-at-Law, to be Advocate General for the Presidency of Bengal.

J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 5th June, 1917.

No. 722-Est.A.—Captain G. Holroyd, Indian Medical Service, is appointed to hold charge of the current duties of the office of Agency Surgeon, Bhopal, in addition to his military duties with effect from the 28th April 1917, and until further orders.

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.
PROVINCIAL FINANCE.

No. 1217-F.

Simla, the 2nd June, 1917.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Finance Department.

In paragraphs 108-110 of the speech of the Hon 'ble the Finance Member introducing the Financial Statement for 1917-18, it was announced that it had been decided, with the approval of the Secretary of State for India, to treat expenditure under the head "33—Famine Relief", with effect from the year 1917-18, as divisible between Imperial and Provincial revenues in the proportion of ¾ and ¼. The previous arrangements for the apportionment of the expenditure as well as the reasons which led to the change are stated at length in the Government of India, Finance Department, circular letter No. 2044-F., dated the 31st December 1914 and in their despatch to the Secretary of State for India No. 307, dated the 23rd December 1916, which, together with the replies from the Local Governments concerned and the Secretary of State, are published for general information.

2. The incidence of the expenditure on famine relief in provinces with which regular Provincial settlements are in force will be governed in future by the following rules :—

(*i*) All expenditure on famine relief from the 1st April 1917 (including that incurred in the provinces of Burma and Assam to which the previous scheme for the adjustment of famine expenditure did not apply and in the non-jurisdictional estates in Bombay) will be divided between Imperial and Provincial revenues in the proportion of three-fourths and one-fourth, the credits which have accumulated in favour of Provincial Governments in the *pro forma* accounts of famine expenditure maintained under the previous arrangements being written off from that date.

(*ii*) If the Provincial share of expenditure resulting from a widespread and prolonged famine should be so great as to reduce the Provincial balance below one half the prescribed minimum, the treatment of further expenditure will be a subject for special arrangement at the time.

(*iii*) Expenditure incurred during observation and test will in future be charged to the head "33—Famine Relief" instead of as entirely Provincial expenditure to "32—Miscellaneous" or "45—Civil Works".

(*iv*) Under the special prophylactic scheme of relief which obtains in the Central Provinces, works specially undertaken for the relief of distress after scarcity has been declared should be classed as "scarcity works" if their cost cannot be met either from the budget provision for civil works or by reappropriation. The cost of these scarcity works will be charged to the head "33—Famine Relief," subject to the proviso that, when the budget for any year has to be framed with reference to the existence of famine or *quasi*-famine conditions, the grant under the head "45—Civil Works" shall be placed at a figure not less than that for the last normal year.

ORDERED that this Resolution be communicated to all Local Governments and Administrations, the Revenue and Agriculture and the Public Works Departments, the Comptroller and Auditor General, the Controller of Currency, and all Civil Accountants General and Comptrollers.

Ordered also that this Resolution be published in the Gazette of India.

No. 2044-F, dated 31st December 1914.

To— { All Local Governments (except Burma).
The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces.

SIR,

I am directed to refer to the Resolution* moved by the late Hon'ble Rai Sri Rám Bahádur in the Imperial Legislative Council on the 7th March 1914, with reference to the scheme for the apportionment of famine relief expenditure introduced by the orders contained in the Government of India's Finance Department letter No. 1674-A., dated the 20th March 1907, and to the undertaking given by the Hon'ble Finance Member in the course of the ensuing debate to consider whether the provincial allotments under that scheme required revision. The existing arrangements have accordingly been carefully re-examined. The primary object of this scrutiny was to consider the possible rectification of minor inequalities as between different provinces, but their study of the question has led the Government of India to think that a more radical revision of the scheme may be desirable. Before framing their final conclusions and addressing the Secretary of State thereon, they would be glad to receive the opinions of Local Governments on the suggestions put forward in this letter.

* *Vide Gazette of India* (Part VI), dated the 14th March 1914, page 625-626.

2. The Provincial Famine Insurance scheme, as it may be conveniently termed, has now been in force for seven years, and has been tested in this interval by the frequent occurrence of famine expenditure, though not on the almost continuously high scale † experienced in the quinquennium 1896-97 to 1900-01. Its main object was to lay down definite rules on liberal lines as to

† *Vide* the figures in Statement I attached.

the extent to which expenditure on famine relief should be treated as an Imperial obligation, and from this point of view it has, it is believed, in the absence of any extreme test, worked satisfactorily, and has proved acceptable to Local Governments.

3. This object, however, was associated with an elaborate and technical procedure which appears to the Government of India to be capable of simplification. Prior to the introduction of the existing arrangements, it was the practice for the Government of India to set aside annually, in non-famine years out of Imperial revenues, by debit to "Reduction or Avoidance of Debt", a sum of Rs. 75 lakhs, the expenditure being shown in the accounts as Imperial, and being actually devoted to productive capital expenditure. In famine years this allotment was reduced by the amount of expenditure actually incurred on famine relief, and was thus suspended altogether if that expenditure exceeded Rs. 75 lakhs. The underlying idea, to which the present scheme owes its peculiar form, was that there should not only be an Imperial allotment towards the reduction or avoidance of debt, but provincial allotments as well, *i.e.*, that each Local Government the territories of which are liable to visitations of famine should annually set aside a fixed amount under this head, the expenditure being treated as Provincial. This annual provincial allotment was to be regarded as a form of insurance payment, in return for which any famine expenditure incurred by a province was to be wholly Imperial within certain prescribed limits. The extent to which any particular Local Government is thus entitled, at any given time, to have its future famine expenditure treated as Imperial is represented by its "famine credit" in the *pro formâ* account, which has to be maintained under the system described.

4. If under the scheme the provincial allotments towards the reduction or avoidance of debt had been found from revenues already assigned to the provinces, the arrangements introduced in 1907 would have involved an insurance of a genuine kind. Since, however, no allowance had been made for the liability of a province to famine in the calculation of the revenues to be assigned to it under its provincial settlement, the Government of India accepted the position that any sum required by a province under this scheme for expenditure under "Reduction or Avoidance of Debt" must be supplied by an assignment from Imperial revenues. The normal Imperial allotment to "Reduction or Avoidance of Debt" was accordingly reduced to Rs. 37½* lakhs, and the remaining Rs. 37½ lakhs are transferred annually to Provincial by an assignment through the Land Revenue head, the amount so transferred being then treated as provincial expenditure under "Reduction or Avoidance of Debt". Accordingly, subject to the incidental consequence referred to in paragraph 6 below, the whole transaction, so far as the regular accounts are concerned, is a paper adjustment only.

*The total Imperial and Provincial allotments respectively are liable to modification when any province or provinces have reached their maximum credit, but it will suffice to state the normal position.

5. These technicalities of the present system present great difficulties to the increasing number of non-official Members of the Legislative Councils who take an intelligent interest in financial matters, as well as to the public generally, and complicate all explanations of figures and transactions in regard to famine insurance and famine relief expenditure. It appears to the Government of India that nothing essential would be sacrificed if this portion of the scheme were abandoned in favour of a reversion to the older practice of debiting the entire allotment for reduction or avoidance of debt under Imperial. The provincial allotments and the corresponding assignments through the Land Revenue head would then disappear; but the *pro formâ* account would be maintained as at present; and the substantial interests of the Local Governments would be in no way affected.

6. An indirect consequence of the existing system is that while the Imperial portion of the allotments to "Reduction or Avoidance of Debt" is wholly or partly suspended in years of famine, as explained in paragraph 3 above, the provincial portion continues in full, in order to secure to the Local Governments a

continuance of their annual credits without abatement. From a financial standpoint, this practice is undesirable. In years of severe famine, the Government of India's resources are in any case strained to meet expenditure on famine relief, and, in addition, their revenues are likely to be severely depleted. It may be, indeed, that a deficit has to be faced. It is not suitable that at such times the Government of India should be setting current revenues aside for productive capital outlay in the guise of famine insurance. The proper course would be to conserve their resources for the exclusive purpose of meeting the famine itself. If the various adjustments connected with the present arrangements are abandoned, the former and more correct procedure in this respect will automatically be restored.

7. It has already been pointed out that there has been no experience, since the introduction of the present scheme, of continuous famine outlay on the scale experienced in the years preceding, when, not infrequently, a province, already exhausted by one year's famine, was again confronted with heavy famine outlay in the following year, or a year or two later. In such a case, the present system, which relies upon the gradual building up of the so-called famine credits, would inevitably break down. The amount at credit might be exhausted in the first year of severe famine, and on the early recurrence of the calamity the province concerned would have only one or two years' allotments at its credit. It appears to the Government of India that in this respect the present scheme, to some extent, disregards the difficulties which it was primarily designed to meet. It gives very liberal assistance to a province in which famine conditions happen to recur at relatively long intervals, while another province, which suffers from famine to the same aggregate extent in the same period, but whose misfortunes are compressed within a few almost consecutive years, would benefit to a relatively minor extent, though intrinsically even more deserving of assistance. In other words, the famine credit, or the sum assured if the analogy of insurance is to be used, should be a credit automatically reviving on the termination of each distinct period of famine, and not dependent on a long period of previous immunity.

8. Such a modification of the existing scheme will involve an important new benefit to the provinces, and though the Government of India are prepared to recommend a change on these lines to the Secretary of State, if the suggestion commends itself to the Local Governments, the concession ought to be accompanied by some curtailment or rectification of the scheme in other respects. In the first place, it would be reasonable to reduce to some extent the maximum credits at present allowed. This will be more clearly appreciated from the illustration of the actual operation of the suggested revised scheme which is given in paragraph 12 below. As will be seen later, however, the Government of India do not propose to reduce to any large extent the aggregate of the maximum credits at present allowed, but some material reduction seems called for in one or two cases with a view to the rectification of existing inequalities.

9. The existing annual credits were based on the average annual famine expenditure of each province during the 25 years ending 1905-06, and roughly represent about half these amounts; and the present maximum credits, though bearing no uniform relation to the corresponding annual credits, were influenced by them, and so far as this was the case, they too are dependent on the past averages of famine expenditure above referred to. As famine expenditure is in most years of a long cycle either altogether absent or relatively insignificant in any given province, these averages were dominated almost entirely by the heavy famine outlay of the period 1896-97 to 1901-02, and the influence of that period is thus reflected also in the standards adopted for the maximum credits. Some provinces, in the period mentioned, incurred outlay on an exceedingly large scale, and in the present arrangements, the tacit assumption has thus been stereotyped that they will necessarily suffer to an equally exceptional extent in the future. It is no doubt true, and should be recognised, that, taking provinces as a whole, the liability of Bombay, the Central Provinces and the United Provinces to famine outlay is distinctly greater than in other parts of India. But it appears to be statistically incorrect to base the permanent arrangements exclusively on the experience of a single famine cycle. It is by no means

certain that the provinces which then suffered most will, on a future occasion, have to incur an equally heavy outlay, especially in view of recent developments in the methods of famine administration. On the other hand, it is at least possible that the provinces the outlay of which in 1896-97 to 1901-02 was on a lower scale may occasionally be more severely assailed in future. If the principle of an annually reviving credit is adopted in future, the annual credits will naturally disappear entirely, and the maximum credit will be the only significant datum. It seems, therefore, to the Government of India to be important to take the present opportunity of rectifying any serious relative disproportion between these maxima; and the foregoing criticisms suggest that the right course, in applying the experience of 1896-97 to 1901-02, will be to reject extremely low or extremely high results, *i.e.*, to fix the maxima for such provinces as Bombay and the Central Provinces at somewhat lower figures than that experience would suggest, and in the case of some other provinces, to make fuller provision for the contingencies of the future. In any case it is clear that a higher proportion of the aggregate credit allowed should be assigned to the United Provinces whatever statistical hypothesis be adopted.

10. A second and minor defect of the existing arrangements, which might, as the Government of India think, be simultaneously remedied, is the fact that, within the prescribed maximum limits, they throw upon Imperial the entire liability for famine outlay however small. The expenditure may amount in a particular year to a few lakhs only, and it may be incurred by a province with an overflowing balance. It appears anomalous that in such a case the Imperial Government, which may then or in the near future be bearing a heavy burden on account of areas more severely stricken, should also undertake the relatively insignificant outlay of provinces which, for the time being, are almost entirely exempt. It appears, therefore, to the Government of India that Local Governments might well be required to meet from provincial resources the first few lakhs of famine outlay in all cases. They suggest, as a convenient and uniform standard that the first portion of the total outlay which would thus be wholly provincial should be an amount represented by 10 per cent. of the maximum credit in each case.

11. The precise procedure to be adopted in connection with a system of reviving credits is a matter not free from difficulty. A severe famine originating in the failure of some particular monsoon will probably involve famine outlay in the remaining half of the same financial year and in the earlier months of the following year. The "famine year" may in fact be coveniently regarded as extending from 1st October to the 30th September. If the following monsoon is again unfavourable, so that famine relief outlay has to be continued beyond the 30th September, a new and distinct famine may be regarded as commencing from the 1st October of the second year.

12. The entire proposals for modifying, without altogether abrogating, the existing system, may perhaps be most clearly exhibited by a hypothetical example. It may be supposed that under the existing system the maximum credit of a particular province is Rs. 30 lakhs, towards which it normally contributes a sum of Rs. 5 lakhs yearly. Under the scheme now proposed, this annual contribution will disappear. The maximum credit may reasonably be reduced to Rs. 25 lakhs, and the Local Government may be required to meet all famine expenditure up to Rs. 2½ lakhs. Accordingly, if the monsoon of a particular year (1915-16) fails and severe famine occurs, with the result that famine outlay to the extent of Rs. 50 lakhs is incurred between the 1st October 1915 and the 30th September 1916, the first Rs. 2½ lakhs of this outlay will be wholly provincial; the next Rs. 25 lakhs will be wholly Imperial; and the remaining Rs. 22½ lakhs will be shared equally between Imperial and Provincial. If the monsoon of 1916-17 also fails or is so unfavourable that, in consequence of the already impoverished state of the province, relief operations continue to be necessary beyond the 30th September 1916, the first Rs. 2½ lakhs of famine outlay incurred between the 1st October 1916 and 30th September 1917 will be wholly provincial; any further outlay in the same period up to Rs. 25 lakhs will be wholly Imperial; and any further outlay still, in excess of Rs. 27½ lakhs, will be equally

divided. In like manner if famine had recurred after a somewhat longer interval, the Local Government, apart from its own liability to meet the early expenditure, would start each agricultural year with a full famine credit of Rs. 25 lakhs, whatever the history of previous years had been.

13. It appears to the Government of India that, if such a system be adopted, it would be reasonable to fix the future maximum credits at the following amounts :—

	[In thousands of rupees.]
Central Provinces	50,00
Bengal	5,00
Bihar and Orissa	20,00
United Provinces	50,00
Punjab	12,50
Madras	25,00
Bombay	62,50
	2,25,00

The relation between the latest famine statistics and the proposed credits will be found in Statement II appended to this letter, which also sets forth the existing standards. It will be seen that, taking the provinces as a whole, the total credits proposed fall short by only 10 per cent. of those at present conceded.

14. While, however, the proposed system will, it is thought, retain and extend all that is essential in the present methods, it too is not altogether free from the reproach of complexity. In particular, there is a certain incovenience in the calculation of famine expenditure with reference to the agricultural year from the 1st October to the 30th September instead of to the financial year. This inconvenience, though in itself open to objection, can hardly be avoided if the system of reviving credits is to be applied. A credit which revived in full on the first April of a year in which famine was already established, and continuing would in effect be given twice over for the same famine, and the credit itself would accordingly have to be on a much reduced scale. The practical operation of such an arrangement would be extremely uncertain, and it is doubtful if the Local Governments and that portion of the public which is interested in such matters would feel the same confidence in a reduced allowance bearing only a very arbitrary relationship to the famine outlay occurring in the periods which the allowance covered.

15. The Government of India would accordingly ask the Local Governments to consider the much simpler alternative of abandoning the present system altogether, and treating the head " 33, Famine Relief " as an ordinary divided head, the Imperial share of famine relief expenditure being taken uniformly at $\frac{3}{4}$ and the provincial share at $\frac{1}{4}$. This particular distribution is suggested as it represents roughly the assistance which Imperial actually gives, in the long run, towards famine expenditure under existing arrangements. This inference is based on a careful study of the available statistics, but the points involved are complex and do not admit of precise statistical treatment. The Government of India do not, therefore, propose to develop this conclusion in full. They think it will be readily recognized by the Local Goverments that the acceptance of three-quarters of all future famine expenditure would involve very full recognition of the Government of India's responsibility for coming to the aid of the provinces in times of agricultural disaster, and that no Local Government can reasonably press for a smaller provincial share. Whatever system be adopted, it is essential that it should recognize the financial responsibility of Local Governments for the

due control of the famine relief expenditure which they administer. The alternative of treating it as uniformly divisible, while enforcing this requirement more prominently, will relieve the Local Governments from contingencies such as that mentioned in paragraph 7, for which the existing system makes little provision; it will avoid the complication involved in reckoning the famine year from the 1st October; and it is free from the elaboration which even a modified form of the existing arrangements must perpetuate.

The adoption of this alternative would also, of course, involve its extension to those provinces (Burma and Assam) which, owing to their practical immunity from famine, are not included within the scope of the present scheme.

16. In short, the principal advantages of the scheme proposed in the preceding paragraph may be summed up as follows :—

(1) It does away with the complexities and disadvantages inherent in the present scheme, as also with those which would remain under the modifications of that scheme which have been suggested in the earlier part of this letter.

(2) It obviates the possibility of invidious comparisons between one province and another in respect of the amount of assistance obtained from Imperial revenues. Every one of them will be on the same footing, receiving aid to the extent of $\frac{3}{4}$ of its actual famine outlay.

(3) The system will be simple throughout. There will not be different and confusing stages, *viz.*, (*a*) as suggested in paragraph 10, full expenditure from Provincial, (*b*) full expenditure from Imperial, and (*c*) an equal division.

(4) The Provincial burden will bear a direct proportion to the amount of famine outlay necessary, and will run no risk of being heightened by the fact that there has been a previous famine not long before. The disturbance to Provincial finances, which a famine on any considerable scale must inevitably produce will therefore be kept within definite bounds, whereas under the existing system it might on occasions assume much larger proportions.

17. It will probably be found impracticable for the Government of India to submit proposals to the Secretary of State and obtain his orders in time for the introduction of a revised system as part of the budget of 1915-16. The Government of India would be glad, however, if possible, to receive the views of Local Governments at an early date, so that they may be in a position to make some pronouncement on the subject in connection with the forthcoming financial statement.

I have, etc.,

J. B. BRUNYATE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

STATEMENT I.

Total expenditure on Famine Relief from 1881-82 to 1913-14, excluding local transactions.

[In thousands of Rupees.]

	India.	Central Provinces.	Burma.	Assam (a).	Bengal.	United Provinces	Punjab.	Madras.	Bombay	Total.
1881-82	...	...	.	...	−1,23	2	4	4,61	...	3,47
1882-83	...	...	...	...	63	11	...	1,35	12	2,21
1883-84	...	...	...	2	13	...	...	32	44	91
1884-85	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	57	1	73
1885-86	...	...	...	...	1,24	...	...	2,78	5	4,07
1886-87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	5
1887-88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
1888-89	...	...	...	...	54	...	...	3	...	57
1889-90	...	...	...	...	1,34	...	...	4,41	...	5,75
1890-91	...	...	...	...	13	17	...	24	...	54
1891-92	61	...	1	...	...	2	...	1,57	2	2,23
1892-93	1,72	...	1	...	[illegible]	...	...	2,44	4	4,22
1893-94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
1894-95	...	64	...	..	...	2	...	...	...	66
1895-96	...	...	...	...		1,79	..	2	...	1,81
1896-97	10	20,53	5,50	...	21,55	99,33	5,54	4,71	32 41	1,90,07
1897-98	75	1,34 50	6,27	...	85,05	1,07,07	9,21	69,27	94 26	5, 6,41
1898-99	14	82	1	...	20	−1	1	19	2,52	3,94
1899-1900 ...	15,02	1 54 10	...	...	11	70	21,63	33	1,15,43	3,07,34
1900-01	19,89	2,86 25	1	...	2,26	40	22,26	1,13	2,84 02	6,16,22
1901-02	25	58	..	...	4	...	27	49	77,66	79,29
1902-03	5,80	2,25	...	...	...	1	17	..	40,07	48,30
1903-04		3,05	...	...	...	...	−2	...	2	3,05
1904-05	...	...	...	...	...	...	−3	...	31	31
1905-06	6,77	...	2	..	...	9,11	5	97	3,60	20,52
1906-07	4,0[illegible]	...	...	81	10,23	19,29	94	...	12,15	47,62
1907-08	70	1,45	...	3	6,74	83,95	32	...	5	93,34
1908-09	24	11,18	..	33	9,40	1,25,32	1,36	15	33	1,4[illegible],81
1909-10	44	24	...	27	7,93	2,97	9	...	2	11,96
1910-11	..	...	...	...	...	35	...	...	...	35
1911-12	15	...	...	...	...	16	1,52	15	15,17	17,15
1912-13	57	..	...	...	...	6	21	...	27,40	28,33
1913-14 (Revised) ...	12	39	...	...	...	20,20	1,75	...	3,26	25,72
1914-15 (Budget) ..	1	77	...	...	...	40,00	1,00	...	3,00	44,78
Average of 25 years ending 1914-15.	2,30	25,[illegible]3	47	6	5,75	20,45	2,65	4 07	28,48	89,26

(a) Includes the transactions of the Eastern Bengal districts from 1906-07

STATEMENT II.

[In thousands of Rupees]

	⅓ average annual famine expenditure of 25 years ending 1914-15.	Column (1) adjusted with reference to the remarks in paragraph 9 of the letter.	Rectified maximum credit column (2) × 6— assuming continuance of present system.	Present annual credit.	Present maximum credit.	Suggested reduced maximum credits in event of adoption of a system of credits reviving annually i.e., column (6 × ⅚).	Minimum expenditure below which no relief would be given under system referred to in column (6)—column (6) × 1/10.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Central Provinces ...	12,52	10,00	60,00	12,80	80,00	50,00	5,00
Bengal [*i e.*, Bengal as now constituted *plus* Bihar and Orissa].	2,88	5,00	30,00	Bihar and Orissa 2,00	20,00	20,00	2,00
				Bengal 60	5,00	5,00	50
United Provinces ...	10,22	10,00	60,00	4,30	30,00	50,00	5,00
Punjab	1,33	2,50	15,00	1,40	10,00	12,50	1,25
Madras	2,03	5,00	30,00	2,50	25,00	25,00	2,50
Bombay	14 24	12,50	75,00	13,70	80,00	62,50	6,25
TOTAL ...	43,22	45,00	2,70,00	37,50	2,50,00	2,25,00	22,50

No. 118, dated Fort St. George, the 15th February 1915.

From—The HONOURABLE MR. A. BUTTERWORTH, I.C.S., Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Finance Department.

In reply to your letter No. 2044-F, dated the 31st December 1914, on the subject of the apportionment of famine relief expenditure, I am directed to state that the Governor in Council agrees with the Government of India that the simplest and most satisfactory solution of this question is to treat the head 33—Famine Relief as a divided head in the ratio of ¾ths Imperial and ¼th Provincial.

2. I am to add that if this method is not to be adopted, the Government of Madras would prefer to retain the existing arrangements for the financing of famine expenditure rather than to accept the proposal to establish a system of annually reviving credits as described in paragraphs 10 to 12 of your letter. That method in addition to being even more complicated than the present system would be very unfavourable to Provincial finances.

No. 565-Fincl., dated Lahore, the 25th February 1915.

From—The HONOURABLE MR. R. A. MANT, I.C.S., Financial Secretary to the Government, Punjab,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Finance Department.

I am directed to refer to your letter No. 2044-F., dated the 31st December 1914, asking for the opinion of this Government on certain proposals put forward by the Government of India for revising the present system of apportioning expenditure on famine relief between Imperial and Provincial revenues. The first proposal of the Government of India is to abolish the practice of transferring Rupees 37½ lakhs annually from Imperial to Provincial revenues, and of debiting the amount so transferred as provincial expenditure under the head "Reduction or Avoidance of Debt." The Lieutenant-Governor, I am to say, has no objection to this proposal, provided that the *pro forma* account is maintained as at present and that no change is introduced in the final incidence of famine relief expenditure.

2. The second proposal is to modify the present distribution of the expenditure on the following lines. At present the Punjab receives an annual credit of Rupees 1,40,000 which may be accumulated up to Rs 10 lakhs, and all actual disbursements on famine relief are debited to Imperial revenues up to the limit of the accumulated credit. Expenditure beyond that limit is divided in equal shares between Imperial and Provincial. It is now proposed that in lieu of accumulating credits the province should start each "famine year, beginning on the 1st October", with a lump credit of Rs. 12½ lakhs, and that all famine relief expenditure in the year should be distributed as follows:—

The first 1¼ lakhs ... ... Provincial.

The next 12½ lakhs ... ... Imperial.

The remainder ... ... ½ Imperial and ½ Provincial.

3. One of the effects of this proposal would be to transfer to Provincial a considerable amount of expenditure which under the present arrangements is met from the Imperial revenues. Statement I appended to your letter shows that in the last five years, though there has been no famine in the province, expenditure has been regularly incurred on famine relief. These disbursements which represent mainly the cost of carrying fodder by rail at concession rates, have all been treated as Imperial. The proposed system would only benefit Provincial revenues when two or more famines followed one another in rapid succession, and His Honour considers that in view of the extension of irrigation, the development of communications, the wider fields of employment, and the higher wages now commanded by labour in the Punjab, he is justified in regarding this as a remote contingency. He is therefore of opinion that the proposal would, in all probability, throw a much heavier burden on Provincial revenues than they have to bear under the present arrangements, and he is therefore strongly opposed to the change.

4. As a minor objection I am to point out that in paragraph 6 of the Finance Department letter No. 4064, dated the 20th July 1906, one of the advantages claimed for the present system was that it would give Local Governments a real inducement to stave off as long as possible the stage at which Imperial assistance becomes inevitable. If the Local Government were to be required to spend Rupees 1½ lakhs before establishing a claim to Imperial assistance, it would have no inducement to economise this sum in any year when it is clear that the total expenditure will exceed the initial Provincial debit.

5. An alternative proposal which is suggested, and preferred, by the Government of India is to abandon the present system altogether, and to treat "33—Famine Relief" as an ordinary divided head, to be shared between Imperial and Provincial in the proportion of ¾ to ¼. This proposal has the merit of simplicity, and Sir Michael O'Dwyer is inclined to think that it would probably be less detrimental to provincial interests in the long run than the scheme referred to in paragraph 2 above. But it is also open to the objection that it would transfer to Provincial revenues a portion of the expenditure which in ordinary years is under the present system classed as Imperial and that its advantage from the provincial point of view would be dependent on the frequency and severity of future famines. As explained above, His Honour thinks it reasonable to hope that the province will be better secured in the future against these visitations than it has been in the past; he therefore considers that the treatment of one-fourth of the total famine relief expenditure as Provincial is likely to be considerably more costly to the province than the present system, and if required to make a choice between the two, he would prefer to adhere to the latter.

6. Sir Michael O'Dwyer is, however, in sympathy with the desire of the Government of India to simplify the system of accounting for expenditure on famine relief, and, what he regards as more important, to secure economy in its disbursement. He therefore puts forward, for the consideration of the Government of India, the following further alternative, which is designed to achieve both the above objects. His Honour understands from the remarks made in paragraph 9 of your letter and from the figures shown in Statement II that it is admitted that an annual credit of Rs. 2 50,000 would be more appropriate for the Punjab than the present assignment of Rs. 1,40,000. If the present credit is raised to the former figure, *i.e.*, Rs. 2½ lakhs, and converted into a permanent assignment, the Lieutenant-Governor would be prepared to accept the responsibility for all future famine relief expenditure as a wholly Provincial charge. He is aware that, in offering to pledge the province to this obligation, he is involving it in a certain amount of risk; but, after full consideration of all the circumstances and probabilities of the case, he has come to the conclusion that the risk is fairly balanced by the prospect of gain in normal years from a fixed assignment. Such an arrangement would also appear to have some advantages for the Government of India. In return for a fixed annual payment they would be insured against the large and indefinite demands to which they are periodically liable under the present system.

No. 2439-F., dated Ranchi, the 22nd February 1915.

From—The HONOURABLE MR. E. L. L. HAMMOND, I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bihar and Orissa,

From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Finance Department.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 2044-F., dated the 31st December 1914, inviting the opinion of the Local Government on the proposed modification of the existing Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme.

2. The Local Government agree in the view that the procedure for the apportionment of famine relief expenditure introduced by Mr. Meston's letter No. 1674-A, dated the 20th March 1907, is complicated and technical. It seems to them, however, that this is due chiefly to the system of passing the credits and debits through the Provincial budgets, which does not appear to be a necessary part of the scheme; the *pro forma* account might very well be maintained without it, in which case the procedure would be comparatively simple and intelligible.

3. If, however, a change is to be made, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council would much prefer the alternative indicated in paragraph 15 of your letter, *i.e.*,

the would abandon the present system altogether, and treat the head "33—Famine Relief" as a divided head, the Imperial share being taken at three-quarters and the provincial share at one-quarter. In this case credit would have to be allowed in the Financial Settlement for the Provincial share of famine expenditure. In ordinary years, free from famine, this amount would be allowed to accumulate in the Provincial balances, while in a year of severe famine, the fund should be drawn upon, with the previous sanction of the Government of India, to the extent necessary for the famine expenditure which cannot be conveniently met by reappropriation from other heads in the Provincial budget. The other alternative described in paragraphs 8—14 of your letter is more complicated than the present system would be, if modified in the manner indicated above; and so far as can be judged from the figures quoted in Statement I, appended to your letter, it would involve a much heavier proportional expenditure from Provincial revenues.

No. 1437-F., dated Calcutta, the 5th March 1915.

From—The HONOURABLE MR. H. L. STEPHENSON, C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Finance Department.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 2044-F., dated the 31st December 1914, in which the Government of India suggest two alternative schemes in modification of the existing Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme. Before framing their final conclusion and addressing the Secretary of State the Government of India enquire which of the two schemes will be more advantageous to this Presidency.

2. In reply, I am to state, for the information of the Government of India, that for this Presidency where famines are likely to be rare past experience shows that the existing system offers greater advantages than either of the alternatives now suggested, but His Excellency in Council admits that because famines are rare in Bengal, the consideration of the circumstances of this Presidency should not outweigh the objections urged against the present system in repect of provinces more unfortunately situated. Of the alternative schemes suggested His Excellency in Council greatly prefers the second as detailed in paragraph 15 of the letter under reply.

No. 958, dated Allahabad, the 17th March 1915.

From—The HONOURABLE MR. A. W. PIM, Secretary to the Government of the United Provinces, Financial Department,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Finance Department.

I am directed to refer to your letter No. 2044-F., of the 31st December 1914, requesting the opinion of the Local Government on certain suggestions put forward in connection with the scheme for the apportionment of famine relief expenditure introduced by the orders contained in the Government of India's Finance Department letter No. 1674-A., dated the 20th March 1907.

2. In the letter under reference the Government of India observe that the Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme has been tested by the experience of seven years and is believed, in the absence of any extreme trial, to have worked satisfactorily as regards its main object and to have proved acceptable to Local Governments.

This object, however,—the determination on liberal lines of the extent to which famine relief should be treated as an Imperial obligation—was associated with an elaborate and technical procedure which appears to the Government of India to be capable of simplification. It results, you remark, in the financially undesirable practice that, while the Imperial portion of the allotments to "Reduction or Avoidance of debt" is wholly or partly suspended in years of famine, the provincial portion continues in full in order to secure to the Local Governments a continuance of their annual credits without abatement. Finally by making no special provision for dealing with a succession of rapidly recurring famines, it disregards to some extent the difficulties which it was primarily designed to meet.

3. As one of two alternative methods of remedying these defects, a scheme is set out in your letter, of which a prominent feature is the automatic revival of the famine credit in a province where it has been depleted by actual expenditure on relief. Under the existing scheme the credit, after a famine which has exhausted it, has to be slowly built up again to the maximum by the accumulation of the annual credits allowed to the province. By the arrangement which you now describe, the maximum credit will be restored at once after a famine; and a second feature of importance is that this revival will operate at the beginning of the agricultural year and not of the financial year. In other words, the year will, for famine purposes, be considered as running from the 1st October to the 30th September, and the credit available on the 1st October will be valid against relief expenditure occurring during the succeeding twelve months irrespective of the fact that the expenditure in question will be shown in the accounts of two financial years. Should a second failure of the monsoon necessitate further heavy expenditure during the succeeding cold weather, the famine credit will automatically revive from the 1st October.

4. Your letter then goes on to point out that, inasmuch as the automatic revival of a liberal credit involves an important new benefit to the provinces, it may in fairness be accompanied by a modification and some redistribution of the existing maxima; in carrying out this change, the Government of India suggest the assigning of a higher proportion of the aggregate credit to the United Provinces. Finally they point out that second and minor defect may at the same time be remedied by providing that the first portion of the outlay on each individual famine should be wholly provincial up to an amount equivalent to 10 per cent. of this maximum credit in each case.

5. The alterations in the existing system which have been thus outlined will, in the opinion of the Government of India, retain and extend all that is essential in the present system. They will not, however, leave it altogether free from the reproach of complexity, more especially owing to the introduction of the October to September year;—a procedure which could only be avoided (if the system of reviving credits is to be maintained) by a serious reduction in the amounts of maximum credits. The Government of India therefore recommend to the special consideration of Local Governments a second and much simpler alternative scheme by which the present system will be abandoned altogether and the head "33—Famine Relief" will be treated as an ordinary divided head, the Imperial share of famine relief expenditure being uniformly taken as ¾th and the Provincial share at ¼th. This system will avoid all the complexities and disadvantages attaching to the present scheme, and to the modified (or first alternative) scheme, while involving a very full recognition of the responsibilty of the Government of India for coming to the relief of provinces in times of agricultural disaster.

6. I have been directed to summarize the proposals in your letter thus fully, in order that the Local Government may be corrected, if it has failed in any respect to understand a question of admitted complexity. Assuming that the case has been rightly epitomized above, the Lieutenant-Governor wishes, in the first place, to express his general agreement with the criticisms contained in your letter on the existing arrangements. Sir James Meston was never impressed by the special virtue of the account system which they involve, and he readily concurs in the desirability of simplifying it and making it more intelligible. In the second place this Government is particularly gratified that recognition is now given to the exiguous share which the United Provinces have received of the benefits of the scheme. Since the present system of the provincial credits was introduced, this Government has had to finance two famines, one in 1907-08 and the other in 1913-14. The famine of 1907-08 found the province with the credit of 22,50 and resulted in a total provincial expenditure of 93,64; that of 1913-14 commenced with a credit of 18,95 and cost the province 15,78. If, as it is now admitted, it would have been equitable, the annual credit had been 10 lakhs instead of 4½ lakhs, and the accumulated provincial credit 60 lakhs at the commencement of the first famine, then the provincial share of the total expenditure would have been 69,89. The famine of 1913-14 would have found the province with a credit of about 35 lakhs and would have resulted in provincial expenditure of only 5 lakhs.

7. The Lieutenant-Governor understands, however, that the mere enlargement of our provincial credit, coupled with the retention of all the other incidents of the present scheme, is not contemplated. The Government of India desire consideration only of the two alternative and virtually new schemes described respectively in paragraphs 3 and 4 and in paragraph 5 of this letter. Both these schemes would unquestionably benefit this province. Had the former or more elaborate system been in force during our last two famines, the provincial expenditure would have been 83,44 in 1907-08 and 7,25 in 1913-14. Had the simpler or ' shared head ' procedure been in force, our outlay would have been 51,94 and 13,75 respectively. As between the two alternatives, it is calculated that with a famine costing about 85 lakhs the share of the province is equal for the two schemes. Above that limit the ' shared head ' system favours the province, but below it the scheme based on the October—September year is advantageous to provincial revenues. This comparison does not, however, fully take into account the great advantages resulting from the revival of the provincial credit which forms the main feature of the first of the two alternative schemes. The importance of this consideration is accentuated by the fact that the history of recent famines shows a rightly increasing liberality in the scale of famine expenditure, more especially as regards measures taken for the preservation of cattle. During the recent famine in these provinces great pressure was put upon this Government to incur responsibilities for cattle preservation which it was unwilling to accept ; and even with every desire to avoid extravagance it may be expected that in the future the occasions on which relief measures may be expected to be undertaken will recur with greater frequency than in the past. Atlhough, therefore, the ' shared head ' system is more advantageous to provincial revenues in the case of severe famines, these advantages are likely to be more than counterbalanced by the recurring revival of provincial credits which is the main feature of the former alternative. Another novel feature of that alternative, namely the debit of an initial moderate percentage of the cost of famine relief to provincial revenues, is open to no objection of principle. On the whole, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor would welcome the former or more complicated alternative as more likely to assist the famine policy of this province.

8. His Honour is afraid, however, that the complexity of this scheme, both acknowledged and unforeseen, would be serious handicap ; and in the case of a famine extending over more than one monsoon it would be practically impossible to separate the expenditure of the successive financial year. It will thus apparently be difficult to discover any system which will be at the same time fairer and more intelligible than the treatment of the head "33—Famine Relief" as a divided head on the lines now suggested by the Government of India. The arguments which formerly told against this system have lost much of their importance with the gradual codification of famine policy. while its influence in making Local Governments economical in their famine expenditure from the outset is of great importance. The Lieutenant-Governor is therefore fully prepared, subject to two conditions, to support the proposed division of this head of expenditure in the ratio of ¾th Imperial to ¼th Provincial. The first condition is that this arrangement does not result in any other modification of the Provincial settlement. The second condition is one to which I am to invite the special consideration of the Government of India in the following paragraphs of this letter.

9. The debit from the outset of even one-fourth of direct famine relief charges to Provincial revenues will impose a new and at times a very heavy burden on provincial balances. It is in theory for such emergencies as famine that these balances have been built up, but in practice the general financial position makes it most unlikely in the case of this province that the Local Government will be able to replenish in any reasonable time the draft that would be made upon them by a heavy famine prolonged over two financial years. It is true that the Government of India insure the province against one of the most serious indirect consequences of famine by guaranteeing a minimum of land revenue collections ; but the other indirect consequences on a variety of the revenue heads such as Stamps, Excise and Forests, hit us hard in a year when expenditure is abnormally heavy under many heads. Again, the sequels of famine

are a serious consideration. It is true that windfalls occur in the recovery of famine suspensions of revenue—windfalls, however, of which the bulk goes to the Imperial head. But against this must be set the risks of taqavi loans in which the Government of India have no share. Liberal taqavi advances are becoming a more prominent feature in each succeeding famine and it is impossible to hope for escape from heavy failures in repayment, more especially when bad seasons follow a widespread scarcity.

Moreover the definite policy of this Government is to reduce the recourse to direct relief works as far as possible by enlarging the ordinary programme of the Public Works Department. It is thus obvious that the provincial revenues have now to bear a large and, with the development of the modern famine policy, a growing proportion of the total financial consequences of famine, apart from the share which they will in future have to take of the expenditure under the head "33—Famine Relief". In estimating what that share will be, a calculation has been made which shows that, in the case of a famine costing less than 140 lakhs, the maintenance of the present allocation of charges between Imperial and Provincial would be more advantageous to the province than the 'shared head' system, provided always that the province is conceded an initial credit of 60 lakhs. For all famines, therefore, within this high margin of cost the province is—taking into account all the consequences of a famine dealt with on modern lines—likely to be considerably worse off than it would be if the present system were maintained with the single change of suitable maximum credit.

10. In view both of this disadvantage and of the general considerations urged above His Honour would suggest that the Provincial liability under the head "33—Famine Relief" be subject to a definite maximum; the charges becoming wholly Imperial after that maximum has been reached. What the figures should be, is for the Government or India to decide; but in view of the fact that the average annual expenditure of this province on famine has been 20½ lakhs, the Lieutenant-Governor would urge, as the second condition of the new arrangement, that the maximum burden on Provincial revenues in any one year should not exceed 25 lakhs. Any substantial famine in this province lasts over two financial years, and would thus involve Provincial expenditure up to 50 lakhs a sum at least as large as Provincial balances are ever likely to be able to endure.

No. 2114, dated Bombay Castle, the 31st May 1915.

From—The HONOURABLE MR. G. CARMICHAEL, C.S.I., I.C.S., Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Financial Department,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Finance Department.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 2044-F., dated 31st December 1914, on the proposed modification of the existing Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme, and to offer the following remarks on the proposals made therein.

2. The Governor in Council accepts the statement made in the second sentence of paragraph 2 of the letter from the Government of India that the existing scheme has worked satisfactorily and proved acceptable to the Local Governments, *except* that it applied only to *direct* famine expenditure and excluded from its purview *indirect* famine expenditure—an exclusion against which the Bombay Government twice protested* in vain—and that it has, moreover, not been subjected to the strain of a really big famine. Since the introduction of the present scheme, a further slight modification detrimental to Provincial finances has been made with effect from 1913-14, which requires that all expenditure (even on objects which fall under the head *direct* expenditure) shall be debited to Provincial heads, if it is incurred during the period of test and observation and famine is not subsequently declared (*vide* foot-note No. 167-A., Appendix P. to the Civil Account Code, Volume II), The Government of India now propose to remodel the Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme, the objects in view being stated to be a possible rectification of minor inequalities as between different provinces and a simplification of procedure. As both these objects appear to

*Letter to the Government of India, Finance Department, No. 3588, dated 20th September 1916 (paragraph 5), and letter to the Government of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture (Famine), No. 5727, dated 14th June 1909 (paragraph 2).

involve, in some respects at least, modifications still further detrimental to Provincial finances, the proposals are examined somewhat closely in the following paragraphs.

3. The four tabular statements noted below are appended to this letter :—

(*a*) Statement marked A, showing the direct and indirect famine expenditure for the period of eleven years (1896-97 to 1906-07) preceding the existing Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme, which includes the big famines of 1896-98 and 1899-1901 and two bad years 1901-02 and 1902-03 ;

(*b*) Statement marked B, showing the direct and indirect famine expenditure for the eight years during which the present Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme has been in force, which includes no big famine and two years only moderately bad, *viz.*, 1911-12 and 1912-13 ;

(*c*) Statement marked C, showing in thousands of rupees the amounts of direct and indirect famine expenditure incurred during the years 1896-97 to 1906-07, which would be debitable to Provincial and Local revenues under (*i*) the present Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme, (*ii*) the revised credit system described in paragraph 12 of the letter under reply, and (*iii*) the 3 to 1 division scheme mentioned in paragraph 15 of the same letter ; and

(*d*) Statement marked D, showing in thousands of rupees the amounts of direct and indirect famine expenditure incurred during the years 1907-08 to 1914-15, which would be debitable to Provincial and Local revenues under (*i*) the revised credit system, and (*ii*) the 3 to 1 division scheme mentioned above. Prior to the year 1907-08, when the existing Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme came into force, no allowance was made for famine expenditure at the time of fixing the standards of Provincial revenue and expenditure for the purposes of Provincial Settlement. But it was ruled that when famine did occur the charges for famine relief should be debited to Provincial and it was only when Provincial resources were exhausted that the Government of India necessarily came to the assistance of the Local Government. Thus there was no regular method of division other than the ability or inability of Provincial finances to pay, and the figures of Provincial famine expenditure for the years prior to 1907-08 therefore afford no sound basis for comparison with the expenditure which would be debitable to Provincial revenues under the existing Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme and the two alternative schemes proposed in the letter from the Government of India under reply. The figures as worked out from Statements A and C appended to this letter, however, stand as shown below in thousands of rupees. In these figures the "Local" expenditure is massed with "Provincial", because under the present Famine Relief Code local bodies are relieved of famine expenditure, except to an extremely small extent.

	Period from 1896-97 to 1906-07.		
	Direct.	Indirect.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
(*i*) Expenditure actually debited to Provincial (Statement A)	18,77	1,20,64	1,39,41
(*ii*) Expenditure which would be debitable to Provincial under the existing Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme under the most favourable circumstances, *viz.*, starting with a maximum credit of 80,00.	2,42,75	1,20,64	3,63,39
(*iii*) Expenditure which would be debitable to Provincial under the revised credit system proposed by the Government of India.	1,99,02	1,20,64	3,19,66
(*iv*) Expenditure which would be debitable to Provincial under the 3 to 1 division scheme proposed by the Government of India.	1,65,96	1,20,64	2,86,60

These figures show that if, as is quite within the range of possibility, this Presidency were to be visited with a series of bad years comparable with the period from 1896-97 to 1906-07, and if the scale of expenditure were to be at all proportionate to that entailed in that period, the scheme most favourable to Provincial finances is the 3 to 1 division scheme mentioned in paragraph 15 of the letter from the Government of India.

4. During the period of eight years (1907-08 to 1914-15) for which the existing Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme has been in force there has been no big famine and two years only moderately bad, *viz.*, 1911-12 and 1912-13. It will be seen from Statement B that under the existing arrangement, famine expenditure debited to Provincial (including Local) revenues amounted to 26,90 (direct 8 *plus* indirect 26,82), while the amount to the credit of the Local Government in the *pro forma* account is estimated at 63,09 on 31st March 1915. The figures in Statement D show that the expenditure which would have been debitable to Provincial finances under the two schemes now proposed by the Government of India is as shown below:—

	Direct.	Indirect.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
(*i*) Under the revised credit system	16,56	26,82	43,38
(*ii*) Under the 3 to 1 division scheme	11,67	26,82	38,49

These figures show that in a series of ordinary years both the schemes now proposed by the Government of India are less favourable to the Provincial finances than the present system, but the 3 to 1 division scheme is less unfavourable than the other.

5. The existing Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme provides that in the case of widespread and prolonged famine, if in any province the Provincial share of expenditure thus limited should be so great as to reduce the Provincial balance below one-half of the prescribed minimum, the treatment of further expenditure will be a subject for special arrangement at the time. From the figures in column 10 of Statement C it is manifest that in 1900-01 and probably in the two following years this proviso of the system would have had to come into play, for Provincial balances could not have stood the total burdens (shown in the margin *) of direct and indirect famine expenditure in four successive years without being depleted. What the special arrangements would have been cannot be stated, for experience since the present scheme has been in force does not supply any case approaching the catastrophe of 1900, and it seems futile to make any calculation based on a supposed special arrangement. It will be seen from column 12 of Statement C that if the 3 to 1 division scheme now proposed by the Government of India were in force, Provincial finances would have been required to meet an average famine expenditure of 12 lakhs per annum during the three years ending 1898-99 and to provide for the amounts noted below in the following four years:—

* Year.	Rupees in thousands.
1899-1900	55,09
1900-01	1,59,61
1901-02	53,41
1902-03	42,32

Year.	Amount in thousands of rupees.
1899-1900	38,42
1900-01	95,45
1901-02	40,85
1902-03	39,17

In the absence of any special arrangement, such a strain would have seriously crippled Provincial finances, even with the present resources under the Provincial Settlement as recently revised. It is true that recent experience points in the direction of famine expenditure not being required in future famines on the scale which was necessary at the end of the last century and the beginning of this; but it is equally true that in that recent experience there was nothing comparable

to the calamity of 1899-1900 either in intensity or in the immensity of the area over which that intense famine extended. It would be at present unsafe to assume that this Presidency will not, at any future time, be visited by a calamity such as that of 1900 and be forced to an expenditure such as the 6¾ crores of rupees which were spent in the years 1899 to 1903. If such a time came, it would be impossible to meet the situation without some special arrangement for the apportionment of famine expenditure between Imperial and Provincial revenues.

6. In connection with the proposals now made by the Government of India, the Governor in Council would lay stress on the following points:—

(a) in considering any scheme relating to the distribution of famine expenditure, it is essential to take account of the indirect expenditure as well as the direct. In a cycle of bad years, the indirect expenditure amounts to 19 per cent. of the whole, while in a series of years with only small famines it reaches a proportion of 38 per cent. of the total. It must be borne in mind that Provincial bears by far the greater share of this indirect expenditure, *viz.*, 78 per cent. of it in the bad cycle and 91 per cent. in the moderate series. The share which Provincial should take of direct expenditure must have regard to the fact of its resources being burdened far more heavily than Imperial by indirect charges;

(b) in famine years the loss of revenue by suspensions and remissions of land revenue tells more severely on Provincial than on Imperial finances. For the Provincial share of the land revenue bears a greater proportion to the Provincial income than the Imperial share of that revenue bears to Imperial receipt; and while it is improbable that Imperial would suffer at the same time from a famine-reduced land revenue in all the provinces at once, a famine-stricken single province receives no support to its revenues from the fact that other provinces are free from famine;

(c) in any scheme there must be provision for Imperial to come to the relief of Provincial finances in case of any overwhelming calamity such as would, under the ordinary conditions of the scheme, leave Provincial with balances reduced below the minimum prescribed as necessary to enable it to carry on its administration.

7. In the light of the remarks made in the foregoing paragraphs, the Governor in Council is unwilling to accept the revised credit system, the working of which is described in paragraph 12 of the letter under reply. While it would to some extent lighten the burden of direct famine expenditure on Provincial finances in the bad cycle, it would very materially increase it in the moderate series. It is complicated to calculate and does not pay sufficient regard to the three considerations mentioned in the preceding paragraph. The Governor in Council is willing to accept the 3 to 1 division scheme proposed in paragraph 15 of the letter from the Government of India, subject to the following two conditions, *viz*:—

(1) that the existing rule under which all expenditure incurred during the period of observation and test, though direct, is to be debited to Provincial heads (and not to "33, Famine Relief") if famine is not subsequently declared shall be abolished, and all direct famine expenditure shall be debited to 33, Famine Relief whether incurred during the period of observation and test and whether famine is subsequently declared or not; and

(2) that where famine expenditure is, owing to the intensity and extent of the famine, so great that the Provincial balances are under the ordinary distribution of expenditure reduced below the working minimum, the proportion 3-4ths Imperial and 1-4th Provincial shall be for the time altered to such proportion (*e.g.*, 4-5ths and 1-5th, 6-7ths and 1-7th, 7-8ths and 1-8th) as shall suffice to enable Provincial finances, due regard being had to its indirect expenditure, to maintain a working balance.

Accompaniments to the letter from the Government of Bombay, Financial Department, to the Government of India, Finance Department, No. 2114, dated 31st May 1915.

Statement A showing direct and indirect famine expenditure for the years 1896-97 to 1906-07.

Year.	Direct Expenditure.				Indirect Expenditure.			
	Imperial.	Provincial.	Local.	Total.	Imperial.	Provincial.	Local.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1896-97	30,01,528	2,39,704	15,361	32,56,593	1,36,613	3,07,873	79,345	5,23,831
1897-98	94,26,083	...	23,800	94,49,883	5,23,461	9,98,798	1,44,340	16,66,599
1898-99	...	2,51,689	—13	2,51,676	80,415	35,952	312	1,16,679
1899-1900	1,15,43,159	...	97,913	1,16,41,072	5,64,714	8,88,818	43,524	14,97,056
1900-01	2,84,02,105	...	—212	2,84,01,893	11,92,091	24,00,538	44,769	36,37,398
1901-02	77,63,194	...	2,401	77,65,595	3,12,764	21,10,280	12,906	24,55,950
1902-03	39,99,275	...	21	39,99,296	2,09,242	28,96,843	19,568	31,25,653
1903-04	...	1,638	.	1,638	2,22,112	9,08,954	12,826	11,43,892
1904-05	...	27,947	2,700	30,647	66,921	1,17,078	11,258	1,95,257
1905-06	96,436	2,62,535	3,911	3,62,882	1,09,203	3,29,631	5,517	4,44,351
1906-07	2,77,126	9,37,433	10,505	12,25,064	1,51,357	6,52,456	22,234	8,26,047
Total for 11 years ...	6,45,08,906	17,20,946	1,56,387	6,63,86,239	35,68,893	1,16,67,221	3,96,599	1,56,32,713
Annual average for 11 years.	58,64,446	1,56,450	14,217	60,35,113	3,24,445	10,60,656	36,054	14,21,155

Statement B showing direct and indirect famine expenditure for the years 1907-08 to 1914-15.

Year.	Direct Expenditure.				Indirect Expenditure.			
	Imperial.	Provincial.	Local.	Total	Imperial.	Provincial.	Local.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1907-08	14,761	...	53	14,814*	28,528	1,71,991	1,590	2,02,109
1908-09	32,800	...	...	32,800	62,534	6,41,860	...	7,04,394
1909-10	1,949	...	...	1,949	...	...	...	...
1910-11	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	...
1911-12	15,16,996	...	...	15,16,996	42,622	4,86,087	...	5,28,709
1912-13 ...	27,49,019	...	7,703	27,56,722	1,17,102	11,79,223	...	12,96,325
1913-14	2,78,334*	...	...	2,78,334	6,365	1,60,173†	...	1,66,538
1914-15	57,210	...	...	57,210	244	41,696‡	...	41,940
Total for 8 years ...	46,51,069	...	7,756	46,58,825	2,57,395	26,81,030	1,590	29,40,015
Annual average for 8 years.	5,81,383	...	969	5,82,353	32,174	3,35,128	199	3,67,501

* Exclusive of Rs. 20,730 incurred during the period of observation and test (*vide* letter from the Bombay Government, No. 1485, dated 7th April 1915).
† Inclusive of Rs. 20,730 incurred during the period of observation and test (*vide* letter from the Bombay Government, No. 1485, dated 7th April 1915).
‡ Inclusive of Rs. 41,253 incurred during the period of observation and test.

Statement C showing the famine expenditure during the years 1896-97 to 1906-07 which would be debited to Provincial revenues under the existing scheme and under the proposals made by the Government of India.

(In thousands of rupees.)

Year.	Direct famine expenditure. Under the present Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme. Credit.	Direct famine expenditure. Under the present Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme. Imperial.	Direct famine expenditure. Under the present Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme. Provincial and Local.	Direct famine expenditure. Under the revised credit system. Credit.	Direct famine expenditure. Under the revised credit system. Imperial.	Direct famine expenditure. Under the revised credit system. Provincial and Local.	Direct famine expenditure. Provincial one-fourth share under the scheme described in paragraph 15 of the letter from the Government of India.	Indirect expenditure debitable to Provincial and Local.	Total Provincial and Local expenditure direct plus indirect according to the present Provincial Famine Insurance scheme, i.e., columns 4 plus 9.	Total Provincial and Local expenditure direct plus indirect according to the revised credit system, i.e., columns 7 plus 9.	Total Provincial and Local expenditure direct plus indirect according to the scheme described in paragraph 15 of the letter from the Government of India, i.e., columns 8 plus 9.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1896-97	80,00	32,57	...	62,50	26,32	6,25	8,14	3,87	3,87	10,12	12,01
1897-98	61,13	77,81	16,69	62,50	75,38	19,12	23,63	11,43	28,12	30,55	35,06
1898-99	13,70	2,52		62,50	...	2,52	63	36	36	2,88	99
1899-1900	24,88	70,64	45,77	62,50	86,33	30,08	29,10	9,32	55,09	39,40	38,42
1900-01	13,70	1,48,86	1,35,16	62,50	1,70,13	1,13,88	71,00	24,45	1,59,61	1,38,33	95,45
1901-02	13,70	45,68	31,98	62,50	66,95	10,71	19,42	21,43	53,41	32,14	40,85
1902-03	13,70	26,84	13,15	62,50	33,74	6,25	10,00	29,17	42,32	35,42	39,17
1903-04	13,70	2	...	62,50	...	2	...	9,23	9,23	9,25	9,23
1904-05	27,38	31	..	62,50	...	31	8	1,28	1,28	1,59	1,36
1905-06	40,77	3,63	...	62,50	...	3,63	90	3,35	3,35	6,98	4,25
1906-07	50,84	12,25	...	62,50	6,00	6,25	3,06	6,75	6,75	13,00	9,81
Total ...		4,21,13	2,42,17	...	4,64,85	1,99,02	1,65,96	1,20,64	3,63,39	3,19,66	2,96,60
Average ...	...	38,28	22,07	...	42,26	18,09	15,09	10,97	33,04	29,06	26,96

Statement D showing the famine expenditure during the years 1907-08 to 1914-15 which would be debited to Provincial revenues under the proposal made by the Government of India.

(In thousands of rupees.)

Year.	Direct Expenditure.				Indirect expenditure debitable to Provincial and Local.	Total Provincial and Local expenditure direct *plus* indirect according to	
	According to the revised credit system.			Provincial one-fourth share according to the system described in paragraph 15 of the letter from the Government of India.		the revised credit system, *i.e.*, columns 4 *plus* 6.	the system described in paragraph 15 of the letter from the Government of India, *i.e.*, columns 5 *plus* 6.
	Credit.	Imperial.	Provincial and Local.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1907-08 ...	62,50	...	15	4	1,73	1,88	1,77
1908-09 ...	62,50	...	33	8	6,42	6,75	6,50
1909-10 ...	62,50	...	2	...	...	2	...
1910-11 ...	62,50	...	...	...	...	...	...
1911-12 ...	62,50	8,92	6,25	3,79	4,86	11,11	8,65
1912-13 ...	62,50	21,32	6,25	6,87	11,79	18,04	18,66
1913-14 ...	62,50	...	2,99	75	1,60	4,59	2,35
1914-15 ...	62,50	...	57	14	42	99	56
Total ...	...	30,24	16,56	11,67	26,82	43,38	38,49
Average ...	...	3,78	2,07	1,46	3,35	5,42	4,81

No. 598-II-3-5-1915, dated Nagpur, the 16th March 1916.

From—The HON'BLE MR. J. T. MARTEN, I. C. S., Second Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces (Finance Department),

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Finance Department.

I am directed to refer to the Hon'ble Mr. Brunyate's letter No. 2044-F., dated the 31st December 1914, dealing with the system of apportionment of famine relief expenditure between Imperial and Provincial Funds. The Government of India ask for the opinion of this Administration on certain proposals made in that letter with a view to modifying the existing Famine Insurance Scheme, or to replacing it by a simple financial adjustment which would have the effect of bringing what is considered to be the Provincial share of direct famine expenditure within the scope of the Provincial Settlement.

2. The Chief Commissioner concurs in the criticisms on the present scheme that it is not only complex and technical but also artificial in that the adjustment of the assignments between Provincial and Imperial Revenues is largely a paper adjustment. I am, however, to point out that the artificiality of the present scheme arises from the fact, admitted by the Government of India, that no allowance has been made for the liability of a province to famine in the calculation of the share of revenue to be assigned to it under its Provincial Settlement. Had such an allowance for direct famine expenditure been made at the revision of the Provincial Settlement, the necessary financial adjustment would presumably have taken the form either of a large Provincial share of some divided head

of revenue or of an addition to the fixed assignment from Imperial to Provincial. It was the absence of any such provision in the Provincial Settlement for direct famine expenditure which justified the additional paper assignment from Imperial Funds which was necessary to render the Famine Insurance Scheme possible, and the formal nature of the scheme should not be allowed to obscure the fact that it was really intended to represent the extent to which Provincial finances could ordinarily be called upon to contribute towards the direct expenditure on famine relief.

3. As regards the alternative modifications proposed in your letter under reply I am to say that the scheme outlined in paragraphs 7 to 13 of your letter appears to the Chief Commissioner to posses in an even greater degree than the present scheme the disadvantages of complexity and artificiality. As, however, this proposal does not appear to be put forward with any great favour by the Government of India ; it is unnecessary for the Chief Commissioner to discuss it any length. The other scheme which is explained in paragraphs 14 to 16 of your letter under reply is, in the Chief Commissioner's opinion, superior in every way to either of the two other schemes, and he is prepared to accept it, subject, however, to the limitations which will be set forth in the succeeding paragraphs of this letter.

4. The objection which the Chief Commissioner wishes to urge against any of these schemes for the adjustment of famine expenditure is that they do not fit in with the policy in regard to famine relief which has been adopted in these Provinces. The financial principles underlying the Famine Insurance Schemes have reference only to the policy of famine relief laid down in the Famine Code. That policy assumes that in all, except the slightest and most local scarcities, the rules of the Famine Code will be brought into force, and expenditure on relief will be carried out in accordance with them. In the Central Provinces, however, a most noteworthy departure has been made from this system of relief. The new policy has been fully explained to the Government of India in the Revenue and Agriculture Department (this Administration's letter No. 1342, dated the 21st September 1911), but it seems desirable that it should again be briefly described, as otherwise the arguments to be now set forth in regard to the financial arrangements for the adjustment of famine relief expenditure may be misunderstood. Briefly stated, the new policy has been to defer as long as possible the application of the rules of the Famine Code ; the actual effect of it has been to apply those rules only in respect of gratuitous relief and to leave the relief of the able-bodied to be effected through an expansion of the ordinary programme of public works. The Chief Commissioner does not disguise from himself the possibility that, in a severe and wide spread calamity, recourse might have to be had to the provisions of the regular Famine Code and that the new system of relief might have to be set aside His belief is, however, that in such a case the new system would be worked for some time after the commencement of distress. And he is further of opinion that the new system, in the altered economic conditions of the Province—due to the extension of irrigation and of the mining industry—, will be found capable of meeting fairly severe and wide-spread failures of crops and that it may be counted on as the normal policy of famine relief in these Provinces.

5. Since the adoption of the new policy there have been two periods of scarcity in the Provinces, *viz.*, the period between 1907 and 1909, and the year 1913-14.

The total cost debited against the Provincial Famine Insurance allottment in the earlier of these two periods, in which distress was severe and extended to a considerable portion of the Province, was Rs. 12,87,000, but, as the Government of India are aware, this represents a comparatively small proportion of the actual expenditure due to famine. In this connection I am to invite a reference to this Administration's letter No. 614, dated the 11th March 1909, and to paragraph 5 of this Administration's Resolution No. 1242, dated the 2nd August 1911 (a copy of which was forwarded to the Government of India in the Finance Department), in which an estimate was given of the actual cost of the scarcity in the period now under consideration, in respect of loss of revenue and of increased

expenditure directly due to famine. The actual excess expenditure directly due to famine was 22 lakhs in addition to the expenditure of funds in the budget diverted from ordinary works to works especially designed to relieve famine.

The scarcity of 1913-14 was in all respects a much less serious and less widespread calamity. It was dealt with on the same general lines as in 1907-08, with the result that the debit to Famine Relief (Imperial) between the 1st October 1913 and the 30th September 1914 was Rs. 1,27,000, while the actual additional charge on Provincial Funds due to famine amounted, apart from loss of revenue, to 6½ lakhs.

It will thus be seen that since the introduction of the Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme the economic circumstances of the Provinces have in no case placed such a strain upon the working of the scheme as to exhibit its operations under conditions of great stress, but at the same time sufficient experience has been gained to demonstrate the difficulties of applying this scheme to the special conditions under which famine relief is administered in these Provinces. Summing up the figures given above the following results may be stated for the two famine periods :—

(Rupees in lakhs)

Year.		Famine Expenditure	Charged to— Provincial.	Imperial
1907—09 ...	...	... 35·00	22·00	13·00
1913—14 ...	...	... 7·75	6·50	1·25
	Total	... 42·75	28·50	14·25

Thus the so-called insurance scheme devised expressly to protect Provincial finances in time of famine has actually operated in these Provinces in such a manner as to result in two-thirds of the direct famine expenditure, as well as the whole of the indirect expenditure, being thrown upon the Provincial exchequer.

6. In Mr. King's letter No. 1342, dated the 21st September 1911, to the Revenue and Agriculture Department, Sir Reginald Craddock showed clearly that while the system of famine relief which was therein described had the merits of economy and of the avoidance of the general demoralization of the people incidental to famine relief under the Famine Code Rules, it resulted, under the present financial arrangements, in throwing a disproportionately heavy burden upon Provincial Funds, and he claimed that so much of the additional expenditure *outside the ordinary provisions of the budget* as was directly due to famine relief was a fair charge against the head of "33, Famine Relief", under which head alone the benefits of the Famine Insurance could be utilized. In this connection the Chief Commissioner desires to emphasize the fact that under Sir Reginald Craddock's scheme, the special "Scarcity" works, which were to be charged to "33, Famine Relief", were only those which could not be financed from the budget. Although the execution of a particular work might not have been provided for in the budget, yet if funds could be found for it by diversion of money provided for some other work or works, it would not be regarded as a special "Scarcity" work, and would not be charged to "Famine Relief". The arguments put forward by this Administration were not accepted by the Government of India, who, in their (Revenue and Agriculture Department) letter No. 970, dated the 29th July 1913, indicated that they were not prepared to trust to the decision of the Local Administration as to whether an extension of works was justified by the agricultural and economic conditions, and that the only modification of the previous financial arrangements which they were prepared to admit was the offer, as a matter of grace, of some assistance from the Famine Insurance Grant, should Provincial funds and balances be absolutely unable to meet the enhanced expenditure.

7. The Chief Commissioner thinks that the Government of India must admit that this failure to adjust the financial relations between the Imperial and Provincial Governments to suit the more modern economic method of famine administration is unsatisfactory. Provincial Funds certainly cannot continue to bear the burden of famine expenditure of which the Provincial Famine Insurance Scheme was expressly designed to relieve them, and it will be a matter for serious consideration, on the outbreak of another famine, whether the admitted advantages of the Central Provinces system of famine administration must not be sacrificed. It is indeed quite clear that, under any one of the systems of famine insurance dealt with in the Government of India's letter under consideration, it is strongly in the interests of the Provinces from the strictly financial point of view to throw over all thought of economic methods of famine administration and to begin to operate on "33, Famine Relief" by the declaration of famine at an early stage. Sir Benjamin Robertson thinks, however, that the Government of India have perhaps under-rated the means which they will always have of satisfying themselves that the expansion of ordinary works has not been premature or extravagant. The Government of India's own orders require that as soon as agricultural prospects become serious, a special report on the state of affairs shall be submitted to them. They are themselves in a position to observe the course of prices. And, if certain proposals, which the Chief Commissioner is submitting to the Government of India in the Revenue and Agriculture Department as to the formal declaration of "Scarcity" and which will presently be alluded to, are accepted, the Government of India, on such declaration, will receive a special weekly famine telegram and detailed monthly reports and statements. The Government of India will thus always be kept fully informed of the actual conditions, and there can be no apprehension that the Local Administration may uudertake an expensive and extravagant programme of public works without the knowledge of the Government of India, or in circumstances which they might deem insufficient to justify such measures.

8. The proposals mentioned in the last paragraph as to the declaration of scarcity are contained in this Administration's letter No. 548—X-10-1, dated the 16th March 1916, to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture. The suggestion is made that when the stage has been reached at which the helpless and incapable can no longer depend on private charity, and at which the provision of employment on works has to be supplemented by the general distribution of gratuitous relief in a particular area, "Scarcity" should be declared in such area. And it is pointed out that this step—tending as it does to a certain amount of demoralization—will not be undertaken by the Local Administration without the fullest justification. When scarcity has been declared, it is proposed that works specially undertaken for the relief of distress—although they will still be conducted on ordinary contract methods—should be classed as Scarcity works, if they cannot be met, either under the provision for works, or by re-appropriation, from the budget of the year then current.

9. The Chief Commissioner trusts that the Government of India will accept the arrangement proposed. If this is done, it will, he considers, enable the Government of India so far to modify the orders passed in 1913 as to agree to expenditure on scarcity works as thus defined being debited against the head "33, Famine Relief". Up to the declaration of scarcity, all works undertaken, whether financed from funds in the budget or from Provincial balances will be a charge against the Provincial revenues. The former will, after the declaration of scarcity, still continue a Provincial charge: only the latter will come under the head "Famine Relief". The proposal differs from that put forward by Sir Reginald Craddock in that it postpones the debiting of expenditure on this second class of works to "Famine Relief" until scarcity has been declared. And as already remarked in paragraph 7 of this letter, the Government of India will have the fullest information as to the conditions which have led to the declaration of scarcity and to the circumstances of the distress in the reports with which they will be furnished

10. Should the Government of India be prepared to agree to the modification on these lines of their orders of 1913 and to the admission under a proper system of intelligence of the right of the Local Administration to debit the cost of the extension as a measure of famine relief, of ordinary works to "33, Famine Relief", the Chief Commissioner as stated above is prepared to accept the system proposed in paragraph 15 of the Government of India's letter under reply in place of the present somewhat complicated and obscure arrangement. This system has the effect of introducing a divided head on the expenditure side without any compensation by way of assignment or larger increased share of revenue on the receipt side, notwithstanding that expenditure on famine relief was admittedly not provided for in the Provincial Settlement. But the advantage of having a definite and settled financial arrangement of a fairly simple nature, such as will ensure the possibility of gauging, with some approach to accuracy, the extent of the burden which Provincial resources are likely to be called upon to bear in any particular scarcity or famine, has considerable compensating value.

11. In asking the Government of India to accept the suggestion above put forward as to the debit of Scarcity works as now proposed to be defined in the Code to the head "33, Famine Relief", the Chief Commissioner would again emphasise the fact that relief of distress in the manner adopted in the Central Provinces is both economical and practical; its advantages have been tested in two recent famines, and it has been acknowledged by the Government of India as fulfilling the claims that have been made in its favour. But it throws a severe burden on Provincial finances unless this acknowledgment be accompanied by more favourable treatment in the matter of debiting its cost to the head "Famine Relief". And the proposals now put forward are intended to be a fair means of enabling such treatment to be introduced, and of relieving Provincial finances of the disproportionate share which they have recently borne in meeting famine conditions in these Provinces.

No. 307 OF 1916.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNTS FINANCE.
Provincial Finance.

To

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN,

His Majesty's Secretary of State for India.

Delhi, the 23rd December 1916.

SIR,

We have been considering the desirability of modifying the arrangements sanctioned in Lord Morley's despatch No. 5-Financial, dated the 11th January 1907, for the apportionment of expenditure on famine relief between the Imperial and Provincial Governments.

2. In 1914, in response to a Resolution moved by the late Rai Sri Ram Bahadur in the Imperial Legislative Council on the 7th March of that year, we undertook to consider whether the provincial allotments under the existing scheme required revision. Our examination of the question was primarily directed to the possibility of a rectification of minor inequalities as between different provinces in the light of the experience obtained since the present scheme was introduced. We were, however, led on to the conclusion that the

existing arrangements are unduly complicated and that it would be possible to place the question of incidence on a much simpler basis without prejudice to the essential objects in view, *viz.*, that the provinces should depend on Imperial assistance for the greater portion of the special expenditure entailed by relief measures, but that they should at the same time retain a substantial measure of responsibility in the interests of the economical administration of relief.

3. After careful consideration of the question, we placed two alternative proposals before the Local Governments concerned in our Finance Department letter No. 2044-F., dated the 31st December 1914, a copy of which we enclose. Briefly, the object of the first proposal there elaborated was to safeguard the interests of a province suffering from more than one famine within a short interval. The present system relies upon the gradual building up of famine credits and therefore does not provide adequately for the case of a province the amount at whose credit has been exhausted by famine expenditure and which is attacked by another famine before there has been time to build up a substantial credit. It was suggested that this difficulty might be met by providing that the credits up to which expenditure will be borne by Imperial revenues should revive after each famine. This solution, however, would introduce a fresh complication owing to the necessity for calculating the expenditure with reference to the "famine year" (from October to September) as distinguished from the official year. On the whole, therefore, it seemed to us that it would be preferable to abandon the present system altogether and to treat the head "33—Famine Relief" as an ordinary divided head, the Imperial share being taken uniformly at $\frac{3}{4}$ and the Provincial at $\frac{1}{4}$. This particular distribution was suggested as it represents approximately the assistance which Imperial revenues actually give in the long run towards famine expenditure under existing arrangements. This alternative proposal was accordingly commended to the consideration of Local Governments, and its advantages were indicated in paragraph 16 of the Finance Department letter.

4. It will be seen from the replies received, copies of which are enclosed, that the Local Governments are generally in favour of this simpler method of dividing famine expenditure in the fixed proportion of three-fourths Imperial and one-fourth Provincial. Some provinces have, however, attached certain qualifications to their acceptance of our proposal and these we examine below :—

The Government of the United Provinces asks that the provincial liability in any one financial year should be limited to a maximum of R 25 lakhs, while the Government of Bombay suggest that, when provincial balances are, under the proposed distribution of famine expenditure, reduced below a working minimum, the shares of the expenditure to be borne by Imperial and Provincial revenues should, for the time being, be altered to such a proportion as will suffice to enable Provincial Governments to maintain a working balance. These reservations are doubtless made with a view to safeguarding the provincial finances from a complete collapse. The present system, however, contemplates that the incidence of famine expenditure will be the subject of special arrangements when the provincial balance has been reduced below half the prescribed minimum. It is our intention under the scheme now proposed to maintain the same safeguard and we do not think that we should go further in accelerating the stage at which special Imperial assistance will commence, or in defining the form which it should take. The object of our proposals is not to do away with the underlying principles of the 1906-07 scheme as regards the distribution of famine expenditure between Imperial and Provincial, but merely to substitute a more convenient working method. Thus, as already explained, the proportion of three-fourths and one-fourth was suggested as representing roughly the assistance actually given under existing arrangements. The suggestion made by the Government of Bombay would go beyond the amendment of method we have in view by introducing a fresh principle to the advantage of the provinces. There would, moreover, be considerable practical difficulties in working a sliding scale of the character suggested by the

Local Government in paragraph 7 (2) of their letter No. 2144, dated the 31st May 1915. Again, the imposition of a maximum annual limit for provincial liability, such as that proposed by the Government of the United Provinces, has the disadvantage that a larger share of the expenditure would fall on Imperial revenues in the case of a severe famine confined in its effects mainly to a single financial year than in the case of one which extends more or less equally over two financial years. This suggestion also involves a reversion to the unsatisfactory arrangement of fixing comparative provincial standards of expenditure which are liable to require revision with reference to changing conditions and also to be made the subject of invidious criticism.

We are not prepared therefore to accept these suggestions.

The other stipulation made by the United Provinces Government, *viz.*, that the proposed arrangements should not involve any other modification of the provincial settlement does not call for comment, as no such modification is entailed.

5. A further reservation made by the Government of Bombay relates to the treatment of expenditure incurred during the period of observation and test when famine is not actually declared. Such expenditure is at present charged as provincial, under the head "45—Civil Works" or "32—Miscellaneous", and we are ready to concede that this should in future be charged to "33—Famine Relief." The present arrangement is not altogether logical since the nature of the expenditure is the same whether famine is declared or not, and moreover it offers an inducement to the premature declaration of scarcity or famine. We recognise also that it is desirable to encourage Local Governments to take prophylactic measures, which they might be led to delay too long if they were uncertain whether they would have to bear the whole cost or not. We may also observe that owing to the recent recognition of "scarcity" as a distinct stage of distress between "observation and test" and "famine", and the debit to the head "33—Famine Relief" of expenditure incurred during the period of scarcity, the concession is probably of less importance than was formerly the case.

6. Very similar considerations apply to a recommendation made by the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces. In the despatch from Lord Hardinge's Government, No. 23 (Revenue and Agriculture), dated the 7th August 1913, reference was made to a special system of relief in force in the Central Provinces, the essence of which is that, before famine is declared, the programme of ordinary works is expanded so as to provide employment freely and thus to obviate as far as possible the necessity for resorting to ordinary famine relief works. As just stated, it has recently been decided to recognise "scarcity" for the purpose of the famine codes as a definite stage of distress intermediate between "observation and test" and "famine", and in the Central Provinces scarcity will ordinarily be declared in a district or area as soon as the general distribution of gratuitous relief in such district or area becomes necessary. The Chief Commissioner proposes that, when this has been done, works specially undertaken for the relief of distress should be classed as "scarcity works" if their cost cannot be met either from the budget provision for works or by reappropriation, the cost of these scarcity works being charged to the head "33—Famine Relief".

We are of opinion that the Central Provinces system has considerable advantages from the point of view of economy in famine finance. There is also much force in the contention of the Chief Commissioner that this special scheme of relief at present throws on provincial revenues expenditure which is really incurred on famine relief and which would be classed as such elsewhere. The recognition of scarcity as a definite stage of distress has the effect of postponing the stage at which the expenditure on the special works will be charged as famine expenditure and we recognise that the reports which the local Administration is required to send to the Government of India under the famine code, put them in a position to satisfy themselves that "scarcity works" have not been undertaken either too early or on an extravagant scale. We, therefore, endorse the Chief Commissioner's recommendation that expenditure on scarcity works should be debited to the head "famine relief" in so far

as it cannot be met directly or by reappropriation from the civil works budget provision for the year. And when the budget for any year has to be framed with reference to the existence of famine or *quasi*-famine conditions, the Local Administration will be required, in view of the special system of relief obtaining in the province, to place the grant under the head "45—Civil Works" at a figure not less than that for the last normal year.

7. It was decided in 1910 (*vide* the correspondence noted in the margin) that all direct famine relief outlay incurred in the non-jurisdictional estates in Bombay should be borne by Government and the Local Government were instructed to consider the question of levying a famine cess in the areas referred to in order to defray the expenditure. For the reasons stated in their letter No. 2939, dated 17th May 1915 (a copy of which is enclosed), the Government of Bombay came to the conclusion that it is not feasible to levy a famine cess, and asked that the expenditure on relief in the estates in question may be accepted as an entirely Imperial liability. We accept the opinion of the Local Government that the question of a cess should be dropped, but consider that the expenditure on relief in the areas referred to should, like other famine expenditure, be divided between Imperial and Provincial revenues in the proportion of ¾ and ¼.

Despatch from Lord Minto's Government, No. 47, dated 24th February 1910, and Lord Morley's despatch No. 40-Pol., dated 13th May 1910.

8. The Government of the Punjab was not at first inclined to favour the change proposed. The question has, however, subsequently been discussed informally with His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, and he has now agreed to fall in with the other provinces in accepting a uniform division of famine expenditure on the lines suggested.

9. It is not usual to make provision for famine expenditure in provincial settlements and the Government of Bihar and Orissa are not correct in assuming that allowance will be made for the provincial liability involved by our proposals when the present temporary settlement with that province is made permanent. Such a course would obviously result in making the whole expenditure on famine in that province practically Imperial.

10. For the reasons summarised in paragraph 16 of our letter of the 31st December 1914, we consider that the scheme now proposed has substantial advantages over the arrangements at present in force, and we now request your sanction to its introduction with effect from the 1st of April 1917. The balances at the credit of Provincial Governments in the *pro forma* account now maintained will of course be written off with effect from that date. The change will apply to all provinces, including Burma and Assam which owing to their practical immunity from famine were excluded from the existing scheme. If you find it possible to communicate your approval by telegraph by the middle of January next, we will introduce the change in the budget estimates for 1917-18: otherwise we propose to give effect to it in the revised estimates and actuals of that year.

We have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient, humble Servants,

(Signed) C. C. MONRO.

" R. H. CRADDOCK.

" W. S. MEYER.

" C. H. A. HILL.

" C. SANKARAN NAIR.

" G. R. LOWNDES.

INDIA OFFICE, LONDON,
23rd February 1917.

Financial.

No. 9.

To His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor General of India in Council.

MY LORD,

Apportionment of expenditure on famine relief between Imperial and Provincial revenues.

I have considered in Council Your Financial Letter No. 307, dated 23rd December 1916, in which you submit proposals for the apportionment of expenditure on famine relief between the Imperial and Provincial Governments.

2. The scheme now in force is that approved in Lord Morley's Despatch No. 5 of the 11th January 1907. The ruling principle of that scheme was to enable each local Government of a Province liable to famine to build up gradually a reserve of credit with the Imperial Government on which it would be at liberty to draw when it was necessary to incur expenditure or famine relief ; but, if the expenditure incurred exceeded the maximum credit, the excess was to be shared equally between the Imperial and the local Governments. If the balances of the local Government were so depleted as to fall below one-half of the prescribed minimum, further assistance was to be given from Imperial revenues according to the circumstances of the occasion.

3. You have now come to the conclusion that this scheme is unduly complicated and that it would be possible to place the question of incidence on a much simpler basis without prejudice to the essential objects in view. You therefore propose to treat the expenditure, head "33, Famine relief ", as an ordinary divided head, the Imperial share, being three-fourths, and the provincial share one-fourth. The local Governments have accepted the proposal subject to certain provisos. The first proviso is that provincial balances shall be safeguarded from a complete collapse ; and, to meet this you have expressed to me, and will no doubt express to local Governments and Administrations, your intention to maintain the same safeguard as under the present system, *viz.*, that when a provincial balance has been so depleted as to fall below half the prescribed minimum, assistance shall be given from Imperial revenues. The second proviso is that the definition of famine expenditure shall be widened. In paragraphs 5 and 6 of your Letter you agree that expenditure incurred both under "Scarcity" and during the period of observation and test shall be debited to the head "33, Famine Relief."

4. I agree that the adoption of your proposals will simplify the accounts and at the same time ensure an equitable distribution of the expenditure. I therefore sanction your proposals.

I have the honour to be,

MY LORD,

Your Lordship's most obedient, humble Servant,

(Signed) AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 6th June, 1917.

No. 615-F.E.—The following grade promotions and reversions of officers in the Indian Finance Department are notified :—

With effect from the 26th July 1916.

Mr. A. Newmarch to officiate in Class I of Accountants General.
Mr. V. C. French to officiate in Class II of Accountants General.
Mr. P. G. Jacob to officiate in Class I of the General List.

With effect from the 30th July 1916.

Mr. J. C. Mitra to officiate in Class III of Accountants General.

With effect from the 23rd October 1916.

Mr. J. M. Hartley to officiate in Class I of the Public Works List.

With effect from the 25th November 1916.

Mr. J. M. Hartley to revert to Class III of the Public Works List.

With effect from the 1st December 1916.

Mr. J. M. Hartley to officiate in Class I of the Public Works List.

With effect from the 22nd December 1916.

Mr. V. C. Scott O'Connor to officiate in Class II of Accountants General.

Mr. V. C. French to revert to Class III of Accountants General.

With effect from the 23th December 1916.

Mr. J. C. Mitra to revert to Class I of the General List.

Mr. P. G. Jacob to revert to Class III of the General List.

Mr. L. B. Ward to revert to Class IV (old scale) of the General List.

With effect from the 15th January 1917.

Mr. A. M. Brigstocke, I.C.S., is promoted substantively to Class I of Accountants General.

Mr. V. C. Scott O'Connor is promoted substantively to Class II of Accountants General.

Mr. W. Alder, I.C.S., is promoted substantively to Class III of Accountants General.

The 7th June, 1917.

No. 617-F.E.—Mr. N. C. Roy, Chief Accountant, Class I, office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, has been granted privilege leave for six weeks with effect from the 22nd May 1917.

Mr. S. Palit, an Accountant in the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Accountant, Class II, in that office with effect from the 22nd May 1917, and during the absence on leave of Mr. N. C. Roy.

No. 618-F.E.—Mr. J. C. Mitra has been appointed to officiate as Accountant General, Punjab, with effect from the 26th May 1917.

No. 619-F.E.—Mr. Rang Behari Lal has been posted as Assistant Accountant General, Punjab, with effect from the 22nd May 1917.

No. 620-F.E.—Rai Sahib M. P. Sinha, Chief Superintendent, Class II, office of the Accountant General, United Provinces, has been granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-three days, with effect from the 23rd May 1917.

Mr. A. A. McGill, an Accountant in the office of the Accountant General, United Provinces, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Accountant, Class II, in that office, with effect rom the 23rd May 1917 and until further orders.

The 8th June, 1917.

No. 625-F.E.—Mr. F. S. Vaughan, Chief Accountant, Class II, has been attached to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, North Western Railway, with effect from the 26th May 1917.

No. 627-F.E.—Mr. A. Aukim, Chief Superintendent, Class II, office of the Accountant General, Burma, has been granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 15th May 1917.

H. F. HOWARD,

Secretary to the Government of India

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 9th June, 1917.

No. 6364-Spl.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) of Section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel, with effect from the 1st June 1917, the Notification in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 4746-Spl., dated the 5th May 1917, directing the winding up of the Hollandia Rice Milling Company, Rangoon.

COMPANY LAW.

The 9th June, 1917.

No 6399-M.—In pursuance of the proviso to sub-section (3) of section 277 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), the Governor General in Council is pleased to exempt La Fonciere, Paris, from the requirements of sub-section (3) of the said section, provided that it files annually with the Registrar of the province, in which it has its principal place of business, a copy in French of the Report of the Council of Administration of the Company containing a copy of its balance-sheet and of the certificate of the Company's auditor as submitted to its shareholders together with an English translation thereof certified in accordance with Rule 8 of the Indian Companies Rules, 1914.

No. 6400-M.—In pursuance of the proviso to sub-section (3) of section 277 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), the Governor General in Council is pleased to exempt the Vacuum Oil Company, Rochester, New York, from the requirements of sub-section (3) of the said section, provided that it files annually with the Registrar of the province, in which it has its principal place of business, a certified copy of the statement of Assets and Liabilities and of the certificate of the Company's auditor as submitted to its shareholders.

EMIGRATION.

The 9th June, 1917.

No. 6534-Emi.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 116-F. of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 (VI of 1901), as subsequently amended, the following rule is issued in substitution of rule 24 of the Assam Labour Board Rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 295-132-C., dated the 20th November 1915.

Rule.

"24. (1) The cess shall be payable in the following manner :—

(*a*) The cess payable on a garden-sardar shall be deposited by the employer in the local treasury in Assam prior to the countersignature of the certificate of such garden-sardar by the Inspector of Labourers or Magistrate under the provisions of section 59 of the Act, and when the cess has been realised, the said Inspector or Magistrate shall cause an endorsement to be made on the certificate to that effect. The total amount of the cess so deposited in each month shall be remitted by the Deputy Commissioner within the first week of the succeeding month by Remittance Transfer Receipt to the Chairman of the Board. When the cess at the prescribed rate has been deposited in the Treasury in respect of all the garden-sardars whose certificates have been countersigned under section 59 of the Act during the month covered by the remittance, the Deputy Commissioner shall, when making the remittance, furnish the said Chairman with a certificate to that effect. When the cess has not been so deposited in respect of all or any of such garden-sardars, the Deputy Commissioner shall, within the first seven days of the succeeding month, furnish the said Chairman with a list of the garden-sardars in respect of whom the full cess has not been deposited. The names and addresses of the employers of the said sardars shall also be entered in the said list.

Recovery of cess.

(b) The cess payable on every person recruited or engaged as a labourer or assisted to emigrate under Chapter IV or section 91 of the Act shall be payable within the month following that in which such person has been despatched to the labour district from the recruiting district in which he is registered. Where an employer has appointed a local agent, the cess shall be remitted through such local agent to the Chairman of the Board, and where a local agent has not been so appointed, the employer shall remit the sum due as cess direct to the said Chairman.

(2) If default in payment of the cess be made, the Chairman of the Board may :—

(a) in the case of a garden-sardar referred to in clause 1 (a) of this rule, on receipt of the list of garden-sardars in respect of whom cess has not been paid,

(b) in the case of a person recruited or engaged as a labourer or assisted to emigrate under Chapter IV or section 91 of the Act, on the expiry of the month following that in which such person was despatched to the labour district from the recruiting district in which he had been registered,

send a demand by registered letter to the defaulting employer for the amount due, and if, within a period of a month after the postal receipt for the registered letter has reached the Chairman, payment is still in arrears, the Chairman may proceed to recover the amount due by making application under section 215 of the Act to the Magistrate of the District in which the defaulter resides.

(3) In each recruiting district the Superintendent of Emigration shall furnish the Chairman of the Board with a monthly statement showing, in respect of each employer who has not appointed a local agent, the total number of persons recruited or engaged as labourers or assisted to emigrate by such employer during the month to which the return relates, and the number of persons as aforesaid despatched to each estate in the labour districts by each such employer.

(4) It shall be the duty of the Supervisors appointed by the Board, in the course of their inspections of the local agencies within their respective charges, to check the payment of the cess leviable by local agents in respect of the persons recruited or engaged as labourers or assisted to emigrate by garden-sardars working under the supervision of such local agents, and to report the result of such check to the Chairman.

GEOLOGY AND MINES ESTABLISHMENT.

The 9th June 1917.

No. 6503-M.—Dr. E. H. Pascoe, D.Sc., F.G.S., Assistant Superintendent, Geological Survey of India, is appointed Superintendent, Geological Survey of India, with effect from the 1st April 1917, *vice* Mr. C. S. Middlemiss, C.I.E., F.G.S., F.A.S.B., retired.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 9th June, 1917.

No. 6300-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 5585-C.W., dated the 12th May 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.*—

Under the heading "(A) Iron, the following, namely :—

Insert the entry "Manufactures, galvanised ."

Insert the following entries :—

"(A) Lead, paints"; and "(A) Paints, lead."

No. 6413-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alteration shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 76-C.W.D., dated the 13th January 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

Alteration.

For "Hogg & Co., Canton", *read* "Hogg and Karanjia, Limited, Canton."

No. 6488-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 5041-C.W., dated the 5th May 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.* :—

ADDITIONS.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Boley, Max W., Chacabuco 409c and Calle Belgrano 673, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Feller, Otto, & Company, Calle Uruguay 891, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Lanza, Eustaqulo, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Moering, Edmundo, Calle Defensa 542, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Novara, Francisco, Bahia Blanca, Argentina.
Terzy Tiberio, Calle Caseros 485, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

BRAZIL.

Behrend, Schmidt & Company, Rua da Alfandega 46, and Caixa de Correio 724, Rio de Janeiro.
Casa Enxoval (see Klausner & Company).
Contreiras, H., Avenidada Liberdade 98, Belem, Para.
Cunha Coimbra, Raoul de, Para.
Klaussner & Company, (Casa Enxoval), Rua Direita 36B, and Caixa Postal 112, Sao Paulo.
Mayer, Siegfried, Rua da Quitanda 123, Rio de Janeiro.
Scheyer, Otto, Rua General Camara 23, Rio de Janeiro.

CHILE.

Doggenweiler, Fernando, Calle Jofre 341 and Calle Condell 340, Santiago.
Doggenweiler Hermanos y Cia., Valparaiso.
Moreno, Fernando, Casilla 953, Valparaiso.
Reinoso, V., Antofagasta, Tocopilla and Valparaiso.
Thiel, W., Concepcion.

ECUADOR.

Solis, Camilo, & Company, Canao.

MOROCCO.

Lebady, Mohamed Ben Mohamed El, Tetuan.

NETHERLANDS.

Amsterdamsche Export en Import Maatschappy, N.V., Keizersgracht 302-304, Amsterdam. (No connection with "Amsterdam" Import en Export Maatschaappy, Utrechtschestr. 34.)
Biggelaar, A. M. van den, Achterstraat 8, Roosendaal.
Dirkzwager, Gysbert, Maassluis.
Dirkzwager's Scheepsagentuur, Hook of Holland; and Haven, Maassluis.
Markovits, E. M., (Hollandia Export Company), Keerweerlaan 21, Rotterdam.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Bataviaasch Industrie en Handel Maatschappy, Batavia.
Been, C., Sumatra.

NORWAY.

Britannia Hotel, (Fritz Topp), Trondhjem.
Dalen, Karl, Aalesund.
Sanatogen's Generalagentur, (Director J. I. Wisloff), Toldbodgt. 19, Christiania.
Sandaas, Olaf, (Manager of Viking Canning Company Limited A/S., & "Haugar" Hermetikfabriken), Kopervik and Haugesund.
Sporck & Company, A/S., Kongensg. 14, and Oen, Trondhjem.
Topp, Fritz, Britannia Hotel. Trondhjem.
Viking Sardine Factory, The, Banevigen 51, Stavanger.
West Coast Conserves Company, Bergen.
Wisloff, J. I., (Director of Sanatogen's Generalagentur), Toldbodgt. 19, Christiania.

SPAIN.

Caffarena Hermanos, Strachan 3, Malaga.
Caffarena, Luis, Strachan 3, Malaga.
Chavez, Antonio Gonzalez (see Gonzalez Chavez, Antonio).
Chavez, José Gonzalez (see Gonazlez Chavez, José).
Drack, Otto., Maisonnave, Alicante; and Valencia.
Genera, José, Lauria 18, Barcelona.
Gonzalez Chavez, Antonio, Orotava, Tenerife.
Gonzalez Chavez, José, Orotava, Tenerife.
Leon, Diego, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Lopez, Hijos de Benigno, S. en C., Calle Santian 4, Tarragona.
Pedrol, Manuel, Tarragona.
Schaellibaum, Eduardo, Alicante.
Sevil, Agustin, Tarragona.
Torrens, Pablo, Lauria, 18, Barcelona.
Ugarte, Viuda y Sobrinos de, Colegiata 13, Madrid

VENEZUELA.

Arreaza, Luis Fernando, Aragua de Barcelona.
Beuses, Franciso, Maracaibo.

REMOVALS.

NETHERLANDS.

Nederlandsche Papierhandel (N.V.), Prinsengracht 526, Amsterdam.

NORWAY.

Gunderson, Adolf, Frederikstad.

PERSIA.

Agha Muhammad Ismail Isfahani, Meshed.

SPAIN.

Uhthoff, Ludolfo, Calle San Pedro 16, Cadiz.

VENEZUELA.

Amado, Joaquin, Maracaibo.

VARIATIONS.

Corrections in the names and alterations in and additions to addresses of the persons or firms whose names have been included in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 5041-C.W., dated the 5th May, 1917, as subsequently amended, are made as under :--

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY.

Roehrs, E., & Company, Calle San Martin 195, and Avenida Montes de Oca 604, Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Calle Agraciada 2412, Montevideo, Uruguay.

BRAZIL.

Boehm, Otto, or C. W. Boehm, (Kolonie Zeitung), Joinville, Sta. Catharina.
Costa, M. da, Almeida & Company, Rua Sao Bento 5, Rio de Janeiro.
Schwartz, Eduardo, or E. J. Schwartz & Company, or Eduardo, J. Schwartz & Company, (Gazetta do Commercio), Joinville, Sta. Catharina.
Voelcker, Luis & Company, Rua dos Andradas 332, Porto Alegre.

NETHERLANDS.

Mijnarends, H. B., or J. B., Lomanstraat 59 (formerly of Keizersgr. 203), Amsterdam.

SPAIN.

Geschwind (or Gschwind), Federico, Plaza de Bilbao 2 and Calle San Marcos 3, Madrid.

No. 6491-C.W.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL.

The 1st day of May, 1917.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

AND WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

AND WHEREAS by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

AND WHEREAS by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :

AND WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1916, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :—

(C) Animal hoofs and other glue stock (including untanned pelts and hides not otherwise specifically prohibited), fish bladders and fish skins ;

(C) Barrels and casks, empty, and their distinctive component parts, other than such barrels and casks as have been previously imported full, and are being returned empty, whether whole or in parts ;

(C) Camphor ;

(B) Candle manufactured wholly or partly of paraffin wax or tallow ;

(C) Fibres, vegetable, not otherwise specifically prohibited, and cordage, twine and yarns made therefrom ;

(B) Furs, and manufactures thereof ;

(B) Grindery, the following articles of, used in the making of boots and shoes :—

Brads ;
Brass rivets ;
Clog nails ;
Cutlan studs ;
Heel attaching pins ;
Heel tip nails ;
Heel tips ;
Hobnails ;
Lasting tacks and rivets, and iron shoe rivets ;
Metal toe tips ;
Protector studs ;
Screwing wire ;
Steel bills ;

(C) Gums (except such as contain caoutchouc and except gum (tragacanth) ;

Hemp and hemp manufactures, the following :—

(C) Other hemp and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specifically prohibited ;

(C) Iceland, Irish and Sphagnum moss, algin and its compounds ;

metals and ores, the following :—

(A) Iron and steel plates and sheets except when made from crucible cast steel or from carbon steel not manufactured in the United Kingdom by the Siemens or Bessemer processes, provided such crucible or carbon steel does not contain more than 5 per cent. of chrome, cobalt, nickel or vanadium ;

(B) Steel articles containing chrome, cobalt, nickel or vanadium ;

(A) Steel flats, rounds and other sections, with the following exceptions :—
(i) When made from crucible cast steel ;
(ii) Carbon steel for tools not manufactured in the United Kingdom by the Siemens or Bessemer processes ;
Provided such crucible or carbon steel does not contain more than 5 per cent. of chromo, cobalt, nickel or vanadium ;
(B) Oil, whale (train, blubber, sperm), seal oil, shark oil, fish oil generally, and mixtures of the foregoing ;
(B) Paraffin wax ;
Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—
(A) Sauces and condiments (except table salt) not otherwise prohibited ;
(A) Railway material, the following :—
Steel rails ;
Steel sleepers ;
Steel springs ;
(C) Resins, resinous substances (except such as contain caoutchouc) and articles containing resins and resinous substances ;
(B) Searchlights ;
(B) Shoemakers' tools, the following :—
Awls ;
Awl hafts ;
Chisels, hand cold, 8 inches by ¾ inch ;
Files, seat ;
Hammers, single and double faced ;
Irons, forepart, glazing, lap, seat wheel and waist ;
Knives ;
Nippers, cutting ;
Pincers ;
Pliers, eyelet ;
Punches, spring ;
Rasps ;
Welt ploughs, runners and mills ;
(C) Talc ;
(A) Tallow, refined ;
(B) Waxes, animal, mineral and vegetable (except carnauba) and composite waxes ;
Woods, the following :—
(A) Ash three-ply wood ;
(C) Plywood, except ash three-ply wood.

(2) That the following headings should be added :—
(A) Aerated and mineral waters ;
(C) Algae ;
(C) Algin and its compounds ;
(A) Barrels, casks, and wooden packing cases, empty, and their distinctive component parts, other than such barrels, casks, or wooden packing cases as have been previously imported full, and are being returned empty whether whole or in parts ;
(C) Baskets and basket ware ;
(C) Bedding (not including bedsteads and parts thereof) ;
(A) Beer and ale ;
(B) Boots and shoes, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, the following :—
Boot and shoe grindery, including clog nails ;
Cutters ;
Drivers ;
Eyelets ;
Groovers ;
Hooks ;
Shoemakers' tools, hand and machine ;
(A) Bottles, metal, such as can be used for containing mercury ;
(C) Brooms and brushes ;
(B) Camphor ;
(A) Candles manufactured wholly or partly of paraffin wax or tallow ;
(B) Card clothing ;
(C) Celluloid, articles partly manufactured of ;
Chemicals, etc., the following :—
(C) Calcium silicide ;
(B) Cinchona bark ;
(C) Flourine compounds, not otherwise prohibited ;
(C) Iron, oxides of ;
(C) Manganese compounds, not otherwise prohibited ;

(C) Sodium silicate and mixtures containing sodium silicate;
(C) Vanadium compounds;
(B) Coir yarn;
(A) Cotton, Sea Island, yarn made from or containing;
(C) Fibres, vegetable, not otherwise specifically prohibited, and cordage, twine, and yarns made therefrom, except coir yarn;
(C) Furs, and manufactures thereof;
(B) Gluestock of all kinds (including animal hoofs, untanned hides and pelts, not otherwise specifically prohibited, fish bladders and fish skins);
(C) Gold paint containing sulphide of tin;
(B) Gum arabic;
(A) Gum, damar;
(C) Gums, not otherwise prohibited;
Hemp and hemp manufactures, the following:—
(B) Other hemp and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specifically prohibited;
(C) Lichens;
Metals and ores, the following:—
(A) Iron and iron articles containing chrome, cobalt, molybdenum, nickel, tungsten, or vanadium;
(A) Iron angles, channels, joists, tees and other sectional material;
(A) Iron bars, including flats, rounds and other sections and shapes;
(A) Iron billets, blooms and slabs;
(A) Iron bridgework, pier work and constructional material;
(A) Iron hoops and strips;
(A) Iron ingots;
(A) Iron pipes (wrought);
(A) Iron plates and sheets;
(A) Iron sheet bars;
(A) Iron tubes;
(A) Steel and steel articles containing chrome, cobalt, nickel or vanadium;
(A) Steel bars, including flats, rounds and other sections and shapes;
(A) Steel plates and sheets;
(A) Moss, Carrageen;
(C) Mosses, other than Carrageen moss;
(A) Oil, sea-elephant, and mixtures containing such oil;
(B) Oil, fish and seal not otherwise prohibited and mixtures containing such oils;
(A) Oil, sperm, and mixtures containing such oil;
(A) Oil, whale, and mixtures containing such oil;
(A) Paraffin wax;
(A) Plywood;
Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following:—
(A) Caramel, liquid or solid;
(C) Condiments (except table salt) not otherwise prohibited;
(A) Egg powder;
(B) Mustard;
(C) Sauces;
Railway material of iron or steel, the following:—
(A) Rails;
(A) Sleepers;
(A) Springs;
(A) Other railway construction material;
(A) Resins, resinous substances (except such as contain caoutchouc) and articles containing resins and resinous substances;
(B) Searchlights and their component parts;
(A) Spermaceti;
(C) Talc, all forms, including French chalk;
(A) Tallow;
(B) Waxes, animal, mineral, vegetable and composite waxes, not otherwise prohibited;
(A) Whalebone;
(A) Whale fins;
(A) Whalebone meal.

NOW, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

INLAND NAVIGATION.

The 9th June, 1917.

No. 6411-S.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Freight (Railway and Inland Steam-vessel) Tax Act, 1917 (XIII of 1917), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the rules issued with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry No. 1464-C.D., dated the 24th of March 1917, namely :—

After rule 4 of the said rules the following rule shall be added, namely :—

"5. In the case of goods carried freight-free and not exempted from the payment of the tax, the tax shall be paid to the officer to whom, and at the time and place where, the freight would be paid if leviable."

POST AND TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 9th June, 1917.

No. 6355-P. & T.—Mr. R. A. A. Hooper, Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, is permitted to retire from the service of Government, with effect from the 23rd March 1917.

TELEGRAPHS.

The 9th June, 1917.

No. 6298-P & T.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 7 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 (XIII of 1885), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the rule published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6975-137 (Telegraphs), dated the 16th September 1909, as subsequently amended, namely :—

In rule 200, the words " A complete list of these officials is published in the Telegraph Guide " shall be omitted, and *for* the words " Officials not named in that list," the words " Officials not so authorised " shall be substituted.

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Government of India

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 8th June 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 879.—Major F. W. Barron, Royal Artillery, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding an appointment as Assistant Quartermaster-General. Dated 4th May 1917.

No 880.—Lieutenant H. S. Reed, 2-4th Battalion, The Devonshire Regiment, is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the temporary appointment of Staff Captain. Dated 11th April 1917.

No. 881.—Lieutenant G. E. R. Shield, 2-4th Battalion, The Devonshire Regiment, is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the temporary appointment of Deputy Assistant Adjutant General. Dated 11th April 1917.

No. 882.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

The Highland Light Infantry.

Acting Company Serjeant-Major William Peden. 23rd March 1917.

8th (King's Royal Irish) Hussars.

Acting Serjeant-Major Thomas Henry Hounsell. 17th May 1917.

No. 883.—The services of Major C. E. L. Johnston, R.A., Indian Ordnance Department, are placed at the disposal of the Indian Munitions Board; with effect from the 3rd May 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 884.—The undermentioned Second Lieutenants from the Unattached List are admitted to the Indian Army, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Cecil James Wingate Lillie, attached 4th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 3rd February 1917.

Arthur Gordon Petrie. Dated 14th February 1917.

Maurice Scott Rendle. Dated 14th February 1917.

Alfred John Albert Schofield. Dated 14th February 1917.

Rodney Stewart King. Dated 14th February 1917.

Cecil Crawford Lindsay Ryan. Dated 14th February 1917.

Thomas Veitch Clarke. Dated 14th February 1917.

William John Hopkins. Dated 14th February 1917.

Douglas Mollison Lindsay, attached 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force). Dated 3rd February 1917.

Charles Eric Wakeham. Dated 14th February 1917.

Gervase Rigby Butler, attached 29th Punjabis. Dated 5th February 1917.

Maurice Frederick Keightley. Dated 14th February 1917.

Harold Lea Cunynghame Robertson, attached 21st Punjabis. Dated 3rd February 1917.

Alfred Henry Bertram Joyce, attached 66th Punjabis. Dated 10th February 1917.

Gerald William Griffin. Dated 14th February 1917.

Peter Paul Abernethy, attached 63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry. Dated 7th February 1917.

Herbert Tomlin Pollitt. Dated 14th February 1917.

Henry Edmund Caunter, attached 46th Punjabis. Dated 3rd February 1917.

Thomas Clarke Levingston, attached 120th Rajputana Infantry. Dated 7th February 1917.

Ronald Frederick Sandeman. Dated 14th February 1917.

Richard Hugh Rossiter Cumming. Dated 14th February 1917.

Ian William Galbraith. Dated 14th February 1917.

Brian Edward Edmondson. Dated 14th February 1917.

Charles Maxwell Orr Sawers. Dated 14th February 1917.

Bertie Meyer, attached 39th Garhwal Rifles. Dated 1st February 1917.

Alexander Alfred Russell, attached 42nd Deoli Regiment. Dated 5th February 1917.

Thomas Ivan Bowers, attached 11th Rajputs. Dated 4th February 1917.

Douglas Onslow White, attached 1st Brahmans. Dated 20th February 1917.

James Henry Swan Benzie. Dated 14th February 1917.

Harold Christopher Hodgson. Dated 14th February 1917.

Aubrey Seymour Armitage, attached 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles. Dated 10th February 1917.

Frederick George McCaughey, attached 74th Punjabis. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Geoffrey Reginald Grove, attached 6th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 5th February 1917.
William Richard Pyne Spurway, attached Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's). Dated 5th February 1917.
John Staniford Hallifax. Dated 14th February 1917.
Frederick Joshua Allen. Dated 14th February 1917.
Charles Henry de Vere Moss, attached 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force). Dated 10th February 1917.
John Ignatius Ennis, attached 10th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 9th February 1917.
Ian Gilbert Fielding Pierce. Dated 14th February 1917.
Theodore John Deans, attached 72nd Punjabis. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Egerton Charles Spencer. Dated 14th February 1917.
Douglas Sidney Elliott McNeill. Dated 14th February 1917.
John Frederick Dingwall Fordyce, attached 1st Reserve Battalion, Sikh Pioneers. Dated 10th February 1917.
William Brookes Farrar, attached 95th Russell's Infantry. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Walter David Sykes. Dated 14th February 1917.
Herbert Clive Whelan. Dated 14th February 1917.
Nicholas Edgar Innes Pocock, attached 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment). Dated 1st February 1917.
Michael Joseph O'Connor, attached 10th Jats. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Terence Francis Axen Flynn. Dated 14th February 1917.
Guy Feinaigle Lawler. Dated 14th February 1917.
Richard Eric James Holmes, attached 39th Garhwal Rifles. Dated 1st February 1917.
Humphrey Donald Whittick. Dated 14th February 1917.
Gerald Arden Savill d'Erf Wheeler. Dated 14th February 1917.
Vivian Stanislands Kelly, attached 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry. Dated 17th February 1917.
Charles John Bromley Church, attached 15th Ludhiana Sikhs. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Maurice William James Boxall, attached 25th Punjabis. Dated 4th February 1917.
James Charles Critchen Bullock. Dated 14th February 1917.
Allen Paton Burch, attached 67th Punjabis. Dated 15th February 1917.
Arthur Reginald Pratt, attached 127th Queen Mary's Own Baluch Light Infantry. Dated 4th February 1917.
Robert Stevenson Tristram Fleming, attached 72nd Punjabis. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Brian Desmond Telford, attached 72nd Punjabis. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Egbert Willis Burnett Gibbs, attached 110th Mahratta Light Infantry. Dated 4th February 1917.
Thomas Yerrow Hawkes. Dated 14th February 1917.
Robert Joseph Gerrard, attached 46th Punjabis. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Sholto Merrett Stock, attached 120th Rajputana Infantry. Dated 7th February 1917.
Philip Gerald Cambridge Lane. Dated 14th February 1917.
Leslie Moore Wyrill. Dated 14th February 1917.
William Alfred Leonard Young, attached 98th Infantry. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Patrick Hunter Begg, attached 110th Mahratta Light Infantry. Dated 4th February 1917.
Arthur Fredrick Stanley Curtain, attached 42nd Deoli Regiment. Dated 5th February 1917.
Norman William Evans, attached 35th Sikhs. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Edward Courtenay Ellison, attached 66th Punjabis. Dated 10th February 1917.
Reginald Abel Lewis Moysey, attached 19th Punjabis. Dated 1st February 1917.
Patrick Alan Douglas Larymore, attached 10th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 9th February 1917.
Arthur John Daldy, attached 81st Pioneers. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Lionel Alfred Foster, attached 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment) Dated 8th February 1917.
John Stuart Beresford Forde, attached 120th Rajputana Infantry. Dated 7th February 1917.
Gordon Craig. Dated 14th February 1917.
Thomas Bernard Carberry, attached 117th Mahrattas Dated 9th February 1917.
James Richard Holcombe Cruikshank. Dated 14th February 1917.
Francis Alexander McDonnell, attached 95th Russell's Infantry. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Cyril Walter Cawood, attached 80th Carnatic Infantry. Dated 6th February 1917.
Edward Travers Smith, attached 9th Gurkha Rifles. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Thomas Ralph Marshall. Dated 14th February 1917.
Vere Charles Gurdon O'Borthistle-Short, attached 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment). Dated 19th February 1917.

Stanley Frederic Martin, attached 109th Infantry. Dated 13th February 1917.
Arthur Charles Dickens, attached 123rd Outram's Rifles. Dated 11th February 1917.
Hugh Patrick O'Sullivan, attached 1st Brahmans. Dated 16th March 1917.
Robert Lewis Frost, attached 67th Punjabis. Dated 15th February 1917.
George Edward Rupert Edgcome. Dated 14th February 1917.
Arthur John Eardley Dawson, attached 117th Mahrattas. Dated 9th February 1917.
Alan James Minchin Kilroy, attached 120th Rajputana Infantry. Dated 7th February 1917.
Sidney Cairnes Macalister, attached 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry. Dated 3rd February 1917.
Frederick Roland Henry Robinson. Dated 14th February 1917.
Stephen Richard St. Leger Blakeney, attached 76th Punjabis. Dated 10th February 1917.
Henry Graham, attached 74th Punjabis. Dated 3rd February 1917.
John Carre Snelling Hadaway, attached 21st Punjabis. Dated 11th February 1917.
George James Silver. Dated 14th February 1917.
The Hon. Inigo Brassey Freeman-Thomas, attached 3rd Skinner's Horse. Dated 5th February 1917.
Ernest St. John King. Dated 14th February 1917.
Donald Leslie Duncan, attached 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles). Dated 17th February 1917.
Walter Lind Sherwill Boileau, attached Nepalese Contingent. Dated 1st February 1917.
Eric Guy Pottinger. Dated 14th February 1917.
John Clive Tyler Cleave, attached 11th Rajputs. Dated 11th February 1917.
Thomas Maybury Lunham. Dated 14th February 1917
George Woodward Ninis. Dated 14th February 1917.
John Trevor Davies. Dated 14th February 1917.
Lindsay Llewellyn Chamberlain, attached 25th Punjabis. Dated 12th February 1917.
Norman Macdonald, attached 41st Dogras. Dated 4th February 1917.
Joseph Harold Wilkinson. Dated 14th February 1917.
John Furber Hodge, attached 104th Wellesley's Rifles. Dated 3rd February 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 885.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Cavalry Branch.

To be Captain.

Richard Westmacott.	Dated 26th March 1917.

Infantry Branch.

To be Lieutenants.

Francis Woodman Wilson.	Dated 30th May 1917.
John Napier List.	Dated 1st June 1917.
Osborne George Edwards.	Dated 1st June 1917.

To be Second-Lieutenants.

William James Burns Miller.	Dated 13th March 1917, but to rank from the 9th December 1915.
Charles Aubrey Beasant.	Dated 29th May 1917.
Bernard George Gillett.	Dated 30th May 1917.
Francis Layton Eldridge.	Dated 1st June 1917.
Arthur Angus Robb.	
Arthur Gerard Jones.	
Maurice Fitzhardinge Berkeley.	
Donald William McDonald.	
William Harold Cooper.	
Francis Berkeley Gough.	Dated 2nd June 1917.
Robert Paul Warburton.	Dated 4th June 1917.
William Arthur Kirkman.	
Henry William Stewart.	Dated 6th June 1917.
Frederick Charles Hitchcock.	
Charles Rupert Wright.	
Frank Girling Ling.	
William Herbert Page.	

No. 886.—Herbert Ernest Evelyn Jesse Hopkins [Second Lieutenant, 3rd Battalion (Reserve), The East Yorkshire Regiment], to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 6th June 1917, but to rank from the 2nd December 1915.

No. 887.—Gustave Alfred Chastel de Boinville [Second Lieutenant, 3rd Battalion (Reserve), Seaforth Highlanders, (Ross-shire Buffs,] The Duke of Albany's)], to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st June 1917, but to rank from the 30th July 1915.

No. 888—Lieutenant Francis Woodman Wilson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Embarkation Staff Officer, Bombay, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 30th May 1917.

No. 889.—Lieutenant Osborne George Edwards, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Supply and Transport Officer, 4th class, Bombay, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st June 1917.

No. 890.—Second Lieutenant Bernard George Gillett, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, No. 39 Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 30th May 1917.

No. 891.—Lieutenant Harry Walton, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of Assistant Director of River Surveys, graded as Deputy Assistant Quartermaster General. Dated the 10th October 1916.

No. 892.—Second Lieutenant G. H. H. Forbes, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval, while holding the appointment of Railway Transport Officer. Dated the 12th October 1916.

No. 893.—Lieutenant Frank Currie Lewis, C.I.E., Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed on Road and Post Construction, Saidabad, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st May 1917.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 894.—The following extracts are published for general information:—

Second Supplement dated the 14th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 13th April 1917, pages 3553, 3554, 3556 and 3557.

War Office,
14th April 1917.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made:—

Flight Comdrs.—Capt. J. W. Thomson-Glover, Ind. Army, from a Flying Officer 19th Mar. 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned Majors, Ind. Army, to be temp. Lt.-Cols.:—
W. W. Bickford, C.I.E., whilst empld. as an A.A. and Q.M.G. 5th Dec. 1916.
R. D. Marjoribanks, whilst empld. as G.S.O., 1st Grade. 7th Dec. 1916.
A. W. Chitty, whilst empld. as an A.A. and Q.M.G. 25th Dec. 1916.

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The undermentioned to be temp. Majors whilst specially employed:—
Capt. (now temp. Maj.) A. Latham, Ind. Inf. 2nd June 1916.

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Fourth Supplement dated the 16th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 13th April 1917, pages 3571, 3572, 3576 and 3577.

War Office,
16th April 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

A. G.'S AND Q. M. G.'S STAFF.

D.A.Q.M.G.—Capt. (temp. Maj.) J. C. Philips, Ind. Inf., *vice* Capt. (temp. Maj.) G. E. D. Mouat, Ind. Inf. 17th Dec. 1916.

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ATTACHED TO HD. QR. UNITS.

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Staff Capts.—Capt. R. M. Jacob, Ind. Inf., *vice* Lt. (temp. Capt.) W. T. Windeler, Ind. Inf. 17th Dec. 1916.

Capt. (temp. Maj.) L. Philips, Ind. Inf., *vice* Capt. E. A. Breithaupt, Ind. Inf. 29th Dec. 1916.

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Draft Conducting Officers.—(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 2nd Cl.)—Col. St. G. L. Steele, C.B., Ind. Army, relinquishes his appt. 16th Mar. 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

Bt.-Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) P. Holland-Pryor, D.S.O., M.V.O., Ind. Army, to retain his temp. rank whilst empld. as a Brig. Comdr. 10th Feb. 1917.

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The undermentioned to be temp. Capts. whilst empld. as Railway Trans. Officers :—

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2nd Lt. A. B. Cross, Ind. Army Res. of Off. 13th Jan. 1917.

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London Gazette dated the 17th April 1917, pages 3601, 3606, 3607, 3613 and 3614.

War Office,
17th April 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

GENERAL STAFF.

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G.S.Os., 2nd Grade.—

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Capt. (temp. Maj.) H. St. G. M. McRae, D.S.O., Ind. Inf. 13th Mar. 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

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Maj. M. Synge, D.S.O., S. & T. Corps, Ind. Army, relinquishes the rank of temp. Lt.-Col. on ceasing to be so empld. 31st Mar. 1917.

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2nd Lt. F. A. Farquharson, Ind. Army Res. of Off., to be acting Capt. whilst empld. as 2nd in comd. of a Field Sqdn., R.E. 2nd Feb. 1917.

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Capt. Hugh Nathaniel Collyer, Bangalore Vol. Rif., to be temp. Lt. whilst empld. on recruiting duties. 6th Nov. 1916. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 11th Dec. 1916.)

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GENERAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

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ROYAL ENGINEERS.

2nd Lt. Alfred Ernest Joyce, from Ind. Army. Res. of Off., to be 2nd Lt. 18th Apr. 1917.

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East African Despatches.

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Supplement to the London Gazette dated 8th February 1917 (No. 29983).

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Under Staff, Headquarters, etc. (page 1352)—
For Batten, 2nd Lt. E. F., Ind. Army Res. of Off.,
Delete initial F.

After Dunlop, Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) W. B., D.S.O.
Insert Ind. Army.

Under Signal Service (page 1353)—

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For Tek Chank, No. 3500 Lce.-Naik, Ind. Infy,
Read Tek Chand, No. 3500 Lce.-Naik, Ind. Infy.

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Under South African Indian Bearer Company (page 1356)—
For Lallbbadur Jugmohan Singh, No. 74 Pte.,
Read Lalbahadur Jugmohan Singh, No. 74 Pte.
Under Indian Infantry (pages 1357 and 1358)—
After Thorburn, 2nd Lt. R.,
Insert Ind. Army Res. of Off.
For Bremner, Capt. C. E. U.,
Read Bremner, Lt. (temp. Capt.) C. E. U.
For Bignell, Capt. Qr.-Mr. G. N.,
Delete Qr.-Mr.
For de la Mott, 2nd Lt. H. T.
Read de la Motte, 2nd Lt. H. T.
For Jaggat Singh, No. 3901 Naik,
Read Jagat Singh, No. 3901 Naik.
For Umras Khan, No. 1597 Naik,
Read Umrao Khan, No. 1597 Naik.
For Sanyid Ahmad, No 2009 Colour Havildar,
Read Sayyid Ahmad, No. 2009 Colour Havildar.
Under Indian Medical Service (page 1357)—
After Cameron, Maj. A.,
Insert M.B.
Under Attached to Medical Department (page 1358)—
For Gopal Singh Tarpur, No. 3767 Rifleman, Ind. Infy.,
Read Gopal Singh Thapa, No. 3767 Rifleman, Ind. Infy.

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Mesopotamian Despatches.

Supplement to the London Gazette dated 19th October, 1916 (No. 29789).

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Under Sappers and Miners (page 10053)—

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For Ramayan Singh, No. 1856 Havildar,
Read Ramayan Singh, No. 185 Havildar.
Under Indian Ordnance Department (page 10058)—
For Briggs, Sub-Condr. I.B.,
Read Briggs. Sub-Condr. J. B.
Under Indian Subordinate Medical Department (page 10058)—
For Lal Singh, No. 1354, 3rd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon,
Read Lal Singh Bedi, No. 1194, 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon.
Under Army Bearer Corps (page 10058)—
For Bearose, No. 8044 Bearer,
Read Bharose, No. 8044 Bearer.
Under Military Accounts Department (page 10058)—
For Mobit Kuman Deb, 4th Grade Clerk,
Read Mohit Kumar Deb, 4th Grade Clerk.

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Supplement dated the 17th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 17th April 1917, pages 3675, 3676, 3677, 3678, 3681, 3685, 3686 and 3695.

War Office,
April 17th, 1917.

His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of a Bar to the Distinguished Service Order to :—

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Maj. Ronald Campbell Ross, D S.O., Jats, Ind. Army.

For conspicuous gallantry and good leadership when in command of his battalion. He gallantly led his battalion to the assault of the enemy's position, and the success of the operation was largely due to his fine example and able leadership. Later, while leading his men, he was severely wounded.

(D.S.O. Gazetted 14th Jan. 1916.)

His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve of the appointments of the undermentioned officers to be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

* * * *

Lt. Douglas Hamilton Gordon, Sikhs, Ind. Army.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of two platoons He led his men to reinforce the right flank, and commenced bombing along the enemy trench, thereby regaining much lost ground. Later, he handled a machine gun with great skill, and succeeded in establishing a block under very heavy fire. He set a splendid example throughout the day.

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His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to award a Bar to the Military Cross to the undermentioned officers :—

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Capt. John Ashton Pottinger, M.C. Punjabis, Ind. Army.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. By his skilful dispositions he concealed the presence of his company from the enemy. Later, he took a prominent part in the fighting, and handled his company with marked courage and efficiency under the most difficult circumstances.

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(M.C. Gazetted 14th Jan. 1916.)

His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to confer the Military Cross on the undermentioned officers and warrant officers in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

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Lt. (actg. Capt.) Douglas David Gracey, Gurkha Rif., Ind. Army.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when commanding two companies in the attack. He succeeded in leading the two companies to their objective in spite of a determined opposition, and by his untiring energy and resource was largely responsible for the success of the operations.

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2nd Lt. Charlton Walter Palin, Baluchis, Ind. Army.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in defending a redoubt. Although three times buried by falling parapets, he kept his men together under the most intense fire and maintained hold of his position.

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2nd Lt. William Sutherland Thatcher, I.A.R.O., attd. Baluchis.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He led a bombing party with great gallantry, driving the enemy out of his position and securing an important tactical position. He was wounded.

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His Majesty the King-Emperor has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards to officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the Indian Army :—

Indian Order of Merit, 2nd Class.

Jemadar Allah Ditta, Punjabis.
2095 Havildar Buta Khan, Sikhs.
2569 Havildar Channan Shah, Burma Infy.
Subadar Chimaji Garud, Mahratta L.I.
4291 L.-Naik Fazal Ilahi, Baluchis.
4071 Havildar Ghulam Muhammad, Baluchis.
Subadar Karam Dad, Burma Infy.
820 Pte. Karam Ilahi, Baluchis.
2549 Sepoy Khan Singh, Burma Military Police, attd. Scinde Rif.
Jemadar Malik Aman, Baluchis.
436 Sepoy Mirjan, Baluchis.
3151 Havildar Mirza Khan, Baluchis.
Subadar Muhammad Afzal, Baluchis.
2767 Havildar Sarfaraz, Baluchis.

Indian Distinguished Service Medal.

1429 Naik Bhagat Singh, Sikhs.
9216 Bearer Bagannah (II.) A. Bearer Corps, Ind. A., attd. Secunderabad Pnr. Bn.
2353 Sepoy Bhaga Singh, Punjabi Rif.

1716 Havildar Bakhshi Singh, Sikhs.
507 Naik Bishen Singh, K.G.O. Sappers and Miners.
69 Pte. Chaman Khan, Baluchis.
304 L. Naik Fateh Muhammad, Baluchis.
Jemadar Hakam Singh, Punjabis.
2303 Naik Harsukh, Sikhs (attd. Punjabi Rif.).
4260 L.-Naik Ismail Khan, Punjabis.
549 Sepoy Jiwan Singh, Sikhs.
1384 Naik Kishen Singh, Sikhs.
3911 Havildar Lall Singh, Punjabis.
9236 Bearer Latchman (IV.) A. Bearer Corps, attd. Secunderabad Pnr., Bn., Ind. A.
9239 Bearer Muhammad Ismail, A. Bearer Corps, Ind. A., attd. Secunderabad Pnr. Bn.
9240 Bearer Muhammad Kasim, A Bearer Corps, Ind. A., attd. Secunderabad Pnr. Bn.
3496 Lance-Naik Mema, Erinpura R.
3183 Naik Muhammad Hussain, Baluchis.
2644 Havildar Rajagopal, P.L.I., attd. E. Afr. Fld. Amb.
4006 Havildar Sultan Khan, Baluchis.
4996 Pte. Shah Baz Khan, Baluchis.
2949 Naik Sundar Singh, Sikhs (attd. Scinde Rif.).
2370 Lance-Naik Sunjar Singh, Sikhs.
Subadar Thakar Singh, Punjabis.
2022 Havildar Tilbikram Rana, Gurkha Rif.

AMENDMENTS.

The following are the correct ranks of certain officers awarded the Distinguished Service Order and Military Cross respectively in the London Gazette of 22nd December 1916.

Distinguished Service Order.

Capt. (temp. Maj.) John Faulkener Henniker Anderson, Ind. Army.
Lieut. (temp. Capt.) Alexander Edward Drysdale, M.C., Ind. Army.
Maj. Robert Johnston, Ind. Army.
Lt.-Col. Ernest Francis Knox, Ind. Army
Maj. Herbert Claude McWatters, Ind. Army.
Maj. Hubert Hamilton Smith, Ind. Army.
Maj. Walter Edward Wilson-Johnston, Ind. Army.

Military Cross.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) Harold Arthur Andrews, Ind. Army.
Lt. (temp. Capt.) John Cartwright Brewer, Ind. Army.
2nd Class Sub Asst. Surgeon Gopi Nath Agarwal, I.S.M.D.
Capt. George Ives, Ind. Army.
Capt. and Temp. Maj. (now Maj.) Edgar Claude Kensington, Ind. Army.
2nd Class Asst. Surgeon James Michael Rodrigues, I.S.M.D.
Capt. Arthur Vincent Venables, I.A.R.O.
Capt. Michael Guy Percival Willoughby, Ind. Army.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 895.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, from the dates specified, but not to carry pay and allowances prior to the 1st September 1916 :—

Captains to be Majors.

4th May 1916.

Frank Etheridge, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.

27th July 1916.

Harry Norman Colan, D.S.O., 67th Punjabis.

29th July 1916.

Edric Crawford Ogilvie Ross, 44th Merwara Infantry.

18th October 1916.

Percy de Luder Temple, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).

25th December 1916.

Percy Douglas Saxton, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).

Lieutenants to be Captains.

6th September 1915.

Henry Augustus Wellesley, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Eric Edward Watson, 62nd Punjabis.

19th January 1916.

Robert Mason Bruce, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

20th January 1916.

Arthur Henry Crowther, 67th Punjabis.
Cubitt Archer Grant Rundle, 128th Pioneers.
Thomas Malcolm Dickinson, 16th Cavalry.

24th August 1916.

Ryan Edward Chicheley Plowden, 82nd Punjabis.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

22nd April 1916.

Keith Osborne Carleton, attached 25th Punjabis.

12th May 1916.

Cyril Bourchier Barlow, attached 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

16th June 1916.

Cecil Thomas Tirebuck, 4th Gurkha Rifles.

15th September 1916.

John Francis Marindin, attached 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

17th October 1916.

Arthur Barry Fletcher, attached 10th Jats.

15th November 1916.

John Leslie Longbottom, attached 67th Punjabis.
Eric Norman Goddard, attached 107th Pioneers.
Edward Frederick Christopher Ford Weatherly, 37th Dogras.
Joseph Gordon Kilpin, attached 25th Punjabis.
William Stewart Moore, attached 38th Dogras.
Robert Kent Henson, attached 25th Punjabis.
Robert Victor Hoare, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force). (Since deceased.)
Penry Gerard Willoughby Bullock, attached 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).

18th April 1917.

Gerard Lionel Tomkins, attached 128th Pioneers.
John Vivian Johnson Glen, attached 6th Jat Light Infantry.
Cedric Stansmore Baker, attached 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
William Eric Ronnfeldt, 62nd Punjabis.
Charles Knowler Tester, 6th Jat Light Infantry.
Walter Basil Orlando Fox, attached 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 896.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Molesworth, C.I.E., M.B , V.H.S., *vice* Colonel A. O. Evans, Indian Medical Service, Madras, retired ; with effect from the 22nd January 1917.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Northern Army.

No. 897 —Conductor Thomas Nicholas, supernumerary, on reversion to arsenal duty, to be absorbed, *vice* Conductor Vincent Norman Strickland, deceased ; with effect from the 11th May 1917.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 898.—The following promotions are made :—

9th Hodson's Horse.

Kot-Dafadar Habib Gul to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

14th Murray's Jat Lancers.

Kot-Dafadar Rup Chand to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

27th Light Cavalry.

Kot-Dafadar Nawal Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.

Dafadar Jorawar Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 5th March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

No. 1 Ammunition Column, Royal Field Artillery.

Jemadar Dadu Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 28th May 1917; to complete the establishment.

No. 4 Ammunition Column, Royal Field Artillery.

Havildar Bur Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

No. 3 (Divisional Signal) Company.

Havildar Mawaz Din to be Jemadar, with effect from the 25th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Labour Corps.

Jemadar Alla Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st May 1917; to complete the establishment.

Labour Corps Depot, Alipore.

Pensioned Jemadar Despati Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 16th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

9th Bhopal Infantry.

Jemadar Abhaidatt Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 15th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

18th Infantry.

Jemadars Sher Muhammad Khan and Dost Muhammad Khan to be Subadars, Havildars Ismail Khan, Zahur Ali Khan, Shaikh Zaman Ali and Wali Muhammad Khan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 16th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

Special Chhach Company (attached 25th Punjabis).

Nawab Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd January 1917; to complete the establishment.

51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Makhmad Din, I.O.M., to be Subadar, with effect from the 10th March 1917, and Havildar Amar Din to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Gagan Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 15th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).

Colour-Havildar Kharak Singh and Havildar Ishar Singh to be Jemadars, with effect from the 23rd February 1917 and Colour-Havildar Indar Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).

Havildar Santa Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 8th March 1917 and Havildar Indar Singh, [52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force)], to be Jemadar, with effect from the 26th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

74th Punjabis.

Jemadars Pala Singh, Mihr Singh and Sher Zaman to be Subadars, Colour-Havildars Amir Khan, Kehr Singh and Muhammad Khan and Quartermaster-Havildar Khan Bahadur to be Jemadars, with effect from the 3rd April 1917; to complete the establishment.

75th Carnatic Infantry.

Subadar Munisami to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 10th April 1917; *vice* Saiyid Padshah, transferred to the pension establishment.

79th Carnatic Infantry.

Jemadars Nilamegham, Husain Khan and Abdul Ghafar to be Subadars and Havildars Ratna Mudali, Muhammad Khan and Shaikh Mahbub to be Jemadars, with effect from the 20th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

88th Carnatic Infantry.

Havildar Ramalingam to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st February 1917; to complete the establishment.

92nd Punjabis.

Havildar Shan Muhammad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st April 1917; to complete the establishment.

105th Mahratta Light Infantry.

Jemadar Sheikh Yakub to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Muhammad Husain, (116th Mahrattas), to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th January 1917; *vice* Abbas Khan, transferred to the pension establishment.

Special Bengali Company (attached 106th Hazara Pioneers).

Havildars Anadi Nath Chatterji and Kumar Adhikram Mazumdar to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st February 1917; to complete the establishment.

121st Pioneers.

Jemadars Narayan Khomme and Daula Ram to be Subadars, with effect from the 24th October 1916, and Colour-Havildar Gharsi Ram to be Jemadar, with effect from the 5th March 1917, but to be antedated without pay and allowances to the 3rd January 1915; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.

Colour-Havildar Reshmin Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 24th January 1917 and Colour-Havildar Pir Bakhsh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st March 1917; to complete the establishment.

Special Bengali Company [attached 2nd Reserve Battalion (Mahrattas)].

Sailendra Nath Basu to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th October 1916; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Jemadars Lilbir Thapa and Gangaram Thapa to be Subadars, with effect from the 26th March 1917, Havildar Dalbir Burathoki to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th January 1917, Havildar Akbar Ale, Ane Thapa and Lale Pun to be Jemadars, with effect from the 26th March 1917, and Havildar Bag Sing Thapa to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadar Jasbir Gurung, (2nd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles), to be Subadar, with effect from the 21st January 1917, Jemadars Damdar Thapa, Karkbahadur Rana and Ram Nath Kachari (Dacca Military Police) to be Subadars, with effect from the 18th February 1917, Jemadar Balbir Thapa to be Subadar, with effect from the 15th March 1917, Havildar Kharakbahadur Pun to be Jemadar, with effect from the 21st January 1917, Havildars Anbir Pun, Basurey Thapa, Rup Sing Thapa, Mandhoj Gurung and Birbhan Gurung to be Jemadars, with effect from the 18th February 1917, and Havildar Asu Gurung to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

No. 899.—The following promotion is made :—

Special Bengali Company [attached 2nd Reserve Battalion (Mahrattas)].

Jemadar Sailendra Nath Basu to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st February 1917; to complete the establishment.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

No. 900.—The following promotions are made :—

50th Mule Corps.

Quartermaster Dafadar Mehr Ali Khan, 33rd Mule Corps, to be Jemadar, to complete the establishment; with effect from the 22nd March 1917.

59th Grantee Camel Corps.

Kot Dafadar Muhammad Khan, 52nd Silladar Camel Corps, to be Ressaidar, to complete the establishment; with effect from the 2nd May 1917.

RETENTIONS.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 901.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 581, dated the 26th May 1916, Colonel John Smyth, M.D., V.H.S., is retained in the service for the period of the war.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Southern Army.

No. 902.—Commissary and Honorary Captain James Garrett Coleburt is retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 30th May 1917, until further orders and will be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

RECRUITING.

No. 903.—With the approval of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the grant of a bonus of Rs. 50 to each recruit enlisted into the combatant branches of the Indian Army on and after the 4th June 1917.

2. Subsidiary orders on the subject will be issued by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 904.—Second Lieutenant Samuel Fitzgerald Madden to be Honorary Major while employed as Assistant Red Cross Commissioner in the field. Dated the 4th June 1917.

Bengal North-Western Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 905.—Lieutenant David Young Anderson to be Captain, *vice* R. M. Dundas, V.D.; promoted. Dated the 1st June 1916.

Second Lieutenant James Rennie Izat, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st June 1916.

Second Lieutenant William Speedie Forsyth to be Lieutenant to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st June 1916.

Second Battalion, Bengal Nagpur Railway Volunteer Corps.

No. 906.—Second Lieutenant Vivian Everard Donne Jarrad is granted the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Adjutant of the Corps. Dated the 14th March 1917.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 907.—Lieutenant William Sydney Harvey, seconded, to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

Lieutenant Jack Lionel Cottle, seconded, to be Captain, and to remain seconded. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

Lieutenant Rupert Willoughby Hanson to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

Lieutenant Charles Ernest Bagram to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

Lieutenant Denis William Leonard to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

Lieutenant Ernest Stanley Behrend to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

Lieutenant Samuel Hope Richards to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

Second Lieutenant Frank Collingwood to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

Second Lieutenant Valentine Carl Whybrow Unger, seconded, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

Second Lieutenant John Henry Simpson to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

Second Lieutenant Alexander Edward Mackenzie to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

William Morgan to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 3rd January 1917.

Arthur Lucas William Fleming to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 16th January 1917.

Robert Leonard Jenks to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 21st February 1917.

Second Lieutenant William Edward George Huggett to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 23rd February 1917.

Second Lieutenant William Cook to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 23rd February 1917.

Second Lieutenant Maurice Remfry to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 23rd February 1917.

Roy Drummond Whitehorn to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 23rd February 1917.

Medals and Decorations.

No. 908.—His Excellency the Governor-General of India is pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officer :—

Sind Volunteer Rifles.

Captain Anthony Edward Cumming.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 8th June 1917.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 25.—The following extract is published for general information :—

London Gazette dated the 20th April 1917, pages 3753 and 3754.

Admiralty,
18th April 1917.

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The undermentioned officers of the Royal Indian Marine have been granted temporary commissions in the Royal Navy, as stated :—

Lieutenant, Royal Indian Marine, to be temporary Lieutenant Commander.

Bertram Hughes-Hallett. 28th February 1917.

Lieutenants, Royal Indian Marine, to be temporary Lieutenants.

4th August 1914.

Bryan Gordon.
Herbert L. Davis.
Cecil R. Bluett.
Lionel S. Wadeson.
Cecil G. Hallett.
William A Galbraith.
Arthur H. B. Gray.
George M. Osborne-Smith.
Richard C. G. McClement.
John Cameron. 25th October 1915.
Roderick A. H. McConnell, 8th February 1916.
Harold C. Beauchamp. 14th September 1916.

6th December 1916.

Philip A. Mare.
Philip A. Curtis.

Sub-Lieutenants, Royal Indian Marine, to be temporary Sub-Lieutenants.

4th August 1914.

Arthur E. Gooding.
Charles K. B. Boyd.
Edward D. Lyon-Brown.

Chief Engineers, Royal Indian Marine, to be temporary Engineer-Commanders.

4th August 1914.

Edmund J. Ellery.
Arthur Bonny.

Engineers, Royal Indian Marine, to be temporary Engineer Lieutenant Commanders.

4th August 1914.

Frank T. Frazer.
George E. Wood.
Alexander A. Duncan. 22nd April 1915.

Engineers, Royal Indian Marine, to be temporary Engineer-Lieutenants.

4th August 1914.

Reginald S. Baskett.
Charles Vincent.
John S. Page.
Philip B. Porter.
Horace O. Webb.
William A. Cable.
Abraham Thomson.
Frank A. Wood.
Charles Parnis.
Carl R. L. Bergnor.
James Beggs.
John E. Moloney. 1st September 1914.
Walter Richardson. 24th September 1914.
Percival R. Walo. 23rd April 1915.
George S. Miskin. 21st September 1916.
John E. Roberts. 24th October 1916.

Assistant Engineers, Royal Indian Marine, to be temporary Engineer Sub-Lieutenants.

4th August 1914.

Percy C. Barrell.
Harold K. Daniel.
Albert E. F. Orchard.
Arthur J. Williams.
Robert H. McKillican.
Wilfrid J. Lifton.

Temporary Assistant Engineer, Royal Indian Marine, to be temporary Engineer Sub-Lieutenant.

Robert C. Forsyth. 17th August 1914.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 5th June, 1917.

No. 186-4-E.-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 186-1-E.-17, dated the 9th May 1917, Mr. F. J. Harvey, Deputy Chief Engineer, North Western Railway, officiated as Chief Engineer of that Railway, in addition to his own duties, with the officiating rank of Chief Engineer, 2nd class, from the 7th to the 22nd May 1917.

The 6th June, 1917.

No. 44-T.-16.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Freight (Railway and Inland Steam-Vessel) Tax Act, 1917, (XIII of 1917), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the rules issued with the Notification of the Government of India in the Railway Department No. 44-T.-16, dated the 26th of March 1917, namely :—

After rule 4 of the said rules the following rule shall be added, namely :—

"5. In the case of goods carried freight-free and not exempted from the payment of the tax, the tax shall be paid to the officer to whom, and at the time and place where, the freight would be paid if leviable."

No. 333-E.-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 333-E., dated the 13th April 1917, Mr. F. G. Griffith reverted to his appointment of officiating District Traffic Superintendent, North-Western Railway, with effect from the 14th May 1917.

The 7th June, 1917.

No. 538-E.-17.—In Railway Board's Notification No. 538-E., dated the 27th April 1917, *for* 12th April 1917 *substitute* 15th April 1917.

No. 655-E.-2.—The following officers whose services were placed at the disposal of the Railway Board are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, with effect from the 1st April 1917:—

Captain G. C. Spring, I.A.R.

Lieutenant W. T. Sargisson, I.A.R.

No. 655-E.-17.—The services of the following officers are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, with effect from the 1st April 1917:—

Mr. K. M. Kirkhope	...	...	Superintendent of Recruitment.
Captain W. I. Kearns	...	...	Assistant Superintendent of Recruitment, Calcutta.
Mr. C. O. B. Morgan	...	...	Assistant Superintendent of Recruitment, Calcutta.
Mr. A. B. Wallace	...	...	Assistant Superintendent of Recruitment, Calcutta.
Rai Sahib Hari Chand	...	...	Assistant Superintendent of Recruitment, Lahore.
Mr. S. W. Owen	...	...	Assistant Superintendent of Recruitment, Lahore.
Mr. A. E. R. Forbes	...	...	Assistant Superintendent of Recruitment, Bombay.

The 8th June, 1917.

No. 324-P.-16. The Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 5, Bombay, having inspected the Unaikala-Amba Section of the Bilimora-Kala Amba Railway, authorised its opening for passenger traffic, with effect from the 1st May 1917.

The Railway Board, after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

No. 398-E.-17.—The undermentioned promotions in the Engineer Establishment, State Railways, are ordered:—

Name.	From—	To—	With effect from.
Rai Bahadur Rala Ram, I.S.O....	Superintending Engineer, 1st Class.	Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, Officiating.	5th March 1917.
Mr. W. H. K. Howard ...	Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, Temporary.	Do.	1st May 1917.
Mr. J. Sutherland	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, Supernumerary.	Do. Supernumerary.	23rd May 1917.
Mr. F. G. Royal Dawson ...	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class.	Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, Officiating.	Do.
Colonel C. S. Rose	Superintending Engineer, 1st Class.	Do.	Do.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Sanitary.

Plague.

Simla, [illegible] June, 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 2nd June 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
[illegible] ...	...	......	...	...
Bombay Pres'y and Sind	Northern	Bombay City	64	55
		Ahmedabad City	1	1
		Ahmedabad District	1	1
		Kaira District	4	3
		Surat Town and Port	10	10
		Surat District	2	2
		Thana District	39	34
	Central	Ahmednagar District	7	6
		East Khandesh District	23	11
		Poona Town	1	...
		Poona District	27	21
		Nasik District	28	14
		Satara District	109	54
		Sholapur District	35	26
	Southern	Kolaba District	7	7
		Ratnagiri Port	5	6
		Ratnagiri District	8	5
		Belgaum District	76	45
		Dharwar District	11	5
	Sind ...	Karachi Town and Port	88	81
		Hyderabad Town	2	3
		Hyderabad District	20	20

The following additions should be made in the returns noted below :—

19th May 1917—Sukkur District 1 case, 1 death.

26th „ 1917—Panch Mahals District 1 case, 1 death.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 30,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Political Charges	Baroda State	1	3
		Mangrol Port	5	2
		Kathiawar Agency	6	7
		Mahi Kantha Agency	3	1
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	85	52
		Bijapur Agency	8	3
		Satara Agency	4	2
		Akalkot State	7	7
		Savanur State	1	...
		Surat Agency	...	1
		TOTAL	609	455
MADRAS PRESIDENCY	...	Anantapur District	3	3
		Bellary District	2	2
		Coimbatore District	4	5
		North Arcot District	...	2 (a)
		TOTAL	9	12
BENGAL PRESIDENCY	Presidency	Calcutta	2	1
		TOTAL	2	1
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Patna	Patna City	5	5
		Patna District	71	61
		Shahabad District	159	157
	Tirhut	Saran District	85	87
		Muzaffarpur District	77	71
		Darbhanga City	...	1
		Darbhanga District	33	23

(a) One imported.

In the return for the week ending 26th May 1917, the following corrections and additions should be made :—

Aden Port *read* 13 deaths *for* 14 deaths

Muzaffarpur District *read* 77 cases, 76 deaths *for* 7 cases, 6 deaths.

Gaya Town *add* 2 cases, 2 deaths.

Gaya District „ 4 „ 3 „

Province or Provinces.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	11	7
		Bhagalpur City	13	5
		Bhagalpur District	18	5
		TOTAL	467	425
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut...	Saharanpur City	2	1
		Saharanpur District	19	13
		Muzaffarnagar District	46	45
	Agra ..	Mainpuri District	14	13
	Rohilkhand	Bareilly District	...	1
		Bijnor District	21	20
		Budaun District	16	12
		Moradabad District	37	32
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City	3	3
		Farrukhabad District	20	20
		Etawah District	11	8
		Cawnpore City	10	10
		Cawnpore District	41	41
		Fatehpur District	25	24
		Allahabad City	5	5
		Allahabad District	24	21
	Jhansi ...	Jalaun District	32	42
	Benares	Benares City	3	2
		Benares District	7	6
		Jaunpur District	52	38
		Ghazipur District	90	84
		Ballia District	158	142

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur District	67	61
		Basti District	33	69
		Azamgarh District	71	71
	Lucknow	Unao District	285	236
		Rae Bareli District	155	143
		Sitapur District	28	23
		Hardoi District	11	11
		Kheri District	7	9
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	6	7
		Gonda District	10	15
		Bahraich District	2	2
		Sultanpur District	11	11
		Partabgarh District	7	8
		Bara Banki District	22	22
		TOTAL	1,343	1,2[illegible]9

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Ambala	Karnal District	19	19
		Ambala District	12	8
	Lahore	Lahore City	31	14
		Lahore District	70	66
		Gurdaspur District	27	17
	Rawalpindi	Jhelum District	20	23
	Native States	Jind State	2	3
		Patiala State	7	7
		TOTAL	188	157
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	25	28
		Hanthawaddy District	2	2
	Irrawaddy	Myaungmya District	8	8
		Pyapon District	1	1
	Tenasserim	Moulmein Town	8	7
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	1	1
		TOTAL	45	47

In the return for the week ending 26th May 1917, *add* the following :—
Jhelum District 56 cases, 33 deaths.
Kapurthala State 10 ,, 5 ,,

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur ..	Nagpur District	5	4
		Bhandara District	10	8
		Balaghat District	7	7
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore District	40	20
		Saugar District	12	7
		Damoh District.	1	...
		Seoni District	4	1
		Mandla District	5	4
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District	29	23
		Nimar District	10	10
		Narsinghpur District	26	28
		Chhindwara District	12	7
	Berar .	Amraoti District	15	11
		Yeotmal District	16	13
		Akola District	21	20
		Buldana District	31	15
		TOTAL .	249	178
ASSAM ..	...	... ...	...	...
COORG ...	...	... ...	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	3	5
		Bangalore District	4	4
		Mysore District	19	10
		Shimoga District	7	2
		Chitaldroog District	7	5
		Tumkur District	4	2
		Kolar Gold Fields District	1	1
		Kolar District	3	2
		TOTAL	48	31
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	5	4
		Parbhani District	9	9
		Gulbarga District	10	5
		Usmanabad District	272	196
		Bidar District	5	4
		Warangal District	2	2
		TOTAL	303 (a)	220 (a)

(a) From the 21st to the 27th May 1917.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore State	3	7
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	49	20
		Bhopal State	5	1
		Rewa State	8	2
		TOTAL	65 (a)	30 (a)
RAJPUTANA	...	Ajmer City	115	78
		Ajmer District	62	25
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State	34	27
		Mewar State	3	6
		Bharatpur State	...	1
		Kishangarh State	16	12
		Jaipur State	43	33
		Jhalawar State	2	2
		TOTAL	275	183
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	48	29
		TOTAL	48	29
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	3,705	3,056

(a) For the week ending 26th May 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 7th June 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. The Arabian Sea monsoon appeared on the west coast and gave fairly general rain in the Peninsula, excluding the east coast districts. The Bay monsoon gave rain in Burma and northeast India and extended over the Gangetic plain into the Punjab. At the close of the week a depression was lying off Waltair and had given moderately heavy rain on the north Madras coast.

2. *Burma.*—Rainfall was nearly general throughout the province on the 2nd and 3rd.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Nearly general rain fell every day in Assam, and on the 1st and 3rd in Chota Nagpur.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—There was nearly general rain in the United Provinces excluding the southwestern districts on the 2nd and in the east of the Central Provinces on the 4th.

Northwest India.—Rainfall was fairly general in the Punjab on the 2nd and 3rd.

The Peninsula.—Rain fell at nearly every station on the west coast on the 2nd, 4th, 5th and 6th, in the Bombay Deccan on the 4th, in Hyderabad on the 31st May, the 1st, 2nd and 6th June, in Mysore on the 31st May and the 3rd June, in the Madras Deccan on the 31st May, the 1st, 2nd, 4th and 5th June, and on the north Madras coast on the 6th June.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

May 31st. Tavoy 2·08", Dibrugarh 1·20", Sibsagar 1·28", Dhubri 4·51", Jalpaiguri 1·89", Bijapur 1·90" and Cochin 5·47".

June 1st. Mandalay 2·47", Dhubri 2·07", Cherrapunji 2·04", Jessore 2·98", Hazaribagh 2·19", Darbhanga 1·26", Akola 0·93", Sholapur 1·72", Bijapur 2·50", Aurangabad 1·14" and Kodaikanal 1·79".

„ 2nd. Moulmein 1·60", Akyab 1·88", Mandalay 1·77", Bhamo 1·00", Myitkyina 1·17", Maymyo 1·45", Dhubri 4·75", Cherrapunji 1·95", Narayanganj 1·06", Saugor Island 1·18", Dinajpur 1·21", Darbhanga 1·23", Lucknow 1·10", Bareilly 1·25", Meerut 1·34", Ambala 0·92", Lyallpur 2·45", Ratnagiri 1·39", Nizamabad 1·37", Raichur 2·50", Hyderabad (Deccan) 0·96", Mangalore 3·55" and Cuddalore 1·57"

„ 3rd. Kyaukpyu 1·52", Bhamo 1·19", Dibrugarh 2·27", Tezpur 2·07", Gauhati 2·38", Cherrapunji 14·16", Dhubri 2·23", False Point 1·10", Chaibasa 1·03", Bareilly 1·10", Meerut 1·69", Jagdalpur 1·00", Hissar 1·43", Multan 0·54", Cochin 2·85" and Madras 1·59".

„ 4th. Akyab 2·26", Monywa 1·83", Lashio 1·35", Myitkyina 1·78", Cherrapunji 7·10", Dhubri 1·47", Barisal 1·10", Jalpaiguri 1·40", Allahabad 2·13", Raipur 1·91", Simla 1·18", Bombay 1·15", Mangalore 4·22", Cochin 1·30", Trivandrum 1·75", Bijapur 1·15", Bellary 0·88" and Salem 1·00".

„ 5th. Bhamo 1·71", Dhubri 1·79", Cherrapunji 11·17", Mymensingh 1·34", Surat 0·93", Karwar 1·56", Mangalore 3·07", Bellary 0·96", Kurnool 1·25" and Masulipatam 0·90".

„ 6th. Bassein 1·93", Akyab 2·72", Maymyo 1·30", Dibrugarh 2·34", Dhubri 6·59", Chakrata 1·25", Ratnagiri 2·85", Marmagao 2·78", Karwar 2·40", Parbhani 2·35", Mangalore 2·12", Calicut 1·76", Nellore 1·83", Masulipatam 1·90", Cocanada 1·27" and Waltair 1·08".

4. The rainfall of the week was 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Lower Burma, Bengal, Bihar, Kashmir, the North West Frontier Province, Baluchistan and Rajputana. It was within 20 per cent of the normal in Orissa, the Central Provinces West, the Konkan and Mysore, and was 20 per cent or more in excess in all the remaining divisions with the exception of Sind where no rain usually falls at this time of the year.

The rainfall from the 4th May to date differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent in Upper Burma, Assam, Orissa, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Malabar and Madras Southeast, and is 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Lower Burma, Bengal, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province and Mysore. It is 20 per cent or more in excess in the remainder of the country.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8 to 13 and maize from 12 to 25 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is average. Cattle disease of mild type prevails in the Basohli tahsil. Fodder is insufficient in certain places.

Kashmir.—Report not received.

Rajputana.—The rainfall during the week was general, varying from 50 cents in Merwara to 2 inches 72 cents in Kotah. The weather was occasionally cloudy. Land is being prepared for autumn crops and sowings continue. Agricultural stock is healthy, though some cattle disease prevails in Dungarpur, Banswara and Kotah. Water and fodder are ample. Prices show a marked fall in Dungarpur, Jhalawar, Kishengarh, Tonk and Karauli and slight rise in Kotah, Jaipur, Bharatpur and Merwara and are stationary elsewhere.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was general in Gwalior and Bhopal and partial elsewhere. It was insufficient in Bhopal and unnecessary in Baghelkhand. Spring crops are being threshed in Bhopal, Rewa and the Nagod State in the Baghelkhand Agency. Land is being prepared for autumn crops almost everywhere. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are high in Bhopal, have fallen slightly in Gwalior and are steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather continues to be hot and occasionally cloudy. Seventeen districts received light to moderate rain, nowhere exceeding 2¼ inches. Threshing and winnowing are approaching completion everywhere. Preparation of lands for the ensuing season's crops continues. The supply of fodder and water is adequate. Variations in prices are unimportant but indicate an upward tendency.

Feudatory States.—Six States received light showers. Ploughing of fields is preceeding.

Bombay.—Good rain fell during the week throughout the Presidency. Lands are being prepared for autumn cultivation and sowing has commenced in the Konkan and the Karnatak. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Larkana, Thar and Parkar, Kaira and the Panch Mahals. Prices of food grains have risen slightly in parts of the Karnatak and are generally steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—During the week slight showers were general. The average fall was 45 cents. Harvesting of late rice has been nearly completed. Lands are being prepared for monsoon sowings. Cattle disease prevails in four talukas. Prices of grains:—Wheat 7½, coarse rice 6¼ and *juar* 11 seers per rupee. Coarse rice is selling at 7¾ and white *juar* at 11 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 7 seers per rupee in Bidar and the lowest 18 seers per rupee in Bir.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was fair to good. Prices of food grains are generally steady. Markets are well supplied. Standing crops are in good condition. The outturn of the harvested paddy, sugarcane and cotton is fair. Ploughing and manuring operations and sowing of paddy and *ragi* are in progress in parts. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 3 inches 65 cents. Ploughing for rice has commenced. Prices of food grains are slightly lower. The public health is fair. Cattle disease has subsided. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was very heavy in Cochin, heavy in Banganapalle, Malabar, South Kanara and the Nilgiris, good in Bellary, Sandur, Cuddapah, South Arcot, Pudukkottai, Madura, Travancore and Central except Chittoor and fair or light elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water-supply is insufficient in parts of Godavari, South Arcot, Madura, Ramnad, South Kanara, Central and Deccan except Kurnool and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is insufficient in six districts and in parts of six others. Fodder is generally available. Prices are fairly steady.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

MEMORANDUM REGARDING THE PROBABLE AMOUNT OF MONSOON RAINFALL IN 1917.

Monsoon rainfall in India is affected by previous conditions over various parts of the earth. The recent data which appear to be of importance are :—

SOUTH AMERICA.

2. *Argentine Republic.* – Pressure was in excess by 1·2 mm. in March, in defect by 0·1 mm. in April and in excess by 3·5 mm. in May.

Chili.—Pressure at Santiago was in defect by 0·1 mm. in March, and in excess by 0·1 mm. in April and 1·4 mm. in May.

THE INDIAN OCEAN.

3. (*a*) *Mauritius.*—Pressure was in defect by ·025" in May.

(*b*) *Zanzibar.*—Rainfall in April was 16·49", the normal being 13·66" : in May it was 13·62", against a normal of 10·11". Winds were variable in the middle week of May, but practically normal on the mean of the month.

(*c*) *Seychelles.*—In May rainfall was 0·52" against a normal of 6·07"; winds were 4 miles an hour stronger than usual.

(*d*) *Logs of vessels.*—No information is available for the equatorial belt. Over the Arabian Sea there were no preliminary irruptions of the monsoon such as usually occur in May : the first advance occurred over the western half during the fourth week, at about the normal date, and gave rise to a severe storm. By June 1st monsoon conditions had appeared on the Malabar coast. The mail steamer from Aden this week experienced a strong monsoon between Socotra and the meridian of 63° E.

Over the Bay of Bengal there were two advances, one in the first week which resulted in a severe storm, and the second in the fourth week.

NORTH-EAST AFRICA.

4. The rainfall of Abyssinia in April and May is brought by monsoon winds from the Indian Ocean, and can be estimated from the amount of water in the Blue Nile. This was slightly above the average at the beginning of June. Pressure at Cairo was above normal at the end of May.

SNOWFALL.

5. (*a*) Over the area extending from Persia to the Indus the snowfall appears to have been much lighter than usual during the period November to May.

(*b*) The snowfall in the Kashmir hills was on the whole abnormally small in amount, and the quantity of snow lying there at the present time is considerably below the average.

(*c*) In the Punjab Himalayas the fall was scanty from November to February, but during the next three months weather was much more disturbed than usual and there were frequent local falls, some of them down to unusually low levels. In parts of Kulu snow is reported to have fallen as low as 6,000 feet on

the 28th April. The existing accumulations are barely one-fourth of the normal in the Simla hills, and materially greater than usual on the ranges in Kulu.

(*d*) In the Kumaon hills the snowfall was much below the average from November to February, and normal or in excess during the succeeding three months. The accumulations on May 25th were appreciably deeper than usual on most of the passes.

(*e*) Snowfall was heavier and lay longer than usual in the eastern and central sections of the North-East Frontier Tract, and was about the average in the western section.

On the whole it may be said that snowfall has been much below the normal in the highlands to the west of the Indus as well as in Kashmir, and heavier than usual in parts of the Himalayas. The local excess in the Punjab and the United Provinces Himalayas was a result mainly of the frequent falls from March to May, comparatively little snowfall having occurred in the earlier part of the winter.

CEYLON.

6. The May rainfall in the southern portion of the island, as represented by the mean of Galle, Kalutara and Ratnapura, was 7·7 inches, the average being 14·7 inches.

INDIA.

7. In April weather was very wet and cold in the Punjab, Rajputana, the United Provinces and Central India; and in May these conditions occurred to an unprecedented degree. Rainfall was over double the average in the Punjab, the United Provinces, and Hyderabad, over three times in the Central Provinces and over seven times in Rajputana and Central India. Temperature was in defect by 7° in the Punjab and United Provinces, 11° in Rajputana, 9° in Central India and the Central Provinces, and 6° in Hyderabad.

UPPER AIR.

8. Mr. Field has found that during the cooler half year in India the winds increase rapidly with height and frequently reach 100 miles an hour at a height of about 7 miles; in the hotter half year the increase is slight.

The diminution in velocity of the upper winds has occurred this year earlier than in any of the past three years at Khojak, Simla and Agra; and a Bangalore earlier than in 1916.

INFERENCES FROM THE DATA.

9. An examination of past records shows that for the present purpose India may with advantage be divided into four parts. The rainfall of the extreme south of the peninsula tends to vary in the direction opposite to that of India as a whole, and that of lower Burma is largely independent of it. We may separate off Upper Burma, Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Chota Nagpur, as depending almost entirely on the Bay current. Then the rest of India will depend partly or entirely on the Arabian Sea current; it consists of the United Provinces, the Punjab, the North-West Frontier Province, Sind, Rajputana, Bombay, Central India, the Central Provinces, Hyderabad, Mysore, the North Madras Coast and Orissa. This area, forming the greater part of the country, may be called 'India main' and is fairly homogeneous in its dependence on external meteorological factors.

10. Considering 'India main', one of the chief factors affecting its rainfall is pressure in South America during April and May. This is favourable when high and this year is distinctly above the normal. It tends to vary in the opposite direction to pressure at Mauritius, which is favourable when low in May, as it is this year. The rainfall at Zanzibar in April and May should be

in defect in order to improve the outlook; but in both months it was in moderate excess. An excess here is usually associated with a late or severe Indian winter, culminating in large accumulations of snow at the end of May. This year the winter was prolonged to an unprecedented extent. But the effect was felt more in the plains than the hills; and though the accumulations of snow in the Himalayas east of Chamba are probably in decided excess on the average, those to the west, in Kashmir, Afghanistan, Baluchistan and Persia are conspicuously in defect. On the whole the amount of snow covered area would thus appear to be slightly less than usual, and this should be favourable to the Arabian Sea monsoon. This view is supported by the ease with which the monsoon spread over the Punjab on the 2nd and 3rd of June, as well as by the early rise of the Blue Nile, which is largely controlled by snowfall in the regions west of Afghanistan.

Heavy rain in May in south Ceylon resembles heavy rain at Zanzibar in being prejudicial, but this year it has been decidedly less than usual.

The data of the upper air extend over three years only; and although this year the seasonal changes are occurring earlier than usual, it is not safe to deduce that the progress of the monsoon in June will be abnormally rapid; in 1916 a retardation of the changes in the upper air was followed by abundant June rainfall.

The Zanzibar rainfall is thus the only factor that is prejudicial to the rainfall in 'India main,' and we should expect that the Arabian Sea current will be stronger than usual.

11. The Bay current is chiefly affected by May rainfall at Seychelles and this has been in large defect. Thus we may expect the Bay current to be stronger than usual. Regarding the extensive snowfall accumulations in the eastern Himalayas we should expect their effect to be prejudicial to north Burma, Assam, north Bengal and Bihar, and beneficial to Central India East: but so little experience has been gained of similar conditions in the past that no reliance can be placed on this conclusion

12. Before summarising the results it should be pointed out that the past year has been extremely abnormal. The Indian monsoon rainfall of 1916 was the heaviest on record; the simultaneous winter in the Argentine was colder than that of 1915, itself the coldest for about 30 years. The ensuing summer of 1916-17 in the Argentine was the hottest for 40 years, and the winter in north-west Europe was extremely severe. The recent cold and wet of north-west India also have beaten all previous records.

Under these conditions there is a greater risk than usual that one of the factors of which we take no account may prove of great importance, and may outweigh the effects of the factors that have been considered.

SUMMARY.

(a) The outlook for the general monsoon rainfall of India is on the whole favourable, and the rainfall is likely to be in excess, at any rate in the earlier part of the season.

(b) In spite of the recent cold there is no reason to expect that the rainfall of north-west India will suffer to any marked extent by comparison with that of the rest of India.

SIMLA;
The 6th June 1917.

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PROVINCIAL FINANCE.

Provincial Settlements.

No change was made during the year in the terms of the existing Provincial Settlements except in the case of Burma. Although the main features of the Settlement with Burma, which was made permanent from 1st April 1911, remained unaltered, the Secretary of State sanctioned during the year under review the following measures for improving the finances of the Local Government, *viz.*, (*a*) the enhancement, with effect from the year 1915-16, of the original fixed assignment of 12,90 by a further recurring annual grant of 15,11, representing the amount by which the total revenue provided in the settlement of 1911 fell short of the then estimated standard of expenditure, and (*b*) a progressive guarantee of a minimum total growing revenue, advancing by 8,00 a year from 4,79,46 in 1911-12 to 5,75,46 in 1923-24, and thereafter a minimum total revenue of the latter amount exclusive of assignments. Under this arrangement, no arrears of assignment will be given in respect of the period from 1911-12 to 1914-15 inclusive, and the guarantee of progressive revenue will not be operative until the financial year after that in which peace is concluded. The revenue guaranteed in any particular year will, however, be reckoned from that year onwards as if the guarantee had been in force with effect from 1911-12.

The temporary financial settlements with Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, and Assam, which would in ordinary circumstances have terminated on the 31st March 1915, have been extended until normal financial conditions are re-established.

Provincial balances.

2. The following statement shows the Revenue, Expenditure, and Balances of Provincial Governments. The closing balances in all the Provinces were largely in excess of the prescribed minima.

Province.	Opening Balance on 1st April 1915.	Revenue during 1915-16.	Expenditure during 1915-16.	Surplus + Deficit –	Closing balance on 31st March 1916.	Prescribed minimum.
Madras	1,10,16	7,67,70	7,67,84	—14	1,10,02	20,00
Bombay	1,58,04	7,75,60	7,56,63	+18,97	1,77,01	20,00
Bengal	2,72,60	6,34,60	6,28,01	+6,59	2,79,19	20,00
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	1,45,07	6,90,56	6,80,28	+10,28	1,55,35	20,00
Punjab	52,22	4,88,51	4,77,18	+11,33	63,55	10,00
Burma	93,25	5,54,33	5,64,06	—9,73	83,52	12,00
Bihar and Orissa	1,54,33	3,17,44	3,28,77	—11,33	1,43,00	12,00
Central Provinces	97,45	2,89,45	2,86,26	+3,19	1,00,64	10,00
Assam	29,49	1,42,89	1,52,40	—9,51	19,98	10,00
Total	11,12,61	46,61,08	46,41,43	+19,65	11,32,26	1,34,00

EXPENDITURE UNDER OBJECTION.

General.

3. Certain changes have been introduced in the present report in the method of showing the expenditure under objection. On the Civil side, the amount of expenditure, for which the sanction of the Local Government or of the Government of India was insufficient and which was recorded in the register maintained under article 983, Civil Account Code, Volume II, has hitherto not ordinarily been included in the report. This has now been included in the figures shown in the column 'Items awaiting clearance—for other reasons' in the tabular statement under paragraph 5 below, and has also been taken into account in calculating the percentage of objections raised to the total expenditure of the year. Objections raised with regard to charges on account of salary, travelling allowances, and contingencies of the Public Works Department have hitherto been shown under the Civil Department for some provinces and under the Public Works Department for others. Such objections are taken in the present report under the Civil Department, with a view to securing uniformity in this respect. On the Public Works side, amounts held under objection in respect of expenditure on Military Works under the control of the Local Governments and Administrations, which were formerly included in the review of objections under Military Works, are now incorporated in the figures of the Buildings and Roads Branch of the Public Works Department against the respective provinces. In consequence of the amalgamation of the Postal and Telegraph services, the transactions of the Post Office are for the first time exhibited under a separate head 'Posts and Telegraphs.'

Civil Department.

Percentage of objections to total expenditure.

4. The following statement shows the gross amount of objections raised in each Province during the year under review, the net amount of objections representing substantial infringements of financial rules, the amount of expenditure audited, and the percentage which the net objections bear to the total expenditure.

1	2	3			4	5	6	7
		DEDUCT						
Province.	Total Expenditure placed under objection.	Amount relating to Debt Heads, including Suspense.	Amount placed under objection for want of D. C. bills.	Total Deductions.	Net expenditure placed under objection which represents substantial deviation from rules.	Total expenditure debited to Service Heads audited during the year.	Percentage of objections (col. 4) to expenditure (col. 5).	Similar percentage for 1914-15.
India	39,03	15,23	8,27	23,50	15,53	10,26,15	1·5	1·7
North-West Frontier Province.	7,96	49	5,51	6,00	1,96	89,82	2·2	2·6
Madras	59,86	5,49	18,80	24,29	35,57	7,29,34	4·9	3·3
Bombay	66,91	34,82	22,61	57,43	9,48	7,83,34	1·2	1·0
Bengal	47,36	12	23,39	23,51	23,85	6,36,83	3·7	4·0
United Provinces	48,97	2,02	21,59	23,61	25,36	7,89,63	3·2	2·2
Punjab	40,65	5,71	26,00	31,71	8,94	3,64,75	2·5	3·0
Burma	47,24	7,04	21,74	28,78	18,46	5,86,71	3·4	3·7
Bihar and Orissa	26,21	3,22	13,74	16,96	9,25	2,62,45	3·5	4·0
Central Provinces	13,14	5,62	3,01	8,63	4,51	2,64,96	1·7	1·8
Assam	30,33	1,83	21,76	23,59	6,74	1,26,08	5·3	7·5
TOTAL	4,27,66	81,59	1,86,42	2,68,01	1,59,65	56,10,04	2·8	2·8

Taking all the provinces together, the percentage remained the same as in the preceding year, notwithstanding a drop in the total amount of expenditure

audited during the year, owing to financial stringency, and the introduction of the rule under which sub-vouchers for Rs. 25 and less are no longer submitted to the audit office. The increase in Madras was due to large payments for land compensation (4,30) and to grants amounting to 7 lakhs made to the Madras Corporation for a water-supply and drainage scheme pending the sanction of the Secretary of State. In the United Provinces, the increase was the result of the introduction of the 'Pike Scheme' of revision of district establishments. In Assam, although there has been an improvement as compared with the preceding year, the percentage still continues to be the highest in India. It is understood that proposals are under the consideration of the Local Administration for the extension of the system of contract contingencies and for effecting an improvement in the efficiency of the accounts clerks in the province. It is hoped that these measures will result in a further improvement.

Analysis of Outstanding Objections.

Balances of objections on 31st July 1916.

5. The balances of the several classes of objections raised up to the 31st March 1916, and remaining unadjusted on the 31st July 1916, are given in the following statement. The corresponding figures for the preceding year are also shown for purposes of comparison.

Province.	Suspense.		Items awaiting clearance.		Service payments for recovery.	Total.	Total on 31st July 1915.	Increase + Decrease —
	Dr.	Cr.	For want of D. C. bills.	For other reasons.				
India	42	1	71	94	8	2,16	1,73	+43
North-West Frontier Province	...	...	...	8	...	8	17	—9
Madras	3	...	5	48,20	2	48,30	26	+48,04
Bombay	...	...	2	18	3	23	15	+8
Bengal	...	...	6	1,96	4	2,06	1,60	+46
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	...	...	11	8,37	3	8,51	1,09	+7,42
Punjab	...	1	7	68	2	78	1,80	—1,02
Burma	3	...	20	1,26	6	1,55	(a) 1,84	—29
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	14	1,31	1	1,46	1,36	+10
Central Provinces	...	...	1	27	3	31	13	+18
Assam	...	...	48	60	2	1,10	1,82	—72
Total	48	2	1,85	63,85	34	66,54	11,95	+54,59

(a) Differs from the amount shown in the last report owing to objections on account of Public Works contingencies having since been included.

Comparison with 1914-15.

6. As compared with the preceding year, there was an increase of 54,59 in the total outstanding balance for all India. The increase occurred mainly in Madras (48,04) and was due chiefly to the fact that grants amounting to 47½ lakhs, made during several years to the Madras Corporation for water-supply and drainage works, were placed under objection for want of sanction of the Secretary of State. Another special item is 1,60, which represents objections outstanding in several provinces in the register maintained under article 983, Civil Account Code, Volume II, for the record of items requiring the sanction of higher authorities, and is for the first time shown in the report as expenditure under objection, as stated in paragraph 3 above. Eliminating the above special items, the increase, as compared with the preceding year, amounts to 4,95, which occurred mainly in the United Provinces and was due to delay in the redistribution of the district staff to accord with the revised scale of establishment sanctioned under the 'Pike Scheme.'

There has been a marked reduction of outstandings in the Punjab and Assam. In the former province, this was due to the speedy receipt of detailed bills and to the adjustment during the year of the special item of 58, representing a debit raised by the Military Department and referred to in paragraph 7 of my last report, and in the latter to greater attention having been paid by disbursing officers to audit requirements and to more vigorous action having been taken by the audit office towards the settlement of outstandings.

Classification of outstandings according to years.

7. The following statement shows the outstandings according to the years to which they relate. The corresponding figures for the preceding year are also given.

—		Relating to 1913-14 and previous years.		Relating to 1914-15.		Relating to 1915-16.		TOTAL.	
		No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
India	31st July 1915	44	15	435	1,58	...	...	479	1,73
	" **1916**	**1**	(a)	**7**	**26**	**446**	**1,90**	**454**	**2,16**
North-West Frontier Province	" 1915	...	...	85	17	...	...	85	17
	" **1916**	...	...	...	...	**92**	**8**	**92**	**8**
Madras	" 1915	1	1	382	25	...	...	383	26
	" **1916**	...	...	**2**	**1**	**315**	**48,29**	**317**	**48,30**
Bombay	" 1915	9	2	154	13	..	...	163	15
	" **1916**	**1**	(a)	**6**	(a)	**122**	**23**	**129**	**23**
Bengal	" 1915	23	7	549	1,53	...	...	572	1,60
	" **1916**	**1**	(a)	**3**	(a)	**487**	**2,06**	**491**	**2,06**
United Provinces	" 1915	5	5	627	1,04	...	...	632	1,09
	" **1916**	...	...	**3**	**2**	**2,001**	**8,49**	**2,004**	**8,51**
Punjab	" 1915	5	1	535	1,79	...	...	540	1,80
	" **1916**	**2**	(a)	**1**	(a)	**422**	**78**	**425**	**78**
Burma	" 1915	...	...	(b)756	(b)1,84	...	...	(b)756	(b)1,84
	" **1916**	...	...	**13**	**5**	**639**	**1,50**	**652**	**1,55**
Bihar and Orissa	" 1915	3	1	810	1,35	..	...	813	1,36
	" **1916**	..	...	...	...	**365**	**1,46**	**365**	**1,46**
Central Provinces	" 1915	...	...	89	13	...	...	89	13
	" **1916**	...	...	...	...	**191**	**31**	**191**	**31**
Assam	" 1915	1	(a)	957	1,82	..	...	958	1,82
	" **1916**	...	...	**8**	(a)	**544**	**1,10**	**552**	**1,10**
Total	" 1915	91	32	5,379	11,63	...		5,470	11,95
	" **1916**	**5**	(a)	**43**	**34**	**5,624**	**66,20**	**5,672**	**66,54**

(a) Amount less than one thousand.

(b) Differs from the amount shown in the last report owing to the inclusion of objections under Public Works contingencies.

The figures for 1915-16 are worse than those for 1914-15 both in respect of the amounts outstanding in the year under report (66,20 as against 11,63) and the number of items which make up the amount (5,624 as against 5,379). The outstandings of previous years also do not show any improvement (34 as against 32).

Analysis of old outstandings relating to 1913-14.

8. Out of the 91 items relating to 1913-14 and previous years remaining unadjusted on the 31st July 1915, 86 were adjusted during the year under review. The balance of 5, outstanding on the 31st July 1916, appertains to the year 1913-14.

The following statement shows the amounts of these outstandings and the Provinces to which they relate:—

Year.	Province.	No. of items.	Amount.
			Rs.
1913-14	India	1	15
	Bombay	1	70
	Bengal	1	487
	Punjab	2	124

The amount outstanding in India represents luggage fare drawn in excess by a clerk; it will be recovered from his pension.

The item in Bombay represents the balance of expenditure incurred in connection with the repatriation of certain destitute Indians from Port Said; recovery is being made in annual instalments.

The amount outstanding in Bengal is in course of recovery by monthly instalments from a pensioner.

The items in the Punjab represent a portion of the amounts paid to certain persons at Batum (Turkey) on account of repatriation charges. The amounts are being recovered in monthly instalments fixed by the Local Government.

Analysis of the outstandings relating to 1914-15.

9. The total outstandings for 1914-15 were reduced from 11,63 on the 31st July 1915 to 34 on the corresponding date in 1916. In other words, 97·1 per cent. of the objections for 1914-15, outstanding on the 31st July 1915, were cleared during the period under review. The balance was made up of 43 items, distributed amongst the Provinces as follows:—

Province.	No. of items.	Amount.
India	7	26
Madras	2	1
Bombay	6	(a)
Bengal	3	(a)
United Provinces	3	2
Punjab	1	(a)
Burma	13	5
Assam	8	(a)
TOTAL	43	34

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10. Of these items the more important are mentioned below:—

India.—The outstandings include a sum of Rs. 24,626, which represents the closing balance of the Baghdad treasury held under suspense. It is understood that the Government of India have made a reference to the India Office for the recovery of the amount from the United States Consul, to whom the amount had been handed over by the Political Resident. Another item of Rs. 1,188 represents the pay of the men of the Alwar and Jodhpur reinforcements, debited by the Controller of War Accounts, which is held under objection for want of information as to the exact amount debitable to each State.

Burma.—The outstandings include (a) expenditure of 3 by a Deputy Commissioner in excess of his contract grant for 1914-15, since sanctioned by the Local Government; and (b) advances amounting to 1 for tour expenses for mines surveys, which have since been partly adjusted.

Analysis of outstandings for 1915-16.

11. The objections for 1915-16, outstanding on the 31st July 1916, amounted to 66,20 and may be classified as follows:—

Want of sanction	51,19
Want of detailed countersigned bills	1,71
Want of sub-vouchers	2,98
Service payments for recovery	24
Other objections	10,08
Total	66,20

The corresponding balance for 1914-15, outstanding on the 31st July 1915, was 11,63. The reasons for the increase have been given in paragraph 6 above.

Under 'Want of sanction' the figures were highest in Madras (48,12). The principal item represents grants made to the Madras Corporation which are awaiting the sanction of the Secretary of State, as mentioned in paragraph 6 above. The outstandings in Bihar and Orissa were 1,17 and

represent mainly the pay and allowances of Veterinary Assistants placed under objection for want of sanction of the Government of India to the provincial scale of Veterinary Assistants transferred from Bengal.

Under ' Want of detailed countersigned bills ' the figures were highest in India (58) and Assam (48). In India, the outstandings were due mainly to advances drawn by the Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara, for the purchase of grass and have since been adjusted. In Assam, they include 21 on account of agricultural loans made in the Sylhet district owing to scarcity

Under ' Want of sub-vouchers ' the figures were highest in Bengal (1,13) and the United Provinces (67). The former figure includes charges amounting to 76 in Tippera, and 9 in Bankura, on account of gratuitous relief. In the United Provinces, grants amounting to 35, sanctioned by the Local Government for relief to sufferers from floods, were made through a Municipality and this resulted in delay in payment.

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Financial Irregularities.

Drawal of money in advance of requirements with a view to avoiding lapses of Budget grants.

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Some cases are mentioned below; others will be found in the appendix to the report.

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(i) The remittance was not credited in the treasurer's cash book immediately on receipt, as required by article 660, Civil Account Code.

(ii) The treasury officer did not note the amount of the remittance in the treasurer's balance sheet when placing the money under double lock, as required by article 305, rule 6, Civil Account Code.

(iii) The treasury officer was in the habit of making over his own set of keys of the chests in the strong room to the treasurer while he was engaged on other work.

(iv) Though the remittance was shown as in transit in the accountant's balance sheet for over three weeks, the treasury officer took no steps to ascertain what had become of it and why it had not been credited in the accounts.

The embezzlement was detected on a subsequent verification of the treasury balance on the 29th October 1915, when an excess of Rs 2,000 was found. The discovery was solely due to a mistake on the part of the treasurer who put before the Collector Rs. 2,000 more than he intended. The treasurer was prosecuted, found guilty, and sentenced to one year's rigorous imprisonment by the Sessions Judge, which sentence was on appeal to the High Court enhanced to three years' rigorous imprisonment. A sum of Rs 12,046-14-9 out of the total amount embezzled has been realised and the balance is in course of recovery. The case disclosed the prevalence of a faulty method of verification of the treasury balances by district officers in Bengal. The Local Government ordered that the treasury officer should be severely censured and debarred from promotion for five years. They also commented on the failure of duty on the part of the Collector.

Burma.

(c) In a certain treasury, a shortage of judicial stamps, amounting to Rs. 719-8-0, and of non-judicial stamps, amounting to Rs. 526-1-0, was discovered on the 30th September 1915. Both the treasurer and the licensed stamp vendor were responsible for the fraud. The treasurer issued stamps to the vendor without realising their full value from him, and towards the end of the month both the treasurer and the vendor raised short loans to enable them to credit the value of the stamps issued in excess and thus to escape detection at the monthly verification of the single lock balance. The treasury officer failed to observe rules 17 and 18 of appendix K of the Civil Account Code. The treasurer died on the 3rd October 1915. The deficiency has been made good by his sureties

Bihar and Orissa.

(d) The following case illustrates the importance of the daily examination of single lock balances by treasury officers, as prescribed in articles 323 (d) and (e) of the Civil Account Code. On the 6th December 1915, a treasurer took out Currency Notes to the value of Rs. 9,000 from double locks. Of these notes, Rs 8,000 were required for immediate issue in exchange for cash tendered. It is alleged that, in making over the notes to the cashier for delivery to the parties, the treasurer forgot to keep back two five-hundred-rupee notes which were not required for delivery. The two notes were, however, wrongly shown as remaining in the treasurer's single lock balance on the 6th December, and the treasury officer did not notice the omission during his examination. The loss was detected by the treasurer himself on the following day. The cashier was dismissed and the loss was made good by the treasurer.

Other Officers.

India.

(e) A sum of Rs. 1,531-1-0, representing the cost of uniforms, was charged in the contingent bill of a Salt Revenue Department office for August 1915. Payees' receipts in support of the charges were called for in audit and in reply it was stated that the vouchers had already been sent, but this proved to be incorrect. After some correspondence, it was found that there was an unvouched for balance of Rs. 107-15-0, which formed part of certain amounts embezzled by the accountant of the office. The total sum embezzled was Rs. 3,513-6-5, which consisted partly of amounts received for credit into the treasury, such as examination fees, sale-proceeds of grass, etc., and partly of

money drawn from time to time from the treasury for payment to firms by means of remittance transfer receipts. The accountant was tried and sentenced to three years' rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 3,000. The Government of India ordered the recovery of Rs. 1,400 from the officers whose negligence contributed to the fraud and sanctioned the write-off of the balance embezzled.

United Provinces

(*f*) A sum of about Rs 1,736, so far as at present ascertained, was embezzled by an Assistant *Sadar Kanungo* in connection with land acquisition payments. Double sets of papers (award statements, vouchers, etc.) were prepared by him. One set showed the correct amounts due under the award, while the other set, which was submitted to the audit office, showed the larger amounts actually drawn. The fraud was rendered possible by the failure on the part of the land acquisition officer to follow strictly the procedure laid down in rule 3, appendix C, Civil Account Code. He did not satisfy himself that the copy of the award statement sent to the audit office correctly showed the amounts due under the award, nor did he himself enter in words the total of the column 'amount due to each person' in the award statement, as required by the rules.

Assam.

(*g*) On an examination by an accounts officer of the accounts of a college for the period from April 1915 to 10th March 1916, it was found that the head clerk of the college, who died on the 10th March 1916, had embezzled various sums of money amounting to about Rs 5,050 out of college fees, scholarships, payments of establishments, contingent expenditure, etc.

The fraud revealed the following defects in procedure:—

(i) All the refunds were paid out of the collections, contrary to the procedure laid down in article 1, Civil Account Code

(ii) Signatures of payees were not obtained in several cases in the acquittance rolls, as laid down in article 63, Civil Account Code.

(iii) Entries in the contingent registers were not always scrutinised and checked by a responsible officer, as required by articles 79 and 83, Civil Account Code.

(iv) Payment was made in a few cases on duplicate bills of firms.

The case disclosed slackness of supervision by the head of the office over the accounts work of the head clerk and also the lack of a suitable system of accounts for the receipts of the college, *e.g.*, college fees, scholarships, deposits, etc. The Principal was required to pay Rs 378-5-8 towards the losses and Rs. 2,000 have been recovered from the clerk's estate. The balance of about Rs. 2,671 was written-off under the orders of the Local Administration.

Frauds in Account Offices.

14. I regret to have to report that embezzlements in four account offices came to light during the year. A brief account of each is given below:—

(*a*) In the office of an Accountant General, a series of embezzlements, involving a total sum of Rs. 12,400-4-0, occurred between June 1911 and January 1913 in connection with the Public Works auxiliary accounts. Pay orders were sent by certain Public Works Department officers to the account office in order to obtain the cheques required for contingent and miscellaneous expenditure. These were entered by the auxiliary clerk in a printed requisition form in which the cheques required were detailed This requisition, after being passed for payment by a gazetted officer, was sent to the cheque writer The cheques drawn were then made over to the clerk in charge of the auxiliary accounts for delivery to the parties concerned, or for encashment at the Bank when payments had to be made in cash or by money order or by remittance transfer receipt. In several cases, fraudulent entries were added by the clerk in the genuine requisitions after these had been passed by the gazetted officer, while in some others pay orders already paid, but not cancelled, were used over again to support a demand for fresh cheques.

The fraud was facilitated by negligence in the account office in the following respects:—

(i) Gazetted officers passed requisitions in which the total amount payable was not expressed in words, and issued cheques on requisitions which contained erasures and unattested corrections. In a few cases, the pay orders were not cancelled at the time of passing the corresponding requisitions.

(ii) A gazetted officer, in whose favour the cheques were drawn, endorsed them without satisfying himself as to the authority on which, or the purpose for which, the cheques were issued and without any attempt to ascertain the ultimate disposal of the money drawn.

(iii) In several cases, the audit section failed to call for, or to insist on the submission of, vouchers for the amounts charged in the auxiliary accounts.

The frauds commenced early in the year 1911, when the amalgamation of the late Public Works Examiner's office with that of the Accountant-General entailed some confusion and congestion of work in the accounts office. The auxiliary accounts were abolished in January 1913 and the use of the separate requisition forms was consequently abandoned. This automatically put an end to the embezzlements. Two criminal cases were instituted against the clerk and he has been sentenced to four years' imprisonment and fines amounting to Rs. 1,500. Suitable disciplinary action has been taken as regards the subordinates responsible. Of the two gazetted officers who were primarily responsible for neglect of duty, one is dead and the other is no longer in the service.

(*b*) A fraud occurred in connection with an officer's salary bill for December 1915, amounting to Rs. 1,111-11-1. A person, who represented himself to be the officer's messenger, presented the bill at the counter of the Accountant General's office on the 10th January 1916 and was given a token. On the 12th January 1916, he exchanged the token for a cheque. The cheque was cashed at the Bank of Bengal on the 13th January 1916. It subsequently transpired that the salary bill and the cheque had been obtained by fraudulent means and that the latter had been cashed at the Bank by a forged endorsement. The endorsement 'Please make the cheque payable———' printed on the bill had originally been made in favour of a bank and signed by the officer, but it had been altered by a palpable erasure. Efforts to trace the person who committed the fraud have been unsuccessful. The question of disciplinary action is under consideration.

(*c*) A sum of Rs. 2,000 was embezzled in March 1916 by the cashier in the pre-audit department of an account office, who altered a cheque drawn in recoupment of the office imprest after it had been passed by the gazetted officer, and destroyed the cheque after payment. The detection of the fraud was delayed for some months by skilful erasures and manipulations made by the cashier in the registers of cheques issued, lists of outstanding cheques, and the check register (Civil Account Code, Form 139-A) The man died in August 1916 and a scrutiny of the figures for July in the registers above mentioned brought the fraud to light. The embezzlement was rendered possible by the failure of the check prescribed in article 1034, Civil Account Code, the figures on which the check was based having been manipulated Suitable amendments to the rules on the subject in the Civil Account Code have now been made with a view to removing the possibility of such manipulations remaining undetected.

(*d*) There were two embezzlements in connection with the General Provident Fund in August 1915 and February 1916, respectively. The loss to Government in each case was Rs. 960. Forged letters, purporting to emanate from departments of the Government of India and authorising the payment of advances from the General Provident Fund to certain Superintendents employed in those departments, were received in the audit office. Shortly afterwards, forged bills supported by copies of the forged letters sanctioning the advances were presented for payment and passed. Criminal proceedings were instituted in the first case against a clerk in the account office and he was sentenced to 4 years' rigorous imprisonment. The second case is still under police enquiry. The frauds revealed a general absence in the audit office of the following important checks, though the forgeries were so cleverly executed that even the exercise of these checks might have failed to lead to detection.

(i) The letters authorising the advances, which were attached to the bills, were not checked with the letters of authorization received direct in the audit office.

(ii) No attempt was made to verify the signatures of the claimants on the bills, as laid down in article 809, Civil Account Code.

The gazetted officer responsible has proceeded on leave on medical certificate preparatory to retirement, while the subordinates at fault have been reduced to lower grades.

Loss to Government owing to neglect of rules or standing orders.

15. The following instance shows how loss to Government is caused by insufficient attention to rules or standing orders :—

Assam.

Under the rules for the supply of rations, members of the Military Police in Assam are allowed, provided the necessary conditions are fulfilled, to draw a second ration on the scale for combatants. During the inspection of the accounts of the Military Police Battalion, the Examiner of Local Accounts discovered that the conditions were not observed and that rations were being drawn greatly in excess of the sanctioned scale. The total loss to Government during the period January 1906 to April 1915 amounted to Rs. 16,232-13-3, and this amount was written off under the orders of the Local Administration, the further issue of unauthorized rations being stopped. The charges are not subject to detailed audit check but are passed on the countersignature of the Inspector General of Police.

Insufficient attention to the interests of Government.

Press Accounts.

16. The interests of Government have suffered by want of care shown by officers in the arrangements made with private presses for printing work. The omission to prepare clear and comprehensive contracts, even when large amounts are involved, has resulted in irregularities and overpayments. There was an important case in Bihar and Orissa, in which the terms for printing Government forms were left to be settled by officers who were apparently unacquainted with printing technicalities. A contractor was allowed to take as the unit the cost of 100 copies inclusive of all charges for paper, composition, printing, ruling, and binding and to charge proportionately for the total number of copies supplied. It is obvious that if it costs Re. 1 to print 100 forms, it does not cost Rs. 100 to print 10,000 forms. The cost of composition does not vary with the number of forms printed and the printing charges are reduced in proportion to the number of copies An examination of a single bill showed that the contractor was paid Rs. 5,503 for work for which the Government of India Central Press would have charged only Rs. 1,294. The total loss to Government in this case has not yet been definitely ascertained, but there is no doubt that the amount is considerable It is necessary that the system of giving out printing work on contract to private presses should be placed on a satisfactory footing and that Government should thereby be safeguarded from extravagant claims. I have submitted proposals on the subject for the consideration of the Government of India.

Irregular travelling allowance claims.

17. Under the travelling allowance rules, a Controlling Officer's countersignature is accepted in audit as final evidence of the correctness of the facts on which the claim is founded. Controlling Officers are also responsible for seeing that excessive charges are not passed as travelling allowance. It is therefore necessary that these officers should carefully scrutinize the bills submitted for their countersignature and prevent abuses of the travelling allowance rules. There is evidence of laxity on the part of Controlling Officers in this respect.

Bihar and Orissa.

(*a*) A review of the travelling allowance bills of certain officers for the touring season, which was made by the Accountant General, Bihar and Orissa, showed that tours were not economically arranged. Flying visits were made to places at a distance from headquarters, while several journeys were made by the same road or railway to intermediate places, although it appeared that the work could have been carried out in a single journey. Unnecessarily frequent visits also appeared to have been made to certain places. On the matter being brought to the notice of the Local Government, stringent orders were issued insisting upon the need for economy.

Central Provinces.

(*b*) Article 155, IV, Forest Code (6th Edition), authorises a Divisional Officer to sanction, in cases of emergency, advances for himself and his subordinates, sufficient to cover their travelling allowances for one month. Such advances are subject to adjustment in full on the next issue of pay or travelling allowance. An Extra Assistant Conservator drew under this rule tour advances which averaged Rs. 608 monthly against an average monthly travelling allowance of Rs. 93. The matter was referred to the Chief Conservator and the Local Administration and disciplinary action was taken.

Double claims preferred and paid.

18. Several cases came to light during the year under review in which double claims were preferred and paid. Some of these are given in the Appendix. There were many cases of pensions and interest on Government Promissory notes being paid twice owing chiefly to errors or omissions in recording the payments at the treasuries concerned. In Bengal, double payments on arrear bills of salary to police constables were of frequent occurrence owing mainly to the failure on the part of the Superintendents of Police to satisfy themselves, before drawing arrears of pay, that the amounts had not been previously drawn ; steps have been taken to prevent such double payments in future.

Irregular use of Government money. *Assam.*

19. During the inspection of the accounts of a Military Police battalion it was noticed that several unauthorised funds had been constituted with money which really belonged very largely to Government but which had been regarded by a succession of Commandants as the property of the battalion and credited to the battalion funds instead of being paid into the treasury. Such items were (1) sale proceeds of Government property, (2) sale proceeds of elephant calves, (3) rent of lands, (4) estates of deceased sepoys, (5) undisbursed pay of deserters, (6) undisbursed pay of men absent, and (7) undisbursed compensation allowances for dearness of provisions. Originally there was one fund, called the Quartermaster's Fund, into which all such sums were paid, but later a second fund, called the Deposit Fund, was opened into which undisbursed pay was separately credited. From the assets of both these funds other subsidiary funds were created, namely, the Furniture Fund, the Cart Fund, and the Advance Fund. These Funds were utilised respectively for the purchase of furniture, the payment of cart hire, and for advances to officers and men of the battalion. A detailed examination of the accounts from June 1903 showed that a sum of about Rs. 15,261 was due to Government on account of money diverted to the battalion funds, excluding the Government share of interest on the deposits realised from Banks, which has been calculated to amount to Rs. 1,685-14-1. Out of this amount, a sum of Rs. 2,319-12-10 is recoverable from a former Commandant on account of advances irregularly taken by him from the battalion funds. The Officer reverted to military duty with effect from the 20th September 1914.

Public Works Department.

Percentage of objections to total expenditure: Buildings and Roads Branch.

20 The following statement shows, for the Buildings and Roads Branch of the Public Works Department, the total expenditure incurred, the total amount of objections raised, and the percentage which the latter bears to the former.

[**Buildings and Roads Branch.**

Province.	Total expenditure.	Total amount of objections.	Percentage of total objections to total expenditure.	Similar percentage for 1914-15	Increase + Decrease −
India	76,24	42,88	56(b)	53	+3
North-West Frontier Province	24,77	3,53	14	4	+10
Madras	76,31	29,53	39	30	+9
Bombay	85,77	27,98	33	47(c)	−14
Bengal	64,59	39,70	61	50	+11
United Provinces	1,14,99	32,61	28	33	5
Punjab	57,58	13,65	24	22	+2
Simla Imperial Sub-Division	1,76	44	25	17	+8
Burma	1,18,84	23,98	20	23(c)	−3
Bihar and Orissa	75,74	31,79	42	36	+6
Central Provinces	62,83	12,92	21	27	−6
Hyderabad	30	(a)...	...	5	−5
Central India	5,08	41	9	11	−2
Assam	39,54	14,05	35	37	−2
TOTAL	8,04,84	2,73,00	34	35	−1

(a) Less than one thousand.

(b) For the Delhi Province the total expenditure is 60,50, the total amount of objections 39, 70, and the percentage 66 (against 67 in the preceding year).

(c) Differs from the figure shown in the last report owing to corrections since made on account of the inclusion of objections and charges relating to Military Works under the control of Local Governments.

Comparison with 1914-15.

21. It will be observed that, taking all the provinces together, the percentage of objections to total expenditure was practically the same as in the preceding year. There was, however, a substantial improvement in Bombay, which was due to the restrictions on expenditure in consequence of the war and to the greater caution exercised in undertaking new expenditure. On the other hand, there were noticeable increases in the North-West Frontier Province, Madras, and Bengal. The increase in Bengal was due to objections relating to the Dacca University Division (5,01) and to the execution of several repair works without estimates and allotments during the earlier months of the year. In the North-West Frontier Province, the increase was caused by expenditure on urgent improvements to civil communications in order to make them suitable for mechanical transport, in some cases without estimates and allotments and in others in excess of estimates and allotments. Larger amounts placed under objection under 'Miscellaneous Irregularities' on account of expenditure incurred in anticipation of contribution for works aided by Government, such as water-supply and drainage schemes for municipalities, accounted for the increase in Madras.

Percentage of objections to total expenditure: Irrigation Branch.

22. The following statement shows, for the Irrigation Branch of the Public Works Department, the total amount of objections raised as compared with the total expenditure incurred during the year and the percentage which the former bears to the latter.

[Irrigation Branch.

Province.	Total expenditure.	Total amount of objections.	Percentage of total objections to total expenditure.	Similar percentage for 1914-15.	Increase + Decrease —
India	2,84	69	24	57	—33
North-West Frontier Province.	20,27	3,93	19	21	—2
Madras	47,53	10,72	23	20	+3
Bombay	68,81	40,49	59	47	+12
Bengal	20,15	17,27	86	65	+21
United Provinces	40,96	8,43	21	47	—26
Punjab	1,62,38	20,72	13	17	—4
Burma	24,35	5,65	23	26	– 3
Bihar and Orissa	9,33	3,27	35	29	+6
Central Provinces	43,34	23,13	53	39	+14
Assam	96	9	9	41	—32
TOTAL	4,40,92	1,34,39	30	31	—1

Comparison with 1914-15.

23. The percentage for all India remained practically the same as in the preceding year. There was a substantial improvement in India, the United Provinces, and Assam. In India, the improvement was due partly to expenditure on the large projects mentioned in paragraph 23 of the last report having been regularised and partly to the curtailment of expenditure in consequence of the war. In the United Provinces, the fact that the estimates for the construction of the Head Works Sluice and Weir in the Bhimgoda Weir Division and for the Ghaggar Canal Works in the Mirzapur Canals Division were sanctioned in 1914-15 accounts for the improvement. In Assam, a smaller number of original works were started owing to the war. On the other hand, there were noticeable increases in Bengal, the Central Provinces, and Bombay. In Bengal, the increase was due mainly to excess expenditure on the Madaripur Bheel Route Project over the amount of the original estimate

sanctioned by the Secretary of State. In the Central Provinces, the increase is accounted for mainly by outlay on the Wainganga and Tandula Canal Projects in excess of estimates. In Bombay, the increase occurred owing to objections being raised for the first time for want of project provision and excess over project provision in the case of individual works sanctioned for the Pravara Canals, Godavari Canals, and Nira Right Bank Canal Projects. These objections amounted to 12,58 and related to expenditure of previous years as well as of the year under review.

Percentage of works started without estimates to total number of works started during the year.

24. The following statement shows separately, under the Buildings and Roads and Irrigation Branches, the percentage of works started without detailed sanctioned estimates. The figures have been calculated with reference to about 20 per cent. of the divisions in most of the provinces. The corresponding figures for the preceding year are given for purposes of comparison

Province.	Buildings and Roads Branch.			Irrigation Branch.		
	1915-16.	1914-15.	Increase + Decrease −	1915-16.	1914-15.	Increase + Decrease −
India (excluding Delhi Province)	31	33	−2	20	36	−16
Delhi Province	(b)10	(b)8	+2	...	..	...
North-West Frontier Province	37	25	+12	(a)	4	−4
Madras	28	28	...	20	23	−3
Bombay	31	27	+4	18	50	−32
Bengal	45	39	+6	19	15	+4
United Provinces	26	25	+1	10	15	−5
Punjab	4	11	−7	2	6	−4
Burma	12	25	−13	11	26	−15
Bihar and Orissa	10	(c)44	−34	27	(c)68	41
Central Provinces	23	31	−8	18	12	+6
Assam	35	31	+4	47	40	+7
Hyderabad	7	3	+4	..	...	..
Central India	20	20	...	...	...	...
Rajputana	3	2	+1		...	...

(a) Less than one per cent.

(b) Percentage for all divisions.

(c) Represents percentage of works started in April 1914 only.

25. It will be observed that a very high percentage of works continues to be started without detailed sanctioned estimates in several provinces. There has, however, been a substantial improvement, as compared with the preceding year, in the Punjab and Burma in both branches of the Department. In Bihar and Orissa, the comparative figures cannot be taken as conclusively pointing to an improvement, as the figures for the two years have been calculated on slightly different data. On the other hand, there were noticeable increases in the North-West Frontier Province, Bombay, Bengal, and Assam in the Buildings and Roads Branch; and in Bengal, the Central Provinces, and Assam in the Irrigation Branch. The increase in the North-West Frontier Province was due to expenditure without estimates on the improvement to certain civil communications in order to make them fit for mechanical transport. In Bengal, the increase was due to the higher proportion which repair works bore to original works during the year and the current practice under which a large part of the former works are usually carried out in anticipation of regular estimates. In Bombay and Assam, the increase was caused by the commencement of several repair works without sanctioned estimates. The high percentage in the Central Provinces was

due to the practice which obtained in the Eastern Irrigation Circle of incurring expenditure against general sanctioned estimates for Irrigation Projects instead of against separate detailed estimates for individual works. The practice has since been stopped by the Local Administration.

As pointed out in the last report, it is of importance that action should be taken by administrative authorities to ensure a more strict observance of the code rules on the subject.

Analysis of Outstanding Objections.

Balances of objections on the 31st July 1916.

26. The balances of the several classes of objections, raised up to the 31st March 1916 but remaining unadjusted on the 31st July 1916, are given in the following statement :—

Province.		Want of Estimate.	Excess over Estimate.		Want of Appropriation.	Excess over Appropriation.	Miscellaneous Irregularities.	Total.	Total on 31st July 1915.	Increase + Decrease −
			Covered by Administrative sanction.	Not covered by Administrative sanction.						
India	Buildings and Roads.	77	13	1,34	2	5	2,14	4,45	1,31	+3,14
	Irrigation	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	34	−33
North-West Frontier Province.	Buildings and Roads.	27	11	...	...	4	...	42	11	+31
	Irrigation	2	2,21	25	...	8	...	2,56	1,56	+1,00
Madras	Buildings and Roads.	40	58	10	...	11	1,03	2,22	5,47	−3,25
	Irrigation	89	1,70	2,90	...	10	26	5,85	2,98	+2,87
Bombay	Buildings and Roads.	8,32	15	3,19	12	26	2,60	12,64	18,31	−5,67
	Irrigation	7,74	10	16,93	2	25	12,65	37,69	31,08	+6,61
Bengal	Buildings and Roads.	45	...	2,57	2	20	67	3,91	4,68	−77
	Irrigation	3,17	...	5,63	...	...	9	8,89	2,46	+6,43
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	Buildings and Roads.	3,20	13	1,47	55	70	81	6,86	3,90	+2,96
	Irrigation	34	47	12	4	1,42	5	2,44	3,10	−66
Punjab	Buildings and Roads.	1	...	1,70	33	84	7,53	(c)10,41	(a)9,27	+1,14
	Irrigation	38	50	9	1	1,87	28	3,18	4,16	−1,03
Burma	Buildings and Roads.	20	...	1,82	48	1,12	1,58	5,16	4,60	+55
	Irrigation	...	...	7	...	2,63	14	2,84	60	+2,24
Bihar and Orissa.	Buildings and Roads.	72	9,91	...	25	21	16	11,25	1,24	+10,01
	Irrigation	8	3	...	...	8	1	15	22	−7
Central Provinces.	Buildings and Roads.	18	69	...	10	30	9	(d) 1,26	(b)2,65	−1,39
	Irrigation	3,75	8,36	...	...	1	45	12,57	13,58	−1,01
Assam	Buildings and Roads.	2	...	1	5	13	19	40	62	−22
	Irrigation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	Buildings and Roads.	12,54	11,60	12,20	1,87	3,96	16,80	58,97	52,16	+6,81
	Irrigation	16,32	13,37	25,99	7	6,44	13,94	76,13	60,08	+16,05
Total		28,86	24,97	38,19	1,94	10,40	30,74	1,35,10	1,12,24	+22,86

(a) Includes 5 for the Simla Imperial Sub-Division.
(c) „ 6 „ „ „ „
(b) Include 3 for Central India.
(d) „ 1 „ „ „

Comparison with 1914-15.

27. As compared with the preceding year, the balance for the whole of India shows an increase of 22,86. Of the total increase, the Irrigation Branch is responsible for 16,05 and the Buildings and Roads Branch for 6,81. The increase in India occurred in the Delhi Province and was due to expenditure on the City Extension Scheme (1,57), to the adjustment of the cost of land acquired for the Railway Department (41) awaiting the orders of the Secretary of State on the proposed new railway terminal station at Delhi, and to increased outstandings under excesses over estimates. The increase in the North-West Frontier Province in the Buildings and Roads Branch was due to expenditure on the improvement to civil communications as mentioned in paragraph 21 above, and in the Irrigation Branch to the second Revised Project Estimate of the Upper Swat River Canal not having been sanctioned up to the 31st July 1916 In Bombay, the increase in the Irrigation Branch (6,61) was due to the reasons explained in paragraph 23 above. In Bengal, the increase in the Irrigation Branch was due partly to an excess (4,71) over the sanctioned estimate on the Madaripur Bheel Route Project which awaits the sanction of the Secretary of State, and partly to outlay (2,79) without estimates on two connected works, for which detailed estimates were not sanctioned pending sanction to the revised estimate for the main project. The increase in the United Provinces in the Buildings and Roads Branch was due mainly to expenditure without estimate on the Agra and the Fyzabad-Ajudhia water-supply schemes. In the Punjab, the increase in the Buildings and Roads Branch was mainly on account of an excess over the sanctioned estimate for land acquired for residences for Gazetted officers at Lahore. In Burma, the increase occurred in both the Buildings and Roads, and Irrigation, Branches and was due, in the former case, to expenditure on constructing a mule road from 'Nsop to Putao in excess of estimates, and in the latter, to outlay (2,58) on the Twante Canal Project in excess of the grant for the work. In Bihar and Orissa, the increase in the Buildings and Roads Branch is accounted for by the expenditure on the works in connection with the provincial Capital. Although the total for Public Works in Madras showed an improvement, there was an excess of 2,87 in the Irrigation Branch, which includes (*a*) 78, representing the outlay incurred after the closure of construction estimates on the Nagavalli and Divi Pumping Projects and held under objection for want of sanction of the Government of India to the completion schedule, (*b*) 39, the excess over estimate under 'Tools and Plant—Panjapatti Reservoir Project,' and (*c*) 107, excess outlay on special Tools and Plant for the Toludur Project

On the other hand, there was a substantial improvement in the Buildings and Roads Branch in Madras, Bombay, and the Central Provinces. The improvement in Madras was due to the estimates of the works, *viz*, acquisition of lands for play grounds for educational institutions in the city and constructing the Paper Currency Office, Madras, having been sanctioned during the year. In Bombay, the improvement was due to the causes explained in paragraph 21 above In the Central Provinces, the improvement is attributable to the regularization of most of the items relating to the preceding year and to a more strict observance of the financial rules prescribed for the execution of Public Works. The improvement in India in the Irrigation Branch was due to the outstandings relating to previous years having been completely cleared; in the United Provinces, to estimates having been sanctioned during the year for several works started in previous years; in the Punjab, to a general betterment under all heads of objections; and in the Central Provinces, to special efforts made, as ordered by the Local Administration, to expedite the preparation of detailed estimates for individual works comprised in Irrigation Projects and to the stoppage of the practice hitherto obtaining in the Eastern Irrigation Circle of incurring expenditure against general sanctioned estimates.

BUILDINGS AND ROADS BRANCH.

Classification of outstandings according to years: Buildings and Roads Branch.

28. The following statement shows, for the Buildings and Roads Branch, the outstandings according to the years to which they relate. The corresponding figures for the preceding year are also given for purposes of comparison :—

—		Relating to 1913-14 and previous years		Relating to 1914-15.		Relating to 1915-16.		Total.	
		No. of items.	Amount.	No of items	Amount	No of items	Amount.	No of items	Amount.
India	31st July '15	16	21	65	1,10	...	..	81	1,31
	31st July '16	...	.	**5**	**68**	**41**	**3,77**	**46**	**4,45**
North West Frontier Province	31st July '15	1	(a)	10	11	..	.	11	11
	31st July '16	...		...	..	**11**	**42**	**11**	**42**
Madras	31st July '15	9	2,25	366	3,22	..	.	375	5,47
	31st July '16	**3**	**4**	**8**	**36**	**154**	**1,82**	**165**	**2,22**
Bombay	31st July '15	14	3,40	304	14,91	..		318	18,31
	31st July '16	**4**	**2,17**	**15**	**3,76**	**125**	**6,71**	**144**	**12,64**
Bengal	31st July '15	2	1	188	4,67	..	...	190	4,68
	31st July '16	...		**2**	**30**	**60**	**3,61**	**62**	**3,91**
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	31st July '15	39	46	387	3,44	...	...	426	3,90
	31st July '16	**2**	**3**	**15**	**36**	**407**	**6,47**	**424**	**686**
Punjab	31st July '15	8	7,20	200	(b)2 07	...		208	(b)9,27
	31st July '16	**3**	**6,84**	**3**	**10**	**242**	**(d) 3,47**	**248**	**(d)10,41**
Burma	31st July '15	3	(a)	430	4,60		.	433	4,60
	31st July '16	..	...	**1**	**5**	**287**	**5,10**	**288**	**5,15**
Bihar and Orissa	31st July '15	4	4	72	1,20	..	...	76	1,24
	31st July '16	..		**1**	**1**	**69**	**11,24**	**70**	**11,25**
Central Provinces	31st July '15	.	..	(c)210	(c)2,65	..	...	(c)210	(c)2,65
	31st July '16	.	...	**5**	**6**	**(e)96**	**(e)1,20**	**(e)101**	**(e)1,26**
Assam	31st July '15	10	2	66	60	..	..	76	62
	31st July '16	..	.	**1**	**7**	**48**	**33**	**49**	**40**
Total	31st July '15	106	13,59	2,298	38,57		..	2,404	52,16
	31st July '16	**12**	**9,08**	**56**	**575**	**1,540**	**44,14**	**1,608**	**58,97**

(a) Amount less than one thousand

(b) Includes 5 for Simla Imperial Sub-Division.

(c) Includes 2 items amounting to 3 for Central India

(d) Includes 6 for Simla Imperial Sub-Division

(e) " 1 for Central India

Analysis of old outstandings relating to 1913-14 and previous years.

29. Out of the 106 items relating to 1913-14 and previous years remaining unadjusted on the 31st July 1915, 94 were adjusted during the period under review. Of the balance of 12, which were outstanding on the 31st July 1916, 1 relates to 1907-08 and 11 relate to 1913-14.

The following statement shows the amounts of these outstandings and the provinces to which they relate :—

Year.	Province.	Number of items.	Amount.
1907-08	Punjab	1	(a)
1913-14	Madras	3	4
"	Bombay	4	2,17
"	United Provinces	2	3
"	Punjab	2	6,84
	Total	12	9,08

(a) Amount less than one thousand.

The item for 1907-08 in the Punjab represents rent due from a tenant, which is being recovered in monthly instalments.

The items relating to 1913-14 in the Punjab represent objections held under 'Miscellaneous Irregularities'. The expenditure (6,82) in excess of the contribution realised for the Simla improvement and extension scheme is awaiting the sanction of the Secretary of State. The other item represents rent due for a residential building for 1913. The tenant of the house has left India, and the matter has, it is stated, been referred to the India Office.

In Madras, the items were outstanding under 'Miscellaneous Irregularities'. A sum of 3 was recovered by October 1916.

In Bombay, the outstandings represent 2 items amounting to 2,06 under 'Want of Estimate,' 1 item amounting to less than 1 under 'Excess over Estimate,' and 1 item amounting to 11 under 'Miscellaneous Irregularities'. The items under 'Want of Estimate' represent expenditure on constructing two light-houses in the Persian Gulf (2,06). The question of sanction to these works is said to be still under correspondence with the Secretary of State. The item under 'Excess over Estimate' represents outlay on constructing a lunatic asylum, which awaits the sanction of the Government of India. The item under 'Miscellaneous Irregularities' represents the balance still recoverable from a municipality for work done in connection with a water-supply scheme, regarding which the orders of Local Government are awaited.

In the United Provinces, one item under 'Want of Estimate' represents expenditure on metalling a road, which awaits the orders of the Local Government.

Analysis of outstandings relating to 1914-15.

30. The following statement shows the outstandings relating to 1914-15 and the provinces to which they relate :—

Province.	Want of Estimate.		Excess over Estimate.		Want of Appropriation.		Excess over Appropriation.		Miscellaneous Irregularities.		Total.	
	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
India	2	48	1	6	...	...	...	...	2	14	5	68
Madras	1	(a)	5	29	...	..	.	..	2	7	8	36
Bombay	5	2,42	8	1,32	...	..	..	...	2	2	15	3,76
Bengal	1	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	15	2	30
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	6	31	6	4	...	..	...	..	3	1	15	36
Punjab	...	...	1	6	1	2	..	...	1	2	3	10
Burma	...	...	1	5	..	...	...	...	...	...	1	5
Bihar and Orissa	1	1	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Central Provinces	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	3	3	5	6
Assam	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	7	1	7
Total	16	3,37	24	1,85	1	2	...	...	15	51	56	5,75

(a) Amount less than one thousand.

India.—The outstandings include (*a*) expenditure (48) incurred before sanction to estimates on two sub-works of the project for constructing a long range wireless station at Kirkee, which is held in abeyance, and (*b*) excesses over the plinth area estimate of a project for constructing a wireless telegraph station at Secunderabad. These have since been adjusted.

Madras.—Five items have since been adjusted and one is *sub-judice*. Of the remaining two, the completion report for one under 'Excess over Estimate' has been returned to the Executive Engineer for revision, while the other under 'Miscellaneous Irregularities' is outstanding pending receipt of a voucher.

Bombay.—The principal outstanding items are—(*a*) constructing two light houses in the Persian Gulf (2,38) and constructing a lunatic asylum, as mentioned in the preceding paragraph, (*b*) expenditure on the construction of an engineering laboratory (37) in excess of estimate, and (*c*) constructing an additional bed-room and staircase at a Government House.

Bengal.—The outstandings relate to a payment for the supply of electric energy at Dacca under the special orders of the Local Government. The question of the exact amount to be paid to the Electric Corporation has not yet been settled.

United Provinces.—The principal item is under 'Want of Estimate' and represents expenditure on the Fyzabad and Ajudhia water-supply schemes, of which the Fyzabad Scheme has since been sanctioned

Analysis of outstandings relating to 1915-16.

31. The outstandings relating to 1915-16 are analysed below :—

Province	Want of Estimate.		Excess over Estimate.		Want of Appropriation		Excess over Appropriation		Miscellaneous Irregularities		Total	
	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount	No of items	Amount	No. of items	Amount
India . . .	1	28	23	1,41	3	2	3	5	11	2,01	41	3,77
North-West Frontier Province .	6	27	3	10			1	5	1	(*a*)	11	42
Madras . . .	63	40	58	39	1	(*a*)	8	11	24	92	154	1,82
Bombay . .	30	1,83	40	2,02	7	12	23	26	25	2,48	125	6,71
Bengal .	10	90	12	2,57	2	2	21	20	15	52	60	3,61
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh .	49	2,86	146	1,56	40	55	123	70	40	80	407	6,47
Punjab . . .	9	1	84	1,64	37	31	56	84	56	67	212	3,17(*b*)
Burma . . .	10	20	144	1,77	8	43	78	1,12	47	1,58	287	5,10
Bihar and Orissa	10	71	28	9,91	12	25	18	21	1	16	69	11,24
Central Provinces	10	18	31	56	4	10	21	29	26	6	95	1,19
Central India .	..	.	...				1.	1	..	...	1	1
Assam . .	1	2	3	1	3	5	7	13	34	12	48	33
Total .	199	7,06	572	21,94	126	1,85	363	3,97	280	9,32	1,540	44,14

(*a*) Amount less than one thousand.

(*b*) Includes 6 for Simla Imperial Sub-Division

India.—(Director-General, Military Works) (6) The outstandings relate to expenditure in excess of estimates on the telegraph office at Bangalore and its subsidiary buildings

Baluchistan (29).—The outstandings represent expenditure on additional accommodation for Police headquarters before sanction to the estimate, and on constructing a Police Ward in a Civil Hospital. Both the outstandings have since been cleared.

Delhi (3,42) —Of the total outstandings, 1,83 appertain to outlay on the ordinary works of the Delhi Province and 1,59 to initial expenditure on the New Capital. These amounts include the expenditure (1,57) on the City

Extension scheme provisionally adjusted under Miscellaneous Advances, and expenditure (42) debitable to the North-Western Railway pending adjustment on receipt of the orders of the Secretary of State on the proposed new railway station scheme.

North-West Frontier Province.—The important items are under 'Want of Estimate' and relate to special repairs to certain roads.

Madras.—Under 'Want of Estimate', the important items are in respect of outlay awaiting the sanction of Government on the manufacture of bricks and tiles, etc. The outstandings under 'Excess over Estimate' relate to the estimate for constructing a Municipal Hospital. Under 'Miscellaneous Irregularities,' the more important items are (*a*) an excess over the reserve limit of stock of a Public Works Stores Division, which awaits the sanction of the Local Government, (*b*) the value of short-delivered and damaged pipes in a consignment received from England for certain drainage works, pending recovery from the landing agents, and (*c*) an excess over the permissible limit of outlay under 'Original Works' and 'Special Repairs' to a Government House and connected buildings, which awaits the sanction of the Government of India.

Bombay.—Under 'Want of Estimate', the outstandings are mainly in connection with the construction of two light-houses in the Persian Gulf as mentioned in paragraph 29 above. Under 'Excess over Estimate,' the chief item is constructing a high school, the revised estimate for which has since been sanctioned. Under 'Miscellaneous Irregularities', the bulk of the outstandings relate to outlay on water-supply works without, or in excess of, contributions or grants-in-aid.

Bengal.—The principal item under 'Want of Estimate' is the expenditure on the supply of electric energy at Dacca, mentioned in the preceding paragraph. Under 'Excess over Estimate', the important items are (*a*) constructing a dining hall as part of the Dacca University scheme, sanction to the detailed estimates for which is awaited, and (*b*) constructing a bungalow at Dacca. The last item has since been cleared.

United Provinces.—The bulk of the outstandings is made up of small items, some of which have since been sanctioned. Expenditure of 1,75 was incurred on 'Improvements to Agra water-supply' without a sanctioned estimate. Under 'Excess over Estimate', the important items are the Aligarh water-supply scheme, which has since been sanctioned by the Local Government, and the Lucknow water-supply from tube wells. Under 'Miscellaneous Irregularities', the chief items are (*a*) outlay on certain water-works in excess of contribution, for which the municipality concerned has applied to Government for a loan, and (*b*) outlay on two wells at Hardwar, which has since been adjusted.

Punjab.—The outstandings consist mainly of small items. The principal item outstanding under 'Excess over Estimate' represents an excess of 30 over the revised estimate sanctioned by the Secretary of State for compensation for land acquired for officers' residences at Lahore.

Burma.—The outstandings are mostly made up of small items, a number of which have since been adjusted.

Bihar and Orissa.—The bulk of the outstandings are under 'Excess over Estimate' and relate to works in connection with the New Capital. The most important are (*a*) Secretariat buildings (6,15), (*b*) Government House (1,58), and (*c*) High Court. The revised estimates for the first two are stated to be under submission to the Government of India, while the last awaits the submission of the completion report. Under 'Want of Estimate', the principal items are for (*a*) constructing a water-tower, and (*b*) tools and plant. The necessary estimate for the former is under preparation, and the latter has since been adjusted. An important item under 'Miscellaneous Irregularities' represents depreciation charges on a tramway line recoverable from certain contractors; nearly the whole of this has since been adjusted.

Central Provinces and Assam.—The outstandings are made up mostly of small items, some of which have been cleared.

IRRIGATION BRANCH.

Classification of outstandings according to years: Irrigation Branch.

32. The following statement shows the outstandings in the Irrigation Branch according to the years to which they relate. The corresponding figures for the previous year are also given for purposes of comparison.

—		Relating to 1913-14 and previous years.		Relating to 1914-15.		Relating to 1915-16.		Total.	
		No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
India	31st July '15	3	6	20	28	...	...	23	34
	31st July '16	...	...	...	...	**6**	**1**	**6**	**1**
North-West Frontier Province.	31st July '15	1	(a)	72	1,56	...	...	73	1,56
	31st July '16	...	...	**7**	**98**	**62**	**1,58**	**69**	**2,56**
Madras	31st July '15	9	52	161	2,46	...	...	170	2,98
	31st July '16	**2**	**29**	**15**	**23**	**136**	**5,33**	**153**	**5,85**
Bombay	31st July '15	83	7,39	302	23,69	...	...	385	31,08
	31st July '16	**34**	**6,58**	**60**	**3,47**	**190**	**27,64**	**284**	**37,69**
Bengal	31st July '15	...	...	68	2,46	...	...	68	2,46
	31st July '16	...	...	**5**	**47**	**26**	**8,42**	**31**	**8,89**
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	31st July '15	22	87	146	2,23	...	...	1 8	3,10
	31st July '16	...	...	**3**	**1**	**115**	**2,43**	**118**	**2,44**
Punjab	31st July '15	15	6	364	4,10	...	...	379	4,16
	31st July '16	**4**	**4**	**16**	**5**	**202**	**3,04**	**222**	**3,13**
Burma	31st July '15	...	...	50	60	...	...	50	60
	31st July '16	...	...	...	...	**40**	**2,84**	**40**	**2,84**
Bihar and Orissa	31st July '15	...	...	19	22	...	...	19	22
	31st July '16	...	...	...	...	**13**	**15**	**13**	**15**
Central Provinces	31st July '15	19	2,79	75	10,79	...	...	94	13,58
	31st July '16	**10**	**1,54**	**12**	**3,07**	**68**	**7,96**	**90**	**12,57**
Assam	31st July '15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	31st July '16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	31st July '15	152	11,69	1,277	48,39	...	...	1,429	60,08
	31st July '16	**50**	**8,45**	**118**	**8,28**	**858**	**59,40**	**1,026**	**76,13**

(a) Amount less than one thousand.

Analysis of outstandings relating to 1913-14 and previous years.

33. Out of 152 items relating to 1913-14 and previous years shown as outstanding on the 31st July 1915, 102 were adjusted during the period under review. Although 67 per cent. of the number of items were adjusted, only 27·7 per cent. of the outstanding amount was cleared during the year. Of the balance of 50 items outstanding on the 31st July 1916, 1 relates to 1910-11, 4 to 1911-12, 11 to 1912-13, and 34 to 1913-14.

The following statement shows the outstandings of 1913-14 and previous years and the provinces to which they relate :—

Year.	Province.	No. of items.	Amount.
1910-11	Bombay	1	1
1911-12	"	4	1,93
1912-13	"	8	1,98
	Central Provinces	3	78
1913-14	Madras	2	29
	Bombay	21	2,66
	Punjab	4	4
	Central Provinces	7	76
	Total	50	8,45

In Bombay the item relating to 1910-11 represents expenditure in excess of the estimate for constructing an aqueduct. This has since been regularised.

The outstandings relating to 1911-12 represent outlay held under objection as 'Excess over Estimate' on works in connection with the Godavari Right and Left Bank Canals. One item has since been adjusted, while the others, which relate to the construction of water courses and canal excavation, await the orders of the Local Government on the completion reports.

The outstandings for 1912-13 consist of 2 items, amounting to 3, under 'Want of Estimate' and 6, amounting to 1,95, under 'Excess over Estimate.' The items under 'Want of Estimate' represent expenditure in connection with the Nira Right Bank Canal; one of these has since been adjusted. Under 'Excess over Estimate', four items represent further outlay on the works referred to in the preceding sub-paragraph; of the remaining two items, which represent expenditure on two culverts, one has been adjusted.

The outstandings for 1913-14 consist of 11 items, amounting to 73, under 'Want of Estimate', and 10, amounting to 1,93, under 'Excess over Estimate'. Under 'Want of Estimate', the outstandings relate to outlay on works in connection with Girna Left Bank and Nira Right Bank Canals; two of these items have since been sanctioned. Under 'Excess over Estimate', the outstandings relate mainly to works in connection with the Pravara and Godavari Right and Left Bank Canals; three of these items have since been adjusted.

In the Central Provinces, the outstandings of 1912-13 comprise outlay held under objection for 'Excess over Estimate' on 8 individual items comprised in the Ramtek Reservoir Project, which awaits the sanction of the Government of India to the completion report

The outstandings for 1913-14 include 3 items, amounting to 9, under 'Want of Estimate', and 4, amounting to 67, under 'Excess over Estimate.' The outstandings under 'Want of Estimate' are connected mainly with expenditure against the open capital account of the Ramtek Reservoir Project mentioned above, and those under 'Excess over Estimate' with expenditure on the Tandula Canal Masonry Works, of which a sum of 64 has since been cleared.

In Madras, the outstandings comprise two items under 'Want of Estimate' and 'Excess over Estimate' amounting to 2 and 27, respectively. The latter has since been adjusted, and the former, which represents the cost of establishment employed for the acquisition of land for the Chepaud Project, is awaiting sanction to the general revised estimate

In the Punjab, the outstandings represent outlay in excess of estimate. The principal item has been cleared.

Analysis of outstandings relating to 1914-15.

34. The following statement shows the outstandings relating to 1914-15 and the provinces to which they relate :—

Province	Want of Estimate.		Excess over Estimate.		Miscellaneous Irregularities.		Total.	
	No of items	Amount.	No of items	Amount.	No. of items	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
North-West Frontier Province	...	...	5	98	2	(a)	7	98
Madras	2	1	11	18	2	4	15	23
Bombay	28	64	31	2,82	1	1	60	3,47
Bengal	3	45	1	1	1	1	5	47
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	...	...	...	..	3	1	[illegible]	1
Punjab	...	...	13	5	3	(a)	16	5
Central Provinces	6	2,74	6	33	...	...	12	3,07
Total	39	3,84	67	4,87	12	7	[illegible]	8,28

(a) Amount less than one thousand.

North-West Frontier Province.—The important items under 'Excess over Estimate' are (*a*) excavating the Malakand Tunnel, for which the necessary sanction has since been received, and (*b*) excavating the Maira Branch, for which the completion report is awaited.

Madras.—Under 'Excess over Estimate', 3 items, amounting to 9, have since been adjusted. Under 'Miscellaneous Irregularities', the principal item represents a moiety of the expenditure incurred on repairs to a tank, recoverable from the *zamindars* concerned. Legal proceedings have been taken for the recovery of the amount.

Bombay.—Under 'Want of Estimate', the outstandings relate to works in connection with the Girna Left Bank and Nira Right Bank Canals mentioned in the preceding paragraph, while those under 'Excess over Estimate' relate mainly to works in connection with the Pravara Canals and the Godavari Right and Left Bank Canals.

Bengal.—The outstandings relate mainly to two works, namely, (*a*) construction of an embankment in connection with the Madaripur Bheel Route, and (*b*) dredging a river at Churmaguria. Both are awaiting sanction to the detailed estimates.

Central Provinces.—The outstandings relate chiefly to expenditure on individual works of the Tandula Canal and other projects which require sanctioned or revised estimates. Expenditure on the Khara Distributary of the Tandula Canal alone accounts for 2,40 under 'Want of Estimate'.

Analysis of outstandings relating to 1915-16.

35. The following statement shows the outstandings relating to 1915-16 and the provinces to which they relate :—

Province.	Want of Estimate.		Excess over Estimate.		Want of Appropriation.		Excess over Appropriation.		Miscellaneous Irregularities.		Total.	
	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	6	1
North-West Frontier Province.	8	2	50	1,48	...	...	2	8	7	(*a*)	62	1,58
Madras	23	86	64	4,15	...	...	8	10	41	22	136	5,33
Bombay	91	6,34	72	8,39	1	2	10	25	16	12,64	190	27,64
Bengal	12	2,72	9	5,62	...	...	...	...	5	8	26	8,42
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	1	34	64	59	1	4	16	1,42	33	4	115	2,43
Punjab	21	88	106	50	1	1	18	1,87	56	28	202	3,04
Burma	1	(*a*)	24	7	...	...	8	2,63	7	14	40	2,84
Bihar and Orissa	3	3	6	3	...	...	3	8	1	1	13	15
Central Provinces	16	92	47	6,58	...	...	1	1	4	45	68	7,96
TOTAL	171	11,61	442	27,41	3	7	66	6,44	176	13,87	858	59,40

(*a*) Amount less than one thousand.

North-West Frontier Province.—The principal items are (*a*), the Malakand Tunnel, (*b*) the Maira Branch, and (*c*) the Indus Branch. The last has since been sanctioned.

Madras.—The principal items under 'Want of Estimate' are (*a*) the Nagavalli Project, expenditure on which was incurred after the closure of the construction estimate, and (*b*) the Divi Pumping Project. Under 'Excess

over Estimate', the chief items refer to (a) the Punjapatti Reservoir Project—Special Tools and Plant and Land Compensation, (b) the Toludur Project—Special Tools and Plant, (c) sub-works of the Yellanur Project, and (d) the Yenamaduru Drain B—Land.

Bombay.—The bulk of the outstandings relates to works in connection with the Nira Right Bank, and the Pravara and Godavari, Canals; some of these have since been adjusted. Under 'Want of Estimate', an important item is the installation of a filter, which awaits sanction to detailed estimates.

Bengal.—The principal item under 'Want of Estimate' is the construction of an embankment in connection with the Madaripur Bheel Route. Under 'Excess over Estimate', the outstandings chiefly relate to the Madaripur Bheel Route Project (Capital account) (4,71), which awaits sanction to the revised project estimate.

United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.—Under 'Want of Estimate', the item represents expenditure on constructing a weir for certain permanent head-works, for which the estimate is stated to be under preparation. Under 'Excess over Estimate', the principal items relate to expenditure on (a) land for the Ghaggar Reservoir, and (b) additional locomotives, wagons, and crossings in the Bhimgoda Weir Division. The revised estimate for the former and the excesses in the latter have since been sanctioned by the Local Government. Under 'Excess over Appropriation', the important items are (a) Head-works Bhimgoda Weir Division, and (b) Works—Ghaggar canal, Mirzapur Canal Division. The excesses have since been sanctioned by the Local Government.

Punjab.—The outstandings relate chiefly to the Lower Chenab (62), Upper Jhelum (60), and Lower Bari Doab (17), Canals under 'Excess over Appropriation' and to the Upper Jhelum Canal (14) under 'Want of Estimate'. These have since been adjusted.

Burma.—One item, amounting to 2,58, in connection with the Twante Canal Project is responsible for the bulk of the outstandings under 'Excess over Appropriation'. Most of the other items have been cleared.

Bihar and Orissa.—The only important item has been cleared.

Central Provinces.—The outstandings under 'Want of Estimate' represent expenditure on individual works of irrigation projects, particularly the Tandula Canal (58) and Mahanadi Canal (29), for which detailed estimates are stated to be under preparation. Under 'Excess over Estimate', the most important items relate to the outlay on individual works in the Wainganga (3,86), Tandula (1,60), and Mahanadi (79), Canal Projects. The Local Administration have ordered that the revised estimates and completion reports of these works should be submitted without delay. The outstandings under 'Miscellaneous Irregularities' include (a) 25 advanced to the Bengal-Nagpur Railway for the construction of bridges over the Mahanadi Canal, for which completion reports are awaited, and (b) 20 due from contractors, of which 8 have since been cleared.

Financial Irregularities.

Irregular action with a view to avoiding lapses of Budget grants.

36. As in the Civil Department, several instances came to notice in which irregular action was resorted to with a view to avoiding lapses of grants. The ordinary devices adopted for this purpose were more or less the same as those noticed in previous reports. Advance payments were made and materials were purchased merely to utilise grants. Cheques were also drawn in anticipation of the receipt of materials, or of the completion of works, and kept in the cash chest. There were instances in which the balances of contractors' accounts were debited to the works at the close of the year by credit to deposits, and fictitious adjustments were effected to prevent lapses. Some cases are given below; others will be found in the appendix.

Bengal.

(a) It was noticed, during an inspection, that a cheque for Rs. 1,840-14-3 had been drawn on the 31st March 1915 and charged off in the cash book, although there was no intention of making an immediate disbursement, the work not having been completed. A final bill, purporting to be for completed

work and supported by a certificate that measurements had been made by the overseer on the 27th March 1915, was forwarded to the divisional office on the 31st March with a request that the cheque should be withheld pending submission of the completion report. The bill was passed and a cheque drawn on the 31st March 1915, but the cheque was not actually made over to the contractor until after the overseer had reported in April 1915 that the building had been completed.

(*b*) A sum of Rs. 1,557 was paid on the 31st March 1915 to a firm in Calcutta by an Executive Engineer, for value of lathes ordered, and this was finally charged off in the accounts. In March 1916, or a year after, Rs. 799 were refunded by the firm and the amount appeared in the deposit account of the division. On enquiry it was elicited that the amount refunded represented the value of one lathe which the firm was unable to obtain from England. The original bill of March 1915 was entered in a measurement book and verified by the subordinate and his superior officer, although the full number of lathes had not been supplied. The Executive Engineer explained that the payment was made to the firm on their furnishing other articles of equal value as guarantee. When it became apparent that there was no possibility of the lathe being procurable, the firm returned the money and took back the articles they had furnished.

(*c*) In March 1915, a sum of Rs. 1,876-4-0 was paid for stores which were actually received on the 6th and 30th April 1915. Entries were made in the measurement book showing the articles as having been received in March.

United Provinces.

(*d*) A cheque was drawn on the 29th March 1915 for Rs 739-0-6 for a remittance transfer receipt in favour of a firm in payment of their bill, dated the 26th March 1915, on account of the supply of certain articles The goods were despatched in three boxes under separate railway receipts and were taken delivery of on the 15th April 1915. One of the boxes actually delivered belonged to another party, but the mistake was not detected nor was any report made to the railway authorities until the 26th May 1915. The correct box was eventually recovered on the 15th September 1915, or about six months after payment.

Burma.

(*e*) On the 31st March 1915, the following payments were made by an Executive Engineer for the supply of bridge materials—

(i) Rs. 4,500, which were charged to an estimate amounting to Rs. 6,825 sanctioned on the 27th March 1915 and for which an allotment of Rs. 3,500 was provided on that date.

(ii) Rs. 7,000, which were charged to an estimate amounting to Rs.17,352 sanctioned by the Local Government on the 31st March 1915 and for which an allotment of Rs. 8,500 was provided on that date.

At the inspection of the Executive Engineer's office in February 1916 it was noticed that the agreements with the firms were signed on the 20th and 5th August 1915, respectively. According to the specification subsequently drawn up, the approximate value of the materials to be supplied by the firm in the first case was Rs. 4,230 only. The materials were actually despatched from Rangoon by the firm on the 20th August 1915 and the difference was recovered in November 1915. In the second case, the correspondence with the firm showed that the materials were not in India in June 1915 and that they were expected to be ready in February 1916. The Executive Engineer explained that the payments were made with the approval of the Local Government mainly because it was apprehended that, unless the funds available at the close of the year were made use of, it would not be possible to find funds for these works until after the war. The Local Government stated that the advances were approved by them.

(*f*) American wire fencing was ordered by a telegram, dated the 31st March 1915, from a Rangoon firm and paid for on the same date on a voucher amounting to Rs. 426-9-0. Entries were also recorded in the measurement book. In a letter from the firm, dated the 21st July 1915, it was stated that the goods were in Liverpool and about to be shipped. The wire was actually received by the Executive Engineer on the 23rd September 1915.

(g) In the same Division, expanded metal was ordered from a Rangoon firm by an indent, dated the 23rd March 1915, paid for on a voucher for Rs. 284-8-0, dated the 30th March 1915, and entered in the measurement book as measured by the Sub-Divisional Officer. From the railway credit note, adjusted in the accounts for July, the expanded metal would appear to have been delivered in June 1915.

Central Provinces.

(h) With a view to avoiding lapses of grants, two Executive Engineers obtained remittance transfer receipts on the 30th and 31st March 1916 for Rs 920-4-0 and Rs. 1,357-8-0, respectively, for the supply of articles which were not actually delivered till some time after. Both these irregular payments occurred after the issue by the Local Administration of general instructions drawing attention to the principles laid down in article 84-A of the Civil Account Code. The Local Administration issued orders that the officer concerned in the former case should be reprimanded and that an entry to this effect should be made in his personal register and that the explanation offered by the officer responsible in the latter case could not be accepted as satisfactory.

Irregular action with a view to evading financial rules or audit objections.

37. There were several cases in which irregular adjustments were made with a view to evading financial rules or to avoiding audit objections. The object in most of the cases was to reduce excesses over sanctioned estimates or allotments and thus to obviate the necessity for higher sanction. Some instances are given below; others will be found in the appendix.

Bombay.

(a) An Executive Engineer purchased coal in excess of requirements to the extent of Rs. 2,565 in connection with certain water-works and debited the amount to 'Miscellaneous Advances', in contravention of the rule in paragraph 1331 of the Public Works Department Code and the specific instructions of the audit office on the point.

Bengal.

(b) It was noticed, during the audit of the accounts of a Division for March 1915, that certain adjustments, amounting to Rs 302-9-0, had been made, apparently with the object of reducing excesses over estimates On enquiry it was found that a part of the charges on certain vouchers appertaining to one work were written back to a different work.

Punjab.

(c) Two write-back orders for Rs. 1,392 and Rs. 400, respectively, were prepared and adjusted, in the supplementary accounts for March 1915, by debit to stock, with a view apparently to removing excesses over the estimate or allotment. In both the cases, no materials were actually transferred to stock.

Purchase of materials in advance, or in excess, of requirements.

38. Several instances were noticed which indicated a tendency on the part of Public Works officers to collect materials far in advance, or in excess of, requirements. In many cases, there was a loss to Government owing to the works for which the materials had been collected being subsequently abandoned and the materials deteriorating, becoming unserviceable, or being lost. There were also cases in which materials required at an advanced stage of the works were purchased even before the sites had been finally selected. The practice was specially noticeable in Madras. It is admitted that in some instances there may have been special reasons for advance purchases; but the large number of cases, which came to notice in audit, shows that special vigilance is required in this matter on the part of Local Governments and administrative authorities in the Public Works Department.

Madras.

(a) The expenditure on the construction of a police station to the end of December 1915 amounted to Rs. 3,068-13-6, representing mainly the cost of materials at site and advances made to contractors on materials supplied. The work is temporarily suspended, as the site orginally selected was not approved and the selection of another site is under consideration. The pay of a watchman at Rs. 10 a month was charged to the work in January and June 1916, and it is understood that the contractor, who met the charge for other months, has repudiated his liability.

(b) Expenditure to the extent of Rs 8,050, commencing from February 1914, was incurred on the collection of materials for the construction of certain police huts prior to the actual acquisition of the site. The articles purchased included some roofing materials required only at an advanced

stage of the work. The Executive Engineer then considered that the site originally proposed, and approved by the Site Committee, was unsuitable and selected another site. He was, however, transferred and his successor, who preferred the original site, addressed the Collector on the 5th September 1915 regarding its acquisition. The work has now been indefinitely postponed for want of funds. The Local Government have ordered that the materials collected should be utilised elsewhere.

(c) Materials costing Rs. 2,469-9-2 were collected during 1912-13 and 1913-14 for the construction of a Deputy Tahsildar's office. An advance of Rs. 1,165-8-0 was also made to a contractor in March 1913, on the security of materials, in expectation of the work being commenced on the site chosen, but no agreement was obtained from him. The materials collected included iron girders, joists, and other articles, apparently required only at an advanced stage of the work, although no foundations for the work had been laid. The work was not commenced as expected owing to the site being unsuitable. Work having been suspended, a watchman on Rs. 6 a month was employed from May 1913. The old site was abandoned on the 17th November 1913 and a new site was acquired in June 1915. Asphalt worth Rs. 256-6-9 was collected departmentally between the date of the abandonment of the old site and the acquisition of the new one. The materials collected were removed to the new site in February 1916. The contractor having claimed interest on the capital invested by him on collecting materials and also the incidental charges for conveying them to the new site, an estimate for Rs. 2,722, representing unprofitable outlay, was submitted by the Superintending Engineer for the sanction of the Local Government in July 1916 The Local Government sanctioned the payment of Rs. 1,708 to the contractor on account of the loss sustained by him.

(d) An estimate for Rs. 15,950 was sanctioned in May 1913 for the construction of a police station and quarters and an outlay of Rs. 1,111-6-9, representing mainly the value of rough stone and metal, was incurred to the end of March 1914. The work was subsequently suspended and no further outlay was incurred, except the wages of a watcher, which amounted to Rs. 181-5-8 up to 20th October 1916 It is understood that the Superintendent of Police asked the Executive Engineer in October 1913 not to proceed with the work pending the settlement of the question as to whether a police station was necessary at the place. By that time all the materials had been collected. Of these, only materials worth Rs. 326-12-11 have been transferred to other works, the remainder having become unserviceable. The unprofitable outlay of Rs. 965-15-6 was written off under the orders of the Local Government in November 1916.

Bombay.

(e) A case occurred in which there were large excesses on the construction of certain buildings. The Executive Engineer on investigation found that a large stock of materials had been purchased in 1910, or several years before they were actually required for use. The construction of the buildings had not been started at the time and their eventual cost was increased owing to a fresh stock having to be obtained to replace timber and other materials which had deteriorated. It appeared that allotments were first sanctioned for the collection of materials and that the materials were purchased in order to utilise the funds According to the Executive Engineer's report to the Local Government, the materials-at-site accounts were not properly maintained and the issues to works were not promptly and regularly recorded, with the result that it was a matter of difficulty to make the final adjustments. The exact amount of loss to Government by deterioration, etc., could not be ascertained, as proper accounts of the materials had not been kept.

Behar and Orissa.

(f) Materials for three works had been collected some years previously under the orders of the Bengal Government. Two of the works were definitely abandoned, while the third has lately been revived and is under construction. At the end of the year 1914-15, the balance at debit of stock for the three works aggregated to Rs. 33,439, of which a sum of Rs. 23,230, being the loss on account of depreciation, was written off under the orders of the Local Government.

Losses to Government occasioned by want of care.

39. Some instances are furnished below in which losses of Government money occurred mainly owing to want of care on the part of responsible officers.

Madras.

(*a*) During the execution of a work, a contractor refused to carry out further work at the old rates. The Superintending Engineer then sanctioned higher rates for certain items which still remained to be done. In the report accompanying the revised estimate it was distinctly stated that the higher rates were applicable only to items then remaining to be done, but this was lost sight of in the Divisional and the Superintending Engineer's offices when the usual check was applied to the revised estimate and agreement. The omission resulted in a loss of Rs. 364-11-8 to Government.

Bombay.

(*b*) A Sub-Divisional Officer entrusted a sum of Rs. 2,300 to a store-clerk (Rs. 600 in cash and Rs 1,700 the amount of two cheques endorsed in the clerk's favour) with instructions to take delivery of a consignment of coal. The clerk, who had cashed both the cheques, accounted for Rs. 924-15-0 only and retained the balance. During the absence of the Sub-Divisional Officer on tour, the clerk absconded with the money. The Local Government ordered that the whole loss should be borne by the Sub-Divisional Officer.

Punjab.

(*c*) At an inspection of a Public Works Divisional office, it was noticed that final bills for the supply of bricks, of the value of Rs. 16,735, were paid by a Sub-Divisional Officer on the strength of an approximate count and classification of the bricks made by the sectional subordinate. On actual count and classification, the Executive Engineer discovered that an overpayment of Rs. 2,506 had been made. The loss was written off by the Local Government, under Public Works Department Code, Volume II, paragraph 1483 A, as no explanation could be obtained from the Sub-Divisional Officer who had proceeded on military duty out of India.

(*d*) On overhauling the accounts of a work, it was discovered that a sum of Rs. 2,965-10-7, representing the value of rolled steel beams used on the work and separately paid for, had not been recovered from the contractor's final bills, the rates in which covered the cost of the beams. Of this overpayment, a sum of Rs. 2,616-7-4 has since been recovered.

Financial interests of Government: disregard of.

40. Cases came to notice which indicated a lack of sufficient attention on the part of responsible officers to the financial interests of Government. Two instances are given below :—

Madras.

(*a*) Tramway materials, costing Rs. 14,190, were ordered in November 1914 by an Executive Engineer from a firm in India, on the ground of urgency. The previous sanction of the Local Government was not obtained, although provision had not been made in the sanctioned estimates. The materials were received in January 1915 and paid for in March 1915. The Executive Engineer submitted an application for the local purchase of the articles after their actual receipt. The Superintending Engineer submitted an estimate for Rs. 17,000 to cover the cost of purchase and stated that the tramway lines were required to lay a light portable railway track for the conveyance of bricks from a kiln 2½ miles distant from the work-site, and that the lines would be used also for certain other works at that place. The estimate was sanctioned by the Local Government in May 1915, and the application for the local purchase in June 1915. The lines, for which the purchase was urgently made, were not laid at all. The Executive Engineer stated in July 1915 that the lines need not be laid at that stage and that it was cheaper to convey the balance of bricks by carts. The lines were finally transferred to another Division in January 1916.

Burma.

(*b*) Two sets of European stores (mild steel bars), costing Rs. 1,414-4-0 and Rs. 1,304-15-0 respectively, were purchased by a Sub-Divisional Officer on grounds of urgency from a firm in Rangoon. Applications for sanction to the local purchases were submitted to the Superintendent, Central Stores Depôt, after the transactions had been practically completed. That officer certified that almost all the articles were in his stock and could have been supplied at less cost and estimated that the local purchases had caused a total loss of Rs. 954-14-2.

Expenditure not on a bona fide public object.

41. In the following cases, expenditure incurred for private purposes was irregularly debited to public funds

Bombay.

(*a*) It was found at an inspection by an audit officer that a Sub-Divisional Officer had carried out certain works on behalf of a Golf Club without remuneration This was done without the knowledge of the Executive Engineer. The Sub-Divisional Officer received money at different times amounting to Rs. 2,987-0-2 in all and also made payments to the extent of Rs. 2,671-15-5 on behalf of the Club and kept a private account of the receipts and payments. Certain pipes and bends, which had been purchased for a water-supply scheme, were also made use of by the Sub-Divisional Officer, who kept a separate private account of them. The Executive Engineer, who subsequently took charge of the district, found, in the course of his investigation into the excess on the estimate for the water-supply, that materials costing Rs. 1,175-13-2 had been issued to the Golf Club but not paid for by them. The Executive Engineer debited the amount recoverable from the Golf Club to 'Miscellaneous Advances' by credit to the water-supply accounts in the accounts for June 1915, and, after some correspondence with the Club, realized part of the amount in August 1915, and the remainder, including supervision charges, in September 1915. The liability of the Club would have remained undetected had not the issue of the stores in question caused an excess in the water-supply estimate. The Officer responsible for the irregularities is no longer in service and no action in regard to this particular case is therefore called for It is, however, advisable that steps should be taken to prevent similar irregularities in future

Punjab.

(*b*) In a Provincial Division, fuel-wood cut from road side trees was stocked and issued to officers at reduced rates, the resultant loss of Rs. 468-0-8 being written off by debit to works in progress.

Irregular measurements

42. In several cases, it was noticed that measurements of works had not been carefully made and that overpayments had occurred. The irregularity was specially prevalent in the United Provinces. Two cases are given below.

United Provinces.

(*a*) An examination by the Sub-Divisional Officer of measurements of earthwork, made by a Sub-Overseer and paid for, disclosed considerable excesses resulting in an overpayment of Rs. 1,790. There were also a few other instances of excess measurements, and measurements for works not carried out at all. The Sub-Overseer has been dismissed.

Burma.

(*b*) A contractor was at first paid for certain items of work done, which were said to have been measured It was subsequently found that only rough measurements had actually been taken. Measurements made in March disclosed an overpayment of Rs. 1,692-3-0 under one sub-head

Want of, or irregularity in, agreements for the execution of Public Works.

43 Several instances came to notice in which agreements in the prescribed forms were not obtained from contractors, or were not sanctioned by competent authority, before the commencement of the works This practice was specially prevalent in the United Provinces, Madras, and Bengal. In some cases, agreements requiring the sanction of higher authority were irregularly accepted by officers, while in a few others separate agreements were obtained from the same contractor for parts of the same work, in order to avoid applying for higher sanction It is essential that the rules should be scrupulously observed, if litigation and possible losses to Government are to be prevented.

Madras.

(*a*) The work 'Constructing Police lines' at a certain station was completed before April 1915 without an accepted agreement, and the final bill of the contractor for Rs. 13,192-3-11 was held back till August 1915 pending the Superintending Engineer's sanction to the agreement.

(*b*) In the same Division, it was observed, during the inspection of the office in October 1915, that a contractor had been paid Rs. 60,000 for several sub-works of the work 'Constructing a Police Recruit School,' (Estimate Rs. 2,31,450) without an accepted agreement.

Bengal.

(*c*) An Executive Engineer commenced a work and paid sums of Rs. 1,392-7-0 and Rs 5,253-13-0 to the contractor in February 1915 and March 1915, respectively, although the contractor's tender was accepted by the Superintending Engineer only in June 1915.

(*d*) In another case, an Executive Engineer commenced a work in February 1915 and paid Rs. 10,497 in March 1915, but the contracting firm's tender for the work was accepted by the Superintending Engineer only on the 12th August 1915.

United Provinces.

(*e*) Final payment to a contractor for metal consolidation was made in November 1914, while the Executive Engineer accepted the agreement only in February 1915. When scrutinizing the agreement, the Executive Engineer refused to accept an item for which a small payment had already been made.

(*f*) It was noticed, during the inspection of a Division in November 1915, that agreements for a police post (estimate Rs. 16,693) and a combined Post and Telegraph office (estimate Rs. 17,065) had not been sanctioned, although the buildings were then approaching completion, the expenditure already incurred having amounted to Rs. 15,480 and Rs. 14,220, respectively.

Materials-at-site accounts.

44. In some provinces, the materials-at-site accounts were not properly maintained. Issues of materials to contractors were in several cases not shown in these accounts at the time of issue, but the entries in the accounts were postponed until the cost was eventually recovered from the contractors' bills. The annual certificates of verification of the materials rendered to audit offices were not always based on an actual verification. Two instances are given below.

Madras

(*a*) The materials-at-site accounts of the work 'Improvements to a Government College' for March 1915 showed, among other items, 40 gallons of wood oil costing Rs 65-14-10, but the Sub-Divisional Officer noted that the oil was not at the site. Although the oil had apparently been missing since 1913, it continued to be shown in the accounts and was certified to at the annual verifications.

(*b*) The cost of paint, issued to a contractor for certain drainage works in February 1915, had not been debited to his account nor had the paint been shown as issued in the materials-at-site accounts up to July 1915, when the accounts of the Division were inspected. 94 barrels of cement issued from time to time to another contractor for use on the same work were not shown as issued in the materials-at-site accounts till their cost was recovered.

Contractors' Accounts.

45. In some provinces, contractors' ledgers were not maintained properly and delays were allowed to occur in the settlement of their bills. Moreover, materials issued to contractors were not always debited to their accounts at the time of issue as required by paragraph 1273-II of the Public Works Department Code, while in a few cases the prices charged to contractors were incorrect. Negligence in the upkeep of contractors' accounts is likely to lead to disputes and losses of Government money.

Bengal

(*a*) In order to clear the outstandings in contractors' ledgers, manipulations were sometimes made, with the result that the accounts did not represent actual facts. Two typical instances are given below:—

(i) Rs. 70-13-0 were debited to a contractor in March 1915 as difference in value of materials without any details as to how the amount was arrived at. The amount was the exact difference between the two sides of the ledger. Investigation showed that the correct debit should have been for Rs. 128-10-2, there being thus a balance of Rs. 57-13-2 which is recoverable from the contractor.

(ii) An outstanding of Rs. 141-2-0, which had existed since March 1913, was cleared in the ledger in March 1915, Final, by a credit entry 'difference in value of materials excess debited to constructing a treasury guard barrack Rs. 141-2-0.'

No details were given, no work abstract was prepared, and no attempt was made to clear the item from the accounts of the works. Investigation showed that the amount in question represented the value of materials issued in October 1912 which had not been recovered.

Disciplinary action was taken in the case of the Divisional Accountant responsible for the manipulations.

United Provinces.

(*b*) A firm of contractors were charged lower rates for the materials issued to them than those at which they were borne in the stock registers. The total loss to Government on account of the transaction amounts approximately to Rs. 7,000.

Road Metal returns. *United Provinces.*

46. A faulty system of accounting for road metal in the accounts and returns obtained in the United Provinces. No entries of receipts and issues of road metal were made in the road metal returns until bills for metal collected or consolidated had been paid. Under this practice, the balance in the road metal return became a minus quantity when payment for consolidation preceded payment for metal used in consolidation (*i e*, metal collected), and any attempt at verification of the book balances as a result of actual check by measurement was rendered impossible A scrutiny of these records during annual inspections showed that the quantities entered in the column 'result of actual check by measurement' of the road metal returns were almost invariably those of the book balances, even when the latter happened to be minus quantities. This would seem to indicate that in reality no actual check measurement was made in such cases These accounts cannot be satisfactory until the metal brought to site is promptly measured and at once brought on to the road metal returns, irrespective of payment, and until the issues are accounted for as soon as the transactions occur. The Local Government issued instructions on the subject in December 1916.

Pay of regular establishments irregularly charged to works. *United Provinces.*

47 Charges on account of the pay of establishments were sometimes irregularly debited to works. Two instances are given below.

(*a*) A District Engineer asked for a temporary sub-overseer on Rs 25 a month to prepare site plans of certain lands. To avoid applying for higher sanction, the Executive Engineer sanctioned a work agent and debited his salary to works

(*b*) The pay of a man at Rs. 30 a month was charged to various works on which he was not employed. An order, dated January 1910, of an Executive Engineer of the Division ran as follows :—

'With the sanction of the Chief Engineer, the maistry is to be allowed to draw his pay as before on condition that he appears once a month to draw it. No regular work will be asked of him but he will be on hand in case any information is wanted of him.'

Expenditure of Government money in excess, or in anticipation, of depositor's contribution.

48. In the following instances, expenditure was incurred from public funds in excess, or in anticipation, of the depositor's contribution, in contravention of rule in paragraph 864, clause IV, of the Public Works Department Code.

Madras.

(*a*) Expenditure amounting to Rs. 7,294 was incurred to the end of May 1910 on repairs to a tank in anticipation of the receipt of contribution. A moiety of the amount was fixed by the Local Government as the share recoverable from the *zamindars*. A sum of Rs. 3,646-15-8 was accordingly debited to 'Miscellaneous Advances' in the Divisional accounts for September 1914. The money has not been recovered and legal proceedings have been taken.

Bombay.

(*b*) Expenditure to the extent of Rs. 5,18,810 was incurred during the year 1915-16 on 64 private, or municipal, works without receipt of contribution or in excess of the contribution due. The Local Government have sanctioned grants-in-aid in some cases and loans in others, and have made the local bodies responsible for the payment of the balance The balance still recoverable at the end of the year, including outstandings of the previous year, amounted to Rs. 2,37,682.

Delays in the settlement of objections.

49. In previous reports, attention has been drawn to the delay which often occurs in the settlement of objections raised in audit. Promptitude in the regularisation of expenditure and in the disposal of inspection and other audit reports issued by account offices is essential to the prevention of financial irregularities. A few instances of delay are given below :—

Bombay

(a) Constructing water courses :—

	Rs.
Estimate	12,400
Excess over estimate	4,583

The excess expenditure was incurred as under :—

	Rs.
1911-12	2,670
1912-13	1,177
1913-14	380
1914-15	306
1915-16	50

The excess appeared for the first time in March 1912 and was reported to the Local Government in the objection statement for March 1912, supplementary. The objections continued to be reported from time to time in the objection statements. The Local Government stated, in July 1915, that they proposed to deal with the excess on the completion report of a certain canal project. The project estimate was closed on the 31st March 1916 and the completion report was passed on to the Local Government in December 1916. The requisite sanction to the excess had not been received in the audit office up to the 7th February 1917

	Rs.
(b) Land compensation	12,645

Expenditure on this account was incurred, without a sanctioned estimate, as follows :—

	Rs.
1912-13	32
1913-14	1,916
1914-15	2,587
1915-16	8,110

Expenditure on the work first appeared in November 1912, and was reported to the Local Government from time to time in the objection statements up to December 1914. The Local Government stated that the estimates were awaited from the Superintending Engineer. A special report was made to the Local Government in April 1916. In May 1916, the Local Government referred the estimate to the audit office for report As the amount of the estimate exceeded the powers of sanction of the Local Government, the sanction of the Government of India was called for. The item has now been included in the revised project estimate of a certain canal, which has been submitted to the Government of India with a view to obtaining the sanction of the Secretary of State.

	Rs.
(c) Excavation of a Canal	79,873

Expenditure was incurred, without a sanctioned estimate, as follows :—

	Rs.
1913-14	42,762
1914-15	34,983
1915-16	2,128

Expenditure on the work first appeared in March 1912, as a part of the outlay on the open capital account of a tank and a river extension project. Later on, it was decided that the river extension project should be dealt with

separately and the entire outlay was separated and held under objection during 1913-14. A special report having been made to the Local Government in March 1913, it was stated that the estimates would be submitted shortly by the Executive Engineer. The objection continued to be reported in the several monthly and periodical objection statements. In a memorandum issued by the Local Government in January 1914, they approved of a preliminary recapitulation of works against the open capital account of the canal project, amounting to Rs. 1,52,505, and stated that formal orders on the whole project would issue later. The outlay continued to be reported to the Local Government in the objection statements and also by special letters in November 1915 and March 1916. In March 1916, the Local Government directed the Superintending Engineer to submit all estimates connected with the canal extension project, complete in all respects, through the audit office. The complete estimate for the project was passed on to the Local Government in December 1916 and is awaiting their sanction.

United Provinces.

(*d*) An audit officer's inspection report of a certain Division was sent to the Executive Engineer on the 22nd February 1916 Reminders to the Executive Engineer were issued on 18th April, 22nd May, 22nd June, 17th July and 30th August 1916. The matter was then reported to the Superintending Engineer and the Local Government. The report was received from the Superintending Engineer on the 11th October 1916.

(*e*) Expenditure on metalling a road, without an estimate, first appeared in the accounts for March 1911. Expenditure amounting to Rs 7,090 has been incurred to the end of March 1916. The item was reported monthly to the Superintending Engineer and periodically to the Local Government in the objection statements. On the report for the period ending with March 1915, issued on the 5th August 1915, the Local Government ordered that the Superintending Engineer should see that the estimate was sanctioned at an early date. The item was again reported to the Local Government in November 1915. It was also included in the objection statement for December 1915, issued on the 7th March 1916, when the Superintending Engineer stated that the estimate had been sent to the Commissioner for administrative sanction on the 23rd February 1916 and had not been received back. The orders of the Local Government on this report were that the Superintending Engineer should see that sanction to the estimate was expedited. The attention of the Local Government was again drawn to the matter in May 1916, and the expenditure was included in the objection statement for March 1916, issued on the 12th August 1916, on which the Superintending Engineer explained that the estimate was still under revision and that a special letter on the history of the estimate was being sent to the Chief Engineer. He mentioned also that the Executive Engineer had reported that the work had been stopped pending further orders. The Local Government eventually passed the expenditure incurred without an estimate. The matter is under further reference to the Local Government.

Posts and Telegraphs.

Percentage of objections to total expenditure.

50. The following statement shows the gross amount of objections raised in the Posts and Telegraphs Department during the year under review, the net amount of objections representing infringements of financial rules, the amount of expenditure audited, and the percentage which the net objections bear to the total expenditure.

1. Total amount placed under objection		52,79
2. *Deduct* :—Amount relating to Debt heads including Suspense	27,04	
3. Amount placed under objection for want of detailed contingent bills	14,65	
		41,69
4. Net expenditure placed under objection which represents deviation from rules		11,10
5. Total expenditure debited to service heads audited during the year		4,51,07
Percentage of Objections (item 4) to Expenditure (item 5) .		2·46

The corresponding percentage for the preceding year was 3·1.

Analysis of Outstanding Objections.

Balances of objections on the 31st July 1916.

51. The following statement shows the balances of objections raised up to the 31st March 1916, but remaining unadjusted on the 31st July 1916, in the Post Office and Indian Telegraph Traffic, and Indo-European Telegraph, Departments.

	Items awaiting clearance.		Service payments for recovery.	Total.	Total on 31st July 1915.	Increase + Decrease—
	For want of detailed counter-signed bills.	For other reasons.				
Post Office and Indian Telegraph Traffic .	22	1,22	4	1,48	63	+85
Indo-European Telegraph	..	15	3	18	6	+12
Total .	22	1,37	7	1,66	69	+97

The increase of 85 in the Post Office and Indian Telegraph Traffic Department, as compared with the similar figure for the preceding year, was mainly due to objections against Base Post Offices and to an item of 7, being the rent charged by the South Indian Railway for the Post Office building at Dhanushkodi held under objection for want of proper sanction. The increase of 12 in the Indo-European Telegraph Department was mainly due to the war.

Classification of outstandings according to years.

52. The following statement shows the outstandings according to the years to which they relate:—

		Relating to 1913-14, and previous years.		Relating to 1914-15.		Relating to 1915-16.		Total.	
		No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
Post Office and Indian Telegraph Traffic.	31st July 1915 .	6	1	1,313	62	...	..	1,319	63
	31st July 1916	4	1	35	1	978	1,46	1,017	1,48
Indo-European Telegraph.	31st July 1915 .	...	...	69	6		...	69	6
	31st July 1916	..	...	...	...	424	18	424	18
Total	31st July 1915 .	6	1	1,382	68	...	...	1,388	69
	31st July 1916	4	1	35	1	1,402	1,64	1,441	1,66

The items for 1913-14 and previous years represent privilege leave allowances drawn by a military telegraphist pending the sanction of the Secretary of State, and amounts recoverable in connection with the loss of a registered bag which are being regularly recovered from the pension of a retired official. The items for 1914-15 are mainly on account of objections against Base Post Offices.

The objections for 1915-16, outstanding on the 31st July 1916, are classified as follows:—

Want of sanction	1,27
Want of detailed countersigned bills	19
Want of sub-vouchers, etc.	8
Service payments for recovery	7
Other objections	3
Total .	1,64

Under 'Want of sanction' and 'Want of detailed countersigned bills,' the figures were largest in Bombay, owing to a large number of objections against Base Post Offices which were unavoidable in the conditions of work on field service.

53. The following statement shows the balances of objections outstanding on the 31st July 1916 in the Indian Telegraph Engineering Department. The figures of the preceding year are also given for the purpose of comparison.

Heads of objection.	Relating to 1914-15.		Relating to 1915-16.		Total.	
	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
Excess over Estimate (covered by Administrative sanction).	...	...	17	16	17	16
Want of appropriation	...	...	3	1	3	1
Excess over appropriation	...	...	13	3	13	3
Miscellaneous irregularities	3	(a)	155	6	158	6
Total 1915-16	3	(a)	188	26	191	26
Total 1914-15	233	58	...	...	233	58

(a) Amount less than one thousand.

There was an improvement of 32 in the balance outstanding on the 31st July 1916, as compared with the preceding year, which was mainly due to the fact that the figures for 1914-15 included a special item of 22 on account of the value of stores found to be deficient at the independent stock-taking of the Alipore Store Depôt. This item was adjusted in 1915-16.

The outstandings of 1914-15 represent (1) two items on account of railway freight excess charged, one of which has since been adjusted, and (2) one item on account of travelling allowance irregularly drawn, which is being recovered in monthly instalments.

The outstandings of 6 under 'Miscellaneous irregularities' include three items of 1914-15; the remaining items relate to the year 1915-16, and are analysed below :—

For want of details, etc.	1
" " sanction	1
Overpayment of Railway freight	3
Recoveries of Service payments	1
Total	6

Financial Irregularities.

Attempts to evade audit rules.

54. There were a few cases in which schemes of expenditure were split up and sanctioned piecemeal in order to avoid having to obtain the sanction of higher authority. The Director General of Posts and Telegraphs issued general orders in June 1916 prohibiting this type of irregularity.

Irregular action with a view to avoiding lapses of grants.

55. In the following instances, irregular action was resorted to, apparently with a view to avoiding lapses of grants.

(a) In a muster roll for Rs. 350, paid on the 27th March 1915, labourers were shown in several cases as having been actually present up to the 31st March 1915 and the sums paid were calculated inclusive of that date.

(b) A sum of Rs. 1,050-0-0, representing passage charges of labourers, was charged in the accounts for March 1915, although the claim was preferred only on the 7th April 1915.

Railways.

Percentage of objections to total expenditure: Comparison with 1914-15.

56. Of the total expenditure of the year, amounting to 37,44,43, 1,50,84, or 4·03 per cent., were placed under objection. The corresponding percentage in 1914-15 was 4·82*.

* Differs from the figures shown in the last report owing to alterations since made by the Accountant General, Railways, with a view to excluding merely formal or technical objections.

Analysis of Outstanding Objections.

Outstanding balance on 31st July 1916: Comparison with 1914-15.

57. The following statement shows the balances of the several classes of objections, raised up to the 31st March 1916 but remaining unadjusted on the 31st July 1916. The corresponding figures of the preceding year are also given for purposes of comparison :—

Heads of objection		Balance on 31st July 1916.		Balance on 31st July 1915.		Increase + Decrease —.	
		No of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
Want of Estimate		132	34,39	164	52,85	—32	—18,46
Excess over Estimate	Covered by administrative sanction	398	33,47	516	57,74	—118	—24,27
	Not covered by administrative sanction	103	37,63	127	42,42	—24	—4,79
Want of Appropriation		57	4,06	12	7	+45	+3,99
Excess over Appropriation		129	11,44	47	11,89	+82	—45
Miscellaneous Irregularities		30	28,52	69	30,18	—39	—1,66
TOTAL		849	1,49,51	(a)935	(a)1,95,15	—86	—45,64

(a) Differs from the figures shown in the last report owing to alterations since made by the Accountant General, Railways, with a view to excluding merely formal or technical objections.

The total sum under objection under all heads of account on the 31st July 1916 was 1,49,51 as compared with 1,95,15 in the preceding year. There was thus a net reduction of 45,64, which is attributable mainly to the regularisation of the following large items which were outstanding in the preceding year for 'Want of Estimate' and 'Excess over Estimate' :—

Eastern Bengal Railway—

Sara-Santahar Broad Gauge construction	14,02
Remodelling Naihati yard	4,28

North Western Railway—

Laki Pezu Tank construction	16,23

The increase of 3,99 under the head 'Want of Appropriation' occurred chiefly on the East Indian Railway and was due to expenditure having been incurred on certain urgent open line works. An unavoidable payment had also to be made to the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway in connection with the transfer of land at Delhi.

Classification according to years.

58. In the following statement the outstandings are classified according to the years to which they relate :—

Heads of objection.		Relating to 1913-14 and previous years.		Relating to 1914-15.		Relating to 1915-16.		Total		Increase + Decrease —.	
		No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items	Amount.	No. of items	Amount.
Want of Estimate.	31st July '15	44	27,50	120	25,35	...	...	164	52,85	—32	—18,46
	31st July '16	**21**	**13,54**	**31**	**4,54**	**80**	**16,31**	**132**	**34,39**		
Excess over Estimate.	31st July '15	187	51,07	456	49,09	...	...	643	1,00,16	—142	—29,06
	31st July '16	**62**	**14,41**	**99**	**28,37**	**340**	**28,32**	**501**	**71,10**		
Want of Appropriation	31st July '15	...	...	12	7	...	...	12	7	+45	+3,99
	31st July '16	...	...	**3**	**1**	**54**	**4,05**	**57**	**4,06**		
Excess over Appropriation.	31st July '15	2	25	45	11,61	...	...	47	11,89	+82	—45
	31st July '16	...	...	**1**	**49**	**128**	**10,95**	**129**	**11,44**		
Miscellaneous	31st July '15	22	14,84	47	15,34	...	...	69	30,18	—39	—1,66
	31st July '16	**8**	**10,03**	**8**	**3,96**	**14**	**14,53**	**30**	**28,52**		
TOTAL	31st July '15	255	93,66	680	1,01,49	...	...	935	1,95,15	—86	—45,64
	31st July '16	**91**	**37,98**	**142**	**37,37**	**616**	**74,16**	**849**	**1,49,51**		

Classification of outstandings by Railway lines and according to years.

59. The statement below shows the distribution of the outstanding objections according to the Railway lines and to the years to which they relate :—

Railways.		Relating to 1913-14 and previous years.		Relating to 1914-15		Relating to 1915-16		Total	
		No of items.	Amount	No. of items	Amount.	No of items	Amount	No of items	Amount
Assam-Bengal	31st July 1915	22	3,63	69	3,22	...	..	91	6 85
	" 1916	4	2,66	5	3,69	95	7,70	104	14,05
Bengal-Nagpur	" 1915	...	...	16	2 38	...	..	16	2,38
	" 1916	...	...	3	18	15	94	18	1,12
Bombay, Baroda and Central India.	" 1915	20	3,62	62	1,68	...	.	82	5,30
	" 1916	8	37	11	15	61	2,64	80	3,16
Burma	" 1915	52	25,25	55	4,00	..	...	107	29,25
	" 1916	35	14,03	28	4,25	18	73	81	19,01
Eastern Bengal	" 1915	23	8,22	104	22,51	...	.	127	30 73
	" 1916	4	36	14	1,70	103	11,66	121	13,72
East Indian	" 1915	17	3,23	39	3,56	..	...	56	6,79
	" 1916	...	...	6	86	74	10,50	80	11,36
Great Indian Peninsula	" 1915	34	32,45	45	23,26	...	...	79	55,71
	" 1916	18	19,13	19	21,51	58	12,70	95	53,34
Lucknow-Bareilly	" 1915	25	1,85	42	6,48	...	...	67	8,33
	" 1916	3	1	7	11	6	25	16	37
North Western	" 1915	23	10,09	111	20,57	..	...	134	30,66
	" 1916	11	83	37	2,95	84	4,40	132	8,18
Oudh and Rohilkhand	" 1915	...	...	11	1,04	..	.	11	1,04
	" 1916	...	...	..	...	16	60	16	60
Madras and Southern Mahratta	" 1915	14	94	47	5,16	.	...	61	6,10
	" 1916	2	2	1	5	12	86	15	93
South Indian	" 1915	8	2,75	17	1,93	..	..	25	4,68
	" 1916	3	36	2	86	4	1,75	9	2,97
Tirhoot	" 1915	14	1,52	47	3 65	...	...	61	5,17
	" 1916	3	21	9	1,06	16	1,18	28	2,45
Other Railways	" 1915	3	11	15	2,05	..	.	18	2 16
	" 1916	...	...	...	..	54	18,25	54	18,25
TOTAL	" 1915	255	98,66	680	1,01,49	..	.	935	1,95,15
	" 1916	91	37,98	142	37,37	616	74,16	849	1,49,51

60. Out of the 255 items relating to 1913-14 and previous years remaining unadjusted on the 31st July 1915, 164 were adjusted during the period under review.

Analysis of outstandings relating to 1913-14 and previous years.

The following statement shows the outstandings still unadjusted and the Railways to which they relate :—

Railways.	Want of Estimate		Excess over Estimate.		Want of Appropriation.		Excess over Appropriation		Miscellaneous.		Total	
	No of items	Amount.	No. of items	Amount.	No of items	Amount.	No of items.	Amount	No of items	Amount.	No of items	Amount
Assam-Bengal	...	...	4	2,66	...	...	...	..	...	...	4	2,66
Bombay, Baroda and Central India.	...	...	5	16	...	...	...	...	3	21	8	37
Burma	15	8,93	30	5,10	...	...	..	...	...	..	35	14,03
Eastern Bengal	...	..	4	36	..	...	...	.	...	.	4	36
Great Indian Peninsula	3	4,31	11	5,07	...	...	...	...	4	9,75	18	19,13
Lucknow-Bareilly	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	1
North Western	3	30	8	53	..	...	...	...	...	...	11	83
Madras and Southern Mahratta.	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	..	...	...	2	2
South Indian	...	...	3	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	36
Tirhoot	...	...	3	14	...	.	...	..	.	7	3	21
TOTAL	21	13,54	62	14,41		...	...	...	8	10,08	91	37,98

Particulars of the larger outstandings are given below :—

Assam-Bengal.—Earthwork, Kooseara Sylhet Section (2,06). The objection is being regularized by re-appropriation.

Burma.—The objections relate chiefly to the Southern Shan States Railway. These will be removed on receipt of the Secretary of State's sanction to the revised estimate for the project, which is being applied for.

Great Indian Peninsula.—The principal items are :—

(*i*) Land for Victoria Terminus (3,98). The acquisition of land has been approved by the Railway Board. The estimate is under consideration.

(*ii*) Renewal of coaching and goods stock during 1912-13 and 1913-14 (9,75). The objection will be cleared by final adjustments between Capital and Revenue based on actuals.

Analysis of outstandings relating to 1914-15.

61. Out of the 680 items relating to 1914-15 outstanding on the 31st July 1915, 538 were adjusted by the 31st July 1916. The remaining outstandings are given in the following statement :—

Railways.	Want of Estimate.		Excess over Estimate.		Want of Appropriation.		Excess over Appropriation.		Miscellaneous.		Total.	
	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
Assam-Bengal	...	...	5	3,69	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3,69
Bengal Nagpur	1	2	2	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	18
Bombay, Baroda and Central India.	...	...	11	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	15
Burma	7	2,36	21	1,89	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	4,25
Eastern Bengal	5	1,11	9	59	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	1,70
East Indian	...	...	6	86	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	86
Great Indian Peninsula	...	...	13	18,08	...	...	...	...	6	3,43	19	21,51
Lucknow-Bareilly	1	5	3	5	3	1	...	...	...	...	7	11
North Western	17	1,00	19	1,53	...	...	...	...	1	42	37	2,95
Madras and Southern Mahratta.	...	...	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5
South Indian	...	...	1	77	...	...	...	...	1	9	2	86
Tirhoot	...	...	8	55	...	...	1	49	...	2	9	1,06
Total	31	4,54	99	28,37	3	1	1	49	8	3,96	142	37,37

Assam-Bengal.—All the items under 'Excess over Estimate' are covered by administrative sanction.

Burma.—The objections relate chiefly to the Southern Shan States Railway. These will be removed on receipt of the Secretary of State's sanction to the revised estimate for the project, which is being applied for.

Great Indian Peninsula.—The major portion of the amount under objection is accounted for by the following items :—

(*i*) Parel—New locomotive erecting shop (5,72). A revised estimate for the work has since been sanctioned by the Railway Board.

(*ii*) Relaying 128 miles between Igatpuri and Duskheda (11,40). The completion reports, in which the excess will be regularised, have been submitted to the Railway Board for sanction.

North Western.—The principal item is :—

Remodelling the Lahore yard (80). The objection will be removed when the revised estimate for the work, which has been submitted to the Railway Board, is sanctioned.

62. The outstandings relating to 1915-16 are analysed in the following statement :—

Analysis of outstandings relating to 1915-16.

Railways.	Want of Estimate.		Excess over Estimate.		Want of Appropriation.		Excess over Appropriation		Miscellaneous.		Total.	
	No. of items.	Amount	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
Assam Bengal	28	5,72	12	71	20	38	35	89	...	...	95	7.70
Bengal Nagpur	4	35	5	27	1	2	5	30	...	...	15	94
Bombay, Baroda and Central India.	6	40	53	2,07	.	...	...	...	2	17	61	2,64
Burma	5	22	18	51	...	...	...	..	...	...	18	73
Eastern Bengal	11	3,78	39	2 88	17	2,24	36	2,76	...	...	103	11,66
East Indian	1	19	19	2,71	9	1,32	45	6,28	...	...	74	10,50
Great Indian Peninsula	4	19	51	7,69	..	...	1	9	2	4,78	58	12,70
Lucknow Bareilly	...	..	4	23		...	...	...	2	2	6	25
North Western	11	58	62	3,75	6	5	4	2	1	...	84	4,40
Oudh and Rohilkhand	2	4	13	18	...	...	...	...	1	43	16	60
Madras and Southern Mahratta.	1	33	10	31	...	...	1	22	...	...	12	86
South Indian	3	1,36	1	39	...	..	...	..	...	.	4	1,75
Tirhoot	2	23	12	52	1	4	1	39	.	..	16	1,18
Other Railways	2	2,92	46	6,15		...	...	...	6	9,18	54	18,25
Total	80	16.31	340	28,32	54	4,05	128	10,95	14	14,53	616	74,16

Assam-Bengal.—The principal item is :—

Restoration of Hill Section (5,70). The objection will be removed when the detailed estimate is sanctioned by the Railway Board.

Eastern Bengal.—The principal item is :—

Taking over Paksey Colony (3,00). The Railway Board has since sanctioned the transfer of the colony to the Eastern Bengal Railway and the objection has been removed.

East Indian.—The principal items are :—

(*i*) Burdwan—Howrah Chord—Saktigarh—Kamarkundu—Bally (1,25). The objection will be regularized on sanction being given by the Railway Board to the revised re-appropriation statement.

(*ii*) The 'Excess over Appropriation' (6,28) was due chiefly (*a*) to the actuals for debits to Capital on account of substantial renewals of permanent way during the year having exceeded the provision made, consequent on more relaying work having been done than first estimated for and to a rise in the price of materials, and (*b*) to the fact that an engineering firm, who were expected to pay 11,36 on account of materials supplied to them for the construction of the Jhind-Panipat Railway, made a part payment of 9,10 only on the 30th March 1916 when it was too late to restrict expenditure.

Great Indian Peninsula.—The major portion of the amount under objection is accounted for by the following items :—

(*i*) Quadrupling Curry Road to Kalyan (1,76). The objection has since been removed.

(*ii*) Kalyan remodelling (Engineering heads) (2,68). Revised estimates are under preparation.

(*iii*) Renewal of 36 engines (4,70). This will be regularized by final adjustments between Capital and Revenue based on actuals on completion of the work.

Other Railways.—The principal item is—

Lower Ganges Bridge (15,32) —This consists chiefly of (*i*) 3,11, which will be regularized on completion reports the preparation of which has been taken in hand, (*ii*) 2,92, which are in course of adjustment, and (*iii*) 9,18, representing suspense balances the clearance of which is in progress.

Financial Irregularities.

Manipulation of Accounts to avoid audit objections.

63. The following more important financial irregularities are brought to notice :—

(*a*) A district officer purchased a steam road roller for Rs. 6,445 and charged the cost to Ordinary Revenue Maintenance, because no estimate or allotment for it had been sanctioned under Capital, to which head it was properly chargeable. A write-back was subsequently made.

(*b*) In the accounts of the Carriage and Wagon Workshops of a railway for August 1914, lump sum adjustments amounting to Rs. 5,656 were made under the head 'labour' in the case of certain work orders, merely for the purpose of covering up excesses.

Irregular accounting for stores.

64. In the course of a reconciliation between a District Engineer's permanent-way material accounts and the audit stores ledgers made in 1913-14, large discrepancies were found, which the district accounts clerk was required to investigate and adjust in the district stores accounts. Following this reconciliation, various adjustment memoranda were sent in and incorporated in the audit ledgers. The next reconciliation took place in 1915-16 and it then came to light that large fictitious adjustments had been included in the reconciliation adjustments of 1913-14. One item of these related to some 200,000 bearing plates, valued at 1½ lakhs of rupees, which had been shown as returned from revenue renewals and brought on to the reserve stock. A joint enquiry by engineering and audit representatives showed that the district material accounts had been very unsatisfactorily kept. Adjustments showing materials issued to, or returned from, works had been made without any foundation—in fact with apparently no other reason than misguided and ignorant attempts to get the material accounts into agreement. These adjustments, some of which were not even advised to audit, were approved by the district officer, though, seeing that in several cases large sums were involved, it should have been obvious to him that they were not in order.

Defective method of taking measurements.

65. During a local audit inspection of an engineering district, the earthwork paid for was fully analysed and compared with the work orders drawn up from sectional measurements, and it was found that the through rates actually paid were considerably higher than the average through scheduled rates entered in the work orders originally issued and signed by contractors. Measurements were taken by overseers and entered on the back of work orders. These measurements were subsequently entered by Assistant Engineers in their measurement books at the time of preparing bills and there were no indications of any check having been exercised. There was no authority for such measurements, involving large sums of money, being entrusted to subordinates. A large number of measurements were in pencil and in many cases quantities were omitted to be calculated and entered in ink on the back of work orders in order to avoid subsequent fraudulent alterations in the measurements originally taken. The entry of measurements on the back of work orders in the possession of contractors is in itself a very serious irregularity. Several of these measurements had been subsequently altered or erased, and slips with fresh entries pasted over them, and it cannot be said to what extent these alterations are genuine.

Expenditure in anticipation, or in excess, of depositor's contribution.

66. (*a*) Certain works were carried out by a railway for a private company, without requiring the latter to deposit in advance the total estimated cost of the works. A sum of Rs. 1,402-3-0 was outstanding for more than four years, with no prospect of recovery. The Railway Board, in sanctioning the write-off of the amount, have pointed out the necessity for the strict observance of the rule requiring that no work should be undertaken on private account until the total estimated cost has been deposited.

(*b*) Expenditure on a factory siding, which was constructed for a private company, was incurred without taking a deposit of the estimated amount from the party concerned and was debited in the first instance to final heads in the accounts of the railway. The whole transaction was irregular. The amount was adjusted in August 1915.

Double claims.

67. (*a*) Famine allowances for three different sections of his district were twice claimed by a district officer. The pay of the head pay sheet clerk and his assistant was reduced for their carelessness.

(*b*) Certain bonuses were twice claimed by a district officer, and an enquiry elicited the fact that his office had submitted the office and fair copies to audit. Both sets of copies had been signed and no distinguishing marks appeared on the office copies.

Pay of regular establishment charged to works to avoid higher sanction.

68. (*a*) Two 'Mistries' entered on a labour muster sheet charged to works were found to be actually employed as office clerks.

(*b*) At an audit inspection of the Carriage and Wagon Workshops of a railway, the wages of 21 men employed on clerical duties and of 9 utilized as peons were found to have been charged to works.

Irregular issues of materials.

69. It came to notice that, in a certain railway, 4,967 yards of long cloth, costing Rs. 1,450, were issued partly in May 1913 and partly in March 1914 by the stores Department to certain contractors for sewing uniforms, on a requisition prepared in the Traffic Manager's office without proper authority. The matter was reported to the Agent, and as a result the services of the head clerk of the Traffic Manager's office have been dispensed with.

Frauds and misappropriation of money.

70. (*a*) A signal inspector of a railway fraudulently drew wages amounting to Rs. 150 for workmen who had not been in the employ of the railway. This was detected by a comparison of the thumb marks on muster rolls. Criminal proceedings were instituted and the inspector was sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for six months.

(*b*) A ballast train cooly contractor, in collusion with the head clerk of the District Engineer's office and four guards of ballast trains, defrauded the railway of a large amount of money by falsifying accounts. The method adopted was as follows:—

The contractor under his agreement with the railway was to supply a certain minimum number of coolies for each ballast train, for which he was paid at daily rates for each cooly. A 10 per cent. commission on the total value of the labour supplied was also allowed, which was to be reduced to 5 per cent. if the number of coolies fell below the minimum of 150 and a fine was to be inflicted on the contractor for every cooly short of the minimum number. It was therefore to the interest of the contractor to keep the supply of coolies on each train up to the minimum number. With the connivance of four guards of the ballast trains and the head clerk of the District Engineer's office, he sent in false reports of the number of coolies working on the ballast trains and was thus paid for labour which was never supplied by him. The parties concerned were prosecuted and were sentenced to varying terms of imprisonment. The loss to the railway, which was roughly estimated at a lakh of rupees, has been written-off with the sanction of the Government of India.

(*c*) A sum of of Rs. 2,075-7-9 was embezzled by the head clerk of a District Office, who was allowed to collect money and grant informal receipts on behalf of the officer in charge. The clerk was convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for a period of nine months. The amount embezzled has since been recovered. The fraud could have been detected earlier if ordinary care and supervision had been exercised by the officer in charge. Disciplinary action has been taken by the railway in the case of the officer responsible and measures have been adopted to prevent such frauds.

(*d*) A Station Master embezzled a sum of Rs. 2,912-4-0, being the goods earnings for March and April 1915. Consignments were received and delivered, but freight was not accounted for, all entries in the proper books of the receipt of consignments and their delivery having been omitted. The collection of a further sum of Rs. 2,975 on account of demurrage of inward goods was evaded by the falsification of entries in the station books. On the detection of the fraud, the Station Master committed suicide.

(*e*) A sum of Rs. 3,399-3-0 was embezzled by a booking clerk, who adopted the plan of accounting for a smaller number of tickets as sold than was actually sold, by issuing tickets from bundles of tickets in stock instead of from the ticket tubes in use, and by withholding part of the day's earnings. The booking clerk absconded and has not yet been apprehended. The assistant booking clerk was sentenced to two years' rigorous imprisonment, but on appeal was acquitted. The failure of the audit office to detect the fraud at an earlier stage was due to the gross carelessness of a clerk and to want of co-ordination, and very perfunctory working in two sub-sections of the traffic audit branch.

Suitable action has been taken in regard to the members of the audit staff responsible for this failure to carry out their duties.

(*f*) At a certain station, a travelling inspector of accounts discovered that a number of tickets to various stations were missing from the ticket tube. These were intermediate numbers and had been taken from the middle of the bundles in the tubes. An examination of ticket collectors' reports and collected tickets of destination stations proved in many cases that these tickets had been actually used and were duly collected at destination; but, owing to the fact that the mis-issued tickets were collected on days when highest numbers were not picked out, the irregularity was not discovered in audit. The services of the assistant booking clerk responsible in the case were dispensed with and a note of censure was recorded in the service sheet of the head booking clerk.

(*g*) In a booking office of a certain station, cash realised by sale of passenger tickets during the months of January, February and March 1916 was not remitted promptly, but the amount was made good and duly accounted for within the month and thus detection in audit was evaded. The travelling auditor, while inspecting the station, suspecting something wrong, wired for the numbers of tickets collected from certain stations; this led to the detection of the fraud. Under the present system in force on the railway it is not possible for the station staff to commit such a fraud as the proof book, instead of being kept permanently at stations, is now sent to audit directly after the close of the month. This enables a check to be exercised by audit on the returns of collected tickets received daily from stations. The travelling auditors are also now required to check carefully the entries in this book while it is at the station and to show in it the actual commencing numbers of tickets on hand, so as to enable them to check the tickets issued, and also to enable the audit office to check the numbers with subsequent ticket collected reports.

(*h*) A defalcation, amounting to Rs. 1,131-7-0, was discovered in the coaching accounts of a station. Of this, Rs. 499-14-3 were realized from the booking clerk's dues, *viz*., provident fund and security deposit, and from a fine realized by the court. The balance was written-off under the sanction of the Agent. The fraud consisted chiefly of short remittances of receipts in passenger, parcels, and luggage traffic and was not due to any defect in the system of accounts. The booking clerk was prosecuted and sentenced to undergo six months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of Rs. 300.

(*i*) Rs. 1,299, representing moneys received from customs as refunds payable to merchants, were misappropriated by a station master. The fraud was made possible through a practice by which the station master made such payments direct to merchants. The matter has received the attention of the audit office and it has since been decided that refunds in future should be authorised only by the Traffic Manager or Assistant Traffic Superintendent, on pay orders to be sent to the audit office for payment. The amount misappropriated has been recovered from the station master.

(*j*) In March 1916, a report was received from the traffic department of a railway showing that, as a result of enquiries made in connection with information received from audit concerning certain invoices unaccounted for, an embezzlement to the extent of Rs. 2,906-10-0 had been discovered in the goods cash of a station. At the time the fraud occurred, large consignments of salt were being regularly received at that station, and in November 1914 temporary misappropriations of freight commenced on these consignments. Freight was withheld on ten consignments, and paid back after periods averaging a month, the books and accounts being adjusted by the alteration of dates of invoices and of particulars of arrival and unloading of the consignments, to make them agree with the dates of payment of cash. Subsequently, bolder methods were adopted and, during the months of January and February 1915, the clerk succeeded in embezzling freight amounting to Rs. 2,906-10-0, on eleven invoices. This was done by the simple process of destroying both invoice and receipt after the collection of freight, and making no entries in connection with the goods either in the station records or in the returns to audit. The embezzlement escaped detection until some months afterwards, when copies of the invoices were obtained from the forwarding railway, and enquiries were instituted regarding the disposal of the goods carried under them. In the meantime, the clerk concerned had been dismissed for other offences, but he

has since been arrested and prosecuted, and sentenced to 18 months' rigorous imprisonment, including 2 months' solitary confinement, and a fine of Rs. 1,000 or, in default, four months' further rigorous imprisonment. The travelling inspector of accounts, who could have detected this fraud earlier but failed to do so through carelessness and indifference, has been punished by reduction in his pay.

Army.

71. The following paragraphs contain the usual information regarding the expenditure under objection and financial irregularities in the Army Department. The special points arising out of the war are dealt with in a separate section of this report.

Percentage of objections to total expenditure: Comparison with 1914-15.

72. The total gross expenditure audited by the Supply and Divisional Controllers in India amounted approximately to 44,05,26 during the year under review, while 1,65,62 were placed under objection. The percentage amounts to 3·76 as compared with 6·97 in the preceding year.

Analysis of outstanding Objections.

Classification of outstandings according to years and comparison with 1914-15.

73. The following statement shows the balances of objections, raised up to the 31st March 1916 but remaining unadjusted on the 31st July 1916. The corresponding figures for the preceding year are also given, as far as possible, for purposes of comparison:—

	Items awaiting clearance.		Service payments for recovery.		Total.		Total on 31st July 1915.		Increase + Decrease —	
	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
Prior to 1912-13	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	−2	−3
Relating to 1912-13	1	(a)	11	19	12	19	23	21	−11	−2
" to 1913-14	11	(a)	22	1	33	1	135	20	−102	−19
" to 1914-15	1,312	5,11	1,026	1,50	2,338	6,61	15,997	1,15,99	−13,659	−1,09,38
" to 1915-16	13,473	34,99	6,449	9,24	19,922	44,23	...	...	+19,922	+44,23
Total	14,797	40,10	7,508	10,94	22,305	51,04	16,157	1,16,43	+6,148	−65,39

(a) Amount less than one thousand.

It will be observed that on the 31st July 1916 there were outstandings to the extent of 51,04 as compared with 1,16,43 on the same date in the preceding year.

Classification of outstandings according to Divisions, etc.

74. The following statement shows these outstandings according to the Divisions to which they relate :—

Divisions, etc.	Items awaiting clearance.		Service payments for recovery.		Total.		Total on 31st July 1915.	
	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
1st (Peshawar) Division	817	70	443	90	1,260	1,60	557	56
2nd (Rawalpindi) Division	781	1,72	817	50	1,598	2,22	1,999	5,31
3rd (Lahore) Division	3,544	17,43	1,439	2,02	4,983	19,45	2,469	13,16
4th (Quetta) Division	2,492	25	864	29	3,356	54	981	17
5th (Mhow) Division	...	...	14	3	14	3	26	26
6th (Poona) Division	1,863	4,35	90	34	1,953	4,69	3,608	3,68
7th (Meerut) Division	1,478	1,63	613	1,45	2,091	3,08	1,012	2,38
8th (Lucknow) Division	1,996	5,06	1,462	62	3,458	5,68	2,539	5,13
9th (Secunderabad) Division	1,378	2	453	4	1,831	6	1,339	57
Burma Division	88	11	82	20	170	31	158	1,32
Supply Circle	360	8,83	1,231	4,55	1,591	13,38	1,474	83,89
TOTAL	14,797	40,10	7,508	10,94	22,305	51,04	16,157	1,16,43

The large increase (6,29) in the balance outstanding on the 31st July 1916 in the 3rd (Lahore) Division, as compared with the preceding year, was due to the delay in the adjustment of a large number of objections owing to the non-receipt of the necessary information from officers and men who had proceeded on field service overseas.

Analysis of outstandings.

75. The reasons for the outstandings are explained below:—

1912-13—The sum of 19 outstanding in the 6th (Poona) Division represents the loss sustained by the State on account of the failure of a contractor. Legal steps were taken for the recovery of the amount; the case is, however, on the *sine die* list of the Court of the District Judge, Poona.

1913-14.—The sum of 1 outstanding includes several small items which have since been adjusted.

1914-15.—The outstandings amount to 6,61 as against 1,15,99 shown in the last report. Of the total, 62 have since been adjusted, 4,94 are outstanding for want of vouchers or other particulars which have been called for, 97 are under recovery, and 8 are awaiting Government sanction. Steps have been taken for the early adjustment of the outstandings.

1915-16.—Of the total of 44,23, 16,31 have since been adjusted, 22,00 are outstanding owing to want of vouchers or other details, 4,28 are under recovery, and 1,64 are awaiting Government sanction.

The delay in the settlement of these outstandings is chiefly due to increase of work on account of the war and the absence of experienced clerks in the field account offices. With the assistance of extra temporary establishments and of the gazetted staff and accountants deputed from civil accounts offices, it is hoped that the outstandings will be reduced in the next few months.

ACCOUNTS OF FIELD CONTROLLERS.

76. The expenditure placed under objection during the year under review (14,98) represents 3·69 per cent. of the total expenditure (12,16,83) audited in the Field Controllers' offices during the year.

77. The following statement shows the balances of objections raised up to 31st March 1916, but remaining unadjusted on the 31st July 1916, in the books of the Field Controllers :—

—	Items awaiting clearance.	Service payments for recovery.	TOTAL.
Relating to 1914-15	3,01	3	3,04
Relating to 1915-16	17,65	1,25	18,90
TOTAL	20,66	1,28	21,94

78. The following statement shows the outstandings under each field office :—

Field Offices.	Items awaiting clearance.	Service payments for recovery.	Total.	REMARKS.
Indian Cavalry Corps, Indian Expeditionary Force "A".	...	(a)	(a)	(a) A small sum of Rs. 304 only is outstanding.
Indian Expeditionary Force "B"	59	3	62	
Indian Expeditionary Force "D" (Supply)	18,48	4	18,52	
Office of Field Controller of Military Accounts, Poona, which includes Indian Expeditionary Force "A" other than the Cavalry Corps, Force "D", other than the Supply portion, and the whole of Force "E."	1,59	1,21	2,80	
Total	20,66	1,28	21,94	

The objections may be classified under the following heads :—

—	1914-15.	1915-16.
For recovery of amounts overcharged . . .	1	3
For want of Government or other sanction . .	3,00	10,73
For want of vouchers, last pay certificates, certificates of payments or other particulars . . .	1	2,91
For want of sanctioned estimates . . .	..	37
Excess expenditure over sanctioned estimates .	...	1,53
Salary objections	2	38
Other objections, including amounts which are under adjustment	...	2,13
Amounts adjusted after 31st July 1916 . .	...	82
Total .	3,04	18,90
	21,94	

Of the sum of 21,94 outstanding, 13,65 represent the amount of advances granted to a firm for the hire of ships, the rate for which is under consideration by the Government of India in communication with the Secretary of State. The major portion of the balance represents expenditure on account of supplies, for which documents and other information are not forthcoming.

Financial Irregularities.

79. The following instances are brought to notice :—

(*a*) An Officer Commanding a depôt handed over to a temporary clerk a cheque for Rs. 3,301-4-0, representing the pay of establishments and family allotments of the men for December 1915, for encashment at the treasury. The clerk cashed the cheque and absconded with the money. A sum of Rs. 500 was recovered from the officer concerned and the balance was written off under the orders of the Government of India.

(*b*) A bill for Rs. 274-4-4, being the cost of 6,360 lbs. of gram, was passed by an Officer in charge of supplies of a Brigade, although the amount was included in another bill passed for payment on the same day. The over-payment is under recovery.

(*c*) The manager of a dairy farm showed, in his cash balance for March 1916, a sum of Rs. 6,450-0-1 as balance in hand. This amount was stated, on enquiry, to be mainly composed of Rs. 4,477-8-0 on account of uncompleted buildings, and Rs. 1,808-5-7 on account of a supply order placed with contractors. In the course of the local audit of the accounts of the dairy, it was noticed that a sum of Rs. 2,630 only had been actually disbursed before the 21st March 1916 and the balance, namely Rs. 3,655-13-7, had been kept in the personal custody of the manager. The amount kept in hand was apparently drawn when there was no reasonable prospect of the amount being spent within the year, with a view to avoiding a lapse of grant.

Military Works.

80. As will be seen from paragraph 3 above, this portion of the report relates to expenditure incurred directly by Officers of the Military Works Services and does not include Military Works expenditure incurred in the Public Works Department of Local Governments and Administrations.

Percentage of objections to total expenditure: Comparison with 1914-15.

81. Under 47—Military Works, the total expenditure during the year under review was 1,19,31, of which 47,22 were placed under objection, showing a percentage of 39·6 as against 27·5 in the preceding year. The increase in the percentage was the result of war conditions and was mainly due to expenditure incurred without sanctioned estimates on certain hospitals and aviation camps, on improvements to roads in the North-West Frontier to render

them suitable for mechanical transport, and to outlay without appropriation on several works. Under 47 A.—Special Defences, the percentage of objections to the total expenditure is 23·7 as against 28·7 in the preceding year, the total expenditure during the year under review being 2,03, out of which 48 were placed under objection.

Analysis of Outstanding Objections.

Outstanding objections.

82. The following statement shows the balances on the 31st July 1916 and the corresponding figures for 1914-15 :—

Heads of objection.	Relating to 1913-14, and previous years.		Relating to 1914-15.		Relating to 1915-16.		Total.	
	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
Want of Estimate	...	...	4	5	85	11,07	89	11,12
Excess over Estimate (a) Covered by Administrative sanction.	5	79	20	55	32	1,16	57	2,50
Excess over Estimate (b) Not covered by Administrative sanction.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Want of Appropriation	...	...	...	...	53	2,20	53	2,20
Excess over Appropriation	...	...	...	...	21	1,75	21	1,75
Miscellaneous Irregularities	13	1,00	50	1,67	253	2,74	316	5,41
Total for 1915-16	18	1,79	74	2,27	444	18,92	536	22,98
Total for 1914-15	36	1,98	544	10,15	...	...	580	12,13*

* Differs from the amount shown in the last report owing to the figures for provinces having been omitted.

Comparison with 1914-15.

83. The balance of 22,98 is made up of 10,29 under 'Ordinary Demands', 12,28 under 'Special Demands', and 41 under 'Special Defences', while the corresponding figures for 1914-15 were 3.84, 8,28, and 1, respectively. The large increase, as compared with the preceding year, was mainly due to war conditions, expenditure having been incurred on several works without sanctioned estimates or allotments of funds. Moreover, expenditure on certain works, which were originally treated as 'War measures,' was subsequently written back to Military Works—Ordinary Demands in the accounts for March 1916, Supplementary, when it was too late to arrange for funds under the latter head.

Analysis of outstandings according to years.

84. Out of 36 items relating to 1913-14 and previous years, which were outstanding on the 31st July 1915, 18 were adjusted during the period under review.

The item specially referred to in paragraph 65 of my last report, which represents a sum of 11 advanced in March 1912 and Feburary 1913 to an Officer Commanding a Volunteer Rifles Corps for the construction of an Armoury and Sergeant Instructor's quarters, still remains unadjusted. The Officer Commanding states that endeavours are being made to obtain additional funds from the Local Government for the work and, if these are not received shortly, work to the extent of the funds available will be put in hand.

The outstandings for 1914-15 and 1915-16 consist largely of expenditure incurred in anticipation of sanction to detailed estimates.

85. It has been roughly estimated that the percentage of Military Works started during the year without detailed sanctioned estimates was 32·46 against 32·75 in the preceding year. This estimate is based on statistics for 8 districts selected at random.

Financial Irregularities.

Irregular action with a view to avoiding lapses of grants.

86. In paragraph 67 of my last report, attention was drawn to the practice prevailing in the Military Works Services of resorting to irregular procedure with a view to avoiding lapses of grants. During the year under review the Director-General issued a circular on the subject, which appears to have resulted

in a material improvement. Some of the instances, which occurred after the issue of the circular, are mentioned below.

(*a*) The value of 240 casks of cement, ordered from a firm in Madras on the 23rd March 1916, was billed for on the 24th March 1916 and a remittance transfer receipt was drawn on the 28th March 1916, although the material was not actually received until the 3rd April 1916. The cement was also incorrectly shown by the storekeeper as receipts in his stock accounts for March 1916.

(*b*) Remittance transfer receipts for Rs. 501-8-0, being the value of coir matting, durries, and mats, were drawn in March 1916, apparently prior to the actual receipt of the articles. The remittance transfer receipts were actually forwarded to the firms concerned in the middle of April 1916.

(*c*) In a certain District, there were five instances in which remittance transfer receipts for a total sum of Rs. 708-10-0 were drawn in March 1916 in anticipation of receipt of the stores and were forwarded to the firms concerned in April 1916. The Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer explained that railway receipts for the consignments were received before the remittance transfer receipts were drawn.

Irregularities in regard to contracts.

87. Irregularities in regard to the acceptance of tenders for the execution of Military Works came to notice, of which instances are given below.

(*a*) Tenders for road work during 1914-15 (approximate value, Rs. 8,000) were invited by an Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer. Tenders from several contractors varying from 45½ per cent. to 25 per cent. below the estimated rates were received and the lowest tender was accepted. Subsequently, on a representation from the contractors, the abatement was reduced from 45½ per cent. to 23 per cent., notwithstanding the fact that the tenders of other contractors were much more favourable.

(*b*) In some districts, contracts were entered into without inviting tenders publicly as required by paragraph 762 of the Public Works Department Code, Volume I.

Losses to Government.

88. The following cases indicate the need for a closer attention to the financial interests of Government, or for a more careful observance of the prescribed rules and procedure.

(*a*) Recoveries made on account of water supplied to non-entitled persons in certain cantonments did not cover the amount paid for the same by the Military Works Services to the Municipality concerned and Military Works Funds were in consequence being charged with the deficit, which amounted approximately to Rs. 2,500 per annum.

(*b*) On the transfer of a sub-conductor in charge of the barrack department, certain deficiencies in the barrack furniture were discovered, amounting to about Rs. 530. The officer at fault was tried by court-martial and reduced to the rank of Sergeant. The value of the deficiencies was also made good by him. There was no evidence of stock and barrack furniture having actually been counted in this sub-district.

(*c*) A contractor deposited a sum of Rs. 2,381 in cash with the Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer, on account of security for the fulfilment of a contract. The officer deposited the amount in a private bank in contravention of the rule in Public Works Department Code, Volume I, paragraph 387. The deposit in the private bank is said to have been made with the contractor's knowledge and at his request. The bank subsequently went into liquidation and the contractor preferred a claim against Government for the amount and this was refunded to him from General Revenues, on the advice of the Government Solicitor. A sum of Rs. 399-11-0 has been recovered from the official liquidator and the balance of Rs. 1,981-5-0 represents the net loss to Government.

Marine.

Percentage of objections to total expenditure.

89. The percentage which the expenditure placed under objection during 1915-16 (2,72) bears to the total expenditure of the year (72,08) is 3·78 as against 1·33 in the preceding year. The increase in the percentage is due to war conditions.

Analysis of Outstanding Objections.

Outstanding balances.

90. The following statement shows the balances of objections raised up to the 31st March 1916 but remaining unadjusted on the 31st July 1916, classified according to the years to which they relate :—

	Items awaiting clearance.		Recoveries of service payments.		Total.		Total on 31st July 1915.	
	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.	No. of items.	Amount.
Relating to 1914-15	57	4	6	2	63	6	76	10
„ 1915-16	85	38	139	9	224	47	...	...
Total .	142	42	145	11	287	53	76	10

The balance outstanding on the 31st July 1916 shows an increase of 43 as compared with the preceding year. The increase was due to difficulties in clearing objections owing to the war.

Analysis of outstandings relating to 1914-15.

91. The outstanding of 6, relating to the year 1914-15, represents charges on account of pay and allowances of Marine Establishments which were placed under objection in 1915-16 owing to the late receipt of accounts. 3 have since been adjusted.

Analysis of outstandings relating to 1915-16.

92. Out of 47 outstanding on the 31st July 1916, which relate to the year under review, 8 have since been adjusted, 29 are outstanding for want of vouchers or other details, 9 for want of sanction, and 1 is under recovery.

Financial Irregularities.

93. Charges such as carriage and motor hire to officers to and from their work were incurred in a certain dockyard, and charged to work orders. This irregular procedure, which has involved considerable expenditure, was reported to the Government of India, who have since issued the necessary orders.

March Expenditure.

Public Works Department.

94. In paragraph 70 of last year's report a brief summary was furnished of the steps taken by the Government of India and the several Local Governments with a view to putting a stop to the rush of expenditure in the Public Works Department at the close of the year. The subject continued to engage the attention of the Government of India, who issued certain further orders in October 1916. In order to correct the impression prevailing among Public Works Officers that sums surrendered will not ordinarily be available for expenditure during the following year, the Government of India have now prescribed a definite and systematic procedure for making provision for the re-grant of such lapses in the Budget Estimates. Regarding the irregular expedients sometimes resorted to with the object of avoiding lapses, it has been laid down that purchases of materials should not be made in March if they are not to be issued for months afterwards, that all adjustments for value of materials, etc., should be effected in the accounts of the month in which issues are made, and that fictitious adjustments should never, under any circumstances, be made for the purpose of utilising, or working up to, grants.

95. The following statement shows the percentages which the expenditure incurred in March 1916, and the amount of cheques issued during the last three days of the same month, in each province, bear to the total expenditure

during the year 1915-16 and during March 1916 respectively. The figures of the preceding year are also given for purposes of comparison :—

	Percentage of total Public Works expenditure in March to total expenditure of the year.		Percentage of cheques issued during last three days of March to the expenditure of that month.	
	1915-16.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1914-15.
India { Delhi	10	18	15	17
India { Baluchistan, etc.	9	18	12	25
North-West Frontier Province	17	14	11	21
Madras	11	10	32	36
Bombay	17	20	18	20
Bengal	18	25	26	35
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	21	22	37	39
Punjab	14	16	34	29
Burma	25	22	26	42
Bihar and Orissa	16	28	30	13
Central Provinces	11	11	23	19
Hyderabad	19	20	11	55
Central India	14	17	24	31
Assam	24	23	32	21
Military Works Services	15	16	19	25
Average	17	19	26	29

The figures indicate some improvement in most provinces, although the position cannot yet be regarded as satisfactory. The improvement may be attributed in some measure to the orders issued by the Government of India and Local Governments on the subject, but also to some extent to the curtailment of expenditure owing to the war. In Assam, the Local Administration state that the rush was due partly to an unavoidably late allotment of funds and partly to the short working season and the failure of contractors to execute works earlier. In Burma, the difficulty is understood to be that, owing to a scarcity of labour in the earlier months, the full Public Works Department working season in the latter part of the year does not commence until February. In the United Provinces, the high expenditure was chiefly due to the adjustment of the cost of land (80), and of tools and plant (8), in a certain Canal Division.

96. Several irregularities noticed in this report are ultimately traceable to the eagerness on the part of officers to spend their grants in full, and to the consequent rush of expenditure at the end of the year. One of the results is unduly hurried measurement of work done. In Assam, for instance, measurements taken in the last week of March accounted for payments in that month to the extent of 1,42 on 400 contractors' bills. The continuance of the practice of incurring unduly heavy expenditure at the end of the year is fraught with considerable risk of wasteful expenditure and it is very necessary

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that Local Governments and Administrations should systematically insist on a careful observance of the orders already issued on the subject.

Railways.

97. The following statement shows the percentage which the cash expenditure incurred in March 1916 under Capital and Revenue bears to the total expenditure during the year 1915-16 on the several Railways in India.—

Railways.	Percentage of Cash Outlay in March 1916 on the total cash outlay of the year.	
	Capital.	Revenue.
Assam Bengal	21·70	8·00
Bengal Nagpur	12·46	9·10
Burma	10·30	8·84
Bombay, Baroda and Central India	13·80	8·82
Eastern Bengal	13·28	10·15
East Indian	6·70	8·30
Great Indian Peninsula	16·05	8·71
Madras and Southern Mahratta	11·11	8·92
North Western	17·42	9·80
Oudh and Rohilkhand	11·19	9·32
South Indian	7·60	8·29
Tirhoot	13·68	8·74

Under Revenue Working Expenses, the cash expenditure in March 1916 was normal. The somewhat high expenditure on the Eastern Bengal Railway was due to special payments made to the staff recruited for East African Railways.

Under Capital, the cash outlay in March 1916 largely exceeded the average monthly expenditure in the first 11 months of the year on some Railways. It is, however, understood that the higher expenditure was not incurred solely with the object of preventing the lapse of budget grants.

Disciplinary Action.

98. In paragraph 72 of my last report I laid stress upon the necessity for disciplinary action if an appreciable decrease was to be effected in the volume of financial irregularities, and also drew attention to the fact that this view had been endorsed by the Secretary of State. The following instances of disciplinary action taken by Local Governments in regard to the cases included in my last report may be specially mentioned. In the stamp defalcation case reported in paragraph 18 (*d*) of my last report, the Government of Burma ordered the recovery of a moiety of the loss from a Deputy Commissioner and two Treasury Officers ; in the case mentioned in paragraph 41 (*c*), the Executive Engineer responsible was required by the same Local Government to take leave preparatory to retirement ; in the case referred to in paragraph 16 (*d*), the subordinate responsible was removed from the service ; and in that mentioned in paragraph 44 the subordinate was punished by a reduction in pay. In the case reported in paragraph 7 (*b*) of the appendix to my last report, the Madras Government punished the Executive Engineer responsible by temporary reduction to the rank of Assistant Engineer.

The irregularities detailed in the present report have already been brought to the notice of the Local Governments, or the superior administrative authorities concerned, by the respective audit officers. In most cases, the Local Governments merely expressed their disapproval of the methods or procedure adopted, or warned the officers responsible, or drew their attention to the rules and orders on the points involved. In some cases, however, disciplinary action was taken. I recognise the difficulties which often exist in the matter of punishing officers, who have a good record, when they commit irregularities which may not have resulted in actual loss of Government money, and I have not so far considered it necessary to refer in my report to the action taken in any particular cases by Local Governments as being, in my opinion, inadequate. At the same time there appears to be a general tendency to leniency, especially in the orders by Local Governments in the Public Works Department. Local Governments will no doubt realize that if irregularities continue to be repeated, even in the face of explicit orders issued by them, it will be necessary to take serious disciplinary action in future.

APPROPRIATION AUDIT.

99. The net grants, after taking into account all modifications sanctioned during the year, have been exceeded under several heads. The excesses are shown separately under Imperial and Provincial. The following table brings together the excesses under each head under Imperial, which require the sanction of the Government of India :—

[*Imperial.*

	India, excluding Baluchistan.	Baluchistan.	N.-W. F. Province.	Madras.	Bombay.	U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	Punjab.	Burma.	Bihar & Orissa.	Central Provinces.	Assam.	TOTAL.
1. Refunds and Drawbacks	...	...	...	28	61	...	...	...	...	...	...	89
2. Assignments and Compensations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
4. Opium	...	...	...	...	...	32,44	...	...	...	...	...	32,44
6. Stamps	1,07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,07
10. Income Tax	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
14. Interest on other Obligations (Civil)	66	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	71
Do. do. (Railways)	83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	83
23. Ecclesiastical	...	2	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	6
25. Political	78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78
27. Territorial and Political Pensions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
32. Miscellaneous	1,45	...	15	6	...	2	...	3	...	1	1	1,73
33. Famine Relief	99	...	...	...	2	...	3,09	...	...	...	...	4,10
35. Construction of Protective Irrigation Works	...	...	...	...	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	27
38. State Railways—Share of Surplus Profits, etc.	1,31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,31
Interest on Debt	27,72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27,72
42. Irrigation—Major Works—Working Expenses (P. W. D.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	...	...	...	...	45
42-A. Expenditure on Protective Irrigation Works in addition to that charged to Famine Relief and Insurance.	1,89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,89
43. Minor Works and Navigation (P. W. D.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	5
45. Civil Works (Public Works Department)	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	(a) 11	...	61
46. Army—												
Regimental Pay, etc.	1,92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,92
Supply and Transport	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19
Medical Services	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47
Medical Stores	43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43
Ordnance Establishments, etc.	3,32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,32
Miscellaneous Services	19,23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,23
Hutting	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
Conveyance by Rail	14,79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,79
Cantonments	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14
46A. Marine	36,86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36,86
47. Military Works	1,31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,31
49. Irrigation Works	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
TOTAL	1,15,63	2	67	36	63	32,73	3,56	8	6	14	3	1,53,91

100. The following table brings together the excesses under each head under Provincial and Special, all of which have been regularized by the sanctions of the Local Governments or Administrations concerned :—

[*Provincial and Special.*

—	Baluchistan (special).	North-West Frontier Province. (special).	Madras.	Bombay.	Bengal.	United Provinces.	Punjab.	Central Provinces.	Assam.	TOTAL.
1. Refunds and Drawbacks	...	...	5	...	6	...	...	2	...	13
3. Land Revenue	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
6. Stamps	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
12. Registration	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
13. Interest on Ordinary Debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	10
19. B.—Law and Justice—Jails	...	...	...	...	28	...	...	...	...	28
20. Police	...	...	...	...	...	67	...	...	...	67
21. Ports and Pilotage	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
29. Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
30. Stationery and Printing	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	3
32. Miscellaneous	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16
33. Famine Relief	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,58	...	...	1,58
41. Miscellaneous Railway expenditure	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
42. Irrigation—Major Works—Working Expenses (P. W. D.)	...	...	...	...	...	16	45	...	...	61
43. Minor Works and Navigation (P. W. D.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
45. Civil Works (Civil)	...	...	...	...	...	33	...	...	...	33
45. Civil Works (Public Works Department)	...	51	3,11	97	...	...	...	...	...	4,59
TOTAL	7	67	3,18	97	35	1,20	2,04	2	11	8,61

Explanation for Excesses.

101. The excesses were due for the most part, either to unexpected heavy expenditure in the closing months of the year, when it was too late to obtain sanction for the required additional funds, or to adjustments made in the accounts of March final, which were not foreseen. The more important excesses are explained below:—

In India (excluding Baluchistan), the adjustments under 6—Stamps, 14—Interest on other Obligations, 38—State Railways—Interest on Debt, and 42A-Expenditure on Protective Irrigation Works in addition to that charged to Famine Relief and Insurance, were made after the close of the year. The excess under 6—Stamps (1,07) was caused chiefly by a smaller supply of stamp papers to the Provincial Governments. Under 14—Interest on other Obligations, the excess under Civil (66) was due to larger debits on account of Interest on Post Office Savings Bank Deposits; and under Railways (83) to the interest on the unexpended balance with the Secretary of State of the capital raised by the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Company having been larger than was anticipated in the Budget. Under 38—State Railways—Interest on Debt (27,72), the excess was due to the capital outlay to end of 1913-14, taken into the calculation of actual interest charges, being greater, owing to a re-adjustment of the capital outlay on the Bengal-Nagpur Railway between the heads 'Capital Account of Indian Railway Companies' and '48—State Railways—Construction', and to the actual rate of interest having been higher than the estimate. Under 1—Refunds and Drawbacks, the excess in Madras was chiefly due to larger Land Revenue and Customs refunds in the closing months than were anticipated, and that in Bombay to a large refund of Customs duty to the Kashmir Durbar, adjusted through the Exchange Accounts for March 1916 (final). The excess in the United Provinces under Opium (32,44) arose from unexpectedly heavy expenditure on the purchase of Malwa opium in the closing months of the year when it was too late to obtain an additional allotment. Under 25—Political, the excess in India (78) was the result of an adjustment made in March 1916 under Special Political Expenditure. Under 32—Miscellaneous, repatriation charges of certain hostile aliens, adjusted in the supplementary accounts for March 1916, contributed to the excess in India, and the final adjustment under this head of the charges for the purchase and maintenance of two steam lorries for general civil transport purposes was responsible for the excess in the North-West Frontier Province. Under 33—Famine Relief, the excess of 99 in India was mainly due to larger expenditure in March 1916, in connection with protective measures for cattle in Ajmer; and that of 3,09 in the Punjab to large debits raised by the Railway Department in March 1916, for consignments of fodder. Under 35—Construction of Protective Irrigation Works, the excess in the United Provinces occurred under Establishment (22) and Works (5) in connection with the Ghaggar Canal. The excess under Works represents large adjustments on account of land acquisition in the accounts for March (supplementary).

The excess of 1,31 under 38—State Railways—Share of Surplus Profits, etc., occurred owing to the net receipts in the last quarter of 1914-15 having been larger than were anticipated in framing the Budget Estimate.

Under 42—Irrigation Major Works—Working Expenses—Public Works Department, the excess in the Punjab occurred under maintenance and repairs. Under 45—Civil Works (Public Works Department), the excess in the North-West Frontier Province (50) was mainly due to heavy expenditure incurred on the maintenance of roads on account of the military operations in the Province and was not provided for during the year as the question of the incidence of the cost of extra wear and tear to Civil roads was decided only in June 1916. The excess in Central India (11) was due to increased expenditure on account of establishment, as well as to excesses under different works.

Under 46—Army, the excesses over the grants of the several minor heads amounted to 40,76. The excess under Regimental Pay (1,92) was chiefly due to higher charges having been incurred for money allowances in lieu of free rations to Indian Troops and followers at Quetta; that under Medical Stores (17), to smaller recoveries for value of medical supplies to the Civil Department; that under Ordnance Establishments (3,32), to more charges than

anticipated on account of the cost of stores purchased in England for ordinary requirements in Indian Ordnance Factories, advised for adjustment in India; and that under Miscellaneous Services (19,23) occurred under the head 'War 1914—Debitable to Indian Government', mainly in connection with the Aden operations (about 19 lakhs) and the despatch of troops to Robat. The excess of 14,79 under Conveyance by Rail was caused by increased expenditure on internal movements of troops and stores in connection with the war. The excess under Cantonments (14) was the result of an arrear claim on account of the acquisition in 1914-15 of land in connection with the new cantonment at Delhi.

Under 46A—Marine, the large excess occurred mainly under purchase of marine stores and coal and was due to the cost of certain stores purchased in England (38,51), which were required in connection with the war, having been advised for adjustment in India after the close of the year, and to an adjustment of 1,87 for certain charges for 1914-15 for Royal Indian Marine vessels employed under the Admiralty, the debits for which were postponed till April 1916.

Under 47—Military Works, the excess occurred under Ordinary Demands and was due chiefly to outlay on hospitals, debited in the first instance to the Army Estimates but subsequently written back to Military Works when it was too late to arrange for additional funds, and to expenditure on stores supplied by the Director General of Stores for war purposes.

War Accounts.

102. The following remarks are not confined to the year under review but refer also to the year 1916-17.

General.

103. The volume of work which the war has thrown on the Military Accounts Department of the Government of India in the last two years has been very great. The large increase in the strength of the troops in India and the field, whose accounts are dealt with by the department; the heavy casualties; the frequent transfers of men between different Indian units to meet the requirements for field service; the formation of mechanical transport, of additional units of animal transport, and of various units of labourers and other followers; the presence in India of a large body of territorial and garrison regiments, who are new to the country and the complications in connection with whose accounts are greater than in the case of regular troops; the large number of family allotments consequent on the addition to the strength of the Indian Expeditionary Forces; the growth in the number of accounts of estates of deceased officers and men and of claims for extraordinary pensions and gratuities; the increase in the number of hired transports and of river craft for Mesopotamia, and in the volume of supplies to the Indian Expeditionary Forces; the arrangements for the audit of the accounts of voyage rations and canteen stores placed on hired transports and of prize steam ships; all these factors have tended to accentuate during the past two years the strain on the staff of the Military account offices. To cope with this great increase of work, the superior staff was strengthened by special recruitments in India, by the deputation of officers from the Civil Accounts Department, and by other similar measures. The subordinate establishments were expanded by the deputation of a large number of clerks from the Civil and Railway account offices and the employment of soldier clerks and temporary hands. It was, however, found that it was becoming increasingly difficult to obtain clerks possessing the requisite qualifications; and the Government of India decided, with my concurrence, to adopt the two measures described below, which, while reducing the amount of audit work, are calculated to add to its effectiveness.

(1) At the time the war broke out, the so-called 'normal cost' system of preparation of the pay lists of Indian units was in process of introduction in the Military account offices. Pay lists, showing the amount of pay due to each man, were prepared in the divisional disbursing office once every half year, while in the remaining five months the amount of pay due to the men

was worked out in lump for each month with reference to the 'normal cost' at the beginning of the half-year and the changes in the personnel of the unit during the month. This system was found by experience to be unsuited to the special conditions created by the war. Owing to the numerous changes in the personnel of an unit every month, there was delay in drawing up individual accounts, in settling with the men who had been invalided, and in closing the estates of those who had died or been killed on service. It was accordingly decided to introduce in its place the 'nominal' system, the pay lists of units being prepared every month on a nominal basis. It was first applied to the accounts of Indian units on field service and subsequently was made generally applicable. The pay lists are now prepared by divisional or field disbursing officers in the Military account offices on information supplied by the units, the pay of each man being shown separately in the monthly bills. The procedure is actually one of pre-audit (*i.e.*, audit before payment), and what is termed the subsequent 'audit' of the bills is in reality not an original audit, but a review of audit. The great desideratum under such a system is that the pay lists should be carefully and correctly prepared in the first instance and that the divisional and field disbursing offices should not rely on the subsequent review to correct mistakes made in a hurried preparation of the bills. To attain this object, the disbursing staff in the audit offices has been strengthened, while the amount of review of audit has been reduced. After careful examination it was considered, and I agreed in the view, that it would be sufficient if, instead of a full review of all pay lists prepared by the accounts department being carried out every month, this review were confined to one-sixth of the bills. Orders to this effect were issued by the Government of India. At the same time, it was specially provided that, if any irregular charges were discovered in a pay list in the course of the review, back accounts of the unit which had not been reviewed should be examined to see that no such claims had been passed in them. The new system is in effect the same as had always been followed in the Civil offices of audit, where charges disbursed after pre-audit are subjected only to a test-review. Before agreeing to the change, I satisfied myself that it would result in greater efficiency and more prompt disposal of audit work than was possible under the former conditions.

(2) The store accounting work in Mesopotamia having assumed large proportions, it was found desirable to introduce a more direct method of audit which, while ensuring more effective control, would result in a reduction of work. Sanction was accordingly given by the Government of India to a reduction in the amount of technical store audit and at the same time to the introduction of a system of local inspection of stores and store accounts. With reference to the practice prevailing in England, the cross-check of receipt and delivery vouchers in the case of stores supplied from India to Mesopotamia has also been reduced to 5 per cent., provided that the vouchers specifically exhibit a store or other account in which the consignment has been brought to account.

It is gratifying to observe that, in spite of the heavy pressure of work in the Military account offices, satisfactory progress has been made in the past two years in the clearance of the temporary arrears referred to in paragraph 99 of the report for 1914-15. Owing to the dislocation of work caused by the transfers of account establishments from France and Mesopotamia and from the various theatres of war to India, the preparation of pay accounts in the field disbursing offices had at the end of 1915-16 fallen considerably into arrears, but, with the introduction of the 'nominal' system mentioned above, the accounts of British units have been completed to the end of December 1916 and those of Indian units have been mostly brought up to date. The audit is now well under control and will shortly be current. The preparation of war accounts is still somewhat in arrears; but here too, the Central War Controller has received complete accounts to the end of November 1916, while at this time last year he had received complete accounts to the end of September 1915 only.

Audit.

104. It is only natural that, in the special conditions created by the war, it has occasionally been found impossible to obtain, for audit purposes, account documents in the proper form. This happened more particularly in the case of store transactions in the earlier days of the war, before it was possible to

introduce a suitable system. In such cases, an audit on practical lines had to be conducted as far as possible and defects in the form or in less important details of account documents had to be overlooked.

105. Considerable difficulty was experienced in obtaining the adjustment accounts of voyage rations placed on hired transports in the earlier months of the war, and the accounts had to be prepared in the office of the Divisional Controller at Poona on the basis of the best information available. The examination of these old accounts has now been completed. A sum of about Rs. 50,000 had to be written-off as representing the value of issues in excess of authorised scale, for which the sanction in writing of the officers commanding the troops on the vessels was not forthcoming, and also of sea rations landed at oversea ports for which receipts were not procured.

106. Owing to want of proper facilities for checking at off-loading and for storing at the port of disembarkation, consignees' receipts for stores shipped from India to the various theatres of war were not forthcoming in the earlier stages of the war. In July 1915, instructions were issued to the account officers concerned in India to the effect that consignees' receipts should be obtained in future in respect of all supplies of military stores to the Indian Expeditionary Forces. Similar instructions were issued later on in respect of non-military stores, *e.g.*, railway materials and engineering stores. The cross-check of stores, consigned from India to the various theatres of war, with the quantities credited at the consignees' end has been attended with considerable difficulties and has not yet been completed for 1915-16.

107. Some difficulty has been experienced in connection with the audit of the store accounts in Mesopotamia. Owing to a shortage of staff and lack of proper storage accommodation, most of the executive departments found it impossible for several months to render complete or reliable accounts, or to arrange for a proper stock taking. This was particularly the case as regards engineer stores, for which complete ledgers were not prepared till the end of 1916. It also appeared that the audit offices at Basra were not receiving complete information of all stores sent to Mesopotamia from England and India. Steps have been taken by the executive departments to remedy this state of affairs. Arrangements have been made that consignees' receipt for supplies from England and India to Mesopotamia should specifically exhibit a store or other account in which the consignment has been brought to account and that five per cent. of such vouchers should be supplied by the audit officers concerned in India to the audit officers at Basra for purposes of cross-check. The India Office has also been asked to furnish the audit officers at Basra with the corresponding vouchers for stores sent direct from England to Mesopotamia.

108. At the periodical stock-takings of the Rail and Port Sections in Mesopotamia between April and December 1916, deficiencies in Supply and Transport stores of the value of about Rs. 2 lakhs were discovered and had to be written off.

109. A few cases also came to notice in which, owing to loss in transmission by post of intimation of disbursements made on behalf of officers who have died or been killed, or to loss of cash accounts and acquittance rolls in the field, it has not been possible to effect recoveries from the estates of the deceased officers, or to adjust advances drawn in the field. In these cases, relatively petty sums have been written off under the sanction of competent financial authority.

Accounts.

110. The system for the adjustment of war transactions, which was introduced by the Government of India shortly after the outbreak of the war, was as follows :—

(1) The Field Controllers were to classify all service receipts and expenditure occurring in the field to the appropriate Army grants and heads of account and pass them on to the Controller, 6th (Poona) Division, who was to record them under a special head opened under Grant—14 (or XIV) of the Army head.

(2) The Divisional Controllers in India and the Supply Controller were to furnish the Poona Controller with a monthly statement showing, under the

ordinary grants and heads of account, the approximate savings that had accrued in their accounts circles owing to the absence of troops, etc., these savings representing the probable ordinary expenditure which would have been incurred if the troops had not left India. The Poona Controller was, with reference to these statements, to debit the Divisional Controllers in India and the Supply Controller with the ordinary charges of the troops and reduce correspondingly the figures recorded by him under the special service head mentioned above.

(3) All extra receipts and expenditure occurring in India in connection with the despatch of the Indian Expeditionary Forces, or with measures necessitated thereby, were to be passed on by the account officers concerned to the Divisional Controller of Military Accounts at Poona, for record under the special service head.

(4) The value of equipment, stores, animals, etc., sent out of India to meet the requirement of the forces, was to be debited to the Poona Controller for adjustment under the special service head by credit to a Suspense account. This account was to be debited with the cost of replacing such equipment, stores, animals, etc., as well as with the value of serviceable equipment, stores, animals, etc., returned to India by the forces, for which *per contra* credit was to be afforded to the Poona Controller for adjustment under the special service head.

(5) The net charge under the special service head was to be relieved by periodical lump recoveries from the Imperial Government.

At the beginning of 1915-16 this system was superseded by a simpler system, which had been drawn up with reference to an agreement between the Secretary of State for India in Council and the Army Council for giving effect to the Parliamentary Resolutions of 1914. The broad lines of the new system are as follows:—

(1) All receipts and expenditure in the field, with the exception of remittance transactions between the Government of India and its officers in the field, are adjusted as credits and debits to the Imperial Government, no attempt being made to separate the ordinary from the extraordinary charges.

(2) The Imperial Government is credited with a lump contribution from Indian revenues representing the ordinary charges of the Indian Expeditionary Forces.

(3) All charges incurred in India directly in connection with the despatch of the forces (*e.g.*, mobilisation charges, charges of movements by land and sea, advances of pay, certain charges of depôts in India of units on field service, and terminal charges connected with the sick and wounded) are debited to the Imperial Government through the Central War Controller.

(4) All expenditure incurred in England or India in connection with the purchase of military stores, in excess of an allotment representing the outlay which would have been incurred if no expeditionary forces had been sent from India, is debited to the 'War Stores Suspense Account.' The value of all stores supplied to the Indian Expeditionary Forces and to the War Office, with the exception of stores and equipment taken by fighting units and certain ancillary units, is debited to the Imperial Government by credit to the 'War Stores Suspense Account.' No immediate adjustment is made in respect of stores and equipment taken out of India in possession of fighting units and certain ancillary units; any necessary adjustment between the two Governments is to be made at the terminal stage. Similarly, the value of stores returned to India by the Indian Expeditionary Forces, with the exception of stores and equipment returned in the possession of fighting units and certain ancillary units, is credited to the Imperial Government by debit to the 'War Stores Suspense Account.'

(5) All charges incurred in India in connection with measures necessitated by the despatch of the Indian Expeditionary Forces are debited, as they appear in the accounts, either wholly to the Imperial Government or wholly to the Indian Government, with reference to the nature of the expenditure, a readjustment between the two Governments being made later on, on the basis of standard figures.

The advantage of the new procedure over the old is that it is not necessary to scrutinise every item of expenditure as it appears in the various accounts with the object of determining how much of it is 'ordinary' expenditure debitable to Indian revenues and how much of it is 'extraordinary' and debitable to the Imperial Government. The expenditure as it appears in the accounts is debited to either of the two Governments, and transfer adjustments between the two Governments are made later on, with reference to definite principles and standard figures, either in the local account offices, or in the office of the Central War Controller. Generally speaking, the Imperial Government receives credit, either through the contribution paid from Indian revenues in respect of the Indian Expeditionary Forces or in the accounts of extra expenditure in India resulting from measures necessitated by the despatch of the Forces, for the ordinary cost, under present conditions, of (1) pay, (2) fixed allowances, (3) rations, (4) consumable stores, and (5) replacement of equipment and animals of officers, men, and units forming the peace complement of the Indian Army. As regards fluctuating charges, such as travelling expenses, etc., where it is difficult to determine the 'normal cost' for any particular class of unit or formation, no credit is afforded to the Imperial Government, nor is any such expenditure in India debited to that Government, which is not directly connected with the despatch of the Indian Expeditionary Forces.

111. Apart from the war expenditure debitable to the Imperial Government, there is a certain amount of extraordinary expenditure, the need for which has arisen in consequence of the war but which is debitable to Indian revenues. This expenditure is separated from the other charges, as far as possible, and is adjusted under special heads under Grant 14 of the Army Estimates on the books of the Central War Controller.

Revenue and expenditure of the occupied territory in Iraq.

112. At the beginning of 1916-17, the Government of India decided that the Central War Controller should be the audit and account officer in respect of the occupied territory in Iraq. In September 1915, a treasury was established at Basra for dealing with the accounts of the occupied territory and later a sub-treasury was opened at Amara. The financial powers of sanction of the Army Commander in respect of expenditure out of revenues of the occupied territory have been defined, and the Central War Controller is now engaged in settling the accounts from the beginning of the occupation.

General Remarks.

113. As in the case of the preceding section of this report, the following remarks are not confined to the year under review but refer also to the year 1916-17.

Changes of Classification.

114. No important changes of classification were introduced during the year under review.

Inspections and Test-audits.

Tours by the Auditor General.

115. In the year 1916-17, I personally inspected the following offices, several of which were visited more than once.

CIVIL ACCOUNT OFFICES.

(1) Accountant General's Office, Punjab.
(2) Do. do Bengal.
(3) Do. do United Provinces.
(4) Do. do. Bombay.
(5) Do. do. Burma.
(6) Office of the Comptroller, India Treasuries.
(7) Do. do. Assam.

RAILWAY ACCOUNT OFFICES.

(8) Office of the Chief Examiner, North Western Railway.
(9) Do. do Eastern Bengal Railway.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS ACCOUNT OFFICES.

(10) Office of the Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs.
(11) Office of the Deputy Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Calcutta.

MILITARY AND MILITARY WORKS ACCOUNT OFFICES.

(12) Office of the Examiner of Accounts, Military Works Services.
(13) Do. Controller of Military Accounts, Lahore.
(14) Do. do. do. Poona.
(15) Do. do. do. Rawalpindi.
(16) Do. do. do. Meerut.

In paragraph 79 of the last report, I stated that it had come to my notice that the powers conferred on audit officers by article 989, Civil Account Code, to waive audit objections concerning petty items, had, as a rule, been insufficiently exercised. There has been a decided improvement in this respect, and both audit and executive officers have been saved a considerable amount of time and trouble. There is, however, still room for improvement and the matter continues to receive my attention.

Detailed instructions were issued, during the year, on the subject of the scrutiny of audit objections by responsible officers, which was referred to in the last report. It is hoped that these instructions will result in a reduction of unnecessary, meticulous, and badly expressed objections.

Inspections by Deputy Auditors General.

116. The work of inspection and test audit by Civil Deputy Auditors General is up to date, the following offices having been inspected since the date of the last report.

Office of the Accountant General, Burma.
Currency Office, Rangoon.
Office of the Deputy Accountant General, Telegraphs.
Office of the Deputy Accountant General, Telegraph Check Office.

The first two offices were found to be in a satisfactory state; the reports on the remaining offices have not yet been received.

The Deputy Accountant General, Railways, during 1916-17, inspected the offices of the Chief Examiners, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, Eastern Bengal Railway, and North Western Railway. The accounts of these offices were found to be generally in good order.

On the Military side, the ordinary inspection work of the Military Deputy Auditors General remained suspended throughout the year 1916-17, but a systematic tour of inspection of depôts was carried out by the Military Deputy Auditor General, Northern Army.

Press Accounts.

117. The accounts of seventeen Government Presses were test-audited and inspected by the Examiner of Press Accounts and his staff during the year 1916-17. A senior auditor was deputed to Basra for a period of three months to assist in the inauguration of a suitable system of accounts in the Government Press at that place.

Custom House Accounts.

118. The Auditor of Custom House Accounts in India was engaged during the year 1916-17 in revising the forms and procedure of the Rangoon Custom House and in carrying out a test audit of the accounts of the Bombay, Madras, and Chittagong Custom Houses. The test audit did not reveal any serious irregularities.

At the instance of the Government of India, the Auditor also undertook an examination of the system of accounts, maintained in the office of the Collector of Bombay, of the revenue collected by the factory excise establishment, and drew up a note suggesting various improvements in procedure. As a result, it was decided, with the approval of the Government of India, that a biennial test audit of the factory excise accounts should be conducted by the Auditor of Custom House Accounts, as the work is in several respects similar to the audit which is applied in Custom Houses.

Inspection of Treasuries and Public Works Divisions.

119. The inspection of treasuries and Public Works divisions was performed by accounts officers during the year with satisfactory results. Several irregularities and defects of procedure came to light. The value of these inspections does not, however, lie solely in the detection of defects and irregularities, but also in the educative effect both on audit and executive officers. It is recognised that their object is not merely to criticise but also to render assistance to executive officers by advice in regard to the method of dealing with the difficulties which arise from time to time in accounts matters. The inspections, if

conducted by audit and accepted by the executive in the right spirit, should become a valuable feature of the system of Indian audit and result in efficient co-ordination between the audit and the executive departments.

In addition to the inspections of Public Works divisions and treasuries, the accounts of certain other offices are also locally inspected by the audit department in some provinces, *e.g.*, police, jail, and hospital accounts. In the case of police accounts, it has been laid down by the Government of India that the work of the inspecting staff should be educative and should be strictly confined to inspection with suggestions for improvement in method or system, and that nothing of the nature of a local or test audit should be undertaken. It came to my notice that the procedure actually followed was not invariably in accordance with these principles. The necessary steps have been taken in the matter.

Changes of Rules and Procedure.

Measures adopted for the improvement of audit.

120 In paragraph 86 of my last report reference was made to certain measures taken with the object of strengthening audit and placing it on a sounder basis. The subject has continued to receive attention.

121 The following are some of the directions in which an improvement has been effected in audit procedure and control :—

(*a*) The procedure to be followed by Military Audit Officers, when in doubt as to the correct interpretation of rules in the Army Regulations, was considered in consultation with the Government of India. Orders have been issued that, when a Military Audit Officer finds himself unable to give a satisfactory audit ruling on the Army Regulations as they stand and a reference has accordingly to be made to superior authority, the reference should be made in the first instance to the Military Accountant General, who will issue the necessary ruling, or, if he is unable to do so, refer the matter to the Comptroller and Auditor General

(*b*) In paragraph 86 (*b*) of the last report, allusion was made to the arrangements introduced, with the approval of the Government of India, to ensure that all corrections to the financial rules in the various codes issued under their authority had received the sanction of the Secretary of State when necessary. During the year the question was considered whether a similar procedure should not be introduced in the case of the Army Regulations, issued by the Government of India, and the various Provincial and Departmental Codes and Manuals issued by Local Governments and Heads of Departments. It was recognised that it would be a great convenience both to audit and to administrative authorities that all general Codes should be fully accepted and not require examination, or be open to challenge, by audit on every occasion with reference to the original sanctions on which they are based The Government of India have accordingly directed that all orders, which have a financial bearing either directly or indirectly and involve corrections to existing rules in the several codes, and all corrections thereto which are not the outcome of formal official orders but have a financial bearing, should be shown before issue to the audit officer concerned, who will examine the sufficiency of sanction in each case.

(*c*) The question referred to in paragraph 86 (*f*) of the last report regarding the procedure to be adopted to enable audit officers to watch that remissions or assignments of land revenue, which require the sanction of the Secretary of State under the rules in the Audit Resolution, have duly received that sanction, has been considered in consultation with the Government of India. As a result, detailed instructions on the subject have been issued and included in the Civil Account Code.

(*d*) The revision of the rules contained in the Public Works Department Code on the subject of the powers of the several Public Works authorities to sanction excesses over sanctioned estimates, referred to in paragraph 4 of the last report, was further considered in consultation with the Government of India. Revised rules on the subject were submitted to, and have recently been sanctioned by, the Secretary of State.

Internal organisation of Civil Account Offices.

122 Several questions connected with the internal organisation of Civil Account Offices were decided during the year. The more important are briefly described below.

(*a*) Under the arrangements hitherto existing in most offices the distribution of work among the Gazetted Officers was defective. Senior officers, of the rank of Deputy Accountant General, had sole charge of many of the sections, with the result that they were overburdened with routine work to the detriment of their more important duties General orders have been issued under which the work will be so redistributed that senior officers will be relieved of a large portion of the routine work while retaining general control of the sections

(*b*) Hitherto it has been the practice in several offices to employ inexperienced and insufficiently trained auditors on initial audit and to subject this audit to review by the superior non-gazetted staff and to some extent also by gazetted officers Under this system, while the initial audit was often unsatisfactory, the volume of review work was very great and consequently showed a tendency to be hasty and superficial. The question of devising practical, and at the same time economical, arrangements presented considerable difficulties. It appeared to be wrong in principle to start with an inefficient audit and to attempt to remedy the defects by a subsequent full review. Orders have consequently been issued reallocating the initial audit work in such a manner as to ensure, so far as possible, that it should be done by trained and efficient auditors. At the same time the quantity of review work by superior agency has been curtailed, after due consideration of the nature and importance of the expenditure involved and the volume of the transactions These arrangements should conduce both to efficiency and economy.

(*c*) The sufficiency of the existing arrangements for pre-audit work and pension payments has been carefully considered. The pre-audit section as a separate section has been abolished in some offices, while in others satisfactory arrangements have been made for promptly dealing with pre-audit bills. A change has also been made in the procedure followed in certain offices in the matter of pension payments.

It is hoped that the above measures, when fully given effect to, will result in a considerable improvement in the efficiency of the audit machine.

Forest accounts.

123. The rules on the subject of the accounts to be maintained and rendered to audit offices by Divisional Forest Officers and their subordinates, which were expunged from the 7th Edition of the Forest Department Code, were examined in consultation with the Government of India and incorporated in a separate chapter (23-A) of the Civil Account Code.

Public Works accounts.

124. The scheme of Public Works accounts to be finally adopted as a result of the amalgamation of the Civil and Public Works Accounts Departments, referred to in paragraph 87 of the last report, is still under the consideration of the Government of India in consultation with Local Governments.

Capital and Revenue Accounts of residential buildings.

125 The long outstanding question of the proposed abolition of the Capital and Revenue Accounts of residential buildings, prescribed in paragraph 1739, Public Works Department Code, Volume II, has been settled. No change is to be made in the form in which those accounts are now compiled The limit of capital outlay, below which buildings should be excluded from the returns compiled in audit offices for submission to Local Governments and the Government of India, has, however, been raised from Rs. 1,000 to Rs 5,000. Moreover, details regarding class II buildings costing Rs. 5,000 and less are to be omitted from the divisional returns rendered to audit offices. These orders, which have been made applicable to Imperial Military buildings also, are calculated to reduce work materially in audit and executive offices.

Simplification of Accounts or Audit processes.

126. The examination of the suggestions contained in Mr. Heseltine's report on the reduction of work in civil account offices, referred to in paragraph 88 of my last report, has been completed. Orders have been issued on most points, while a few are still under the consideration of the Government of India

127. In paragraph 89 of my last report, I referred to the more important changes in rules and procedure which had been introduced, or were then

contemplated, including those in Mr. Heseltine's report. The summary below shows the further steps which have been taken.

(*a*) Several questions came under consideration in regard to the procedure relating to pension payments and the verification of service for pension. An erroneous practice prevailed in some account offices of requiring all pensioners to attend personally in April of each year for identification and of withholding the payment of pensions until the pensioners actually presented themselves. This was rectified and the necessary instructions were issued for the introduction of a uniform procedure, in regard to the annual identification of pensioners (article 947, Civil Service Regulations). Certain modifications have been made in the conditions laid down in articles 945, 946 and 947, Civil Service Regulations, for the production of life certificates, in the case of severely wounded or old and infirm Indian military pensioners and of female pensioners not accustomed to appear in public. It has been ordered, with the approval of the Secretary of State, that it is not necessary to check at the time of retirement all the leave taken by non-gazetted officers during their service, but that the audit should be of the nature of a test and should be applied to the leave taken during any period of three years of an officer's service, the period to be selected at the discretion of the audit officer. It has also been made quite clear that a reaudit of the leave allowances drawn by an officer during his service need not be undertaken by the audit office at the time of certifying to his claim to pension. Ex-inferior servants, and ex-policemen, who are in receipt of a pension of not more than Rs. 10 a month, have been exempted from the restrictions imposed by articles 514 (*a*), 519 and 521, Civil Service Regulations. Proposals for the substitution of service rolls for service books in the case of inferior servants and for the abolition of the detailed verification of their pension applications in audit offices were matured in consultation with the Government of India. Proposals are under consideration for the abolition of the rule in article 346 of the Civil Account Code, which imposes on a disbursing officer the duty of satisfying himself by enquiry at the time of making pension payments as to the non-employment of pensioners, for the extension to the pensioners resident in India of the concession allowed in article 949, Civil Service Regulations, to draw, subject to certain safeguards, their pensions through duly authorised agents, and for the modification of the procedure laid down in article 347-A., Civil Account Code, on the subject of the identification of pensioners by thumb impressions.

(*b*) Detailed instructions have been issued, with the concurrence of the Government of India, laying down a simplified procedure for the audit of pay and allowances of certain classes of non-gazetted officers who have hitherto been treated as gazetted for audit purposes.

(*c*) The feasibility of curtailing the reports and returns rendered by Accountants General to the Comptroller General and generally of simplifying the methods of work in the Comptroller General's office has been examined. Some returns, *e.g.*, annual statements of outstanding objections, submitted by Accountants General, have been simplified, while a few others have been abolished.

(*d*) With the object of preventing the use of the General Provident Fund by depositors as a banking or cheap loan account, the Government of India have laid down, for the guidance of sanctioning authorities, the general principles which should determine the grant of an advance from the Fund.

(*e*) The scheme, referred to in paragraph 89 (*i*) of the last report, for the introduction of a revised procedure for the exchange and central adjusting accounts, which was tried experimentally between certain selected offices for the last two years, has been finally abandoned; the system prescribed in the code has been re-introduced with certain slight modifications.

(*f*) The following questions are under consideration:—

(i) The apportionment of the charges for the Public Works establishments among the several Public Works major heads of account;

(ii) The simplification of the procedure at present followed in regard to the exhibition of the details of sanctioned establishments in the Civil Budget Estimates; and

(iii) The reduction in the number of detailed heads in the classified accounts; a large number of heads have already been removed from the accounts.

Provincial Appropriation Reports.

128. The form of the Appropriation Reports submitted by Provincial and Departmental Accountants General has been simplified, with the concurrence of the Local Governments concerned. This should result in a material saving of work in audit offices without diminishing the usefulness of the reports.

Postal Accounts.

129. An important change was made in the accounts of the Post Office by the re-introduction in the audit offices of personal ledger accounts of depositors in the Post Office Savings Bank.

Under the system in force prior to July 1912, detailed personal ledger accounts of depositors were maintained both in the head post offices and in the audit offices. The total credits and debits in the ledger accounts were proved and reconciled in the audit offices with the corresponding figures appearing in the general accounts. The necessary check over deposits and withdrawals was exercised in the audit offices, which also calculated the interest due to the depositors. In July 1912, the maintenance of personal ledgers in audit offices was abolished on the suggestion of the then Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, chiefly on the ground that it involved unnecessary duplication of work. The abolition resulted in a net saving of about Rs. 41,000 a year. The new system was given a trial for about four years, but it proved a failure, mainly for the following reasons:—

(*i*) It resulted in large unexplained differences between the balances at credit of depositors as shown in the Post Office ledgers and the total balances shown in the books of the audit offices, and all efforts to reconcile the differences proved unavailing.

(*ii*) It encouraged the perpetration of frauds, several of which were actually detected. Frauds to the extent of Rs. 26,866 were discovered, which were practically the direct outcome of the new system.

(*iii*) The withdrawals were not susceptible of a systematic check in the audit offices against the amounts actually at credit of the depositors.

The defects of the system became so pronounced as to call for immediate remedial action, and after careful consideration, in consultation with the administrative authorities, it was decided to recommend a reversion to the system of duplicate ledgering in force prior to 1912, which had stood the test of time and had been found efficient. The sanction of the Government of India was obtained to the change and it was introduced with effect from the 1st July 1916.

Finance and Revenue Accounts.

130. The question of simplification of the Railway portion of the Finance and Revenue Accounts is still under the consideration of the Government of India.

Railway Accounts: Traffic Audit.

131. In paragraph 93 of the last report, reference was made to the proposals sanctioned with the object of simplifying the procedure followed in certain sections of the Traffic Audit Department of the State Railway account offices. As a further development of these changes, the question of improving the organization for, and methods of, checking tickets outside the audit offices so as to prevent frauds, was fully considered, and certain arrangements have been introduced by the Railway Board on all the three State Railways, with a view to securing the complete co-ordination of the work of travelling ticket examiners with that done in audit offices and by travelling inspectors of accounts.

Simplification of Railway Audit.

132. Certain alterations were introduced in the procedure followed in the audit of tickets, with a view to preventing frauds in bringing to account excess fare collections. Some changes in the system of accounting for freight on through goods traffic are being tried experimentally, while proposals are under consideration for the revision of the system of apportionment and adjustment of through parcels traffic, and for the simplification of the method of apportioning shares in passenger division sheets.

133. The compilation of properly edited volumes of all current contracts with Railway Companies was completed for most of the Railways during the year.

Volumes of contracts with Railway Companies.

Miscellaneous.

134. The system of recruitment of members of the Indian Civil Service for the General List of the Finance Department was examined and certain arrangements were provisionally sanctioned by the Secretary of State, pending consideration of the report of the Royal Commission on the Public Services. Class II of the General List of the Indian Finance Department, which consisted of three appointments and was reserved for the Indian Civil Service, has been abolished; one Indian Civil Service appointment has been added to class I; and two additional appointments have been sanctioned in class III to be held by non-Civilians.

Recruitment of Indian Civil Service Officers to the Indian Finance Department.

135. The organisation of the establishments employed in the audit of the accounts of local authorities and of other accounts, which are specially audited in the city of Calcutta, and the method of carrying out such audits, were examined, with a view to the introduction of more economical and efficient arrangements. Certain changes have been recently introduced with the sanction of the Government of India. The Outside Audit Department has been placed under one General List Officer, the subordinate staff has been strengthened, and two appointments of Chief Superintendents have been abolished.

Outside Audit Calcutta.

136 The revised proposals, referred to in paragraph 97 of the last report, regarding the amalgamation of the Civil and Public Works accounts establishments in accounts offices were matured in consultation with the Government of India, and final orders are expected to issue shortly.

Amalgamation of the Civil and Public Works Accounts Establishments.

137. The audit of the accounts of the Wheat Commissioner was conducted by the Department during the year. An idea of the magnitude of the transactions involved may be obtained from the fact that the total charges incurred on the scheme amounted to about 7 crores of Rupees. The audit applied was mainly to see that the purchases by exporting firms were in accordance with the orders of the Wheat Commissioner and at rates not exceeding those fixed; that these were all accounted for by shipments or otherwise; that the charges claimed were according to rates and had been actually incurred; and finally that all amounts received from treasuries in India, or through the Secretary of State, were duly accounted for by the firms to the Wheat Commissioner and by him in his books. The firms had been instructed to keep separate books for these transactions and the accounts were audited on the spot by officers specially deputed for the purpose. All invoices and freight bills and, as regards local purchases at port of shipment, all brokers' contracts and receipts and all charges incurred were checked in detail. Actual shipments were checked with duplicate copies of invoices and the Customs Department records. The charges for establishment had been specially sanctioned by the Government of India at a fixed rate, and audit was conducted against this sanction. The audit showed that the accounts work had been performed efficiently.

Wheat Scheme.

138. During the year under review, the Government of India directed that the cash realized by the Controllers of Hostile Firms should be paid into the Government Treasury and that a careful account should be kept of the withdrawals made by the Controllers, so as to ensure that the assets of each firm are reduced by the amounts withdrawn. Suitable steps have been, or are being, taken to carry out these orders.

Liquidation of Hostile Firms.

139. Special arrangements were made for the audit and accounting of the expenditure incurred on the manufacture in railway and other workshops of munitions for the Imperial Government. The organisation of these workshops consisted generally in the association of local private workshops with the railway workshop in each railway centre, thus concentrating the output of numerous shops in the hands of a few railway administrations. In Calcutta, however, where there were a number of large and well-equipped privately owned shops, the smaller factories were associated with the larger in

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a number of groups, each group being similar in character to those obtaining in the railway centres. The Calcutta groups were controlled by a section of the Munitions Branch of the Railway Board. The Accountant General, Railways, who was appointed the central account officer for the purpose, rendered accounts monthly to the Secretary of State for transfer to the Ministry of Munitions in England. The final audit of the accounts on behalf of the Imperial Government was conducted by the audit officers attached to the different State and Company-worked Railways. The Chief Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal Railway, was the central disbursing accounts and audit officer for the expenditure incurred by the main workshops in Calcutta which worked independently of railway workshops, and the expenditure was accounted for by him monthly to the Accountant General, Railways. Transactions between main workshops and their associated shops were treated in the accounts as transactions between principals and contractors

Action taken on previous Reports.

140. All items brought to notice in the Appropriation Reports for the years 1912-13 and 1913-14 and, with a few exceptions, the items mentioned in the Audit and Appropriation Report for 1914-15 have been settled.

R. A. GAMBLE,

The 4th June 1917. *Comptroller and Auditor General.*

Appendix.

Details of further cases referred to in paragraphs 12, 18, 36 and 37 of the report.

Civil Department.

Drawal of money in advance of requirements with a view to avoiding lapses of Budget grants.

Madras.

1. (*a*) A Judge of a Small Cause Court drew in March 1916 a sum of Rs. 902 on account of furniture required for the court. Vouchers not having been received promptly, the Judge was requested to intimate the actual dates of payment. His reply showed that the actual disbursements were made in May and June 1916.

(*b*) A District Magistrate drew in January 1916 a sum of Rs. 100 as rewards for the apprehension of offenders. Several reminders were sent calling for the payees' receipts. No receipts were furnished, and the District Magistrate eventually reported that the amount had not been disbursed to the parties, as the question of payment was under consideration. The amount was ordered to be refunded at once into the treasury, and this was done at the close of July 1916.

(*c*) An Inspector of Schools drew in March 1916 a sum of Rs. 230 for the purchase of sewing machines required for a school. The payee's receipt, dated the 28th April 1916, was furnished on the 6th May 1916, and the delay in disbursement was explained to be due to the fact that there was some unforeseen delay in the arrival of certain goods ordered by the firm with whom the order was placed.

(*d*) A sum of Rs 145 was drawn in March 1916 by a Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools for the purchase of books and maps required for elementary schools. Many reminders calling for the payee's receipt were issued and when it was furnished it was found that payment had not actually been made till the close of June 1916.

(*e*) An officer of the Fisheries Department drew on the 30th March 1916 a sum of Rs. 381-12-7 and forwarded vouchers, dated May and July 1916, for the amount less Rs. 30-1-0, for which a voucher, dated April 1916, was forwarded in August 1916. The delay in disbursement was explained as being due to the fact that the contractors had not got the articles in stock and when pressed for their supply had to obtain them from other firms.

(*f*) An officer of the Co-operative Credit Department drew on the 31st March 1916 a sum of Rs. 212-10-0 for the purchase of books, but the payees' receipts were not forwarded for a long time in spite of reminders. The officer eventually reported that two sums of Rs. 91-8-0 and Rs. 48-11-0 had been paid in July and August, respectively, and that the balance of Rs. 72-7-0 had been refunded into the treasury on the 7th August 1916.

Double claims preferred and paid.

Bombay.

2. (*a*) A sum of Rs. 580-15-0 was drawn by a Deputy Collector on the 26th July 1915 on account of postage charges in connection with the distribution of copies of a newspaper. The receipt of the proprietors, which was attached to the contingent bills, was however dated 21st May 1915. A reference to the treasury officer elicited the fact that the payment made in July 1915 was a double payment. The amount overpaid has since been recovered.

(*b*) A sum of Rs. 17-0-11, being the interest on a Government Promissory note, was paid twice at a certain treasury owing to an omission to record the payment of interest for one half-year on the back of the note as required by rule 5 under article 199 A, Civil Account Code. A similar overpayment of Rs. 192-8-0 also occurred in another treasury. The amounts overpaid have since been recovered.

(*c*) A sum of Rs. 16, being the pay of temporary establishment of a Collectorate for April 1915, was first drawn in May 1915 and again in August 1915 The amount overdrawn was recovered in October 1915.

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(*d*) A pension of Rs. 4-14-0 per month for January 1915 was paid twice, once on the 6th February 1915 to the pensioner and again on the 7th May 1915 to his heirs

(*e*) A pension of Rs. 4-1-11 for August 1915 was twice paid, once on the 8th September 1915 and again on the 6th January 1916. The double payment was stated to be due to an error in noting the date of last payment on both halves of the permanent pay order.

(*f*) A pension of Rs. 7-8-0 per month for January 1915 was paid twice, once on the 15th February and again on the 17th April 1915. The double payment was due to the omission to note the original payment on both halves of the permanent pay order.

(*g*) A pension of Rs. 5 a month for March 1915 was paid twice, once on the 14th April and again on the 13th July 1915.

Assam.

(*h*) Salary and leave allowance for August 1915, amounting to Rs. 80, were twice drawn and paid to a Sub-overseer in a Public Works division, once in September 1915 through the monthly establishment pay bill and a second time in November 1915 in a supplementary bill.

Public Works Department.

Irregular action with a view to avoiding lapses of Budget grants

United Provinces.

3. (*a*) A cheque for Rs. 170 was drawn on the 30th March 1915 by a Sub-Divisional Officer in payment of a bill received from a certain firm, though the materials were not received until the 15th April 1915.

(*b*) A bill of a Calcutta firm for a pump was passed and a cheque drawn on the 25th March 1915, whereas the pump was actually received on, or after, the 15th April 1915.

United Provinces.

(c) It was noticed, during the inspection of a Division, that in four cases contractors' bills aggregating Rs. 661, were adjusted by credit to deposits and debit to works on the last day of March 1915.

Burma.

(d) Expanded metal costing Rs. 131-4-0 was ordered from a firm on an indent, dated the 19th March 1915, and paid for on the 30th March 1915, although the metal was not received till the 3rd May 1915.

Bihar and Orissa.

(e) Two sums, aggregating to Rs. 1,351-11-0, on account of goods ordered from a certain firm were charged off in the cash book on the 31st March 1915, although the goods had not been received. The cheques were also drawn on the same date, but not sent to the firm until the 15th of April 1915.

(f) The cost of 60 barrels of cement, amounting to Rs. 660, was charged off in the cash book on the 28th March 1915. The railway freight on the consignment was paid on the 5th April 1915, and the materials were not apparently received until the 14th April 1915.

Irregular action with a view to evading financial rules or audit objections.

United Provinces.

4. (a) A sum of Rs. 140-12-0, chargeable to the work 'providing 8 punkhas to temporary *kanungo* training school', was charged in June 1914 to 'annual repairs to agricultural building', as the estimate for the former had not been sanctioned.

(b) Materials to the value of about Rs. 1,960 were shown in the accounts of January 1915 as having been transferred from a work 'constructing a new Government High School' to another work 'constructing a bridge over a river', apparently with a view to removing an excess over the estimate. The materials were, however, never carted to the site of the bridge.

(c) A total sum of Rs 2,142-4-5, spent on special repairs to a certain road from April 1914 to February 1915, was debited to two different works, as no estimate and allotment had been sanctioned for the special repair work.

(d) A sum of Rs. 105-1-0, debited to 'Repairs—main canal, L-Earthwork' in November and December 1914, was written back to 'Strengthening bank, main canal head to mile 3' under special repairs in the accounts for March 1915, supplementary, the latter estimate having been sanctioned in December 1914.

(e) In four cases expenditure amounting to Rs. 111-6-3, Rs. 296-12-3; Rs. 291-8-6, and Rs 694-12-6 was debited to four estimates with which it had no connection pending receipt of sanction to the respective estimates.

(f) A sum of Rs. 208, originally debited to 'Raising the bank of a canal,' was written back, in the supplementary accounts for March 1915, to an annual repair estimate, with a view to avoiding an excess over the estimate for the former work.

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(g) A sum of Rs. 51, being the pay of a work peon, was written back from one work to another. On a reference to the register of works it was ascertained that the credit of Rs. 51 was given to the first work with the object of reducing a heavy excess and not with a view to recording the actual facts.

Assam.

(h) A sum of Rs. 140, being the wages of a road *moharrir* employed in looking after the maintenance of a road, was written back in March 1916, supplementary, to the maintenance estimate of the navigation channel of a river, in order to reduce an excess over the estimate for the maintenance of the road.

(i) A sum of Rs. 233-8-9, correctly chargeable to the estimate for the construction of a combined dak and inspection bungalow, was written back in February 1915 to the annual repair estimate for the same building, with a view to reducing the excess in the former estimate.

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Secretary to the Government of India

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3077. Fibre Corporation Ld. and G. Michot. *Improvements relating to machines for de-seeding flax.*

3078. Fibre Corporation Ld. and G. Michot. *Improvements in and relating to the scutching of flax and other fibrous materials.*

3079. K. S. Sanghani. *Self closing cock.*

3080. E. S. Luard and V. P. Rawlings. *Improvements in or relating to vaccum brake apparatus.*

3081. G. Constantinesco and W. Haddon. *Improvements in power driven reciprocating implements and means for driving the same.*

May 29.

3082. F. C. Griffin. *Improvements connected with septic tank privies.*

3083. I. H. Wheatcroft. *Process of refining oil, etc.*

3084. J. Peterson. *Improvements in power developing and transmitting devices.*

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3085. V. A. Haddick. *Portable water heater.*

3086 V. M. Muthuraman Chettiar. *Water baling machine.*

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2934. G. Constantinesco, and W Haddon. *Means for controlling multiple fuel supply to internal combustion engines.*

2950. W S. Barnickel. *Treatment of crude oil.*

2952. H. Pilling. *Improvements in valve gear for reciprocating steam engines.*

2953 Society of Chemical Industry in Basle. *Metal combinations of albumin*

2991. K. V. Ayre *Improvements in axles, wheels and bearings for road vehicles, and the like.*

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2910. Wolfe.
2911. Chalmers.
2913. Wilzin.
2917. Interlocking Rail Joint Corporation.
2918. James.

PATENTS SEALED.

2450. Blewitt.
2458. Rabady and Dyson.
2783. Duff.
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2876. Crozier.
2877. Crozier.
2879. Treve.

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Reserve Fund	2,13,00,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* .	63,00,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments		63,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	8,20,55,962 11 11	10,92,41,021	3	1
Public Deposits at Branches	2,71,85,058 7 2			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		21,88,86,786	11	8
Bank Post Bills, etc. . .		12,97,618	0	4
Sundries		29,28,047	12	0
RUPEES .		37,36,53,468	11	1

ASSETS.

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Government Securities . .		6,55,17,002	12	0
Other authorized Investments .		1,24,28,540	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .		7,59,27,983	8	5
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities		4,60,36,851	10	4
Bills discounted and purchased		3,03,12,484	6	3
Balances with other Banks .		37,58,252	5	11
Bullion		......		
Dead Stock		29,50,066	13	7
Stamps		11,103	8	11
Sundries		3,91,361	12	11
		23,73,33,646	14	6
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	9,34,49,443 12 7	13,63,19,821	12	7
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	Ghosh, Amiyakumar ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta
44	Datta, Taraknath ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
45	Chakrabarti, Ahibhushan ...	City College, Calcutta.
46	Ghosh, Radhakisor ...	Presidency College, Calcutta
47	Das, Lakshminarayan ...	Ditto.
48	Sen, Subodhchandra ...	Ditto.
49	Chattopadhyay, Ramnath ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
50	Ram Niranjan Prasad ...	Patna College.
51	Karmakar, Tulsidas ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
52	Ray, Sureschandra ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
53	„ Kamalaprasanna ...	Dacca College.

54	Das, Jadulal ...	Dacca College.
	Datta, Sachindranath ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
56	Mukhopadhyay, Sakhanath ...	Metropolitan Institution.
57	Ray, Praphullakamal ..	Chittagong College.
58	Genimat Ali ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
59	Mahammed Nobi ...	Hughli College.
60	Basu, Pratipchandra ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Chaudhuri, Umeschandra ...	Dacca College.
62	Das, Sudhirchandra ...	Hughli College.
63	Datta, Jyotibhushan ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	De, Nitaichand ...	Hughli College.
	Majumdar, Aswinikumar ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
66	Bandyopadhyay, Anadinath ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
67	Gangopadhyay, Radharaman ...	Metropolitan Institution.
68	Chaudhuri, Jogiprasad ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Daspupta, Jagadischandra ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
70	Basu, Narayanchandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Pulinbihari ...	Metropolitan Institution.
72	Bhattacharyya, Debendranath ...	Chittagong College.
73	Mukhopadhyay, Indubhushan ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
74	Chattopadhyay, Indubhushan ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Chaudhuri, Kanailal ...	Hughli College.
	Das, Susilkumar ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Dhar, Renupada ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Ghosh, Sureschandra ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
79	Chakrabarti, Rameschandra ...	Jagannath College, Dacca.
80	Basu, Amiyendrakrishna ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
81	Bhuput Sing Dugar	Ditto.
82	Bhattacharyya, Sureschandra ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
83	Samanta, Gaurhari	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.
84	Bandyopadhyay, Satyacharan ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Saha, Hemchandra	Dacca College.
86	Bandyopadhyay, Hariprasad ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Chanda, Jitendrakisor ...	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Upadhyay, Bhupatibhushan ...	City College, Calcutta.
89	Purkait, Shashthicharan ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
90	Sen, Sukhendubikas ...	Chittagong College.
91	Basu, Sisirkumar	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Annadamangal ...	Rajshahi College.
	Datta, Sanatkumar ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
94	Mahanti, Srikrushna ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
95	Basu, Badanchandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Datta, Radhakisor ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Maulik, Amulyachandra ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
98	Datta, Dhirendrachandra ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
99	Ghosh, Jatischandra ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
100	Bhattacharyya, Kalidas ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Guhaniyogi, Birendrakumar ..	Cotton College, Gauhati.
102	Abdul Baset ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
103	Aneesuzzaman (Md. Siddique) ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Priyagopal ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
105	Nag, Sailendraprasad ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
106	Abdul Karim ...	Rangoon College.
	Basu, Sudhansusekhar, I ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Chaudhuri, Haridas ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
109	Sarma, Kamanakrishna ...	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
110	Ghosh, Pareschandra ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Md. Moinuddin ...	Ditto.
112	Sarma, Umakanta ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Set, Balaram ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
114	Basudeva Narayana ...	Patna College.
	Chattopadhyay, Harakrishna ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.

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116	Chakrabarti, Sureschandra ...	Rajshahi College.
117	Bandyopadhyay, Bamapada ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Jnanendranath ...	Rajshahi College.
119	Gupta, Kamalkumar ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Saileschandra ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
121	Datta, Manindranath ...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Kumudranjan ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
123	Gupta, Sanatkumar ...	City College, Calcutta.
124	Bhanja, Pijushkanti ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Dasgupta, Phanindrachandra ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Radhikaprasad ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Sanyal, Bishnupada ...	City College, Calcutta.
128	Biresh Datta Sinha ...	Patna College.
	Pal, Lalitmohan ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
130	Biswas, Indubhushan ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Maitra, Phanindranarayan ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Das, Maniklal ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Maung Maung Gyi, I. ...	Rangoon College.
134	Ranjitsing Dudhoria ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Santoshkumar ...	Krishnagar College.
136	Chattopadhyay, Rasmohan ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
137	Sinha, Nikunjabihari ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
138	Chaudhuri, Kamalapati ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Mukhopadhyay, Kshitischandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Rukminibhushan ...	Dacca College.
141	Goswami, Mohinimohan ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Rautaraya, Bhagaban ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
143	Mitra, Girijabhushan ...	Metropolitan Institution.
144	Chakrabarti, Daminimohan ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Surendranath ...	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Das, Panchugopal ...	Hughli College.
147	Gangopadhyay, Jagannath ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
148	Ray, Haimajaranjan ...	Metropolitan Institution.
149	Brahmachari, Narendrakumar ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Shivji Bechar ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
151	Chakrabarti, Prasadchandra ...	Ditto.
	Sinha, Nripendranath ...	Ditto.
153	De, Dulalchand ...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Sachindrachandra.	Ditto.
155	Basu, Anadicharan ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Rabindramohan ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
157	Kakati, Narendranath ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
158	Bandyopadhyay, Panchanan ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Dasgupta, Praphullachandra ...	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.
	Sarma, Kaminikantha ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
161	Bandyopadhyay, Ramanikanta ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Datta, Dwarkanath ...	Chittagong College.
163	Gangopadhyay, Krishnadhan ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Set, Baishnabhadas ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
165	Sarkar, Sudhindranath ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
166	Das, Prakaschandra ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Majumdar, Manoranjan ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	T. H. Mathai ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.

169	Bhagwat Prosad ...	Patna College.
	Chakrabarti, Jnanendrabhushan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	De, Bibhutibhushan ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Mandal, Khagendranath ...	Non-Collegiate Student Roll Cal. N. 3.
	Sen, Debendranath ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	Sikdar, Gandibdhari ...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
175	Sengupta, Satischandra ...	City College, Calcutta
176	Basu, Kantichandra ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Dwarikanath ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Dhar, Surendrasankar ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Mallik, Jagadischandra ...	Hughli College.
	Pattanayak, Pinakdhar ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	Sen, Bijanbihari ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
182	Mahanti, Baradacharan ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Misra, Sasibhushan ..	Ditto.
	Panigrahi, Maheswar ...	City College. Calcutta.
185	Chaudhuri, Narendranath ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
186	C. T. Eapen Muthalaly ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
187	S. T. Philipsz ...	Rangoon College.
188	Kar, Sudhansukumar ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Narayanchandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
190	Dechaudhuri, Krishnalal ...	Ditto ditto.
	Sen, Jitendrachandra ...	Dacca College.
192	Mukhopadhyay, Srigobinda ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
193	Tai Wan Hock ...	Rangoon College.
194	Basu, Susilchandra ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	De, Nadiyarchand ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Dhar, Gopendrakumar ...	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Maung Maung, II ...	Rangoon College.
	Sengupta, Jitendranath ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
199	Maji, Surendranath ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Mathew, I. C. ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
201	Adhikari, Amiyakumar ...	Chittagong College.
	Dan, Prabhatchandra ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Das, Sudhirkumar ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Laha, Sailendrakrishna ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Krishnadas ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	Sarkar, Manimohan ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
207	Ghosh, Nirmalchandra ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Phukan, Loknath ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Saraswati, Bishnukumud ...	Rajshahi College.
210	Bhagwat Saran ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Chattopadhyay, Tinkari ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Joseph Victor DeCruz ...	Rangoon College.
	Dhar, Mahendrachandra ...	Chittagong College.
	Khan, Praphullachandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
215	Sarkar, Radhikaranjan ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
216	Chiranjib Lal ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Chaudhuri, Abalakanta ...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Maitra, Haridas ...	Rajshahi College.
219	Chattapadhyay, Bankimchandra	Metropolitan Institution.
	Mallik, Madanmohan ...	Hughli College.
221	Basu, Manindramohan ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Hoe Min Sein ...	Rangoon College.
	Laha, Balaichand ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Maitra, Abanimohan ...	Rajshahi College.
225	Basu, Hemlal ...	Dacca College.
	Mitra, Bishnupada ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy
	Palit, A. C. ...	Rangoon College.

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228	Chattopadhyay, Anilkumar ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Datta, Ratneswar ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Ghosh, Gopalkrishna ...	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Ray, Anathbandhu ...	Hughli College.
	Sengupta, Ranajitkumar ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
233	Bandyopadhyay, Kalikinkar ...	Dacca College.
	Ray, Dibakar ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
235	Mandal, Khagendranath ...	Rajshahi College.
	Ghosh, Tapastosh ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Bandyopadhyay, Jyotsnakumar	Uttarpara College.
238	Das, Bankimchandra* ...	Dacca College.
	„ Rebatimohan ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Samanta, Prankrishna ...	Patna College.
241	Lakshman Dubey ...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Hirendranath ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Das, Bankimchandra	Chittagong College.
244	Chattopadhayay, Amiyaprakas	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Jana, Suryyakumar ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
246	Bhaumik, Jaminikumar ...	Chittagong College.
	Mijanor Rahman Talukdar ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Bhuyian, Chandrakamal ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Datta, Rameschandra	Ditto.
250	Das, Dinabandhu* ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Dasgupta, Niranjan ...	Ditto.
	De, Haraprasad ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Habibul Hassan ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Sanyal, Dineschandra ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
255	Chattopadhyay Bijaykrishna ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
256	Bandyopadhyay, Narayanchandra	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Gangopadhyay, Gunadhar ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Anilkrishna ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
259	Basu, Sailendrakumar ...	Chittagong College.
	Chattopadhyay, Kumudchandra	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Daw, Shashthicharan ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Sen, Nripendrakumar ...	Dacca College.
263	Baral, Mohanlal ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Harinandan Prasad ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Mitra, Phanibhushan ...	Dacca College.
266	Amy Forbes Hankins ...	Rangoon College.
	Sarkar, Birendralal ...	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.
268	Bandyopadhyay, Biswanath ...	Dacca College.
	Basu, Santoshkumar ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Chakrabarti, Girindranath ...	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Kripabindu ...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Satischandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Mitra, Debendranath ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
274	Ghosh, Saurendranath ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Kar, Bankimchandra ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Sen, Bhabendrakumar ...	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Hemendumohan ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Yasin Ali Mollah ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
279	Aliakbar Kazmi ...	Patna College.
	Bhattacharyya, Jogendranath ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Upendrakumar	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.
282	Abdul Bari ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Gupta, Bijayprasanna ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Kotal, Santoshkumar ...	Uttarpara College.
	Rudra, Narendranath ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Sen, Harischandra ...	Chittagong College.

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287	Ghosh, Mahendrachandra ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Sen, Prajesprasanna ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
289	Datta, Dineschandra ...	Dacca College.
	Ray, Indumadhab ...	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
291	Sur, Saratchandra ...	City College, Calcutta.
292	Chattopadhyay, Pratapchandra ...	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.
	Mayra, Narayanchandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Raychaudhuri, Rameschandra ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Set, Pramodkumar ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
296	Basu, Bipinkrishna ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Sibasankar ...	Mètropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Das, Bibhaschandra ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Bibhutibhushan, II ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Munindrakumar ...	Krishnath College. Berhampur.
301	Chaudhuri, Susitachandra ...	Dacca College.
	Maiti, Gopalkrishna	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Radhikananda	Rajshahi College.
	Sil, Kisorimohan	Dacca College.
305	Zahidali Biswas	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
306	Ray, Madhabchandra ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Narsingh Prasad	Patna College.
308	Panda, Dayanidhi	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Dasgupta, Debendranath ...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Datta, Herambalal	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Syed Farrokh Meerza ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Umesh Singh Jayaswal ...	Patna College.
313	Pujari, Achyutanand ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Ghosh, Satischandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Sibapada ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
316	Das, Rameschandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Patra, Lakshmanchandra ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
318	Dasgupta, Lalmohan ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
319	Kirkham, George Patrick ...	Rangoon College.
	Prachanda, Nikhilnarayan ...	Rajshahi College.
	Ray, Bimalkumar	City College, Calcutta.
	Sukdeo Prasad	Patna College.
323	Ba Thwin	Rangoon College.
	Ghosh, Kisorimohan ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Guha, Naliniranjan	Rajshahi College.
	Saha, Jogeschandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Shamsuddin Ahmad	Patna College.
328	Lahiri, Nanigopal	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Sarkar, Bibhutibhushan ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Ramkrishna Sinha* ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Som, Indramohan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
332	De, Ramkrishnananda ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Mowla Nowaz ...	Ditto.
	Raychaudhuri, Dasarathi ...	City College, Calcutta.
335	Maung Mg. Gyi, III ...	Rangoon College.
	Ray, Sachindramohan ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
337	Bakhandi, Bhupatibhushan ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Bandyopadhyay, Krishnakumar	Hughli College.
	Biswas, Sureschandra ...	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	De, Nandalal ...	City College, Calcutta.
341	Mukhopadhyay, Umapada ...	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Jagadis Natorajan ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Saha, Satischandra ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
344	Maung Ba Shin ...	Rangoon College,
	Pal, Kisorimohan† ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Sankar Rao ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.

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† Ditto ditto ditto ditto session 1915-16.

347	Basu, Gopallal ...	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.
	Musebuddin Ahmed ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Pal, Atalbihari ...	Ditto.
	Ray, Nirmalkrishna ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	Sein Gyaw ...	Rangoon College.
352	Chaudhuri, Jogeschandra ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Sarkar, Priyanath ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	,, Satischandra ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Syed Mohiuddin Ahmed ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
356	Bhattacharyya, Kiranbandhu ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Datta. Golapchandra ...	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Bijaykumar ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Kar, Srimantabihari ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
360	Baleswer Prasad ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Chakrabarti, Sachindrabinod ...	Rangoon College.
362	Datta, Praphullachandra ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
363	Abdur Rowoof ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Bhaumik, Surendrachandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Bal, Jaminikanta ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	Nand Kishore Lal ...	Patna College.
367	Ghosh, Binayendranath ...	Krishnagar College.
368	Chattopadhyay, Bipulchandra ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Chaudhuri. Narendranath ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
370	Bandyopadhyay, Radhakanta ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Jatindranath ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Karmakar, Surendranath ...	Non-Collegiate student, Roll Dac. N. 7.
373	Bandyopadhyay, Sibapada ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	De, Phanibhushan ...	Ditto.
	Gupta, Santoshkumar ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
376	Mitra, Kirankumar ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Ganeschandra ...	Dacca College.
378	Basumallik, Sibadas ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Datta, Sailendranath ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Birajkumar ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Nalinchandra ...	Patna College.
382	Nandi, Manomohan ...	Uttarpara College.
	Pal, Radhagobinda ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Ramaswamy, V. ...	Rangoon College.
385	Dam, Jogendranath ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Nath, Haridas ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
387	Bhattacharyya, Kamalapada ...	Krishnath College Berhampur.
	Mukhopadhyay, Kalikumar ...	Uttarpara College.
	Ray, Kalikinkar ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Saha, Mukundalal ...	City College, Calcutta.
391	Biswas, Birendrakrishna ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Das, Radhamanohar ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Dhar, Durgaratan ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	De, Sudhirkumar ...	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Niman, K. J. ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Pandit, Nandakrishna ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Mohinimohan ...	Rajshahi College.
	Syed Abu Ehiya Bazle Mursheedi	Presidency College, Calcutta.
399	Bindeshwari Prasad Varma ...	B. N. College, Bankipur.
400	Gangopadhyay, Bimalchandra ...	Uttarpara College.
	Mitra, Barunischandra ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Pattanayak, Ramsaday* ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
403	Bhattacharyya, Pratapchandra ...	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.
	,, Srigopal ...	Krishnagar College.
	Laha, Surendrachandra ...	Patna College.

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406	Dhar, Brajendraranjan	...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Harinath	...	Uttarpara College.
	Mitra, Nilkantha	...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Bimalendubhushan.		Rajshahi College.
	Ray, Nagendranath, I	...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Singh, B. C.	...	Rangoon College.
412	Basu, Bhupesnarayan	...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Susilranjan	...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	Datta, Manoranjan	...	Rajshahi College.
	Majumdar, Indubhushan	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Jasodanandan	...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
417	Baral, Sudhansukumar	...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Krishnapada	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Phanibhushan	...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Chaudhuri, Nagendranath	...	Krishnath College, Berhampur
	Karmakar, Radhaballabh	...	Krishnagar College.
422	Bhattacharyya, Bhudebchandra		Krishnath College, Berhampur
	Chattopadhyay, Jogendranath	...	Hughli College.
424	Shreekant Sahay	...	Patna College.
425	Chaudhuri, Annadasankar	...	Rajshahi College.
	Das, Anathnath	...	City College, Calcutta.
	Gupta, Susilkumar	...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	Mukhopadhyay, Bijaykrishna	...	Kishnagar College.
	Patra, Kalikrishna	...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Pramathanath	...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
431	Mukhopadhyay, Sibanicharan	...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
432	Rakshit, Balaichand	...	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
433	Basu, Manoranjan	...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Majumdar, Kunjalal	...	Dacca College.
435	A. Ba Te	.	Rangoon College.
	Bhattacharyya, Rammohan	...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	De, Surendrakumar	...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Guharaja, Rebatimohan	...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Kameshwar Prasad	...	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Onkar Sharan Sinha	...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
441	Mitra, Ramendranath	...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
442	Bhushan Shahi	...	Patna College.
	Basu, Satyendranath	...	Uttarpara College.
	„ Susilkumar	...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Samanta, Gobindacharan	...	City College, Calcutta.
446	Bagchi, Charubhushan	...	Krishnagar College.
	Basu, Bimalaprasanna	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Datta, Atulchandra	...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Haldar, Taraknath	...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	M. L. Rahman	...	Rangoon College.
	Paik, Dhirendranath	...	City College, Calcutta.
	Seet Yew Lock	...	Rangoon College.
453	Bandyopadhyay, Anadicharan	...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	„ Sachindranath		T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Ghosh, Sachindranath	...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Gulabchand Lall	...	Patna College.
	Ray, Saktipada	...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Sadangi, Ramakrishna	...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Sarkar, Dhirendranath	...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
460	Bandyopadhyay, Bijaykrishna	...	Ditto.
	S. M. Abdus Samad	...	Chittagong College.
462	Datta, Debaprasad	...	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Gogai, Ghanasyam	...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Gau N 1.
	Maung Tin	...	Rangoon College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Jitendranath	..	Wesleyan College, Bankura
466	„ Haribhushan	...	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Pramanik, Surendranath	...	Uttarpara College.

Rank	Name	College
468	Bandyopadhyay, Jibankrishna ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Datta, Hirendranath ...	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Dhar, Sanatkumar ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Habibar Rahman ...	Chittagong College.
	Pal, Chunilal ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
473	Bhattacharyya, Kiritibhushan ...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Chaudhuri, Taranath ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Das, Kamalapada ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Pal, Kanailal ...	Rajshahi College.
	Rahimuddin Shah ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
478	Bhattacharyya, Jogendranath ...	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Satyanath ...	Rajshahi College.
480	Upadhyaya, Bagisvaridatta ...	Patna College.
	Baksi, Satischandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Beechey, John Wright ...	Rangoon College.
	Chandra, Sudhansusekhar ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhay, Durgaprasad ...	Hughli College
	De, Phanindranath ...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Ghosh, Krishnadhan ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Hrishikes ...	Metropolitan Institution.
488	Kedar Nath Varma ...	Patna College.
489	Baruya, Phanibhushan ...	Chittogong College.
	Bhattacharyya, Bireswar ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Umapada ...	Rajshahi College.
	Chattopadhyay, Sekharnath ..	Metropolitan Institution.
	Mitra, Kumarkrishna ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Anathbandhu ...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Hemchandra ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Nagendranath ...	Rajshahi College.
497	Basu, Sudhindranath ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Amareschandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Jogeschandra ...	Rajshahi College.
	Chaudhuri, Kshitindranath ...	Ditto.
	Pandit, Saratchandra ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
502	Bhattacharyya, Bhupendranath	Dacca College.
	Chaudhuri, Dharanidhar ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Das, Bijaychandra ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Dasgupta, Kameschandra ...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Dac. N. 4.
	Datta, Syamapada ...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Bank. N. 1.
	De, Sitalkumar ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Karmakar, Banamali ...	City College, Calcutta.
509	Bhattacharyya, Ramanimohan ...	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	De, Manindranath	City College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Bholanath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Kundu, Kunjalal	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Som, Sukumar	Dacca College.
514	Bardhan, Hiralal	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Basu, Asokkumar	City College, Calcutta.
	Basumallik, Adityanath ...	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	De, Saratchandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Sahu, Janardan	City College, Calcutta.
	Rameshwar Dayal	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Saha, Bipinbihari	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Samanta, Chandicharan ...	Ditto.

	Name	College
522	Das, Sridamchandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Dhar, Munindranath	Hughli College.
	Gangopadhyay, Bhupendrachandra	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Ghosh, Jatilchandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Ray, Satiranjan	Hughli College.
	Raychaudhuri, Debabrata	City College, Calcutta.
528	Saha, Purnachandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Sen, Debendranath	Chittagong College.
	,, Sudhirnath	Metropolitan Institution.
531	Basu, Prabhatkumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Adharchandra	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Pal, Amulyacharan	Bangababasi College, Calcutta.
	Sinha, Suryyakanta	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.

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(In alphabetical order.)

	Name	College
	Abdul Ghafur	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Abdur Rahman	Ditto.
	Adhikari, Surendranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Ahmad Ali Khan	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Akhowri Jyotishnarayan Sinha	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Ali Asghar	Patna College.
	Ambrose, James F.	Rangoon College.
	Audh Behari Sahay	Patna College.
	Azizur Rahman	Jagannath College, Dacca.
10	Badri Narain Sinha	Patna College.
	Bagchi, Jyotishchandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Mrinalkanti	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Bagishwary, Dutta Misra	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Ba Hline	Rangoon College.
	Baidya, Indraman	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Bandyopadhyay, Digindrakumar	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	,, Jagadischandra	Dacca College.
	,, Kartikpada	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Nagendrachandra.	Ripon College, Calcutta.
20	,, Nareschandra	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Nirajakumar	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	,, Sandarsan	Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Subinaykumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Umapati	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Bardhan, Upendrachandra	Metropolitan Institution.
	Bardolai, Hemchandra	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	,, Ratneswar	Ditto.
	Baruya, Debakumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Basak, Rajendrakumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
30	Basu, Asutosh	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Bholanath	Ditto.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	Krishnagar College.
	,, Dhirendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Gopalchandra	Ditto.
	,, Harendrakrishna	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	,, Jitendranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Kasinath	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	,, Nirendranath	Ditto.
	,, Prabhaschandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
40	,, Praphullakumar	Ditto.
	,, Satyendramohan	Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Sisirkumar*	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Sudhindrakrishna	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Ba Thin	Rangoon College.

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	Bhaduri, Nagendranath ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Prabodhchandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Bhagwat Swarup Mital ...	Ditto.
	Bhajan, Jadunath ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Bhattacharyya, Pushkarnath ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
50	,, Rajiblochan ...	Hughli College.
	,, Sailendranath ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Sarbananda ...	Patna College.
	,, Surendranath ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Bishnumajumdar, Harisebak ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	Biswas, Praphullabadan ...	Krishnagar College.
	,, Ramkinkar ...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	,, Sailendranath ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Bankimchandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Bijaymadhab ...	City College, Calcutta.
60	,, Dhirendranath ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Dhirendranath ...	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	,, Jagatbandhu* ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Jyotibhushan ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Lakshminarayan ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Rameschandra ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	,, Satischandra ...	Rajshahi College.
	,, Upendranath ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Chandra, Prabodhchandra ...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Bhupendrakumar.	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
70	,, Ghanaram ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Kanailal ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Nalindranath ...	Ditto.
	,, Phanindrabhushan.	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	,, Sailajakumar ...	Hughli College.
	,, Sailendranath ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Surendranath ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Chaudhuri, Radhabinod ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	,, Satischandra ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Satyendranath ...	B. N. College, Bankipur.
80	,, Sureschandra ...	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Das, Amarendrachandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Asutosh ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	,, Kiranchandra ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	,, Kisorimohan ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Lalmohan ...	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Nagendranath ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	,, Phanibhushan ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Praphullachandra ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Praphullakumar ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
90	,, Rajanikanta ...	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.
	,, Sachinandan ...	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	,, Satischandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Satyendranath ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Surendramohan ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	,, Suryyamani ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Dasgupta, Bimalaprasanna ...	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.
	,, Dhirendranath ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	,, Prabhaschandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Datta, Bhupendranath ...	Rajshahi College.
100	,, Binodbihari ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Debendranath, III ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Gurudas ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Krishnachandra ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	,, Nareschandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Nutbihari ...	Ditto.
	,, Radhasyam ...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	,, Ramanimohan ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Rasbihari ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.

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	Datta, Sasibhushan ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
110	„ Sudhanwakumar ...	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	„ Tarakanta ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Udaychandra ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Dattagupta, Jitendranath ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	De, Balindranath ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Durlabhchandra ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Jitendranath ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Umeschandra ...	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Deb, Kalikamal ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Dechaudhuri, Kasinath ...	City College, Calcutta.
120	Gangopadhyay, Kshirodbihari*	Ditto.
	„ Sibchandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Garai, Bijaykumar ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Alinkumar ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Annadaprasad ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Bhupendrachandra ...	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Bikaschandra ...	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	„ Birendranath ...	Uttarpara College.
	„ Jogeschandra ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Kaliprasanna ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
130	„ Khagendranath ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Manindranath ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Nibaranchandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Prabodhchandra ...	Uttarpara College.
	„ Pramathanath ...	Krishnagar College.
	„ Rajendralal ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Rasbihari ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Satyendranath ...	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Sibamohan ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Sukumar ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
140	„ Umapada ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	Ghoshhajra, Santoshkumar ...	Uttarpara College.
	Gogai, Bholanath ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Goswami, Upendranath ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Guha, Jitendranath ...	T. N. Jubilee, College, Bhagalpur.
	Guhathakurta, Rabindranath ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Gupta, Subodhchandra ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Sudhansukumar ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Sudhindrachandra ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Haldar, Phanindranath ...	Ditto.
150	Hatibaruya, Rohinikanta ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Hla Thwin ...	Rangoon College.
	Jalaluddin Ahmed ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Jas, Jogendranath ...	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Jhulendra Bikram Rana Bahadur.	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Kailaspati Narayan ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Kailash Behari ...	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Kakati, Lalitnath ...	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.
	Karmakar, Gopalchandra* ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Khin Maung U ...	Rangoon College.
160	Kin Maung ...	Ditto.
	Kuber Sham Sher Thappa ...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal., N. 4.
	Kundu, Rakhallal ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Laskar, Kaminikumar ..	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Lahiri, Pradoshchandra ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Madho Prasad ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Mafizuddin Talukdar ...	Dacca College.
	Mahabir Prasad ...	Patna College.

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	Name	College
	Mahammad Fozlal Haque ...	Dacca College.
	Mahapatra, Gangadhar ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
170	Mahendra Narayan* ...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Mahmood Ali ...	Patna College.
	Maitra, Syamapada ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Majumdar, Birendrakumar ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Gopendrakumar ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Malick Abdur Rahman Hindi ...	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Mallik, Amiyanath ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Maung Kyaw Zin ...	Rangoon College.
	„ Po Myaing ...	Ditto.
	„ Sein ...	Ditto.
180	Merchant, Gulamally Rashidbhoy	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Mg. Sein Maung ...	Rangoon College.
	Mitra, Amiyanath ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Dhirendranath ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	„ Dhirendranath* ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Dineschandra ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Mohanlal ...	St. Xavier's College. Calcutta.
	„ Narendranath ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Phanindranath ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	„ Pulinbihari ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
190	„ Ramcharan ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Satyaprasad ...	Uttarpara College.
	„ Taraknath ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Anathbandhu ...	Krishnagar College.
	„ Bishnucharan ...	Hughli College.
	„ Brindabanchandra.	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Byomkes ...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	„ Charuchandra ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Charuchandra ...	Ripon College. Calcutta.
	„ Chittaranjan ...	Uttarpara College.
200	„ Gadadhar ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Haranchandra ...	Ditto.
	„ Haripada ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Jitendragopal ...	Ditto.
	„ Jyotibhushan ...	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Kiritibhushan ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Nepalchandra ...	Dacca College.
	„ Panchanan ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Panchkari ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Prankrishna ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
210	„ Praphullakumar	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Sabitaranjan ...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	„ Sureschandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Tarapada ...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	„ Upendralal ...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Dac. N. 3.
	Muhammad Ziaul Huq ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Munsi Sankarsan ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Nag, Arunchandra ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	„ Binaybhushan ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Hirankumar ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
220	„ Satyamaya ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Nandi, Dilipkumar ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Niyogi, Bibhutibhushan ...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	„ Nalinimohan ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	O'Hearn, John P. ...	Rangoon College.
	Pal, Asutosh ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Debiprasad ...	Hughli College.
	„ Krishnachandra, I ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Suryyanarayan ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Palit, Basantakumar ...	Uttarpara College.
230	„ Binaykrishna ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.

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	Panda, Sribatsa	...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Pattanayak, Narasinhacharan	...	Ditto.
	Poddar, Satischandra	...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	Pradhan, Madanmohan	...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Pramanik, Ajitkumar	...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Pritamlal Dass	...	Patna College.
	Raghunath Saran	...	Ditto.
	Ramesh Prasad	...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Ram Lakhshman Prasad	...	Patna College.
240	Ray, Anantabikas	...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Bholanath	...	Ditto.
	" Chandicharan	...	Ditto.
	" Dwijendranath	...	Ditto.
	" Hirankumar	...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	" Kamalkrishna	...	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	" Manindrachandra	...	City College, Calcutta.
	" Nitindranath	...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	" Pasupati	...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Purnachandra	...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
250	" Sachindranath	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	" Sanjibchandra	...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	" Sudhirkumar	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Raychaudhuri, Atulchandra	...	City College, Calcutta.
	" Dhirendrakisor	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	" Jnanendranath	...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Ramchandra	...	City College, Calcutta.
	" Surendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	Rudra, Debendranath	...	Ditto.
	S. A. Ghaffar Razvi	...	B. N. College, Bankipur.
260	Saha, Haridulal	...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Ramanimohan	...	City College, Calcutta.
	Samanta, Surendranath	...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Dhirendranath	...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	" Praphullachandra	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	" Ramchandra	...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Satischandra, I	...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Satischandra, II	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Bankubihari	...	Ditto.
	" Gopalchandra	...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
270	" Manindranath	...	Chittagong College.
	Sengupta, Bhubaneswar	...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	" Dharendranath	...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Harendranath	...	Ditto.
	" Jogindranath	...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Kshitischandra	...	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.
	" Nagendrakumar	...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	" Prabhatchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 7.
	" Prasutiprasanna	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	" Purnendukisor	...	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
280	" Rameschandra	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	" Sudhindranath	...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Set, Pannalal	...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 6.
	Shivanarayan Lal	...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Sil, Jagadischandra	...	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	" Syamacharan	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Sinha, Khagendranarayan	...	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	" Sibnarayan	...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 5.
	Sita Ram	...	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	S. K. A. Shibli	...	Ditto.
290	Som, Atulkrishna	...	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	" Benubhushan	...	Ditto.

	Sur, Prabodhchandra ...	City College, Calcutta.
	Tahbildar, Kaliram ...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
294	Tun Pe ...	Rangoon College.

THIRD DIVISION.

(In alphabetical order.)

	Bandyopadhyay, Batakrishna ...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 8.
	„ Praphullakumar.	Uttarpara College.
	„ Santoshkumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Hemchandra ...	Uttarpara College.
	Datta, S. C. ...	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	De, Harendranath ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Ghosh, Madhabikanta ...	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Satyacharan ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	G. M. Md. Waliulla ...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Hug. N. 1.
10	Kundu, Krishnalal ...	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Mahanti, Suryyamani ...	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Maitra, Herambachandra ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Sudhansukumar ...	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Majumdar, Nitindranath ...	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	„ Nripendranarayan ...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Mistri, Harekrishna ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Mitra, Rameschandra ...	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Amarendranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Manindranath	Ditto.
20	Sinha, Surendramohan ...	Krishnath College, Berhampur.

The following candidates who were allowed to appear at the I. Sc. Examination in *Mathematics* only are declared to have passed in that subject :—

Dasgupta, Praphullakumar ...	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
Mukhopadhyay, Durgadas ...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 1.

The following candidate who was allowed to appear at the I. Sc. Examination in *Physics* only is declared to have passed in that subject.

Basu, Rabindranath ...	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 13.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 1st June 1917.

P. BRÜHL,
Registrar.

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For quantities 60 lbs and above in one delivery	28 per lb
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For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	30 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs in one delivery	11 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs . . .	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	R
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs in one delivery . .	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

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For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
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Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
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Quinoidine tab. 1 lb. Wgt. 3 lbs. Postage	Re.	0	10	0
,, ,, 2 ,, ,, 6 ,, ,,	Re.	1	0	0
,, ,, 3 ,, ,, 9 ,, ,,	Re.	1	8	0

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DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 2nd June 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 31st May 1917.

	Total amount of notes in circulation.			Reserve. Coin and Bullion. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		Securities (Purchase price).		Total.	Remarks.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere	Total	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R (a)	R (b) (c)	R	
Calcutta	2,20,15,400	30 80,72,170	33 00 87 570	4,49 25,173	1,47,92,250	54 50,285	5,17,50,000	...	...	...	9,90,99,946	47,67,25,630	69,36 48,284	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500.
Cawnpore	...	62,08,740	62,08 740	1,97,22,446	88,26,547	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,85,48,993	(b) Nominal value—R49,31,36,571.
Lahore	...	6,71,95,270	6 71 95 270	1 32 35 303	1,15,98,757	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,48,34 060	(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Ordinance No 11 of 1917 at a cost of R30,17,25,630.
Bombay	1 37,95,925	27,66,67,150	29 04 63,075	3,16,83 392	4,38,19,751	30,31,916	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,85,35,059	
Karachi	.	3,04,12 015	3,04 12,015	55,27,623	36,71,625	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	91,99,248	
Madras	31,07,765	9,69,72 575	10,00,80 340	1,50,23 505	1,17,68,520	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,67,92,025	
Rangoon	...	5,86,26 475	5,86,26,475	1,72,84,861	48,73,455	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 21,58,316	
	3,89,19,090	84,41 54 395	88 30,73,485	14,74,02,303	9,93,50 905	84,82,201	5,17,50,000	..	...	...	9,90,99,946	47,67,25,630	88,37,10 985	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			Nil	Deduct—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									6,37,500	
Total Circulation R			88,30,73,485	Total Reserve R									88 30,73,485	

Gold worth £14,000 (Rs. 2,10,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 31st May 1917
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 31st May 1917 to 23 lakhs in sovereigns.

E. M. COOK,
Offg. Controller of Currency

I. F

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 23RD TO 31ST MAY 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.												Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for Ceylon Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.										
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native States.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from currency balance.	Cents coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	59	6	...	65	43	...	43	7	(a) 61	4	6	78	...	...	...	...	...	15
Bombay	75	1	...	76	71	...	71	...	(b) 153	...	1	154	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 20 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(b) Exclusive of 7 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

HIS MAJESTY'S MINT;
Calcutta, the 5th June 1917.

A. McCORMICK, LT.-COLONEL, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

CURRENCY NOTE.

The following Currency Note of the Karachi Circle is stated to have been lost in the sinking of the S. S. "Persia," and payment of its value has been claimed by the person named below. Any other person claiming a right to the note is warned to communicate at once with undersigned.

Note wholly lost.

Register No.	No. of note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
W. 2 (17-18) . .	GA67-89251 . .	Rs. 10	The Agent, Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, New York.

C. W. LAUDER,
Currency Officer.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
Karachi, the 30th May 1917.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th April 1917.

No. 294.—Mr. Abid Husain, Assistant Superintendent, sub. *pro tem.*, Agra Circle, Upper Division, Internal Branch, is granted privilege leave for 2 months, from the 1st May 1917.

J. F. CONNOLLY,
Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
5. Tracers.
6. Men trained in—

    (*a*) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
    (*b*) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

W. G. WOOD,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mount Abu, the 29th May 1917.

No. 1191-1209—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 4 of the Ajmer Irrigation Regulation, VIII of 1887, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendments in the Ajmer Irrigation Rules issued in this office Notification No. 210-1209 of the 16th March 1911 :—

I. The words "Sub-Divisional Officer" shall be substituted for the words "Assistant Commissioner" throughout the rules except in rules 55(*b*) and 59 and in rule 33A now inserted as hereafter stated.

II. The following shall be substituted for rule 4 :—

4(*a*). The following crop rates per acre shall be charged on land irrigated by flow from tanks of the 1st class, not paying special contract rates during the currency of the present settlement or until further orders :—

Ordinary autumn crop	per crop	3	12	0
Cotton	do.	5	0	0
Spring crops	do.	5	0	0
Lucerne	per annum	5	0	0
Sugarcane and Opium	do.	7	13	0
Rice	do.	10	15	0
Gardens	do.	11	14	0
Sowing watering	do.	1	4	0

(*b*) Should single waterings at special rates be applied for they may be given for ordinary spring crops at the rate of two-fifths of the above rate (Rs. 5) for one watering and four-fifths for two waterings, whether such waterings be by lift or by flow.

(*c*) In Istimrar or Jagir fields irrigated from such tanks and paying crop rates when the crop is divided between the Istimrardar or Jagirdar and the cultivator, an amount of grain representing in value the water rate shall, previous to the division of such crop, be set aside and made over to the Istimrardar or Jagirdar who shall thereupon be responsible for the water rate. If by former usage the irrigated crops so grown pay a money rent higher than the dry rate, the Istimrardar or Jagirdar shall pay the water rate and shall be entitled to collect two-thirds of the same from the actual cultivator of the land, but if he only collects the dry rate, the cultivator shall be responsible for the whole water rate.

(*d*) Except as provided in clause (*b*) of this rule, for irrigation by lift half the above rates shall be charged, except in the case of sowing watering, for which the full flow rate shall be levied.

(*e*) Sowing waterings from a first class tank shall be charged at the uniform rate of Re. 1-4-0 per acre watered. This charge shall be made though the land so watered has been ploughed only, and not sown ; provided that this watering charge shall not be collected from land afterwards irrigated in the same harvest and charged with the irrigation rate.

(*f*) When the outturn does not exceed the seed-grain the water rate shall be remitted.

III. The following shall be substituted for the 3rd paragraph of rule 5 :—

Where the water is taken wholly by "lift" only and not at all by "flow," only one-half of the full flow rate shall be charged, except in the case of sowing waterings, which shall be charged at the rate of Re. 1-4-0 per acre, whether by flow or by lift.

IV. In rule 9, "4(*b*)" shall be substituted for "4(*a*)" and the concluding sentence shall read as below :—

"Provided that when the water in the tank fails before the crop is brought to maturity and when the water rate is not remitted under rule 4(*f*) the land shall be assessed at such reduced rate as may seem to the Sub-Divisional Officer 'equitable."

V. The following shall be substituted for rule 11 :—

11. Land assessed at well rates at Settlement, whether irrigated with or without the permission of the Sub-Divisional Officer or other officer empowered to act under rule 55 from any tank of the 1st or 2nd class, shall be charged for at the uniform rate of Rs. 5 per acre for the harvest, but there shall be deducted therefrom the amount of the chahi rate paid as land revenue on the land so irrigated.

In cases where permission has not been obtained action against the person concerned may be taken under rule 64(3).

VI. In rule 15—

(A) The following shall be substituted for clause (1) :—

(1) Irrigated autumn crops pay the full water rate, provided the outturn is more than equivalent to the seed-grain. Where the outturn is not more than equivalent to the seed-grain, the water rate shall be remitted;

and

(B) The following shall be added as a new clause to be numbered (4) :—

(4) Where the outturn of irrigated spring crops is not more than equivalent to the seed-grain, the water rate shall be remitted, whether the water be above or below the sluice level on February 15th.

VII. The following shall be substituted for rule 17 :—

17. Lamberdars and Patels, or whosoever collects water revenue, shall receive *pachotra* fees at the rate of Rs. 5 per cent. on collections of water revenue paid in by them on or before the day on which the collections become due.

VIII. In rule 23 " rule 4(*b*) " shall be substituted for " rule 4(*a*) ".

IX. The following shall be substituted for rule 26 :—

26. In tanks of the 1st and 2nd classes, fields sown with or prepared for rabi crops shall be divided into beds of 60 to the bigha before water is admitted.

X. The following shall be added as a new clause at the end of rule 53 :—

(*k*) To review, modify or reverse on appeal or otherwise, any order issued by the Executive Engineer or other officer acting under rule 55, and to call for the records of any case.

XI. The following new rule to be numbered 53A, shall be inserted after rule 53 :—

53A. The Commissioner shall have discretionary authority to delegate his powers under any or all of clauses (*a*), (*c*) and (*d*) of rule 53 to the Assistant Commissioner.

XII. In rule 54 :—

(A) Clauses (*c*) and (*o*) shall be omitted.

(B) In clause (*h*) " from a tank of the 1st or 2nd class " shall be substituted for " from a tank of the 1st class ".

(C) In clause (*k*) " tank mates " shall be substituted for " watchers ".

XIII. In rules 55(*a*) and (*b*) and 59, " Commissioner " shall be substituted for " Assistant Commissioner ".

XIV. In rule 55, clause (*c*) shall be omitted.

XV. In clause (*c*) of rule 57, " his " shall be substituted for " this ".

XVI. In rule 64, " liable " shall be inserted after " guilty of them ".

XVII. The following note shall be inserted at the foot of statement No. 3, in Appendix I.

NOTE —Column 21, is intended for water revenue received from the 2nd class tanks.

" 22, is intended for water revenue assessed on 1st class tanks and beds of tanks variably assessed and for the items shown in columns 17, 18, 19 and 20.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

CORRIGENDUM.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 2nd June 1917.

No. 1696-*B*.—In the Central India Agency Notification No. 1394-D., dated the 3rd May 1917, for " Mr. Rustomji Bhaya " read " Mr. B. Rustomji Bhaya."

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
259—1917	*Re* Valantine Remedios	East Indian	Thana, Kumbharwada	A clerk in the G. I. P. Ry. Co., Engineering Department.	28th	May	1917	28th	May	1917
260—1917	„ Dooria Pandoo *alias* Pandoo Sooria.	Hindu	Parel	A jobber in the Morarji Gocaldas Mill, Ltd.	„	„	„	„	„	„
261—1917	„ Jamal Deenmahomed *alias* Jamal Jetha.	Mahomedan	Parel	A boilermaker in the B., B. & C. I. Railway Company, Parel Workshop.	„	„	„	„	„	„
262—1917	„ Tulsiram Gangaram Dhobi Bundela.	Hindu	Saint Zavier's Hospital, Fort.	A washerman in the Saint Zavier's Hospital	„	„	„	„	„	„
263—1917	„ Jeewaji Sulemanji Dawoodi Vora.	Mahomedan	Foolgully	Lately a dealer in sweetmeat and now unemployed.	„	„	„	„	„	„
264—1917	„ Mahomed Kassam Abdul Rehman *alias* Shaik Kassam Abdul Rehman.	„	Alli Umer Street	A fitter in the Royal Indian Marine Dockyard.	„	„	„	„	„	„
265—1917	„ Manekchand Narsi Sha and Tribhawandas Girdhar Sha.	Hindu	Hanuman Lane and Thakoordwar.	Formerly doing business in partnership with Mehta Vrajlal Nurbheram as dealers in cloth in the name of Mehta Vrajlal Nurbheram, and the 1st debtor lately a broker in cloth and now unemployed.	30th	„	„	30th	„	„
266—1917	„ Bhoja Tejsey Sha and Maneck Kellon Sha.	„	Madanpoora and Mandvee	Lately doing business in partnership with Moorarji Tejsey Sha as dealers in grain in the name of Bhoja Tejsey and now servants in the employ of Kanji Karamsey and Thaker Kheraj Mooljee respectively.	„	„	„	„	„	„
267—1917	„ Moreshwar Pootoba Kathore	„	No. 101 and 102, Chiree Bazar.	A clerk in the employ of the Asiatic Petroleum Company (India), Ltd.	31st	„	„	31st	„	„

268—1917	„ Domnic Louis Gonsalves	Christian	Lady Jumsetji Road	A clerk in the G I. P. Railway Co., Matunga	„	„	„	„	„	„
269—1917	„ Damodhur Keshowji Bhide	Hindu	Kandewady	Lately a clerk in the G. I. P. Railway Co., General Traffic Manager's Office and now unemployed.	1st	June	„	1st	June	„
270—1917	„ Chhaganlal Gulabchand Sha	„	Gulalwady	Lately carrying on business as cloth merchant in partnership with Chhaganlal Hirjee and Mukundrao Pandurang under the name and firm of Papatlal Manilal and now unemployed.	„	„	„	„	„	„

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT, FORT,
Bombay, this 1st day of June 1917.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS.

In Insolvency.

Madras, the 31st May 1917.

Notice is hereby given that an order has been made by this Court adjudging the person hereunder mentioned Insolvent and vesting the estates and effects of the said Insolvent in the Official Assignee of this Court; and all persons indebted to the said Insolvent, or who have any of his estates and effects, are hereby required forthwith to pay or deliver the same to the said Official Assignee

Number of Petition	Date of Presentation.	Name, address and description of Insolvent.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of public examination.
103 of 1917 .	28th May 1917 .	S. R. Ramanujam Pillai, Commission Agent, residing at No. 82, High Road, Pursawakam, Madras.	28th May 1917 .	16th July 1917.

[*Illegible*],
2nd Assistant Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA.

Testamentary and Intestate Jurisdiction.

TESTAMENTARY APPLICATION No. 1 OF 1917.

In the matter of the goods of A. B. Duncan, deceased.

Whereas application has been made to this Court by John Tarlton Whitty, Esq., I.C.S., resident of Bettiah, District Champaran, for Probate of the Will in respect of the properties in India of A B. Duncan, who died in Baluchistan on the 5th August 1916, this citation is issued calling upon all persons claiming to have any interest in the estate of the deceased to come and see the proceedings before the grant of Probate of the Will in this Court on Monday, the 9th day of July 1917, at 10-30 o'clock A.M.

S. N. MUKHARJI,
Assistant Registrar.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 84 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 16th May 1917.

In the matter of Bhaktavatchala Naidoo, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Bhaktavatchala Naidoo, Pressman, of No 22, 30th Street, Rangoon, on the 16th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Bhaktavatchala Naidoo.

CASE No. 85 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 23rd May 1917.

In the matter of Thuraswamy Arunachellam, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Thuraswamy Arunachellam, of No. 9, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 22nd day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Thuraswamy Arunachellam.

CASE No. 40 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th May 1917.

In the matter of Maung Ba of Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Maung Ba an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 29th day of May 1917.

CASE No. 86 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th May 1917.

In the matter of Subramoni Narasungham John, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Subramoni Narasungham John, No. 29, 38th Street, Rangoon, on the 21st day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 24th day of May 1917 against the said Subramoni Narasungham John.

CASE No. 87 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 28th May 1917.

In the matter of Chunmun and Jumna Lall, Insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Chunmun and Jumna Lall, hawkers of sweetmeats, No. 35, 122nd Street, Rangoon, on the 25th day of May 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Chunmun and Jumna Lall.

CASE No. 88 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 28th May 1917.

In the matter of Jana Veeranah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Jana Veeranah, Clerk, No. 35, 41st Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 26th day of May 1917 against the said Jana Veeranah.

CASE No. 89 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 28th May 1917.

In the matter of S. Arokisawmy, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by S. Arokisawmy, Clerk of the General Hospital, Rangoon, on the 26th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 28th day of May 1917 against the said S. Arokisawmy.

CASE No. 90 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th May 1917.

In the matter of V. Thangasawmy Chetty, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by V. Thangasawmy Chetty, Commission Agent, of 30th Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said V. Thangasawmy Chetty.

CASE No. 91 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th May 1917.

In the matter of K. A Mahomed Ebrahim, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by K. A. Mahomed Ebrahim of No. 42, Kalabusti, Rangoon, on the 28th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said K. A. Mahomed Ebrahim.

CASE No. 92 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th May 1917.

In the matter of Kanchirla Yenkiah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Kanchirla Yenkiah of No. 83, 15th Street, Rangon, on the 29th day of May 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kanchirla Yenkiah.

CASE No. 93 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th May 1917.

In the matter of Kadikithala Subbia, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Kadikithala Subbia, No. 2, 16th Street, Rangoon, on the 29th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kadikithala Subbia.

CASE No. 94 OF 1917.

Rangoon the 31st May 1917.

In the matter of Gulam Rabbani, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Gulam Rabbani, Fruit Merchant, of No. 102, Dalhousie Street, Rangoon, on the 31st day of May 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Gulam Rabbani.

CASE No. 95 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 1st June 1917.

In the matter of Deirasham Bomonji, Painter, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Deirasham Bomonji, Painter, No. 99, 39th Street, Rangoon, on the 1st day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Deirasham Bomonji, Painter.

CASE No. 96 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 1st June 1917.

In the matter of Victor Von Boch, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Victor Von Boch, Inspector, No. 76, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 1st day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Victor Von Boch.

R. R. BROWN,
Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 218 OF 1915.

Dated the 2nd June 1917.

Re Bungsi Lall Sewratten.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 7th day of August 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

SUMMARY CASE.

No. 293 OF 1914.

Dated the 2nd June 1917.

Re Parbatty Charan Ash and another.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that one of the abovenamed debtor Parbatty Charan Ash, having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 7th day of August 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 81 OF 1917.

Dated the 1st June 1917.

Re Gonesh Das Raghubar Dyal, a trading firm, carrying on business as brokers and commission agents at No. 12-1, Bartolla Street, in the town of Calcutta, the partners of the firm being Gonesh Das and Raghubar Dyal, both of whom at present are without any employment.

Ex parte the debtor. K. C. Mukerjee—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 26th day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 82 OF 1917.

Dated the 1st June 1917.

Re Walter Raymund Gomes, residing at No. 6, Chandney Street in the town of Calcutta, an assistant to Dr. S. J. Seth.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 29th day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 2nd June 1917.

No. 5332-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 26th May, 1917, is published for information:—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.			Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
	Delhi	225,471	89	84	173	93	69	162	...	4	...	74	5	60	1	18	4	26	27	53	39·90	37·30
	Notified Area	3,673	...	1	1	3	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	42·47	14·15
	Total	229,144	89	85	174	96	69	165	...	4	...	76	5	60	1	19	4	26	27	53	39·48	37·44

Delhi, the 2nd June 1917.

No. 5356-*Home*.—In accordance with the provisions of Section 9 (2) of the Poisons Act, 1904 (I of 1904), the following rules, which the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, proposes to make with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 4 of the said Act and in supersession of the rules published under the Punjab Government Notification No. 942, dated the 20th November, 1907, to regulate the possession for sale and the sale of white arsenic.

2. Any objection received before the 15th July 1917, will be taken into consideration. Rules (attached).

Rules under section 2 of the Poisons Act, 1904.

I. In these rules "the Act" means the Poisons Act, 1904.

II. The following poisons shall be deemed to be poisons for the purposes of these rules :—

Aconite, Nux Vomica, Perchloride of Mercury (Corrosive Sublimate), Cyanide of Potash, and Stramonium (Dhatura).

III. No person not exempted under the provisions of the Act, shall sell or possess for sale any poison specified in Rule II, except under a license granted in that behalf by the District Magistrate.

IV. The grant or withdrawal of a license to any applicant shall be at the discretion of the District Magistrate whose decision thereon shall be final.

V. Subject to the provisions of Rules VI and VII, a license granted under Rule III shall remain in force for one year from the 1st January or the date of issue, if later than the 1st January, to the 31st December following. Every applicant for the grant or renewal of a license shall make a written application to the District Magistrate, and such application shall bear a court fee stamp of Re 1.

VI. A license shall terminate on the death of the license-holder, or, if granted to a Firm or Company, on the winding up or transfer of the business of such Firm or Company.

VII. The District Magistrate may for any sufficient cause revoke or cancel any license granted under Rule III.

VIII. Every sale of poison shall so far as possible be conducted by the license-holder in person, or, where the license-holder is a Firm or a Company, through, or under the supervision of accredited representative of such Firm or Company.

IX. A license-holder shall not sell any poison to any person unless the latter is personally known to him, or identified to his satisfaction. He shall not sell any poison to any person who appears to him to be under the age of 18 or to any person who does not appear to him to be in full possession of his faculties, or to any wandering mendicant.

X. (1) Every license-holder shall maintain a register in which he shall enter all sales of poison other than those used by a chemist, druggist or compounder dispensing or compounding in compliance with the prescription of a medical or veterinary practitioner. The following particulars shall be entered in such register in respect of each such sale, namely :—

(*a*) Name of poison.

(*b*) Quantity sold.

(*c*) Date of sale.

(*d*) Name and address of purchaser.

(*e*) Purpose for which the poison was stated by the purchaser to be required.

(*f*) Signature of purchaser, (or thumb impression if illiterate) or in case of purchase by post, date of letter or written order and reference to the original in the file in which it is preserved.

(*g*) Signature of vendor.

(2) In a separate portion of the register shall be entered, in separate columns for each poison, the quantity of each sold daily, and these entries shall be filled up from day to day

(3) The signature under item (*g*) of the register shall be that of the license-holder himself, or, when the license-holder is a Firm or Company, that of an accredited representative of such Firm or Company, and shall be entered at the time of sale or despatch to the purchaser. Such signature shall be held to imply that the writer has satisfied himself that the requirements of Rule IX have been fulfilled.

(4) All letters or written orders referred to in head (*f*) of the register shall be preserved in original by the license-holder for a period of not less than two years from the date of the sale.

XI. (1) A license-holder shall maintain in respect of each poison specified in Rule II a stock register which shall contain the following particulars :—

(*a*) Serial number.

(*b*) Date.

(c) Amount received.

(d) Name and address of person from whom received.

(e) Amount sold.

(f) Balance in stock.

(g) Remarks.

(2) The stock register shall be balanced daily.

XII. Any Magistrate or police officer of or above the rank of sub-inspector, any revenue officer of or above the rank of naib-tahsildar, or any medical officer of or above the rank of sub-assistant surgeon may at any time visit and inspect the premises of a license-holder where poison is kept for sale and may inspect all poisons found therein and the registers maintained under Rules X and XI.

XIII. All poisons kept for sale by any license-holder under these rules (except those kept for the purpose specified in section 10 (1) (c) of the Act) shall be kept in a box, almirah room or building (according to the quantity maintained) which shall be secured by lock and key and in which no substance shall be placed other than poisons possessed in accordance with a license granted under the Act; and each poison shall be kept, within such box, almirah, room or building in a separate closed receptacle of glass, metal or earthenware. Every such box, almirah, room or building, and every such receptacle, shall be marked with the word "Poison" in red characters, both English and vernacular, and, in the case of receptacles containing separate poisons, with the name of such poison.

XIV. When any poison is sold, it shall be securely packed in a closed receptacle or packet (according to the quantity) and every such receptacle or packet shall be labelled by the vendor with a red label bearing the name of the poison in English and the vernacular, and the number and date of the entry in the register of sales specified in Rule X.

Rules under section 4 of the Poisons Act, 1904.

I. In these rules "the Act" means the Poisons Act, 1904.

II. No persons not exempted under the provisions of the Act, shall sell or possess for sale white arsenic, except under a license granted in that behalf by the District Magistrate.

III. The grant or withdrawal of a license to any applicant shall be at the discretion of the District Magistrate whose decision thereon shall be final.

IV. Subject to the provisions of Rules V and VI, a license granted under Rule II, shall remain in force for one year from the 1st January or the date of issue, if later than the 1st January, to the 31st December following. Every applicant for the grant or renewal of a license shall make a written application to the District Magistrate, and such application shall bear a court fee stamp of Re. 1.

V. A license shall terminate on the death of the license-holder, or, if granted to a Firm or Company, on the winding up or transfer of the business of such Firm or Company.

VI. The District Magistrate may for any sufficient cause revoke or cancel any license granted under Rule II.

VII. Every sale of white arsenic shall so far as possible be conducted by the license-holder in person, or, where the license-holder is a Firm or a Company, through, or under the supervision of, an accredited representative of such Firm or Company.

VIII. A license-holder shall not sell white arsenic to any person unless the latter is personally known to him, or identified to his satisfaction. He shall not sell white arsenic to any person who appears to him to be under the age of 18 or to any person who does not appear to him to be in full possession of his faculties, or to any wandering mendicant.

IX. (1) Every license-holder shall maintain a register in which he shall enter all sales of white arsenic other than that used by a chemist, druggist or compounder dispensing or compounding in compliance with the prescription of a medical or veterinary practitioner. The following particulars shall be entered in such register in respect of each such sale, namely :—

(a) Name of poison.

(b) Quantity sold.

(c) Date of sale,

(d) Name and address of purchaser.

(e) Purpose for which the white arsenic was stated by the purchaser to be required.

(f) Signature of purchaser (or thumb impression if illiterate) or in case of purchase by post, date of letter or written order and reference to the original in the file in which it is preserved.

(g) Signature of vendor.

(2) In a separate portion of the register shall be entered the quantity of white arsenic sold daily, and these entries shall be filled up from day to day.

(3) The signature under item (g) of the register shall be that of the license-holder himself, or, when the license-holder is a Firm or Company, that of an accredited representative

of such Firm or Company, and shall be entered at the time of sale or despatch to the purchaser. Such signature shall be held to imply that the writer has satisfied himself that the requirements of Rule VIII have been fulfilled.

(4) All letters or written orders referred to in head (*f*) of the register shall be preserved in original by the license-holder for a period of not less than two years from the date of the sale.

X. (1) A license-holder shall maintain in respect of white arsenic a stock register which shall contain the following particulars :—

(*a*) Serial Number.

(*b*) Date.

(*c*) Amount received.

(*d*) Name and address of person from whom received.

(*e*) Amount sold.

(*f*) Balance in stock.

(*g*) Remarks.

(2) The stock register shall be balanced daily.

XI. Any Magistrate or police officer of or above the rank of sub-inspector, any revenue officer of or above the rank of naib-tahsildar, or any medical officer of or above the rank of sub-assistant surgeon may at any time visit and inspect the premises of a license-holder where white arsenic is kept for sale and may inspect the stock found therein and the registers maintained under Rules IX and X.

XII. All white arsenic kept for sale by any license-holder under these rules (except that kept for the purpose specified in section 10 (1) (*e*) of the Act) shall be kept in a box, almirah, room or building (according to the quantity maintained) which shall be secured by lock and key and in which no substance shall be placed other than poisons possessed in accordance with a license granted under the Act ; and such white arsenic shall be kept, within such box, almirah, room or building in a separate closed receptacle of glass, metal or earthenware. Every such box, almirah, room or building, and every such receptacle, shall be marked with the words "Poison—White arsenic" in red characters, both English and vernacular, or if it contains other poisons possessed in accordance with a license granted under the Act, with the word "Poison" only.

XIII. When any white arsenic is sold, it shall be securely packed in a closed receptacle or packet (according to the quantity) and every such receptacle or packet shall be labelled by the vendor with a red label bearing the words "White arsenic" in English and the vernacular, and the number and date of the entry in the register of sales specified in Rule IX.

XIV. A license-holder shall not sell powdered white arsenic to any person, unless the same is, before the sale thereof, mixed with soot, indigo, or Prussian blue in the proportion of half an ounce of soot, indigo, or Prussian blue at least to one pound of the white arsenic, and so on in proportion for any greater or less quantity.

No. 5357-*Home*.—In accordance with the provisions of section 9 (2) of the Poisons Act, 1904 (I of 1904), the following rules, which the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, proposes to make with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council in exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of the said Act and in supersession of the rules published under the Punjab Government Notification No. 941, dated the 20th November 1907, to regulate the possession for sale and the sale of poisons specified therein.

2. Any objection received before the 15th July 1917 will be taken into consideration.

Rules under section 2 of the Poisons Act, 1904.

I. In these rules "the Act" means the Poisons Act, 1904.

II. The following poisons shall be deemed to be poisons for the purposes of these rules :—

Aconite, Nux Vomica, Perchloride of Mercury (Corrosive Sublimate), Cyanide of Potash, and Stramonium (Dhatura).

III. No person not exempted under the provisions of the Act, shall sell or possess for sale any poison specified in Rule II, except under a license granted in that behalf by the District Magistrate.

IV. The grant or withdrawal of a license to any applicant shall be at the discretion of the District Magistrate whose decision thereon shall be final.

V. Subject to the provisions of Rules VI and VII, a license granted under Rule III shall remain in force for one year from the 1st January or the date of issue, if later than the 1st January, to the 31st December following. Every applicant for the grant or renewal of a license shall make a written application to the District Magistrate, and such application shall bear a court fee stamp of Re. 1.

VI. A license shall terminate on the death of the license-holder, or, if granted to a Firm or Company, on the winding up or transfer of the business of such Firm or Company.

VII. The District Magistrate may for any sufficient cause revoke or cancel any license granted under Rule III.

VIII. Every sale of poison shall so far as possible be conducted by the license-holder in person, or, where the license-holder is a Firm or a Company, through, or under the supervision of, an accredited representative of such Firm or Company.

IX. A license-holder shall not sell any poison to any person unless the latter is personally known to him, or identified to his satisfaction. He shall not sell any poison to any person who appears to him to be under the age of 18 or to any person who does not appear to him to be in full possession of his faculties, or to any wandering mendicant.

X. (1) Every license-holder shall maintain a register in which he shall enter all sales of poison other than than those used by a chemist, druggist or compounder dispensing or compounding in compliance with the prescription of a medical or veterinary practitioner. The following particulars shall be entered in such register in respect of each such sale, namely :—

(a) Name of poison.

(b) Quantity sold.

(c) Date of sale.

(d) Name and address of purchaser.

(e) Purpose for which the poison was stated by the purchaser to be required.

(f) Signature of purchaser (or thumb impression if illiterate) or in case of purchase by post, date of letter or written order and reference to the original in the file in which it is preserved.

(g) Signature of vendor.

(2) In a separate portion of the register shall be entered, in separate columns for each poison, the quantity of each sold daily, and these entries shall be filled up from day to day.

(3) The signature under item (g) of the register shall be that of the license-holder himself, or, when the license-holder is a Firm or Company, that of an accredited representative of such Firm or Company, and shall be entered at the time of sale or despatch to the purchaser. Such signature shall be held to imply that the writer has satisfied himself that the requirements of Rule IX have been fulfilled.

(4) All letters or written orders referred to in head (f) of the register shall be preserved in original by the license-holder for a period of not less than two years from the date of the sale.

XI. (1) A license-holder shall maintain in respect of each poison specified in Rule II a stock register which shall contain the following particulars :—

(a) Serial number.

(b) Date.

(c) Amount received.

(d) Name and address of person from whom received.

(e) Amount sold.

(f) Balance in stock.

(g) Remarks.

(2) The stock register shall be balanced daily.

XII. Any Magistrate or police officer of or above the rank of sub-inspector, any revenue officer of or above the rank of naib-tahsildar, or any medical officer of or above the rank of sub-assistant surgeon may at any time visit and inspect the premises of a license-holder where poison is kept for sale and may inspect all poisons found therein and the registers maintained under Rules X and XI.

XIII. All poisons kept for sale by any license-holder under these rules (except those kept for the purpose specified in section 10 (1) (c) of the Act) shall be kept in a box, almirah, room or building (according to the quantity maintained) which shall be secured by lock and key and in which no substance shall be placed other than poisons possessed in accordance with a license granted under the Act; and each poison shall be kept, within such box, almirah, room or building in a separate closed receptacle of glass, metal or earthenware. Every such box, almirah, room or building, and every such receptacle, shall be marked with the word "Poison" in red characters, both English and vernacular, and, in the case of receptacles containing separate poisons, with the name of such poison.

XIV. When any poison is sold, it shall be securely packed in a closed receptacle or packet (according to the quantity) and every such receptacle or packet shall be labelled by the vendor with a red label bearing the name of the poison in English and the vernacular, and the number and date of the entry in the register of sales specified in Rule X.

Rules under section 4 of the Poisons Act, 1904.

I. In these rules "the Act" means the Poisons Act, 1904.

II. No persons not exempted under the provisions of the Act, shall sell or possess for sale white arsenic, except under a license granted in that behalf by the District Magistrate.

III. The grant or withdrawal of a license to any applicant shall be at the discretion of the District Magistrate whose decision thereon shall be final.

IV. Subject to the provisions of Rules V and VI, a license granted under Rule II, shall remain in force for one year from the 1st January or the date of issue, if later than the 1st January, to the 31st December following. Every applicant for the grant or renewal of a license shall make a written application to the District Magistate, and such application shall bear a court fee stamp of Re. 1.

V. A license shall terminate on the death of the license-holder, or, if granted to a Firm or Company, on the winding up or transfer of the business of such Firm or Company.

VI. The District Magistrate may for any sufficient cause revoke or cancel any license granted under Rule II.

VII. Every sale of white arsenic shall so far as possible be conducted by the license-holder in person, or, where the license-holder is a Firm or a Company, through, or under the supervision of, an accredited representative of such Firm or Company.

VIII. A license-holder shall not sell white arsenic to any person unless the latter is personally known to him, or identified to his satisfaction. He shall not sell white arsenic to any person who appears to him to be under the age of 18 or to any person who does not appear to him to be in full possession of his faculties, or to any wandering mendicant.

IX. (1) Every license-holder shall maintain a register in which he shall enter all sales of white arsenic other than used by a chemist, druggist or compounder dispensing or compounding in compliance with the prescription of a medical or veterinary practitioner. The following particulars shall be entered in such register in respect of each such sale, namely :—

(*a*) Name of poison.

(*b*) Quantity sold.

(*c*) Date of sale.

(*d*) Name and address of purchaser.

(*e*) Purpose for which the white arsenic was stated by the purchaser to be required

(*f*) Signature of purchaser (or thumb impression if illiterate) or in case of purchase by post, date of letter or written order and reference to the original in the file in which it is preserved.

(*g*) Signature of vendor.

(2) In a separate portion of the register shall be entered the quantity of white arsenic sold daily, and these entries shall be filled up from day to day.

(3) The signature under item (*g*) of the register shall be that of the license-holder himself, or, when the license-holder is a Firm or Company, that of an accredited representative of such Firm or Company, and shall be entered at the time of sale or despatch to the purchaser. Such signature shall be held to imply that the writer has satisfied himself that the requirements of Rule VIII have been fulfilled.

(4) All letters or written orders referred to in head (*f*) of the register shall be preserved in original by the license-holder for a period of not less than two years from the date of the sale.

X. (1) A license-holder shall maintain in respect of white arsenic a stock register which shall contain the following particulars :—

(*a*) Serial number.

(*b*) Date.

(*c*) Amount received.

(*d*) Name and address of person from whom received.

(*e*) Amount sold.

(*f*) Balance in stock.

(*g*) Remarks.

(2) The stock register shall be balanced daily.

XI. Any Magistrate or police officer of or above the rank of sub-inspector, any revenue officer of or above the rank of naib-tahsildar, or any medical officer of or above the rank of sub-assistant surgeon may at any time visit and inspect the premises of a license-holder where white arsenic is kept for sale and may inspect the stock found therein and the registers maintained under Rules IX and X.

XII. All white arsenic kept for sale by any license-holder under these rules (except that kept for the purpose specified in section 10 (1) (*c*) of the Act) shall be kept in a box, almirah, room or building (according to the quantity maintained) which shall be secured by lock and

key and in which no substance shall be placed other than poisons possessed in accordance with a license granted under the Act; and such white arsenic shall be kept, within such box, Almirah, room or building in a separate closed receptacle of glass, metal or earthenware. Every such box, almirah, room or building, and every such receptacle, shall be marked with the words "Poison—White arsenic" in red characters, both English and vernacular, or if it contains other poisons possessed in accordance with a license granted under the Act, with the word "Poison" only.

XIII. When any white arsenic is sold, it shall be securely packed in a closed receptacle or packet (according to the quantity) and every such receptacle or packet shall be labelled by the vender with a red label bearing the words "White arsenic" in English and the vernacular, and the number and date of the entry in the register of sales specified in Rule IX.

XIV. A license-holder shall not sell powdered white arsenic to any person, unless the same is, before the sale thereof, mixed with soot, indigo, or Prussian blue in the proportion of half an ounce of soot, indigo, or Prussian blue at least to one pound of the white arsenic, and so on in proportion for any greater or less quantity.

No. 5360-*Home*.—In supersession of the Punjab Government Notifications No. 473 dated the 6th June 1908 and No. 532, dated the 12th July 1911, it is hereby notified for general information that the rules which the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 4 of the Poisons Act, 1904, (I of 1904) to regulate the possession for sale and the sale of white arsenic published with his Notification No. 5356-Home, dated the 2nd June 1917, shall apply to the yellow sulphide of arsenic (orpiment) and red sulphide of arsenic (realgar 'mansil').

Rules under section 2 of the Poisons Act, 1904.

I. In these rules "the Act" means the Poisons Act, 1904.

II. The following poisons shall be deemed to be poisons for the purposes of these rules:—

Aconite, Nux Vomica, Perchloride of Mercury (Corrosive Sublimate), Cyanide of Potash and Stramonium (Dhatura).

III. No person not exempted under the provisions of the Act, shall sell or possess for sale any poison specified in Rule II, except under a license granted in that behalf by the District Magistrate.

IV. The grant or withdrawal of a license to any applicant shall be at the discretion of the District Magistrate whose decision thereon shall be final.

V. Subject to the provisions of Rules VI and VII, a license granted under Rule III shall remain in force for one year from the 1st January or the date of issue, if later than the 1st January, to the 31st December following. Every applicant for the grant or renewal of a license shall make a written application to the District Magistrate and such application shall bear a court fee stamp of Re 1.

VI. A license shall terminate on the death of the license-holder, or, if granted to a Firm or Company, on the winding up or transfer of the business of such Firm or Company.

VII The District Magistrate may for any sufficient cause revoke or cancel any license granted under Rule III.

VIII. Every sale of poison shall so far as possible be conducted by the license-holder in person, or, where the license-holder is a Firm or a Company, through, or under the supervision of, an accredited representative of such Firm or Company.

IX. A license-holder shall not sell any poison to any person unless the latter is personally known to him, or identified to his satisfaction. He shall not sell any poison to any person who appears to him to be under the age of 18 or to any person who does not appear to him to be in full possession of his faculties, or to any wandering mendicant.

X. (1) Every license-holder shall maintain a register in which he shall enter all sales of poison other than those used by a chemist, druggist or compounder dispensing or compounding in compliance with the prescription of a medical or veterinary practitioner. The following particulars shall be entered in such register in respect of each such sale, namely:—

(*a*) Name of poison.

(*b*) Quantity sold.

(*c*) Date of sale.

(*d*) Name and address of purchaser.

(*e*) Purpose for which the poison was stated by the purchaser to be required,

(*f*) Signature of purchaser (or thumb impression if illiterate) or in case of purchase by post, date of letter or written order and reference to the original in the file in which it is preserved.

(*g*) Signature of vendor.

(2) In a separate portion of the register shall be entered, in separate columns for each poison, the quantity of each sold daily, and these entries shall be filled up from day to day.

(3) The signature under item (*g*) of the register shall be that of the license-holder himself, or, when the license-holder is a Firm or Company, that of an accredited representative of such Firm or Company, and shall be entered at the time of sale or despatch to the purchaser. Such signature shall be held to imply that the writer has satisfied himself that the requirements of Rule IX have been fulfilled.

(4) All letters or written orders referred to in head (*f*) of the register shall be preserved in original by the license-holder for a period of not less than two years from the date of the sale.

XI. (1) A license-holder shall maintain in respect of each poison specified in Rule II a stock register which shall contain the following particulars :—

(*a*) Serial number.
(*b*) Date.
(*c*) Amount received.
(*d*) Name and address of person from whom received.
(*e*) Amount sold.
(*f*) Balance in stock.
(*g*) Remarks.

(2) The stock register shall be balanced daily.

XII. Any Magistrate or police officer of or above the rank of sub-inspector, any revenue officer of or above the rank of naib-tahsildar, or any medical officer of or above the rank of sub-assistant surgeon may at any time visit and inspect the premises of a license-holder where poison is kept for sale and may inspect all poisons found therein and the registers maintained under Rules X and XI.

XIII. All poisons kept for sale by any license-holder under these rules (except those kept for the purpose specified in section 10 (1) (*c*) of the Act shall be kept in a box, almirah, room or building (according to the quantity maintained) which shall be secured by lock and key and in which no substance shall be placed other than poisons possessed in accordance with a license granted under the Act ; and each poison shall be kept, within such box, almirah, room or building in a separate closed receptacle of glass, metal or earthenware. Every such box, almirah, room or building, and every such receptacle, shall be marked with the word " Poison " in red characters, both English and vernacular, and, in the case of receptacles containing separate poisons, with the name of such poison.

XIV. When any poison is sold, it shall be securely packed in a closed receptacle or packet (according to the quantity) and every such receptacle or packet shall be labelled by the vendor with a red label bearing the name of the poison in English and the vernacular, and the number and date of the entry in the register of sales specified in Rule X.

Rules under Section 4 of the Poisons Act, 1904.

I. In these rules " the Act " means the Poisons Act, 1904.

II. No persons not exempted under the provisions of the Act, shall sell or possess for sale white arsenic, except under a license granted in that behalf by the District Magistrate.

III. The grant or withdrawal of a license to any applicant shall be at the discretion of the District Magistrate whose decision thereon shall be final.

IV. Subject to the provisions of Rules V and VI, a license granted under Rule II, shall remain in force for one year from the 1st January or the date of issue, if later than the 1st January, to the 31st December following. Every applicant for the grant or renewal of a license shall make a written application to the District Magistrate, and such application shall bear a court fee stamp of Re. 1.

V. A license shall terminate on the death of the license-holder, or, if granted to a Firm or Company, on the winding up or transfer of the business of such Firm or Company.

VI. The District Magistrate may for any sufficient cause revoke or cancel any license granted under Rule II.

VII. Every sale of white arsenic shall so far as possible be conducted by the license-holder in person, or, where the license-holder is a Firm or a Company, through, or under the supervision of, an accredited representative of such Firm or Company.

VIII. A license-holder shall not sell white arsenic to any person unless the latter is personally known to him, or identified to his satisfaction. He shall not sell white arsenic to any person who appears to him to be under the age of 18 or to any person who does not appear to him to be in full possession of his faculties, or to any wandering mendicant.

IX. (1) Every license-holder shall maintain a register in which he shall enter all sales of white arsenic other than that used by a chemist, druggist or compounder dispensing or

compounding in compliance with the prescription of a medical or veterinary practitioner. The following particulars shall be entered in such register in respect of each such sale, namely,

(*a*) Name of poison.

(*b*) Quantity sold.

(*c*) Date of sale.

(*d*) Name and address of purchaser.

(*e*) Purpose for which the white arsenic was stated by the purchaser to be required.

(*f*) Signature of purchaser (or thumb impression if illiterate) or in case of purchase by post, date of letter or written order and reference to the original in the file in which it is preserved.

(*g*) Signature of vendor.

(2) In a separate portion of the register shall be entered the quantity of white arsenic sold daily, and these entries shall be filled up from day to day.

(3) The signature under item (*g*) of the register shall be that of the license-holder himself or, when the license-holder is a Firm or Company, that of an accredited representative of such Firm or Company, and shall be entered at the time of sale or despatch to the purchaser. Such signature shall be held to imply that the writer has satisfied himself that the requirements of Rule VIII have been fulfilled.

(4) All letters or written orders referred to in head (*f*) of the register shall be preserved in original by the license-holder for a period of not less than two years from the date of the sale.

X. (1) A license-holder shall maintain in respect of white arsenic a stock register which shall contain the following particulars :—

(*a*) Serial number.

(*b*) Date.

(*c*) Amount received.

(*d*) Name and address of person from whom received.

(*e*) Amount sold.

(*f*) Balance in stock.

(*g*) Remarks.

(2) The stock register shall be balanced daily.

XI. Any Magistrate or police officer of or above the rank of sub inspector, any revenue officer of or above the rank of naib-tahsildar, or any medical officer of or above the rank of sub-assistant surgeon may at any time visit and inspect the premises of a license-holder where white arsenic is kept for sale and may inspect the stock found therein and the registers maintained under Rules IX and X.

XII. All white arsenic kept for sale by any license-holder under these rules (except that kept for the purpose specified in section (10) (1) (*c*) of the Act) shall be kept in a box, almirah, room or building (according to the quantity maintained), which shall be secured by lock and key and in which no substance shall be placed other than poisons possessed in accordance with a license granted under the Act; and such white arsenic shall be kept, within such box, almirah, room or building in a separate closed receptacle of glass, metal or earthenware. Every such box, almirah, room or building, and every such receptacle, shall be marked with the words "Poison—White arsenic" in red characters, both English and vernacular, or if it contains other poisons possessed in accordance with a license granted under the Act, with the word "Poison" only.

XIII. When any white arsenic is sold, it shall be securely packed in closed receptable or packet (according to the quantity) and every such receptacle or packet shall be labelled by the vendor with a red label bearing the words "White arsenic" in English and the vernacular, and the number and date of the entry in the register of sales specified in Rule IX.

XIV. A license-holder shall not sell powdered white arsenic to any person, unless the same is, before the sale thereof, mixed with soot, indigo, or Prussian blue in the proportion of half an ounce of soot, indigo, or Prussian blue at least to one pound of the white arsenic, and so on in proportion for any greater or less quantity.

By order,

D. JOHNSTONE,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE.

Delhi, the 31st May 1917.

No. 636-*E*.—Mr. J. C. Stronach, Officiating Executive Engineer and Personal Assistant to the Chief Engineer, Delhi, is granted privilege leave for one month under articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th June 1917, or such subsequent date as he is relieved of his duties.

Delhi, the 2nd June 1917.

No. 651-*E*.—Mr. A. M. Rouse, C.I.E., Superintending Engineer, 3rd class sub. *pro tem.*, is granted privilege leave for one month under articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th June 1917, or such subsequent date as he is relieved of his duties.

A. M. ROUSE,
Secretary, P. W. D.

COMPTROLLER AND AUDITOR GENERAL, DELHI.

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th May / 6th June 1917.

No. 941-*E*.—191—17.—The entrance examination of the Thomason College, Roorkee, for the 4th grade of Accountants will be held at Basra also during November 1917, and in consequence thereof the 1st October 1917 has been fixed as the latest date for the receipt of applications from candidates instead of the 15th October, the usual date fixed in paragraph 17 of Appendix 2 in Public Works Department Code, Volume III. The latest date for the transmission of the statement and the treasury receipt to the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee, referred to in paragraph 18 of the Appendix should be taken as 30 days previous to the date fixed for the examination.

C. W. CARSON,
for Comptroller General.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 5th June 1917.

No. 1005-*G*.—Mr. A. N. Anditto, officiating Superintendent in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in that office, with effect from the 18th May 1917.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant-General.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 29th May 1917.

No. 1200s-*Ap*.—Mr. Syed Azharul Haq, Superintendent of post offices, sub. *pro tem* in the 3rd grade, is granted an extension of privilege leave for fifteen days, with effect from the 3rd May 1917.

No. 1209s-*Ap*.—Mr. G. Narasimhulu Naidu, Superintendent of post offices, 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 15th May 1917, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. K. Narayana Rao, clerk, office of the Postmaster-General, Madras, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. G. Narasimhulu Naidu, or until further orders.

2. This supersedes this office Notification No. 1034s-Ap., dated the 7th May 1917.

No. 1228s-*Ap*.—Babu Revati Raman Shome, Inspector of post offices, Dacca Sub-Division, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 5th May 1917 and until further orders.

The 30th May 1917.

No. 1234s-*Ap*.—Mr. T. Marimuthu Pillai, Superintendent of post offices, sub. *pro tem.* in the 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from the 1st June 1917, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. P. S. Thiagaraja Iyer, Supernumerary Inspector, office of the Postmaster-General, Madras, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. T. Marimuthu Pillai, or until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 2nd June 1917.

No. 973-*s.-E.-E.*—Mr. C. O. Shortt, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, sub. *pro tem.* has been granted privilege leave for three months combined with medical leave for three months, with effect from the 6th July 1916, but was recalled to duty on the 19th December 1916. The return to duty was optional.

This cancels this office Notification No. 411 E.-E., dated the 25th January 1917.

Simla, the 4th June 1917.

No. 990-*s.-E.-E.*—Mr. J. L. Vieyra, Inspecting Telegraphist, is appointed officiating Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class, with effect from the 17th March to the 9th April 1917, both days inclusive, *vice* Mr. J. B. Elder, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, sub. *pro tem.* on Field Service.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 6th June 1917.

No. 3149-*T*.—Mr. C. H. Davis, who was appointed officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, in Notification No. 2830-T., dated the 16th May 1917, reverted to the grade of Telegraph Master with effect from the 2nd June 1917.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 6th June 1917.

No. 3157-T.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 24th May 1917 to 6th June 1917.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	Remarks.
Government Telegraph Offices.			
Bhurban Camp	Punjab	10th May 1917	Opened.
Gwa	Burma	" " "	"
Jhang City	Punjab	20th " "	Closed.
Maghiana	Do.	" " "	Opened.
Railway Telegraph Offices.			
Bhikna Thoree	Bengal and North-Western Railway.	25th May 1917	Closed.
Noyal	South Indian Railway	11th " "	"
Pilibhit Katcheri	Rohilkhand Kumaon Railway.	15th " "	"
Sanvrad	Jodhpur-Bikanir Railway	7th " "	Opened.

The following alterations in the names of Government Telegraph Offices are notified:—

"Calcutta High Court" instead of "Calcutta Court."

"Kasur Mandi" instead of "Kasur (Lahore)."

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W. SUTHERLAND,

Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

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	Ray, Abhayapada	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Sarkar, Rajanikanta	Jagannath College, Dacca.
187	Datta, Sikhibhushan	Dacca College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Rasbihari	Ripon College, Calcutta.
189	Datta, Srischandra	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Rampada	Midnapur College.
	Pattanayak, Loknath	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
192	Nath, Sasikumar	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Satyanarain Sinha	Patna College.
194	Pal, Bansadhar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Basu, Radhasyam	Midnapur College.
196	Mukhopadhyay, Sauribilas	City College, Calcutta.
197	Guha, Satyaprasanna	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
198	Chattopadhyay, Nilmanikumar	Burdwan Raj College.
	Datta, Harekrishna	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	De, Hemendranath	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Ghosh, Bibhutibhusan	City College, Calcutta.

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198	Seemat, Y. H.	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. N. 13.
	Sinha, Rebatimohan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
204	Chattopadhyay, Phanibhushan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Ghatak, Jogeschandra	Jogannath College, Dacca.
	Nandi, Bhabeschandra	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Sanyal, Phanindranath	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Sinha, Bibhaschandra	City College, Calcutta.
209	Bandopadhyay, Jogendrachandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Bhattacharyya, Kirankumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Salgram	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Jatindramohan	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Bagalakisor	Dacca College.
214	Datta, Asutosh	Chittagong College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Indranath	Hughli College.
	Senchaudhuri, Sukumar	Dacca College.
217	Basu, Byomkes	Burdwan Raj College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Girijakanta	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
219	Bishnupada Lala	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Biswas, Upendranath	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Das, Brajabandhu	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Sahay, Krishnaballabh	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Mahboob Hasan	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
224	Chaudhuri, Satyakinkar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Das, Santoshkumar	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Gangopadhyay, Pasupati	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Poddar, Radhikalal	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
228	Bandyopadhyay, Nanilal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Bhaumik, Dhirendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Hemantakumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Jatindrachandra	Dacca College.
	Das, Raipada	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
233	Chaudhuri, Ramgobinda	Pabna Edward College.
	Joynal Abdin	Presidency College, Calcutta.
235	Chakrabarti, Phanindrachandra	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Sarbamohan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Santoshkumar	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
238	Chakrabarti, Jaminikanta	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Gangopadhyay, Nandakisor	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Sachindranath	Ditto.
	Pal, Chaitanyacharan	Burdwan Raj College.
242	Chattopadhyay, Rebatimohan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Raigopal Krishna	Patna College.
	Ray, Surathchandra	Anandamohan College Mymensingh.
	Sinha, Manoranjan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
246	Abdur Rashid, II	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Datta, Dhirendramohan	Dacca College.
	Sarma, Premananda	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Khan, Gopeswar	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
250	Chaudhuri, Khagendradas	Chittagong College.
	Datta, Prabhatkiran	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
252	Bera, Mahimchandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Saileschandra	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	De, Satindranath	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Ray, Anangakumar	Ditto.
256	Aboo Obaidah	Patna College.
	Raychaudhuri, Amarendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
258	Bandyopadhayay, Labanyakumar	Wesleyan College, Bankura
	Basu, Dibyendu	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Akshyakumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	Chattopadhyay, Tulsicharan	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	Datta, Narendrakumar	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Karmakar, Syamacharan	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Mahammed Asgar	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Niyogi, Santoshkumar	City College, Calcutta.
	Pal, Biswaranjan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Ray, Jagatjiban	Ditto.
268	Biswas, Jatindrakumar	Krishnagar College.
	De, Surendrachandra, I	Comilla Victoria College.
	Ghoshal, Rudraprasanna	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Hor, Nagendranath	Chittagong College.
	Mathai, P. J.	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.

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268	Mukhopadhyay, Satyagopal	Burdwan Raj College.
	R. Kathleen St. John	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 10.
	Si, Nrisinhaprasad	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Wiseham, Isabelle	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 8.
277	Dhar, Supriyakumar	Krishnagar College.
	Kanhya Lall	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Mofizuddin Ahmed	Jagannath College, Dacca.
280	A. B. Ramanand Sirkar	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Chattopadhyay, Kalipada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Mukhopadhyay, Kshetranath	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
283	Chakrabarti, Jogendrakumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Das, Upendranarayan	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Ghosh, Jayantakumar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Mukhopadhyay, Kalikananda	City College, Calcutta.
	Sasibhusan Misra, II	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
288	Chaudhuri, Debendrachandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Phanibhushan	Ditto.
	Sen, Pramathanath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
291	Ghosh, Chittaranjan	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Guharay, Kritantakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Laha, Praphullakumar	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	Maitra, Annadaprasad	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Maung Maung, I	Rangoon College.
296	Saha, Susilkumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Sarkar, Nagendranath	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
298	Bhaduri, Nripendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Tarankrishna	City College, Calcutta.
	Datta, Jitendranath	Comilla Victoria College.
	Dattagupta, Khageschandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Mukhopadhyay, Bibhutibhusan	Serampur College.
303	Abu Hossain Sirker	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Bhattacharyya, Niradnath	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Das, Sachindrachandra	Victoria College, Narail.
	Sil, Jnanendra Mohan	Dacca College.
307	Abdul Matin Beharee	Presidency College, Calcutta
	Karmakar, Jogeschandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
309	Datta, Nagendrachandra	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Mukhopadhyay, Ambujaksha	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Rudra, Pranaykumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
312	Bandyopadhyay, Sudhirkrishna	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Ramanarayan	Chittagong College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Kalikrishna	Uttarpara College.
315	Abu Hena	Midnapur College.
	Acharyya, Chakradhar	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Bagchi, Chandrasekhar	Pabna Edward College.
	Chakrabarti, Aghornath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Indranarayan	Krishna Chandra College, Hetampur.
	Majumdar, Nalinimohan, I	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Jayantiprasad	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Nayak, Brajaballabh	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Satischandra, I	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Talukdar, Hiralal	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
325	Bas, Sureschandra, I	Victoria College, Narail.
	Gupta, Jatischandra	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Kundu, Rajendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Majumdar, Praphullachandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Satyacharan	City College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Mahadeb	Burdwan Raj College.
	Sinharay, Brajabandhu	Presidency College, Calcutta.
332	Das, Gobindlal	G. B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.
	Datta, Gaurisankar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Kedarnath	Jagannath College, Dacca.
335	Biswas, Gaurnari	City College, Calcutta.
	Chaudhuri, Nirpendramohan	Dacca College.
	Ghosh, Kalikumar	Hughli College.
	Hla Phaw U.	Rangoon College.
	Mahanti, Umeschandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Md. Osman Gani	Rajshahi College, Baulia.

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341	Laha, Narendranath	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Raychaudhuri, Subimal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
343	Mukhopadhyay, Binodbihari	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	" Dwijendranath	Central College, Calcutta.
	Tahawar Hussain	Patna College.
346	Basu, Prapannapalak	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Bhattacharyya, Srinibas	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Asok	City College, Calcutta.
	Sil, Mahimchandra	Chittagong College.
	Yvonne Pereira	Loreto House, Calcutta.
351	Basu, Jitendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	De, Mahimchandra	Chittagong College.
	Pillay, V. G. Sankaranarayana	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
354	Baidya, Chandranath	Chittagong College.
	Barat, Sarbaranjan	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Bhattacharyya, Purnachandra	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	Lakhpati Rai	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Nibaranchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Syed Manzur Ahsan	B. N. College, Bankipur.
360	Ahmad Masihuddawlah	Chittagong College.
	Bhadra, Aswinikumar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Ghosh, Sureschandra, I	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Mitra, Sisirkumar	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Mohommad Yahya	Ditto.
	Nath, Gaurchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
366	Amrit Lall Tirky	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Chakrabarti, Umapada	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Nripendrakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Guha, Jadablal	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Mohammad Abdur Rashid Choudhuri	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Digamber Sahai	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
372	Bandyopadhyay, Ambujnath	G. B. B. College, Muzafferpur.
	Chaudhuri, Pulinbihari	Midnapur College
	Ghosh, Rabindrachandra	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Lahiri, Purnachandra	Victoria College, Narail.
376	Bandyopadhyay, Durgaprasanna	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Basu, Ramendramohan	Dacca College.
	Chaudhuri, Sarojranjan	Burdwan Raj College.
	Das, Debendrachandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Deb, Jyotishchandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Sarkar, Sachindranath, I	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
382	Abdul Mojid	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Basu, Tulsidas	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	Datta, Goshthabihari	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Maiti, Krishnachandra	Uttarpara College.
	Mishra, Harischandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Bhagabatdas	City College, Calcutta.
	Sengupta, Harshalal	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
389	Basu, Akshaykumar	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Bhar, Gobindachandra	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Manimohan	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Ghose, Saileschandra	Dacca College.
	Kundu, Dineschandra	Central College, Calcutta.
	Muhammad Yusuff	City College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan	Burdwan Raj College.
	Sen, Dhireschandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
397	Basu, Jagatpati	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Chintaharan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Abinaschandra	Pabna Edward College.
	Chaudhuri, Madhusudan	Comilla Victoria College.
	Ghoshchaudhuri, Ardhendusekhar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Maitra, Sukumar	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Mandal, Priyanath	Central College, Calcutta.
	Md. Khotib Mollah	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Syed Ali Ahmad	Chittagong College.
	Sengupta, Rameschandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
407	Aikat, Subodhchandra	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Chakrabarti, Jogendrachandra	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Chaudhuri, Abinaschandra	Chittagong College.
	Lal Mahammad Khan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Mandal, Sibachandra	Hughli College.

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407	Mukhopadhyay, Jogeschandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Saha, Bholadas	Hughli College.
	Sen, Surendrachandra	Presidency College, Calcutta.
415	De, Krishnadhan	Ripon College, Calcutta
	Annie Hodgson	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 7.
	Nandi, Jatindralal	City College, Calcutta.
	Po Chit	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Sarkar, Pareschandra	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Sen, Kedarchandra	Comilla Victoria College.
421	Bagchi, Manindrakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Bandyopadhyay, Saradindubhushan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Bhaumik, Abinaschandra	Pabna Edward College.
	Biswas, Dhirendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Das, Akshaykumar	Central College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Bijankanti	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Maitra, Hemchandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
428	Basu, Prakaschandra	Pabna Edward College.
	Ghosh, Kalidas	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Goswami, Sanatkumar	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	Mandal, Sambhunath	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Nazir Ahmed	Rangoon College.
433	Abdur Razzak Akhunji	City College, Calcutta.
	Bandyopadhyay, Upendrachandra	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Batabyal, Rampada	Burdwan Raj College.
	Bhattacharyya, Sudhansumohan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Biswas, Tribhangagopal	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Minnie Bowyer	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 14.
	Chaudhuri, Phanibhushan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Das, Harendranath	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Majumdar, Sailendranath	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Nanigopal	Victoria College, Narail.
	Ray, Saileschandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Raychaudhuri, Sibaprasanna	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Dac. N. 23.
	Sengupta, Jatindrakumar, II	Dacca College.
446	Adhikari, Himansukumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Chaudhari, Ramaniranjan	Chittagong College.
	,, Sibsaran	City College, Calcutta.
	Gangopadhyay, Debendrachandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Manna, Lakshminarayan	Hughli College.
	Maung Tin, III	Rangoon College.
	Saha, Gokulkrishna	Pabna Edward College.
453	B. A. Masani	Rangoon College.
	Bhattacharyya, Narendranath	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	Chakrabarti, Indubhusan	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	Das, Ambikacharan	Chittagong College.
	Gangopadhyay, Asutosh	Dacca College.
	Kundu, Gopalkrishna	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Mohamed Rustam Ali	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Sultan Ahmed	City College, Calcutta.
461	Bandyopadhyay, Rabiram	Midnapur College.
	Bhattacharyya, Sudhansusekhar	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Gangopadhyay, Kshitischandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Hajra, Lakhminarayan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	M. Fazlur Rahmann	Comilla Victoria College.
	Naskar, Bhimchandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Thakur, Amarendrasundar	Krishnagar College.
468	Abdul Motlib	Dacca College.
	Basu, Bibhutibhusan	City College, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Bisweswar	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Sengupta, Pareschandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	,, Pradyotkumar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Sinha, Ambujaksha	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
474	Bhattacharyya, Manmathanath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Mid. N. 1.
	Ghosh, Jogendrachandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Kinsley, Stella	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 12.
	Sarkar, Nagendranath	Central College, Calcutta.

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478	Bandyopadhyay, Kshirodchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Tapagopal	Krishnagar College.
	Ray, Lakshmanchandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Nrisinhachandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
482	Bandyopadhyay, Bijaykumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Chattopadhyay, Nakuleswar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Nikunjalal	Victoria College, Narail.
	Gangopadhyay, Phanindranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Majiruddin Ahmed	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Mandal, Kisorimohan	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Harischandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Sengupta, Prabodhkumar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
490	Basu, Mahendralal	Central College, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Bibhutibhushan	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	Datta, Bibhutibhushan	Midnapur College.
	De, Jogendranarayan	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Md. Omar Myan	Chittagong College.
	Ray, Manoranjan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Ray, Ramkinkar	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
497	Bhadra, Jatindralal	Comilla Victoria College.
	Chattopadhyay, Narendragopal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Sukhendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Das, Sitanath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Nagendranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Mitra, Rabindranath	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Nagbansi Sahai	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Sheet, Manikchandra	City College, Calcutta.
505	Bhattacharyya, Manoranjan	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Harris, Sybil	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 3.
	Mitra, Jyotindralal	Midnapur College.
	Saha, Surendranath	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
509	Bandyopadhyay, Syamananda	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	Chakrabarti, Bhupendranarayan	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Das, Madhusudan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Sasibhushan	Non-Collegiate Student, Bur. N. 1.
	Kapildeva Sahay	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Pal, Jatindranath	City College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Praphullakumar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
516	Dwarka, Bhalchandra	Diocesan College.
	Ghosh, Sachindranath	City College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Muktiprakas	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Sengupta, Bhupatimohan	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
520	Abdul Majeed	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Bhadra, Jogendrachandra	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Ghatak, Abanikumar	City College, Calcutta.
	Sengupta, Priyanath	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
524	Basu, Bhabananda	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Krishnadayal	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Bhubaneshwar Prasad Sinha	Patna College.
	Chattopadhyay, Nirmalpada	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Dhar, Satyendranath	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Silly, D'Rozario	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 1.
	Gangopadhyay, Banibhushan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Kanjilal, Kalipada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Pal, Muralidhar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Charuchandra	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
534	Biswas, Jatindranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Das, Dharanidharlal	T. N Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Datta, Dwijendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Deb, Girischandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Koar, Sasibhushan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Ray, Sudhirkumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	Sen, Dhirendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Syed Manzur Murshed	St. Xavier's, Calcutta.
542	Chakrabarti, Amiyakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Chattopadhyay, Sudhindrakumar	Krishnagar College.
	Datta, Haripada	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Bijalibhushan	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	Jamuna Prasad	Patna College.

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547	Bhattacharyya, Kalicharan	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Chakrabati, Anathbandhu	Comilla Victoria College.
	Dasgupta, Amarkisor	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Datta, Amulyakumar	Pabna Edward College.
	Jadubansh Rama	Patna College.
	Kangyi, Johnson	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Lahiri, Makhanlal	Dacca College.
554	Abdul Latif Khan	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Abdul Rahim	Rangoon College.
	Bandyopadhyay, Dhiredranath	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	" Pasupati	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Bhattacharyya, Jatindranath	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
	Chakrabarti, Jnanendranath	Ditto.
	Haldar, Nisikanta	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Kar, Dineschandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Majumdar, Praphullachandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Pal, Aparnakinkar	Midnapur College.
564	Das, Satyanarayan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Datta, Chandrakumar	Dacca College.
	" Upendrakumar	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Harris, Elwen	City College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Chandranath	Hughli College.
	" Manindranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Pal, Paritosh	Ditto.
	Ray, Anukulchandra	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
572	Das, Jadunath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Datta, Binaybhushan	Chittagong College.
	De, Dinanath	Ditto.
	Ghatak, Syamaprasanna	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Joshi, Madangopal	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Samanta, Purnananda	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
578	Bandyopadhyay, Sureschandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Ghosh, Khagendranath	Hughli College.
	Kathleen Barry	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 6.
	Mitra, Bijaykumar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Sidh Nath Lal	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Sil, Nityendranath	St Xavier's College, Calcutta.
584	Abdus Shokur	Burdwan Raj College.
	Bhattacharyya, Satischandra	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	Biswas, Preetikona	Bethune College.
	Gupta, Ajitkanta	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Sen, Manindramohan	Pabna Edward College.
589	Gangopadhyay, Narendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Nirajchandra	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Ghosh, Kamalkrishna	Hughli College.
	Gupta, Priyalal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Agnes Kamen	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 5.
	Sen, Hemanta Sasi	Diocesan College, Calcutta.
595	Bhattacharyya, Rasikchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Biswas, Purnachandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	De, Nirmalprakas	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Nag, Sureschandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Ray, Sisirkumar	Ditto.
600	Bandyopadhyay, Basudakanta	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Bhattacharyya, Harendranath	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Datta, Jatindrakumar	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Ramgati	Midnapur College.
	Uditnarayan Pandey	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Ray, Srischandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
606	Bandyopadhyay, Durgadas	City College, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Nagendrakumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	Gangopadhyay, Kalipada	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta
	Sayed Abdur Rahman	Patna College.
610	Bandyopadhyay, Amiyanath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Das, Nripendranath	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	De, Basudeb	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Karmahapatra, Saratchandra	Ravenshaw College, Katak.

Rank	Name	College
610	Mitra, Kshitischandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Ray, Biswanath	Midnapur College.
	Sanyal, Bijaygopal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Haridas	Central College, Calcutta.
	Sengupta, Praphullakumar	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	" Sisirkumar	City College, Calcutta.
	Abdul Aziz	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh
	Abdul Gaffar, I	Comilla Victoria College.
620	Chakrabarti, Nareschandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Chandra, Kalipada	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Kesabchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Shiva Mangal Sinha	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Basu, Harendranath, II	City College, Calcutta.
	" Kesabchandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Bhattacharyya, Jnanendranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Chakravarti, Girindrakumar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Chandhuri, Saradacharan	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
626	Ghosh, Kamakhyacharan	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	" Pramodkumar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Mukhopadhyay, Bhudeb	Hughli College.
	Roy, Suprobha	Diocesan College, Calcutta.
	Sen, Pranayananda	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	Syed, Answeruddin Ahmed	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Bandyopadhyay, Phanindralal	City College, Calcutta.
	Bhuiya, Nityananda	Ripon College, Calcutta.
637	Hla Bu	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Ray, Binayendranath	St. Paul's C.M. College, Calcutta.
	Sen, Anathbandhu	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Sinha, Narendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Basu, Amarendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Susilkumar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Jogendranath	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Datta, Annadacharan	Comilla Victoria College.
643	Deb, Kshirodbihari	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Maiti, Kangalchand	City College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopdhyay, Haripada	Burdwan Raj College.
	Mahabir Prasad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	S. Shein Whet	Rangoon College.
	Flora Abraham	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 11.
	Bandyopadhyay, Jagadischandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Amarendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Das, Subodhchandra I.	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Ghatak, Umapati	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Ghosh, Manindrakumar	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Coo N. 8.
	Goswami, Purnananda	Cotton College, Gauhati.
652	Haldar, Hridaynath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Kabiraj, Ratnamay	Burdwan Raj College.
	Mitra, Sukumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Panja, Gopipada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Raychandhuri, Harendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	Sakuntala Rao	Bethune College.
	Sanyal, Amulyamohan	Pabna Edward College.
	Sarkar, Priyanath	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	Sen, Kaminikumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Theophilus David	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Bandyopadhyay, Dhirendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Amulyacharan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Saratchandra	Victoria College, Narail.
	Datta, Annadakumar	Central College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Haricharan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
669	" Satyendrakumar	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Mitra, Kanailal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Rasbihari	Midnapur College.
	Pujari, Bipinbihari	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Sadhu, Haricharan	Krishna Chandra College, Hetampur.
	Talapatra, Rohinikumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	Bandyopadhyay, Jatindramohan	Jagannath College, Dacca.
680	Bhattacharyya, Purnachandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Chandhuri, Haridas	City College, Calcutta.

Rank	Name	College
680	Ray, Kisorimohan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Raychaudhuri, Anilkumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Sen, Kesabchandra	Midnapur College.
	Syed Mohmud Shere	Patna College.
	Tune Nyein	Rangoon College.
688	Bhattacharyya, Dwijendranath	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Purnachandra	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Bank. N. 2.
	Chattopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 8.
	,, Nrityagopal	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Datta, Asutosh	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Jogeschandra	Pabna Edward College.
	Seth, Ramanuja	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Sinha, Nirmalchandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
696	Ameer Ali Khan	Dacca College.
	Chakrabarti, Kshirodmohan	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Satyendranath	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Chaudhuri, Radharaman	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Datta, Nirendralal	Chittagong College.
	De, Amritalal	Central College, Calcutta.
	Gupta, Sukumar	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Mitra, Birendranarayan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Sen, Nirmalkumar	Pabna Edward College.
705	Bhaduri, Jnanadananda	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Chakrabarti, Kumudbandhu	Chittagong College.
	Gorakhnath Singh	Patna College.
	Hajra, Haricharan	Midnapur College.
	Radhakanta Jha	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur
710	Bhattacharyya, Harendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Kamalapada	Burdwan Raj College.
	Biswas, Durgadas	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	Sen, Mahendrakumar	Uttarpara College.
	,, Suchand	Central College, Calcutta.
	Violet Waddel	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 2.
716	Baruya, Nilmadhab	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	Chakrabarti, Haramohan	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Krishnadhan	Uttarpara College.
	Ghosh, Jitendranath, I	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Ramadaprasanna	Dacca College.
	Biswas, Harezuddin	City College, Calcutta.
	Laqiatulla Mia	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Mahanti, Hariram	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Sen, Prakritibhushan	Serampur College.
	Tapasvi, Kesabchandra	Uttarpara College.
	Maung Ngwe	Baptist College, Rangoon.
727	Chaudhuri, Mukundamurari	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 59.
	Das, Radhagobinda	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Datta, Amritalal	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Deb, Bidhugopal	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
731	Gangopadhyay, Sachindralal	City College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Dhirendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Lahiri, Sailendranath	Serampur College.
	Pal, Surendranath	Pabna Edward College.
	Ray, Bimalendu	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	,, Jitendrabhushan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta
	Sen, Akshaykumar	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
738	Das, Rajendranath, I	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Ghosh, Sarbaribhushan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Guha, Nareschandra	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	M. D. Keshavan Nampiathy	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Sengupta, Sachindramohan	Comilla Victoria College.
743	Basu, Bijoygopal	Victoria College, Narail.
	Chakrabarti, Kumudchandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Taraprasanna	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Chaudhuri, Mahimchandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	Datta, Girindranath	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Lahiri, Bibhutibhushan	Cotton College, Gauhati.

	Name	College
	Mandal, Munindralal	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ber. N. 2.
	Mitra, Sarojananda	Dacca College.
	Muhamud Fazalur Rahaman	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
743	Mukhopadhyay, Aswinikumar	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Ray, Brajasundar	Dacca College.
	Sarkar, Sureschandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal
	Sen, Praphullachandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Dasgupta, Autulmohan	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Bandyopadhyay, Debipada	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta
	Ghosh, Praphullakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
756	Mahapatra, Kahnucharan	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Misra, Panchkari	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Rejibuddin Ahmed	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Syed Ahmed Hussain	Ditto ditto.
	A. W. Syeduddin Khan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Guha, Praphullakumar	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Shoral Probha Hansdah	Diocesan College, Calcutta.
763	Mitra, Haridas	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Sahu, Lydia	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Kat. F. N. 2.
	Sarkar, Abinaschandra	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Sen, Herambakumar	Victoria College, Narail.
	Bandy Prasad	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Bhattacharyya, Herambanath	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Ramendrachandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Chakrabarti, Atulananda	Pabna Edward College.
	Chattopadhyay, Sasadhar	Central College, Calcutta.
	Datta, Dhireschandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	De, Basantakumar	Presidency College, Calcutta.
770	Guha, Gangacharan	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	Habibullah Khan	Presidency College, Calcutta
	Ethel Mary Kelly	Loreto House, Calcutta.
	Muhammad Idris	Chittagong College.
	Niyogi, Rameshchandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Sanyal, Nirodchandra	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Sengupta, Pradyumnakumar	City College, Calcutta.
	S. M. Sultan Ahmed	Comilla Victoria College.
	Abul Mukarim Syed Abdul Moeed	Diamond Jubilee College, Monghyr.
	Baidyanath Sahay	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Bandyopadhyay, Manmathanath	Central College, Calcutta.
	Dasgupta, Sarojmohan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Datta, Harisadhan	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Dhar, Pramathanath	Pabna Edward College.
	Ghosh, Bela	Bethune College.
	„ Bhupendrakrishna	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Kalidas	City College, Calcutta.
785	Gupta, Manadacharan	Central College, Calcutta.
	Khag, Ramanath	Krishna Chandra College, Hetampur.
	Kundu, Sailendranath	Midnapur College.
	Langley, Glenn	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. N. 13.
	Mohammad Amanat Ullah Khan	St. Columbat's College, Hazaribagh.
	Poddar, Sudarsan	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Sarkar, Nibaran Chandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Abul Faiz Syed Mohammad Yousuf Jajneri	Diamond Jubilee College, Monghyr.
	Andrews, Cherian	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Bandyopadhyay, Bhupeschandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Satyendranath, II	Dacca College.
	Bhattacharyya, Janakinath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Chakrabarti, Mangobinda	Cotton College, Gauhati.
801	Chattopadhyay, Praphullakumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Maiti, Narendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Mitra, Haripada	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Nandi, Nandalal	Uttarpara College.
	Ray, Nrityagobinda	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	U. Tha Zan	Rangoon College.
	Ahmed, Rasul	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
813	Ahmed Reza	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Baruya, Dineschandra	Cotton College, Gauhati.

813	Basu, Muralidhar	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	Bhattacharyya, Nripendramohan	Pabna Edward College.
	Chakrabarti, Ramanimohan	City College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Jagadischandra	Victoria College, Narail.
	Chaudhuri, Harendranarayan	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Das, Radhagobinda	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Datta, Mrinalbhushan	Victoria College, Narail.
	Mukhopadhyay, Anangamohan	Dacca College.
	Nath, Harikumar	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Ray, Phanibhushan	Ditto.
826	Abu Ahammed Lumanul Hoque	Comilla Victoria College.
	Chakrabarti, Haripada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Chattopadhyay, Jugalkisor	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	" Upendranath	Brojomohan College, Barisal.
	Datta, Jasodananda	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Tarapada	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Rameschandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Nath, Rajendrachandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	Saha, Abinaschandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Harimohan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Sengupta, Sitalchandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
837	Balmukund Sahay	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Bandyopadhyay, Gauriprasad	Burdwan Raj College.
	Chakrabarti, Khagendranath	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Chattopadhyay, Kaliprasanna	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Dan, Tinkari	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Kumar, Sasadhar	City College, Calcutta.
	Lodh, Rohinikumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	Majumdar, Girindrachandra	Pabna Edward College.
	Ray, Syamapada	Krishnath College Berhampur.
	Sarkar, Prabhaschandra	Central College, Calcutta.
847	Chakrabarti, Nalinikanta	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Chaudhuri, Prakaschandra	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Parial, Nagendrachandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Raychaudhuri, Gopinath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Saha, Panchanan	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Sarkar, Radhikacharan	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Shaikh Idris Ahmed	Ditto.
	Shivadayal Saran	Patna College.
855	Bandyopadhyay, Harimohan	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Charuchandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Chandaray, Birendramohan	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Das, Jadunath	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Ghosh, Kunjabihari	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Kar, Kumudranjan	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Mukhopadhyay, Pratibhanath	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Sanyal, Ramendrakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Sarkar, Basantakumar	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Sen, Siteschandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Sinha, Banchhanidhi	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
866	Basu, Dhirendrachandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Chaudhuri, Manindranath	City College, Calcutta.
	Das, Ramanath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Anantalal	Dacca College.
	Hanuman Prasad	Patna College.
	Lahiri, Bankimchandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Rudranandan Jha	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Raychaudhuri, Manoranjan	Central College, Calcutta.
	Sen, Saileschandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
875	Bandyopadhyay, Haripada	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Satischandra	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	Biswas, Nagendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Chattopadhyay, Abhayapada	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Pramathanath	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Das, Dineschandra	Chittagong College.
	Ghoshdastidar, Bhabanath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Mohammed Tahirali	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.

	Name	College
	Moraduddin Ahmed	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Atulchandra	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
875	,, Sailendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Sengupta, Santoshkumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Sing, Raykumar	Ditto.
	Bandyopadhyay, Jogeschandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Basu, Arunchandra	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	,, Ranajitkumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Upendranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Nisikanta	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Do, Manohar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
888	,, Surendrakrishna	City College, Calcutta.
	Deb, Upendrachandra	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Kanungo, Nirsinhacharan	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Madan Lal Himat Singhka	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Mandal, Abinaschandra	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Nandi, Umeschandra	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Baul N. 1.
	Ray, Jnanranjan	Victoria College, Narail.
	Sh. Sajjad Ali	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Thomas, Abraham	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Basu, Kshitindrakumar	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Manmathanath	Jaganath College, Dacca.
	Bhattacharyya, Satischandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Chattopadhyay, Gaurisankar	Krishna Chandra College, Hetampur.
	Ghosh, Ramanath	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
903	Lala Giris Chandra *	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Nag, Nakulchandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	Nath, Sasikumar	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Sengupta, Atulkumar, I	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Dineschandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Sukul Gangasagar	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Bandyopadhyay, Birajmohan	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Bireswar	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	,, Dwijendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Kedarnath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 4.
	Chakrabarti, Dharmadas	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Hemchandra	Comilla Victoria College.
914	Chandra Prasad	G. B. B. College, Muzafferpur.
	Chattopadhyay, Brajendranath	Burdwan Raj College.
	Datta, Anilchandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Manindranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Nag, Phanindramohan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Bibhutibhushan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Sachinandan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Sengupta, Suresranjan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Som, Manomohan	City College, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Sibnath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Biswapati	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Das, Bijaykumar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Ghosh, Bijaybhushan	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Gupta, Satischandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Khalil Ahmad	Presidency College, Calcutta.
929	Maitra, Amarendranath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Baul N. 3.
	Majumdar, Niradkrishna	Serampur College.
	Mitra, Dhirendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	Mokhlaser Rahman	Comilla Victoria College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Hiralal	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Phanindranath	Uttarpara College.
	Sen, Pradyotkumar	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Sinha, Jyotishchandra	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Bandyopadhyay, Praphullachandra	Serampur College.
	Bhattacharyya, Durgakumar	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
943	,, Nagendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Chakrabarti, Kshetramohan	Jagannath College, Dacca.

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No.	Name	College
	Dasgupta, Bisweswar	City College, Calcutta.
	De, Rajkumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
943	Ghosh, Surendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Goswami, Bijanbihari	Uttarpara College.
	Muhammad Madarris Choudhury	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Pal, Sachinandan	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Raychaudhuri, Nalinimohan	Central College, Calcutta.
	San Tun Aung	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Serajuddin Ahmed	Dacca College.
	Alim Uddin Sirkar	City College, Calcutta.
	Datta, Nripendralal	Chittagong College.
	Ghosh, Jitendranath, II	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Satinath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
956	L. Lone Futt	Rangoon College.
	Panda, Krupasindhu	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Ray, Chandradeba	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Umanath Jha	Patna College.
	Baleshwar Prasad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Bhaduri, Rameswar	Pabna Edward College.
	Bhattacharyya, Sukhendrachandra	Dacca College.
	Gupta, Jatischandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Maung Nyo	Rangoon College.
964	Basu, Mukti	Bethune College.
	Ray, Apurbachandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Sen, Sachindramohan	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Satischandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Sinha, Kalikrishna	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Basak, Mahimchandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	Basu, Hemendrakumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Sudhirchandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Surendranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta
	,, Upendranath	Ravenshaw College, Kattak.
	Chandra, Binaykrishna	Burdwan Raj College.
	Das, Jibanchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	De, Jagadischandra	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Panchanan	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
974	Ghosh, Gadadhar	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	Gupta, Bhupendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Lun Aung	Rangoon College.
	Majumdar, Manindranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Nandi, Jogeschandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Raghunath Sharan	G. B. B. College, Muzafferpur.
	Ray, Satyendralal	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Sen, Hrishikes	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Tin U.	Rangoon College.
	Bhattacharyya, Durgadas	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Krishnakali	Central College, Calcutta.
	Das, Santoshkumar	Burdwan Raj College.
	Majumdar, Jatindramohan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	M. Bapi Needu	City College, Calcutta.
	Md. Fozlar Rohaman	Ditto.
992	Mukhopadhyay, Dhankrishna	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Pal, Jasodakumar	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	Ray, Nirmalchandra, II	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Serajul Islam	Comilla Victoria College.
	Sikdar, Sukumar	Victoria College Narail.
	Sinha, Satyanarayan	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Acharyya, Dharmadas	Burdwan Raj College.
	Ali Ahmad Chowdhury	Chittagong College.
	Gangadharprasad Ambustha	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Ba Thaw	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Bandopadhyay, Hemchandra	Dacca College.
	Datta, Nakuleswar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Kundu, Jasodadulal	Burdwan Raj College.
1004	Lahiri, Taraknath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Maitra, Nripendrakumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Mukhopadhyay, Matilal	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	Muneshwar Parshad	G. B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.

	Name	College
1004	Sengupta, Hemchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Manoranjan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Shah Kalimur Rahman	Diamond Jubilee College, Monghyr.

SECOND DIVISION.

(Arranged in alphabetical order.)

	Name	College
	Abdar Rashid	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Abdul Adud, I	Comilla Victoria College.
	Abdul Aowal	Ditto.
	Abdul Aziz Chowdhury	Pabna Edward College.
	Abdul Bari	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Abdul Bari Najafi	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Abdul Gafur, I	Dacca College.
	Abdul Gani	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Abdul Ghanee Miah	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh
10	Abdul Hakim Mia	Comilla Victoria College.
	Abdul Hamid	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Abdul Jabbar	Ditto.
	Abdul Latif Biswas	Dacca College.
	Abdul Mahbud Khan	Chittagong College.
	Abdul Rahman	Rangoon College.
	Abdul Rashid Konundi	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Abdul Samad Khan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Abdul Sattar	Midnapur College.
	Abdur Rahim	B. N. College, Bankipur.
20	Abdur Rahman	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Abdur Rahman	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Abdur Raschid, I	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Abdur Razzaque	Pabna Edward College.
	Abdur Roaf Chaudhury	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Abdus Sauf	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Abi Saghir	Patna College.
	Abul Hosain	Pabna Edward College.
	Abul Kasem Chowdhury	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Abu Mahammad Fazlul Karim	Pabna Edward College.
30	Abu Nasar	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Acharyya Amulyacharan	Serampur College.
	„ Digambar	Chittagong College.
	„ Haraprasanna	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Haripada	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Panchanan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Patitpaban	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Suryyanarayan	Ditto.
	Acharyyachaudhuri, Salilkumar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Addy, R. Pratulchandra	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
40	Adhikari, Digindranath	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Ahmadur Rahman	Dacca College.
	Ahameduddin Shah	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	A. H. M. Wazir Ali	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	A. H. Sayeedullah	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
	Aich, Bankimchandra	Chittagong College.
	„ Sachikanta	Comilla Victoria College.
	Akleshwar Proshad*	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Ali Ahmed	Non-Collegiate Student, Chi. N. S.
	Ali Ahmed	Comilla Victoria College.
50	Ali Ahmed Sikder	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Ambar Ali	Comilla Victoria College.
	Aminul Islam	Ditto.
	Aminulla	Ditto.
	Anisur Rahman	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Ashraf Ali	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Audhesh Kumar	Patna College.
	A. U. M. Bazlul Karim Bhuia	Comilla Victoria College.
	Aung Ba	Rangoon College.
	Aung Gain	Baptist College, Rangoon.
60	Azeezur Rahman	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Azizal Islam	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Ba Htoo	Rangoon College.
	Ba Lwin	Ditto.

	Name	College
	Ba Sein	Rangoon College.
	Ba Thein, V	Ditto.
	Ba Tu	Ditto.
	Bag, Makhanlal	City College, Calcutta.
	Bagchi, Bireswar	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	„ Biswanath	Jagannath College, Dacca.
70	„ Mahitosh	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	„ Sachindranath	Pabna Edward College.
	Bahinipati, Somnath	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Baijnath Prasad	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Bajpai, Bijaykrishna	Central College, Calcutta.
	Baksi, Anukulchandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Bal, Satischandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Bala, Ramcharan	Ditto.
	Baleswar Parshad	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Bandyopadhyay, Akshayakumar	Central College, Calcutta.
80	„ Amarendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Ambujaksha	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Balaichand	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	„ Bhupatinath	Uttarpara College.
	„ Bhupendrachandra	Ananda Mohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Bibhutibhushan	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Bimalapada	Victoria College, Narail.
	„ Bimalendusundar	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	„ Chintaharan	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	„ Dharmadas	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
90	„ Dhirendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Dhirendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Dwijendranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Ganeshchandra	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	„ Girindramohan	Victoria College, Narail.
	„ Gopalchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Haribar	Krishnagar College.
	„ Harisadhan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Jatindrachandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Jatindramohan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
100	„ Jitendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Jnanendranath	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	„ Jogeschandra	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	„ Jyotirindranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Kalipada	Krishnagar College.
	„ Kisorimohan	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Kumudchandra	Dacca College.
	„ Krishnapada	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	„ Mahendralal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Makhanlal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
110	„ Manindrabhushan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Manindrakumar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Manindrakumar, I	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Manindrakumar, II	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Manomohan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Naliniranjan	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	„ Nandalal	Uttarpara College.
	„ Narendranath	Hughli College.
	„ Narendranath	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Nripendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
120	„ Pannalal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Paresnath	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	„ Phanibhushan	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Prabhaschandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Pramathanath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Rajendralal	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	„ Renupada	Uttarpara College.
	„ Sabharanjan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Sachindramohan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Sailendranath	City College, Calcutta.
130	„ Salilkumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Saratchandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Sasmitabadan	Krishnagar College.
	„ Satyakinkar	Krishna Chandra College, Hetampur.
	„ Srimantakumar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.

No.	Name	College
	Bandyopadhyay, Subodhchandra	Uttarpara College.
	„ Sudhansubhushan	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Susilkumar	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	„ Susilkumar	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	„ Syamkinkar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
140	„ Taraknath	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Tarapada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Tejchandra	Ripon College Calcutta.
	Banik, Debendranath	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	„ Umeschandra	Ditto.
	Banwari Ram	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Barik, Bankimbihari	City College, Calcutta.
	Barkataki Suryyadhar	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Barma, Krishnakumar	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Barman, Kshetranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
150	„ Praphullachandra	Ditto.
	Baruya, Baradaranjan	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Bhagiram	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	„ Hemchandra	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	„ Maheswar	Ditto.
	„ Manikchandra	Ditto.
	„ Pramodranjan	Central College, Calcutta.
	Basak, Achyutananda	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Jagatbandhu	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Kumudbandhu	Pabna Edward College.
160	Basiruddin Ahmed	Central College, Calcutta.
	Basu, Abinaschandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Ajitkumar	Ditto.
	„ Bhupendranath, II	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Bijaykrishna	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Bijaykrishna	Serampur College.
	„ Debendranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Durgapada	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Indubhushan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Jatindralal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
170	„ Jitendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Jnanendramohan	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	„ Kanailal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Kiranchandra	Ditto.
	„ Makhanlal	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Nabinchandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Narendrachandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Narendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Narendranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Nirmalchandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
180	„ Pramodkumar	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Praphullachandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Praphullakumar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Rakhalchandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Rameschandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Rasikchandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	„ Sailendralal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Santoshkumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Satyakinkar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Satyaprasanna	Burdwan Raj College.
190	„ Satyendranath, II	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Sisirkumar	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	„ Srischandra	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	„ Sudhirchandra	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	„ Sudhirkumar	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	„ Surendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Sureschandra, II	Victoria College, Narail.
	„ Tarakanta	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Basumajumdar, Nalinikanta	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Basuray, Kalipada	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
200	„ Sitansunath	Victoria College, Narail.
	Basuraychaudhuri, Pramathanath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Bej, Anandagopal	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Beni Madhav Prasad	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Bera, Bipinbihari	Midnapur College.
	„ Kshirodkumar	Ditto.

	Name	Institution
	Bhadra, Sibendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Bhaduri, Amulyakumar	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Jatindranath	Ditto.
	„ Niranjankumar	City College, Calcutta.
210	„ Priyanath	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	„ Santoshkumar	City College, Calcutta.
	Bhagbat Narain Kumar	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Bhagwat Saran	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Bhar, Tarabhushan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Apurbakumar	Krishnagar College.
	„ Arabinda	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Bankimchandra	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Baradakanta	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	„ Bhubanjay	Comilla Victoria College.
220	„ Bibhutibhushan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Birajamohan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Birendranath	Dacca College.
	„ Bireswar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Birinchipada	Krishnagar College.
	„ Dakshinacharan	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Dhirendranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Dineschandra	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	„ Dwijapada	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Gopalchandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
230	„ Goshthabihari	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Hariprasad	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	„ Hemantakumar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Herambamohan	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Janakinath	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Jatindranath	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	„ Jitendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Jogendrachandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Kalipada	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	„ Kshetramohan	Burdwan Raj College.
240	„ Kshitindramohan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Lalitchandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Madanmohan	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	„ Maheswar	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Manindranath	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	„ Manoranjan	Uttarpara College.
	„ Medhatithi	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	„ Nagendramohan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Nalineswar	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Narendrachandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
250	„ Nikhileschandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Nitaichandra	Serampur College.
	„ Prasannakumar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Pulinbihari	Chittagong College.
	„ Purnachandra	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	„ Rajanikumar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Rameschandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Rameschandra	Ditto.
	„ Ramhari	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	„ Rebatimohan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
260	„ Sailajakanta	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Sambhusampad	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Saradasankar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Saradindu	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Sasibhushan	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Satyapriya	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Saurendrakumar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Surendrakumar	Ananda Mohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Surendranath	Victoria College, Narail.
	„ Surendranath	Cotton College, Gauhati.
270	„ Sureschandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Tinkari	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	Bhaumik, Gobindachandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Kisorimohan	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Kshitischandra	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	„ Rakhaldas	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Upendramohan	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Upendranath	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.

No.	Name	College
	Bhowal, Rameschandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Upendrachandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
280	Bhowmic, Monica	Bethune College.
	Bhubaneshwar Kumar	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Bhunia, Harischandra	Midnapur College.
	Binayek Kishore Verma	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Bindhachal Prosad Verma	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Bindheshwari Prasad	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Birbansa, Asutosh	Krishna Chandra College, Hatampur.
	Bishnumajumdar, Haripada	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Biswas, Baidyanath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Binodbihari	City College, Calcutta.
290	,, Birendranath	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Daniel Mohinimohon	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	,, Dhirendrakumar	Serampur College.
	,, Dwijendranath	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	,, Harendrakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Himansukumar	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	,, Indubhushan	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	,, Jagadischandra	Uttarpara College.
	,, Jitendranath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Coo. N. 1.
	,, Kanakchandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
300	,, Mahimchandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Nagendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Nalinimohan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Rishipada	Pabna Edward College.
	,, Sachindrakumar	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	,, Syamlal	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Upendranath	Krishnagar College.
	Biswasthakur, Bhagabatiprasanna	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta
	Bohidar, Basantakumar	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Sureschandra	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
310	Bozlas Sobahan	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	C. M. Oommen	Serampur College.
	Chaki, Basantakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Nanitosh	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Amarendranath	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	,, Anantakumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Bholanath	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	,, Biharilal	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	,, Biswanath	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	,, Chandmohan	City College, Calcutta.
320	,, Debendrakumar	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	,, Dhirendranath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ber., N. 9.
	,, Digindrachandra	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Dwijendrakumar	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Gaurikanta	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Harakrishna	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Harendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Haridas	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Haripada	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	,, Haripada	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
330	,, Harisadhan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Iswarchandra	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Jagadischandra	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	,, Jajneswar	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	,, Jasodanandan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Jatindramohan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Jatindranath	Ditto.
	,, Jatindranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Jitendrachandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Jitendranath, I	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
340	,, Jogeschandra	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	,, Jyotirindranath	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	,, Jyotishchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Kalipada	Ditto.
	,, Kumudbandhu	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	,, Lalmohan	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.

No.	Name	College
	Chakrabarti, Manindramohan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Nibaranchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Nabadwipchandra	Pabna Edward College.
	,, Nagendranath	Ditto.
350	,, Nagendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Nikunjabihari	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	,, Niramay	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	,, Nirapada	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Phanibhushan	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	,, Pramathanath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Prankrishna	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Praphullachandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	,, Praphullakumar	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	,, Purnananda	Pabna Edward College.
360	,, Radharaman	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Radhikaprasanna	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Rajendrakumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Rajendralal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Rajendranath	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	,, Sadhunath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Sailendrachandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Sasadhar	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Sasadhar	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Satischandra	Comilla Victoria College.
370	,, Satyasaran	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	,, Smritinath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Srishchandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Sudhirchandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Sudhirchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Suranjan	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	,, Surendrachandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Surendrachandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	,, Surendrachandra	Ditto.
	,, Sureschandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
380	,, Susilkumar	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Suryyakumar	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	,, Tarapada	Ditto.
	,, Upendrachandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Champati, Parikshit	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Chan Boon Kyin	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Chandra, Amulyakumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Chanda, Harendrachandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Prakaschandra	Dacca College.
	Chandi Persad Bhatnagar *	Diamond Jubilee College, Monghyr.
390	Chatterjee, Sumati	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. F. N. 6.
	Chattopadhyay, Abanidhar	G. B. B. College, Muzafferpur.
	,, Basudeb	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Bhabanicharan	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Bholanath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Biharilal	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 8.
	,, Charuchandra	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	,, Debendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Dineschandra	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
400	,, Durgacharan	Serampur College.
	,, Durgadas	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	,, Durgaprasad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Ganeschandra	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Gobindaprasad	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Haripada	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	,, Indrabhushan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Indrabhushan	Dacca College.
	,, Jyotischandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Kedarnath	Ditto.
410	,, Kshetramohan	Uttarpara College.
	,, Lalitmohan	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Manomohan	Ditto.
	,, Manoranjan, II	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Muralimohan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.

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No.	Name	College
	Chattopadhyay, Nalinikanta	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	,, Nanigopal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Narendrakumar	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Narendranath	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	,, Narendranath	Jagannath College, Dacca.
420	,, Nikhilkumar	Uttarpara College.
	,, Phanibhushan	Ditto.
	,, Prabhaschandra	Victoria College, Narail.
	,, Prakaschandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Pramathanath	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	,, Pramathanath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Pramodkrishna	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	,, Praphullakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Radhagobinda	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	,, Rajendramohan	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
430	,, Rakhaldas	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Ramanimohan	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	,, Sailendrachandra	Dacca College.
	,, Sailendranath	Krishnagar College.
	,, Satinath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 64.
	,, Satyagopal	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	,, Sibaprasad	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Srimantakumar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Umadas	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Chattoraj, Anadinath	Ditto.
440	Chaudhuri, Aswinikumar	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	,, Bhabeschandra	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Birendramohan	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	,, Brajendralal	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Chandrakanta	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Dhirendralal	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	,, Dhirendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Dwijendralal	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	,, Girischandra	Cotton College, Gauhati.
450	,, Herambachandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Jatindramohan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Jibankrishna	Krishnagar College.
	,, Kalipada	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Kalipada	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	,, Kaliprasanna	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Kshitischandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Mahendrakumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Mahendranath	Midnapur College.
	,, Manmathanath	Pabna Edward College.
460	,, Muktinath	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Narendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Phanibhushan	Pabna Edward College.
	,, Prithwischandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Sachindrakumar	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	,, Subhadaprasad	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	,, Sureschandra	Ditto.
	Cheriyan, K. C.	Serampur College.
	Chhotaraya, Kapileswar	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Chiranjib Jha	Patna College.
470	Chit San Rhi	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. N. 8.
	Choudhury Ahsan Karim	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Dalal, Hareram	Burdwan Raj College.
	Dalui, Dhirendranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Dam, Satischandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Das, Akshaykumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Akshaykumar	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Aprakaschandra	Ditto.
	,, Balkrishna	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	,, Benimadhab	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
480	,, Bhubanmohan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Bidhubhushan	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	,, Bidhubhushan	Victoria College, Narail.
	,, Brajendranath	Ravenshaw College, Katak.

	Name	College
	Das, Chandicharan	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	" Debendranath	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	" Debendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Dhirendrachandra	City College, Calcutta.
	" Harakumar	Ditto.
	" Harendrachandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
490	" Harendrakumar	Midnapur College.
	" Harendranath	Central College, Calcutta.
	" Hemkanta	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Jatindranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Jatindranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Jnanendranath	Serampur College.
	" Jogendranath	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	" Jogindranath	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	" Kalikanta	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Kamalakanta	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
500	" Khagendranath	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	" Khagendranarayan	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	" Lalitmohan	Chittagong College.
	" Manimohan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Manmathanath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Manomohan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Mohinimohan	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Nabadwipchandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	" Narayanchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Nepalchandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
510	" Panchugopal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Paresmohan	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	" Prabhatchandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Praphullachandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Pulinbihari	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	" Pyarimohan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Raibhushan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Rajanikanta	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	" Rajanikanta	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Rajendralal	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
520	" Rajmohan	Ditto.
	" Rameschandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Sachindranath	Serampur College.
	" Sasadhar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Satischandra	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	" Satyajit	Central College, Calcutta.
	" Satyendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Satyendranath	Dacca College.
	" Sobhendrakumar	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	" Subalchandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
530	" Subodhchandra,* II	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	" Sudhirchandra	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	" Surendrakumar	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Daschaudhuri, Sasimohan	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Abaniswar	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 67.
	" Anilchandra	Dacca College.
	" Annadacharan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Ansuprakas	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	" Asutosh	Dacca College.
	" Asutosh	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
540	" Birajacharan	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Dineschandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Haridas	Burdwan Raj College.
	" Jajneswar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Jatischandra	Midnapur College.
	" Jogeschandra	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll. Com. N. 2.
	" Jyotirmay	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Kalyankumar	Dacca College.
	" Krishnakanta	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Lalitchandra	Ditto.
550	" Manibhushan	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll. Dac. N. 26.
	" Manomohan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Manoranjan	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.

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	Dasgupta, Nakuleswar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Nibaranchandra	Ditto.
	„ Nilalohit	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Nilaranjan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Praphullachandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Ramnarayan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Saileschandra	Cotton College, Gauhati.
560	„ Sarasimohan	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	„ Surajmohan	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Surendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Susilranjan	Ditto.
	Dastidar, Jnanendranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Datta, Anathbandhu	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Anukulchandra	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Bhabanicharan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Bijaybhushan	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Bijaykrishna	Serampur College.
570	„ Birajmohan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Birendrakumar	Victoria College, Narail.
	„ Brajabihari	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	„ Hemantakumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	„ Jagatpati	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Jnanendranath	Ditto.
	„ Jnanmohan	Diamond Jubilee College, Monghyr.
	„ Jogeschandra	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	„ Kalipada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Manomohan	Ditto.
580	„ Manomohan	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	„ Manindranarayan	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	„ Nagendranath, II	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	„ Natabar	Krishnath College, Berhampur
	„ Nimaichand	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Panchanan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Paritosh	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Promodkumar	Ditto.
	„ Pulinbihari	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	„ Radhagobinda	Ripon College, Calcutta.
590	„ Rama	Bethune College.
	„ Rameschandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Rameschandra	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Ramgati	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	„ Rammohan	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	„ Renuka	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. F. N. 5.
	„ Sailasekhar	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Subodhchandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	„ Sukhendubikas	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	„ Surendrakumar	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
600	„ Surendranath	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Susilkumar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Tapaskumar	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Umeschandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	Dattachaudhuri, Bhabeschandra	Dacca College.
	Dattagupta, Phanindrakumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Dattaray, Amulyachandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	De, Anilchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Anukulchandra	Serampur College.
	„ Asutosh	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
610	„ Aswinikumar	Chittagong College.
	„ Baradacharan	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Basantakumar	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	„ Bhupendrakumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Brajagopal	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Chinmayananda	Ditto.
	„ Dhirendralal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Harischandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Hemnath	Ripon College, Calcutta.

No.	Name	College
	De, Herambabihari	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
620	„ Jatindramohan	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Jogendralal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Jogendranath	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	„ Jogeschandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Kesablal	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Kiranchandra	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	„ Kshetramohan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Kunjabihari	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	„ Kshitindramohan	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Mahendrachandra	Central College, Calcutta.
630	„ Nalinikanta	Krishnagar College.
	„ Probodhchandra	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Sambhunath	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	„ Sarodacharan	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	„ Saratchandra	Burdwan Raj College.
	„ Sasibhushan	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Satyendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Srischandra	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Sudhanwakumar	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	„ Sudhirchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
640	„ Sudhirkumar	Dacca College.
	„ Tarakanta	Serampur College.
	„ Upendrachandra	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Deb, Rajkumar Bhupendranarayan	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	„ Durgamohan	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Haramohan	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	„ Shibprasad	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Dechaudhuri Praphullakumar	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Debnath, Mohanbasi	Comilla Victoria College.
	Deep Narayan Prosad, I	Diamond Jubilee College, Monghyr.
650	Deep Narayan Prasad, II	Ditto.
	Debsarkar, Sudhirkumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Debsarma, Nareswar	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Delawar Hussain Khan	Chittagong College.
	Devanandanlal Nandkeolyar	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Dhanushdhari Prasad	Patna College.
	Dhanushdhari Proshad	G. B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.
	Dhar, Mohinimohan	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	„ Panchanan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Pramodkrishna	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
660	Dikshit, Harendrakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Eappen, R. I.	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Emdad Ali Biswas	Pabna Edward College.
	Enayator Rahman	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
	Etim Ali Biswas	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Fakhruddin Mohammad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Fakir Muhammad Mian	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Fazal Alim	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Foizuddin Ahmed	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Gangopadhyay, Benilal	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
670	„ Bibhutibhushan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Debendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Goshthabihari	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Hrishike	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Kesabchandra	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
	„ Kirankumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Makhamlal	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	„ Makhanlal	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Narendralal	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	„ Nikunjalal	Ditto.
680	„ Pramathanath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Sitanath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Surendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Garai, Basantakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Gauri Shankar Saran Sinha	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Gaya Prasad Tiwary	Ditto.
	Gaya Pershad	Patna College.

	Name	College
	Gayan, Rajeswar	Central College, Calcutta.
	Gena Lall Jha	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Ghatak, Amulyachandra	Comilla Victoria College.
690	" Guraprasanna	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	" Jasodakumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Rajendrachandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Saktinandan	Burdwan Raj College.
	Ghosh, Amiyachandra	Jogannath College, Dacca.
	" Amulyachandra	South Suburban College, Bhawanipur.
	" Anathnath	City College, Calcutta.
	" Atulchandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Bamacharan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Bhujangabhushan	Burdwan Raj College.
700	" Bimalananda	Hughli College.
	" Chandramadhab	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Charuranjan	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	" Dwijendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Gangaprasad	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Gaurisankar	Midnapur College.
	" Gaurisankar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Harendrachandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	" Haridas	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Haripada, I	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
710	" Hiralal	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Iswarlal	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	" Jagadischandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Jatindrachandra	Ditto
	" Jatindranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Kalidas	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Kamalkrishna	Ditto.
	" Kanailal	Serampur College.
	" Kiranchandra	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	" Krishnadhan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
720	" Krishnakisor	Ditto.
	" Kshirodmohan	City College, Calcutta.
	" Kumudbihari	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	" Kumudbihari	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	" Kumudranjan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Lina	Diocesan College, Calcutta.
	" Manindrakumar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Manindranath, II	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Manomohan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Nabadwipachandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
730	" Nagendranath	Victoria College, Narail.
	" Nagendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Nanigopal	City College, Calcutta.
	" Narendranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Nisabhushan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Pasupatinath	Central College, Calcutta.
	" Phanindranath	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	" Priyanath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Priyanath	Dacca College.
	" Pulinbihari	Central College, Calcutta.
740	" Rabindranath	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	" Ramanimohan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Rangalal	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	" Renupada	Burdwan Raj College.
	" Sailendrachandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Sailendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Salilkumar	City College, Calcutta.
	" Santoshkumar	Patna College.
	" Santoshkumar	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	" Saralchandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
750	" Satischandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Sibchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Sobhamay	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Sudhansubhushan	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	" Sudhirkumar	Pabna Edward College.
	" Surendrachandra	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	" Syamacharan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Tarabhushan	Baptist College, Rangoon.

No.	Name	College
	Ghosh, Tusharkanti	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Ghoshal, Abhayapada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
760	" Ganeschandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Nakuleswar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Nibaranchandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Prabhatkumar	City College, Calcutta.
	" Suryyendumohan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Ghoshmaulik, Kshirodmohan	Ditto.
	Girish Nandan Sahai Sinha	Patna College.
	Golam Rahman	Pabna Edward College.
	Golam Sobhan Mondal	Burdwan Raj College.
	Goswami, Jagadischandra	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
770	" Parimal	Pabna Edward College.
	" Purnachandra	Serampur College.
	Guha, Brajendralal	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	" Haranchandra	Brojamohan College, Barisal.
	" Jatindramohan	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Nareschandra	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	" Praphullakumar	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
	" Rameschandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Sachindrakumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Sudhanyakumar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
780	" Sureschandra	Dacca College.
	Guin, Kalipada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Gulab Dass	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Gupta, Abanimohan	Dacca College.
	" Amiyakumar	City College, Calcutta.
	" Debaprasad	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	" Dineschandra	Dacca College.
	" Dhirendranath	Central College, Calcutta.
	" Gokulbihari	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Indubandhu	Ditto.
790	" Khagendranath	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	" Nagendranath, I	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Nagendranath, II	Ditto.
	" Parswanath	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Phanindranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Sailendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Satyaranjan	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	" Sunilchandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Surendranath	Burdwan Raj College.
	" Tejendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
800	Guptabhaya, Rameschandra	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
	Habibur Rahman	Dacca College.
	Habibur Rahman	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Hajee Ahmad	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Hajra, Girijabhushan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Gobindachandra	Serampur College.
	" Jibankrishna	City College, Calcutta.
	" Nanigopal	Burdwan Raj College.
	" Sailendrakumar	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	" Satischandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
810	" Sureskumar	Midnapur College.
	Haldar, Haramohan	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	" Jajneswar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Panchugopal	Serampur College.
	" Parbaticharan	Dacca College.
	" Sudhirchandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Hamid Ali	T. N. Jubilee College, Bagalpur.
	Hlaing Bwa	Rangoon College.
	Hla Maung, I	Ditto.
	Hla Moung, III	Ditto.
820	Hla Pe	Ditto.
	Hla Saung	Ditto.
	Homchaudhuri, Srinibaschandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Horchaudhuri, Sailendrasankar	Krishnagar College.
	Iakub Ali	Burdwan Raj College.
	Ijjot Ali Molla	Pabna Edward College.
	Indra Dewan Saran	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Indu, Upendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Ishwari Prosad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Jadunandan Prasad	B. N. College, Bankipur.

No.	Name	College
830	Jafiruddin Boxy	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	Jagdish Prasad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Jagdishwar Prasad	Patna College.
	Jainath Prosad	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	James Ezikiel Mollah	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 11.
	Jamuna Prasad, I	Patna College.
	Jana, Surendranath	Midnapur College.
	Jas, Sadananda	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Joardar, Jitendranath	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Manmathanath	City College, Calcutta.
840	John, P.	Non-Collegiate Student, Pat N. 1.
	„ T. C.	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	„ Tun Myat	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Joseph, Arputham Deva-Nayagam	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. N. 1.
	„ Deacon V. O.	Serampur College.
	„ K. P.	Ditto.
	Kailasprasad Singh	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Kalim Uddin	Comilla Victoria College.
	Kameshvar Prasad	Patna College.
	Kameshwar Prasad Verma*	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
850	Kar, Gaurinath	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Jajneswar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Nabinchandra	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Prabodhchandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	„ Saratchandra	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	„ Swapneswar	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Karmajumdar, Harigopal	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Jatindrakumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Karmakar, Bijaykrishna	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Kshetramohan	Central College, Calcutta.
860	Karunakaran, K.C.	Serampur College.
	Kashishwar Prosad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Kedarnath Varma	Diamond Jubilee College, Monghyr.
	Kedarnath Varma	G. B. B. College, Muzafferpur.
	Keola Prasad Srivastava	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Khan, Abaninath	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	„ Hemendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Murarimohan	Krishnagar College.
	Khayer Zamman	City College, Calcutta.
	Khondkar Muhammad Ali	Presidency College, Calcutta.
870	Kirtania, Harabilas	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	K. M. Ashraf Uddin	City College, Calcutta.
	Koar, Haripada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Kosby, Jacob	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	„ K. George	Ditto.
	„ T. C.	Serampur College.
	Krishnakumur Prosad	Patna College.
	Kulabi, Girijanath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Kundu, Makhanlal	Dacca College.
	„ Nityagopal	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
880	„ Pratulchandra	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Ramanimohan	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Surendranath	Midnapur College.
	„ Tarapada	Serampur College.
	„ Tarapada	Pabna Edward College.
	Kuri, Ramchandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Kusari, Jadunath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Kyaw Nyun	Rangoon College.
	Kyaw Maung	Ditto.
	Laha, Phanindrabhushan	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
890	Lahiri, Bibhorkumar	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Dwijendranath	Victoria College, Narail.
	„ Kuladaprasad	Burdwan Raj College.
	„ Mudhusudan	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Narendrakanta	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Lala, Nawal Kishore Lal	Patna College.
	Laskar, Kshitindranath	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	L. Chan E.	Rangoon College.
	Lodh, Mathuramohan	Central College, Calcutta.

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No.	Name	College
	Lutfur Rahman	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
900	M. Abdul Karim	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Mafizuddin Ahamed	Central College, Calcutta.
	Mafizuddin Ahmed	Comilla Victoria College.
	Mahabir Prasad	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Mahamed Umed Ali	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	Mahamed Yasin	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Mahammad Abdul Malak	Comilla Victoria College.
	Mahammad Ali	Ditto.
	Mahammad Haniff	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 65.
	Mahammad Ismail	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
910	Mahammed Sharfuddin Khan	City College, Calcutta.
	Mahboobor Rahman	Comilla Victoria College.
	Mahanti, Madhusudan	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	" Surendranath	Ditto.
	Mahapatra, Madhusudan	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Kat. N. 11.
	Mahendra Presad	Patna College.
	Maheshwar Prasad	Ditto.
	Mahmed Muslim	Comilla Victoria College.
	Maiti, Girischandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Sarodaranjan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
920	Maitra, Bhabaniprasad	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Debendrakumar	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	" Dhirendranath	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	" Kamalkumari	Bethune College.
	" Kshitischandra	Pabna Edward College.
	" Satyacharan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Sibchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Majumdar, Asutosh	Dacca College.
	" Dhirendranath	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	" Girindrakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
930	" Jatindranath, I	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Jibankumar	Central College, Calcutta.
	" Jitendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Jitendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Jyotishchandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Kantichandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Kshirodchandra	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Manoranjan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Nalinimohan, II	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Nripendrakumar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
940	" Prabhatchandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Pramathanath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Rajkumar	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	" Sachindrachandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	" Sumati	Bethune College.
	" Surabandhu	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	" Surathkumar	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Suryyakanta	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Syamacharan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Upendrachandra	City College, Calcutta.
950	" Upendrachandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	Malakar, Surendranath	Pabna Edward College.
	M. Ali Aktar Khan	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Mallik, Hrishikes	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Narendranath	Ditto.
	" Pasupatinath	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Mallik, Raghunath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Mandal, Biratchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Janakinath	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	" Madhusudan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
960	" Manilal	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Niranjan	Ditto.
	" Ramrup	Ditto.
	Mangal Das Deva	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Masharraff Hussain	Pabna Edward College.
	Maulik, Nagendranath	Ditto.
	Maung Ba Lin	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Maung Ba Tin	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. N. 7.

No.	Name	College
	Maung Hte	Rangoon College.
	Maung Hnin	Baptist College, Rangoon.
970	Maung Maung Lat	Rangoon College.
	Maung Nyun	Ditto.
	Maung Pe	Ditto.
	Maung Po Aye	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Maung Po Chit, II	Rangoon College.
	Maung Po Kha	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Maung Po Maung	Rangoon College.
	Maung Po Pe	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Maung Pu, II	Rangoon College.
	Maung Thein Maung	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. N. 15.
980	Maung Tin, IV	Rangoon College.
	Maung Tun E.	Ditto.
	Maung Tun Maung	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Mayashankar	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Md. Abdul Bari	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	,, Abdul Bari	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Abdul Hadi	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Abdullah	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	,, Abdul Wahed	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
	,, Azizul Haq	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
990	M. Damodra Raj	Rangoon College.
	Md. Fozlul Hoq	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	,, Gholam Jilani	Ditto.
	,, Habibur Rahim	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	,, Jasiruddin	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Mozuffur, I	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	,, Muzaffar Ali Bhuiyah	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Quasim	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	,, Shahid Karim	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Mg. Kyaw Zan	Rangoon College.
1000	,, Lun Maung, II	Ditto.
	,, Po Than	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	,, Shwe Baw	Rangoon College.
	,, U. Tha	Ditto.
	Mir. Kasemuddin	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Misra, Bamadeb	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	,, Bhagiratha	Dittto.
	,, Bhubaneshwar	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Brajagopal	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 62.
	,, Chakradhar	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	,, Devakrishna	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Jaganmohan	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	,, Jyotirnath	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Sasibhushan, I.	Ditto.
	,, Surendranath	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Mitra, Abanikanta	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	,, Amiyakrishna	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Anathnath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Apurbakumar	Midnapur College.
	,, Bhupendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
1020	,, Charuchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Charuchandra	Midnapur College.
	,, Dasarathi	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Harendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Hemchandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Hirendranath	St. Paul's C. M College, Calcutta.
	,, Jnanendrath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	,, Kesabchandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Kiranchandra	City College, Calcutta
	,, Manoranjan	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
1030	,, Nanigopal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Panabicharan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Phanindranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Prabhatchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Prakaschandra	Ditto.
	,, Pramathanath	Victoria College, Cooch Behar.
	,, Pulinbihari	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	,, Pulinkrishna	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.

	Name	College
	Mitra, Sadhanchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Santoshkumar	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
1040	,, Satyendralal	Midnapur College.
	,, Saurindrakrishna	Bangabashi College, Calcutta.
	,, Shaibalini	Bethune College
	,, Surendranath	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	,, Sureschandra	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Mitraray, Surendranarayan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	M. Ohaidullah	G. B. B. College, Muzafferpur.
	Mohamad Yaqub	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Mohamed Ismail	City College, Calcutta.
	Mohammad Ali Imam	G. B. B. College, Muzafferpur.
1050	,, Anisul Haque	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	,, Azizuddin	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Badiuzzaman	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Hamza	G. B. B. College, Muzafferpur.
	,, Idris*	Diamond Jubilee College, Monghyr.
	,, Ishaque	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Khalil	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	,, Manzoor Hasan	G. B. B. College, Muzafferpur.
	,, Mohsin Malick	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Moinul Huque	B. N. College, Bankipur.
1060	,, Osman	Dacca College.
	,, Sarfraz Siddiqui	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	,, Shumshul Hasan	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	,, Yasin Khan	Ditto.
	Mohammed Abdul Matin	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Fazlul Karim	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	,, Mahmud	City College, Calcutta.
	Mohd. Ishaque	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Mohiuddin Ahmed	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Mohomed Siddique	Cotton College, Gauhati.
1070	Moti Prosad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Muhammad Ahamed	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	,, Ahbab Choudhury	Ditto.
	,, Fuzlur Rahman Siddiqui	Krishnagar College.
	,, Najmul Haque†	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	,, Rashiduddin	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	,, Shamsur Rahman	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	,, Ismail Uddin	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Mujaffar Ali	Comilla Victoria College.
	Mukhlal Sinha	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
1080	Mukhopadhyay, Abanibhushan	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	,, Achintyamohan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Amarendranath	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	,, Amulyachandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Arabinda	Victoria College, Narail.
	,, Arunprakas	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Asutosh	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Aswinikumar	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	,, Bankimbihari	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Bankimchandra	Pabna Edward College.
1090	,, Bankimchandra	Hughli College.
	,, Becharam	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 24.
	,, Bholanath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Bholanath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Bholanath	Krishna Chandra College, Hetampur.
	,, Bhupalchandra	Krishnagar College.
	,, Bhupendranath	Ditto.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Bidyudbaran	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Bimalendubhushan	Krishnagar College.
1100	,, Binoygopal	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Binaykumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Birendrachandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Bireswar	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Gaurpada	Krishna Chandra College, Hetampur.

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	Name	College
	Mukhopadhyay, Gopendrakrishna	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Gopiballabh	Central College, Calcutta.
	" Haripada	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Herambakumar	Burdwan Raj College.
	" Himansusekhar	B. N. College, Bankipur.
1110	" Hrishikes	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Jagatbilas	Victoria College, Narail.
	" Jaminimohan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Jatindramohan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Jibankrishna	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Jitendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Jnanendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Jnanendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Jogeschandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Kesabchandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
1120	" Krishnadhan	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	" Kumudbihari	Dacca College.
	" Lakshmandas	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	" Mahadeb	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Mahimkumar	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	" Manmohan	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	" Nagendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Nagendranath, I	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Nalinikanta	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ber. N. 8.
	" Nanigopal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
1130	" Naranarayan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Narayandas	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Narendranath	Uttarpara College.
	" Netraprasanna	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Nirajnath	Uttarpara College.
	" Nirapada	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Nirmalchandra	City College, Calcutta.
	" Nirmalsasi	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Phanindranath	Krishnagar College.
	" Praphullachandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
1140	" Rabindranath	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	" Ramapada	Burdwan Raj College.
	" Rebatimohan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Sambhuchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Satischandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Satyadas	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Shachthidas	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	" Subodhkumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Subodhkumar	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	" Sudhirnath	Krishnagar College.
1150	" Sukumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Surathkumar	Victoria College, Narail.
	" Suryyakanta	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Susilchandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Susilkumar	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	" Susilkumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Tarapada	G. B. B. College, Muzafferpur.
	Müllerworth, Emma	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 4.
	Nag, Bimalchandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Dhirendrachandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
1160	" Jatindrakumar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Jaminikanta	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	" Nabanibhushan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Narendrachandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Paramkrishna	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	" Payodhichandra	City College, Calcutta.
	" Pramodchandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Nagchaudhuri, Praphullachandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Nair, Raman	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Nanda, Janardan	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
1170	Nandi, Bimala M.	Bethune College.
	" Bishnupada	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Girindralal	Pabna Edward College.
	" Gopendrachandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	" Jitenbihari	Krishnagar College.

No.	Name	College
	Nandi, Kumudbihari	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	" Nakuleswar	Victoria College, Narail.
	" Panchugopal	Central College, Calcutta.
	" Rabindranath	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	" Taraknath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
1180	Narayan Prasad Sinha	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Narayanchaudhuri, Sailendrachandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Nasiruddin Mandal	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Naskar, Amulyacharan	City College, Calcutta.
	" Rajanikanta	South Subarbun College, Bhowanipur.
	Nath, Debendrachandra	Metropolitan Institution, Caclutta.
	" Ganeschandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Kasiswar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Narendrachandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet
	" Prasannakumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
1190	" Prasannakumar	Comilla Victcria College.
	Nawab Ali Ahmed	Rajshahi College.
	Nayak Nakul Chandra	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Nayebulla Khan	Rajshahi College.
	Niyogi, Gopalchandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	" Kartikchandra	Metropolitan Institution.
	" Prabhatchandra	Dacca College.
	" Upendranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Nurul Amin	Anandamohan College, Mymensirgh.
	Pain, Bankubihari	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
1200	Pal, Bhupendranath	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	" Digendrachandra	M. C. College, Sylhet.
	" Gangacharan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Gopeswar	Non-Collegiate Student, Ber. N. 4.
	" Jatindranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Jitendranath	Daulatpur Hindu Academy.
	" Kuraram	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Manindramohan	Cooch-Bihar Victoria College.
	" Manomohan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Mathuramohan	Murari Chand College, Sylhet.
1210	" Nagendranath	Midnapur College.
	" Narendranath	Metropolitan Institution.
	" Niladri	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	" Nripendrakrishna	Dacca College.
	" Prabinchandra	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	" Rameschandra	Central College, Calcutta.
	" Satishchandra	Ananda Mohan College, Mymensingh.
	" Tustu Pada	Metropolitan Institution.
	Pal Chaudhuri, Dhirendranath	Murari Chand College, Sylhet.
	Palit, Sarasija Kanta	Central College, Calcutta.
1220	" Sat Kari	Burdwan Raj College.
	Palya, Jotindra Nath	City College, Calcutta.
	Pan, Kripapada	Serampur College.
	Panda, Bhabes Chandra	City College, Calcutta.
	" Gadadhara	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Pandey, Bhagwatsaran	Central College, Calcutta.
	Pandit, Santosh Kumar	Metropolitan Institution.
	" Uchil Lal	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Panigrahi, Gobindachandra	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Parira, Raghunath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
1230	Patgiri, Chintaharan	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Pathak, Amiya Kumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Nanilal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Pati, Banchhanidhi	Revenshaw College, Cuttack.
	" Loknath	Ditto.
	Pattanayak, Gouricharan	Ditto.
	Pattanayan, Ramaniranjan	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Pe Than	Rangoon, College.
	Pe Thet	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Pereira, O. F.	Rangoon College.
1240	Pho Tin Hlaing	Rangoon College.
	Phukan, Sukhendranath	Cooch Behar Victoria College.
	Po San Myint	Rangoon College.
	Poddar, Jatindramohan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Manomohan	Jagannath College, Dacca.

No.	Name	College
	Pradhan, Haranarayan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Srinibas	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Praharaja, Brajamohana	Ditto.
	Pramanik, Amritalal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Harendranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
1250	„ Nityananda	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Rajanikanta	Ditto.
	„ Sasadhar	Rajshahi College.
	„ Sricharan	Ditto.
	Probal, Bella Agnes	Diocesan College, Calcutta.
	Puniram Sahariah	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Purohit, Satchidananda	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	PusphanarayanJha	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Raha, Jyotindranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Suryyakumar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
1260	Rai Srinandan Prasad	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Raj Shumsher Jung Bahadur Rana	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Rajendra Proshad, II	G. B. B. College, Muzafferpur.
	Rajeshwari Prasad	Patna College.
	Rajguru, Bibhutibhushan	Central College, Calcutta.
	Ramakanta Jha	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Rambahadur Prasad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Ramchandra Prasad Sinha	G. B. B. College, Muzafferpur.
	Rameshwar Dalmia	City College, Calcutta.
	Rameshwar Prosad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
1270	Ramizuddin Ahmed	City College, Calcutta.
	Rangnath Jha	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 77.
	Rath, Krushnachandra	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Rauth, Birendrachandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Ray, Abanibhushan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Anantakumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Atulchandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Bhupatibhushan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Bhupatinath	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Bimalaksha	Burdwan Raj College.
1280	„ Bholanath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Binodbihari	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Bireswar	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	„ Brajanath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Chhatrapati	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Dhirendrachandra	Dacca College.
	„ Dhirendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Durgadas	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	„ Girijakanta	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Haripada	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
1290	„ Harendrachandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Hemantakumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Jagatbandhu	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Jibananda	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Jitlal	Burdwan Raj College.
	„ Jogeschandra	Victoria College, Narail.
	„ Jogeschandra	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Jyotishchandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Kiranchandra	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Kshetramohan	Comilla Victoria College.
1300	„ Kumudnath	Krishnagar College.
	„ Kshitischandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Lakshmanchandra	Burdwan Raj College.
	„ Lakshmikumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	„ Lalitmohan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Madanlal	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Mangalmay	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	„ Manindranath	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	„ Manomohan	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Matilal	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
1310	„ Nepalchandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	„ Nirmalchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Nisikanta	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Nripendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Pramadacharan	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Pramodchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.

	Ray, Pulingopal	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Radhasyam	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Ramanimohan	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Rampada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
1320	,, Sadhucharan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Sarojbihari	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Satischandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Sripaticharan	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Subodhkumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Surendranath	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	,, Susilkumar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Upendrakumar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Raychaudhuri, Amiyakumar	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	,, Arunprasad	Ripon College, Calcutta.
1330	,, Bhupendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Bibhutidhar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Gishpatibhushan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Gopendranarayan	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Jnanapriya	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Kalipada	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Kshirodgopal	Krishnagar College.
	,, Naresgobinda	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Prabodhchandra	City, College, Calcutta.
	,, Phanibhushan	Hindu Academy, Daultpur.
1340	,, Premranjan	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	,, Rajendrachandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Ramendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Sibsankar	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Srischandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Subodhchandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Sudhirchandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	,, Sureschandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Rayghatakchaudhuri, Amritalal	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
	Roy, Monica	Diocesan College, Calcutta.
1350	Rudra, Anindrakumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	S. Gurumoorthy	Rangoon College.
	S. M. Abraham Jaafri	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	S. Rahmatullah Aurangi	City College, Calcutta.
	Sadarali Khan	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	Safiar Rahman	Comilla Victoria College.
	Safiruddin Ahmad	City College, Calcutta
	Saha, Abinaschandra	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	,, Benimadhab	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Benimadhab *	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
1360	,, Bhupendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Brajabasi	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
	,, Dwijendranath	Metropoliton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Gadadhar	Pabna Edward College.
	,, Krishnakumar	Brajamhan College, Barisal.
	,, Madanmohon	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Manindramohan	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	,, Manomohan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Mohinimohan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Nabadwipchandra	Comilla Victoria College.
1370	,, Nabadwipchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Nanilal	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Narendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Nisikanta	Brajomohan College, Barisal.
	,, Nrityagopal	Pabna Edward College.
	,, Pranhari	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Prasannakumar	Non-Collegiate Student, Chi. N. 7.
	,, Sadhucharan	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	,, Surendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Syamacharan	Victoria College, Cooch-Bihar.
1380	Sahay, Bisweswarprasad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Sakhawat Hossain Mollah	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Samanta, Pankajaranjan	Midnapur College.
	Samaddar, Bijaygopal	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.

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	Samaddar, Birajmohan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Hemchandra	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Sanyal, Chandranath	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	„ Girindranath	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Harendralal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Haridas	City College, Calcutta.
1390	„ Hemendranath	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
	„ Jyotirindranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Nareschandra	Serampur College.
	„ Sudhansubikas	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	„ Tarapada	Pabna Edward College.
	Sarangi, Gatikrishna	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	Sarkar, Adwaitachandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Amarendranath	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	„ Anukulchandra	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Bagalaprasanna	Comilla Victoria College.
1400	„ Bhupatibhushan	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Bishnudas	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Brajendralal	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Debendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Dhirendrachandra	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
	„ Durgapada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Girindramohan	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	„ Harendrakumar	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Com. N. 3.
	„ Harendranath	Rajshahi College, Baulia.
	„ Jatindrakumar	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
1410	„ Jatindramohan	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Jatindranath	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Jnanendralal	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Khagendranath	Ditto.
	„ Mahendranath, II	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Manomohan	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Nagendrakumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Nandagopal	Ditto.
	„ Narayandas	Uttarpara College.
	„ Panchanan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
1420	„ Prakaschandra	Ditto.
	„ Radhakumar	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Ramanimohan	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Ramkisor	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Saratchandra	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	„ Satindralal	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	„ Sudhansudhar	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Syamacharan	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	„ Taranikanta	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Upendralal	City College, Calcutta.
1430	Sarma, Debendranath	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	„ Jatindranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Sadananda	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	„ Saradacharan	Comilla Victoria College.
	Sarmabaruya, Anandeswar	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Sarmaray, Aswinikumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Sau, Gobindachandra	Midnapur College.
	Saw, Bholanath	Serampur College.
	Sayed Nural Huda	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Sayedar Rahman	Chittagong College.
1440	Sein Pe	Rangoon College.
	Sen, Amiyabhushan	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Atulkumar, II	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Binodbihari	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Debendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Dineschandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	„ Dhirendrachandra	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	„ Dhirendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Durgapada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Ganeschandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
1450	„ Harischandra	Ravenshaw College, Katak.
	„ Harischandra	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	„ Jasodaranjan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Jatindrachandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	„ Jatindramohan	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.

	Sen, Jitendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Jnanendranarayan	Ditto.
	,, Jyotischandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Kasichandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Kiran Kumar	Metropolitan Institution.
1460	,, Kiranlal	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Mahendranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Nepalchandra	Victoria College, Cooch Bihar.
	,, Nirmalchandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Nibaranchandra	Chittagong College.
	,, Panchugopal	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	,, Prabhaschandra	Burdwan Raj College.
	,, Praphullachandra	Pabna Edward College.
	,, Praphullachandra	Non-Collegiate Student, Baul N 2.
	,, Rathindranath	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
1470	,, Subaskusum	Pabna Edward College.
	,, Suklal	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Sengupta, Anukulchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Anutosh	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	,, Asutosh	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Atulkumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Bijaykanta	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Debendranath	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Jitendrachandra	Ditto.
	,, Jitendranath	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
1480	,, Kamakhyaprasad *	Serampur College.
	,, Lalitkumar	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	,, Nagendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Nakulchandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Nalinikanta	Victoria College, Narail.
	,, Narendranath II	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Nirendrakumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Nirmalchandra	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Dau N. 4.
	,, Nripendrachandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Pramathanath	Ditto.
1490	,, Panchanan	Ditto.
	,, Premansukumar	Non-Collegiate student Roll Dau N. 5.
	,, Priyakumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Sengupta, Pulinbihari	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Rameschandra	Victoria College, Cooch Behar.
	,, Saileschandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Sarojkumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Subodhchandra	Victoria College, Cooch Behar.
	,, Subodhchandra	G. B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.
	,, Sukumar	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
1500	,, Upendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Seth, Bishnucharan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Shafquat Hussain Ahmed	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Shaikh Mahammad Jehani	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Shaik Nurul Hassan	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Shaikh Sana-uddin	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Shambhu Dayal	Patna College.
	Shamsuddin Ahmed Khan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Sharfuddin Ahmad	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
	Shiva Narain Prosad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
1510	Shukla, Ramkinkar	G. B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.
	Shwe Tha	Rangoon College.
	Sikhdar, Satischandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Sil, Gopinath	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Manomohan	Ditto.
	,, Susilkumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Upendrachandra	Anandamohon College, Mymensingh.
	Sinha, Akhilkrishna	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Anathnath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Bhujangabhushan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
1520	,, Bijaykrishna	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Birajanath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Chandramohan	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.

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	Sinha, Debendra Narayan	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	„ Gangananda	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 73.
	„ Hridayanarayan	G. B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.
	„ Hrishikes	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Kalipada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Kedar Nath	Patna College.
	„ Lakshminarayan	G. B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.
1530	„ Manindrakumar	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	„ Premsudha	Bethune College, Calcutta.
	„ Sadashivaporshad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	„ Saradaprasad	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	„ Satischandra	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Sureschandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	„ Umeschandra	Ditto.
	Sinharay, Sanjibchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Sinhasarma, Bhupendrachandra	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	„ Dwarikaprasad	B. N. College, Bankipur.
1540	Sitala Prasad Sukla	Patna College.
	Som, Gunendranath	Serampur College.
	„ Prabhatranjan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Rakhaldas	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Surendrakumar	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Taranikanta	Pabna Edward College.
	Soon Darum	Rangoon College.
	Soyed Abdul Malek	Serampur College.
	Subramani	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Sukul, Ratikanta	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
1550	„ Kalicharan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Summers, Eileen	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ran. F. N. 9.
	Sundramoorthy, C. G.	Rangoon College.
	Sur, Dhireschandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Pareschandra	Uttarpara College.
	Surajnath Prasad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Surat Shaikh	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Surendra Narayen	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Krishnamohan Swain	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Syed Abdul Majid	Presidency College, Calcutta.
1560	„ Abdus Samad	Patna College.
	„ Md. Abdus Sattar	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Abu Nasar Muhammad Ali Akbar	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Ali Hamed	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	„ Ali Raza	Krishnath College, Berhampur
	„ Amir Uddin	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	„ Anwarul Hassan	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	„ Dilawar Ali	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Ghani Ahmed Hashmi	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Hafizur Rahman	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
1570	„ Jalaluddin	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Manzoorul Haque	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	„ Md. Ismail Hamadani	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Pat. N. 12.
	„ Md. Izharul Haque	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	„ Mohammad Munzor Ahsun	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	„ Mohammad Nasirul Hassan	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	„ Mohammad Shafi *	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	„ Moin Uddin	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	„ Mojawar Ali Meerza	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Noor Uddin	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
1580	„ Sajjad Hussain	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Shamsul Hoda	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	„ Sharfuddin Ahmad	G. B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.
	Talukdar, Jitendranath	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Rajendranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Tan Eik Gwan	Rangoon College.
	Tankendra Bickram Shah *alias* Satrughna Raja	Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Tapaswi, Manibhushan	Krishnagar College.
	Ta Pe Po	Rangoon College.

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	Taraphdar, Niranjan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
1590	Tej Narayan Jha	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Tewari, Surendranath	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	Thein Pe	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Thomas C. Abraham	Serampur College.
	Torab Uddin Mollah	Rajshahi College.
	Tripathi, Alekhachandra	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Tufel Ahmed	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Ukil, Baradacharan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Upadhyay, Baleswar	Patna College.
	" Debidayal	B. N. College, Bankipur.
1600	" Ramkailas	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Veda Brot Pande	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Wahed Ali Ahmed	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Wajidali Barabhueya	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	War Fredishon	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Yakub Ali Choudhuri	Pabna Edward College.
	Yeo Swee Byan	Rangoon College.
	Yuel Lakra	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Yusoff Ahamed Shaikh	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Yusuff Ali Barbhuiya	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
1610	Zahiruddin Ahmad	Chittagong College.
	Zahiruddin Ahmed	City College, Calcutta.
1612	Zil Hossain Sirkar	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.

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(*In Alphabetical order.*)

	Abdul Baree	Dacca College.
	" Goffur, II	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Wahhab	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Abraham, Joseph K.	Serampur College.
	Abul Barkat	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Acharyya, Atulchandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Aditya, Kaumudikumar	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Alabox Bepari	Comilla Victoria College.
	Amanat Ullah	Midnapur College.
10	Ataur Rahman	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Aung Gyet	Baptist College, Rangoon.
	Ayodhya Prasad	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Bandyopadhyay, Apurbakrishna	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Jagadindranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Kaliprasanna	Central College, Calcutta.
	" Kshetramohan	Patna College.
	" Nanibhushan	Pabna Edward College.
	" Panchanan	Central College, Calcutta.
	" Paresnath	Burdwan Raj College.
20	" Phanibhushan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Saradindu	Serampur College.
	" Sudhirchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Tulsidas	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Upendranath	Rajshahi College.
	Baruya, Girindralal	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Basak, Radhagobinda	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Ba Su	Rangoon College.
	Basu, Amulyakumar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Girijaprasanna	City College, Calcutta.
30	" Nikhilnath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	" Nirodkumar, II	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Prakaschandra	Central College, Calcutta.
	" Surendranath	Serampur College.
	Bhattacharyya, Akshaykumar	Dacca College.
	" Bharatchandra	Central College, Calcutta.
	" Gurubrahma	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Hirendranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	" Mrityunjay	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	" Nagendramohan	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.

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40	Bhattacharyya, Panchanan	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Paresnath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Parswanath	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Phanibhushan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Rabindranath	Uttarpara College.
	,, Syamapada	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Bhaumik, Kshetramohan	Comilla Victoria College.
	Biswas, Nalinimohan	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Rajendrachandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	,, Upendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
50	Brahmachari, Krishnadas	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Brijkishory Nandan	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Chakrabarti, Benimadhab	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	,, Binodbihari	Dacca College.
	,, Bipinbihari	Metropoliton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Chandramohan	Victoria College, Cooch-Behar.
	,, Jatindrachandra, I	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Jitendrnath, II	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Jyotischandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Kumareschandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
60	,, Manoranjan	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Nakuleswar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Pramathakumar	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	,, Pulinbihari	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	,, Praphullachandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Chanda, Upendrachandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	Chandra Bahadur Thapakshetry	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Anathbandhu	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	,, Bhudeb	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Chandranath	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
70	,, Bidhubhushan	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	,, Bijanbihari	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Dhirendranath	Pabna Edward College.
	,, Harendranath	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Hemanta K.	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	,, Kesabchandra	Uttarpara College.
	,, Khagendranath	South Suburban College, Bhawanipur.
	,, Krishnapada	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Muralimohan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Nilmani	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
80	,, Ratinath	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Tulsicharan	Serampur College.
	,, Upendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Chaudhuri, Amarnath	Uttarpara College.
	,, Asutosh	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Kalidas	Serampur College.
	,, Narendrachandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Pyarimohan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Ramanimohan	Rajshahi College.
	,, Sachindranath	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
90	,, Satindramohan	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Dam, Kaliprasanna	Pabna Edward College.
	Dan, Mukundamurari	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Daniel, Deacon M. I.	Serampur College.
	Das, Baradakanta	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Binodlal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Dhirendralal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Jogendrachandra	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Jogeschandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Kaminikumar	Cotton College, Gauhati.
100	,, Rajendrakisor	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	,, Suryyakanta	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Upendrachandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Dasgupta, Anukulchandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Kshitischandra	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	,, Satyaranjan	Central College, Calcutta.
	Dasray, Dwijendrakisor	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	Datta, Charuchandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Chandrakanta	South Suburban College, Bhawanipur.
	,, Girindrakrishna	Ditto.
110	,, Gunamay	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	,, Jogeschandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta,

No.	Name	College
	Datta, Kedareswar	Chittagong College.
	,, Manmathanath	Krishnagar College.
	,, Susilkumar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Dattabarma, Aswinikumar	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Dau. N. 2.
	De, Chintaharan	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Dinesranjan	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	,, Sisirkumar	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Deb, Harendrachandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
120	Detalukdar, Ramaninath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Devindranath Sahay	Diamond Jubilee College, Monghyr.
	Dhar, Jogendrachandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Makhanlal	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Rebatiraman	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	Faizur Rahman	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	Gangopadhyay, Haripada	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	,, Narendrachandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Ghatak, Anilchandra	Rajshahi College.
	,, Nripendranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
130	,, Sachindrachandra	Central College, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Aditinath	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	,, Amarendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Amarnath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	,, Apurbakumar	Serampur College.
	,, Baidyanath	Ditto.
	,, Batakrishna	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Birajmohan	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Chi. N. 9.
	,, Charuchandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Dinendranarayan	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
140	,, Nripendranath	Comilla Victoria College.
	,, Phanibhushan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Rajendrakumar	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	,, Srischandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	,, Subodhkrishna	Central College, Calcutta.
	,, Tripureschandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Ghoshal, Anukulchandra	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Biswapati	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Goswami, Atulchandra	Pabna Edward College.
	Guha, Premananda	Ditto.
150	,, Satyabrata	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Sureschandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	,, Upendrachandra	Ditto.
	Gupta, Harilal	Ditto.
	,, Jyotischandra	Cotton College, Gauhati.
	,, Praphullanath	Rajshahi College.
	Haldar, Radhakrishna	Central College, Calcutta.
	Haranandan Prasad	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Hari Bilas Narain Sinha*	Ditto.
	Harinarayan Lal	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Pat. N. 5.
160	Indrasan Prasad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Jagannath Pd.	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Kalika Prosad	Patna College.
	Kamaleshwaricharan Verma	St. Columba's College, Hazaribagh.
	Kamta Prosad Verman	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Kapileswar Prosad	G. B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.
	Kar, Hemchandra	Metropolition Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Manmathanath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	Kazi, Othniel Monorojan	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Kedarnath Rukhaiyar	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
170	Kundu, Matilal	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Lahiri, Ramendranath	City College, Calcutta.
	Lakshmikant Rao	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Laskar, Saratchandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Madhavan, K. K.	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Mahammad Khurshed	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	Mahanti, Hadibandhu	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	,, Kunjabihari	Ditto.
	Mahapatra, Loknath	Ditto.

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	Maitra, Sudhansusekhar	Central College, Calcutta.
180	" Sukumarchandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Maizuddin Ahmed	Rajshahi College.
	Majumdar, Charuchandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Debendranath	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	" Jaminikumar	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Krishnagopal	City College, Calcutta.
	" Kshirodbihari	Dacca College.
	" Munindranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	" Sachindranath	Ditto.
	" Saratchandra	Serampur College.
190	" Satyendranath	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	" Sitalchandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	" Sukumar	Ditto.
	Mandal, Rangalal	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	" Sitalchandra	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Masihdas Horo	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Mathura Proshad, II	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Maung Tun Myint	Rangoon College.
	Md. Ebrahim Hosain	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	" Rashidul Haq	City College, Calcutta.
200	Miajan Ali Mridha	Pabna Edward College.
	Midya, Iswarchandra	Central College, Calcutta.
	Misra, Gobindachandra	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	" Kamallochan	City College, Calcutta.
	" Shivendraprasad	Diamond Jubilee College, Monghyr.
	Mitra, Jagadananda	Dacca College.
	" Jitendranath	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	" Jogendranarayan	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	" Nalinimohan	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	" Rabindrakumar	Dacca College.
210	" Ramlal	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Sailendranath	Central College, Calcutta.
	Mohammad Ahsanuddin	Rajshahi College.
	Mohammad Jirjees*	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Mohammad Said Ali	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	Mohammad Afzal	Dacca College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Amalchandra	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	" Bholanath	City College, Calcutta.
	" Dwijapada	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	" Haridas	Central College, Calcutta.
220	" Harinath	Uttarpara College.
	" Jatindranath	Serampur College.
	" Jitendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Manimohan	City College, Calcutta.
	" Phanindranath	Ditto.
	" Prabhakar	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Pramathanath	Midnapur College.
	" Rajendranarayan	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Ratankrishna	Ditto.
	" Satyendranath	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
230	" Sudhirkumar	Wesleyan College, Bankura.
	" Tarapada	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Nag, Sureschandra	Serampur College.
	Nandi, Panchugopal	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	Nezamuddin Ahmed	City College, Calcutta.
	Niyogi, Bamapada	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	" Surendranarayan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Oli Meah Chowdhury	Chittagong College.
	Oomenan, P. O.	St. Paul's C. M. College, Calcutta.
	Oommen, T. J.	Serampur College.
240	Pal, Bisweswar	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	" Charuchandra	Ditto.
	" Mahendrachandra	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	" Rakhalchandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Parhi, Ramaprasad	Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
	Parmananda Verma	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Pattanayak, Ambikamadhab Prasad	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	" Rambandhu	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Pitambar, Roy Sharma	G. B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.
	Rahmatullah Ray	B. N. College, Bankipur.

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	Name	College
250	Raha, Srischandra	Rajshahi College.
	Rajguru, Asitaranjan	Central College, Calcutta.
	Ramanand Prosad	G. B. B. College, Muzaffarpur.
	Ray, Bholanath	Ditto.
	„ Bijaykumar	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Gajendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Hemendrachandra*	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Hridindranath	Anandamohan College, Mymensingh.
	„ Jogendranath	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Makhanlal	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
260	„ Nagendranath	Ditto.
	„ Upendranath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 78.
	Raichaudhuri, Gurudas	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Nalinikumar	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Radharaman	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Satyendranarayan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Saha, Aswinikumar	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Balaram	Dacca College.
	Samaddar, Asutosh	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Samsul Hoque Khan	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
270	Sanyal, Bibhuranjan	Rajshahi College.
	„ Kantichandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	„ Jnanendranath	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Anathbandhu, I	Pabna Edward College.
	„ Bholanath	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	„ Birendramohan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Harendrakrishna	Ditto.
	„ Niradranjan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Radhakrishna	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Sachindranath, II	Ditto.
280	„ Saktindranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Sasiranjan	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Surendrakumar	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	Saw, Manoranjan	Serampur College.
	Sayed Mohammad Abdul Hai	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	S. Ehsan Ahmad	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Sen, Ajitchandra	Dacca College.
	„ Bhupendrachandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Haranarayan*	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	„ Harendrakumar	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
290	„ Kshitischandra	Murarichand College, Sylhet.
	„ Nripendrachandra	City College, Calcutta.
	„ Ramaniranjan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Ramchandra	City College, Calcutta.
	Sengupta, Bilaschandra	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	„ Gopallal	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta.
	„ Hemantakumar	Hindu Academy, Daulatpur.
	„ Hiralal	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Narendramohan	Central College, Calcutta.
	„ Niradbaran	Burdwan Raj College.
300	„ Pratulchandra	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	„ Sachindrachandra	Comilla Victoria College.
	„ Satyapada	Ripon College, Calcutta.
	„ Sudhamay	City College, Calcutta.
	Shaikh Abdul Gani	Brajamohan College, Barisal.
	Sidheshwari Prasada	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	Sil, Madanmohan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Singha, Jayagovinda	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Singheswor Prosad	Ditto.
	Sinha, Bholanath	City College, Calcutta.
310	„ Chandrapati	Patna College.
	„ Gopinath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Bank. N. 1.
	„ Kaliprasad	Patna College.
	„ Nrisinhakumar	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
	„ Radha Prasad	Patna College.
	„ Sureschandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Som, Sureschandra	Pabna Edward College.
	Sur, Bhupendranath	Dacca College.
	Sutradhar, Sasibhusan	Comilla Victoria College.

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	Syad Wazir Uddin	Patna College.
320	Syed Abdul Hafeez Soharwardi	Ditto.
	„ Ali Asgher	B. N. College, Bankipur.
	„ Yawar Ali Mirza	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Tagore, Kausikinandan	Bangabasi College, Calcutta.
	Tahiruddin Ahmed	South Suburban College, Bhowanipur.
	Thakur, Harimohan	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
326	„ Jnanendranath	Krishnath College, Berhampur.

Special

The undermentioned candidates, who were permitted to sit for the examination in special subject or subjects, are declared to have passed in the subject or subjects under which their names appear :—

SANSKRIT AND LOGIC.

Chattopadhyay, Sambhudas	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 54.
De, Mahendrachandra	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 20.

SANSKRIT AND MATHEMATICS.

Bhattacharyya, Nalinikanta	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 23.

ARABIC.

Mohammad Ibrahim	Dacca College.

PERSIAN.

Abdul Hamid Khan	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Kat. N. 7.
Abu Saghair Mukhdumi	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
Sirajul Islam Choudhury	City College, Calcutta.
Syed Shah Ahamed Sajjad	B. N. College, Bankipur.

SANSKRIT.

	Bandyopadhyay, Kiranchandra	Dacca College.
	„ Panchanan	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 4.
	„ Sailendranath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal N. 37.
	„ Sudhirchandra	Dacca College.
	„ Taraprasad	City College, Calcutta.
	Basak, Kumudranjan	Rajshahi College.
	Basu, Birendranath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 20.
	„ Jatindramohan	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 14.
	„ Lalitmohan	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 21.
10	Basumajumdar, Upendramohan	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Chi. N. 11.
	Bhanja, Harihar	City College, Calcutta.
	Bhattacharyya, Bijaykali	Ditto.
	„ Kumudranjan	Murarichand College, Shylhet.
	„ Prabodhchandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Chattopadhyay, Satischandra	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Nar. N. 1.
	Chaudhuri, Hemantachandra	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 34.
	„ Jaminiranjan	Chittagong College.
	Das, Jatindranath	Murarichand College, Shylhet.
	„ Mahananda	City College, Calcutta.
20	Dasgupta, Binayendranath	Ditto.
	„ Hemchandra	Chittagong College.
	Datta, Rabindranth	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	„ Satischandra	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Hug. N. 1.

	Datta, Sudhindranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	De, Sasimohan	Murarichand College, Shylhet.
	,, Sridamchand	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 36.
	Deb, Sachindrakumar	Murarichand College, Shylhet.
	Debbarma, Jyotilal	Dacca College.
	Endo, Nalinimohan	Murarichand College, Shylhet.
30	Gangopadhyay, Krishnalal	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 35.
	Ghosh, Bijaygopal	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 46.
	,, Manindranath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 9.
	Gupta, Jnanranjan	City College, Calcutta.
	Kar, Raghunath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Kat. N. 4.
	K. Rangachari	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 87.
	Kundu, Narendramohan	Chittagong College.
	,, Syambinod	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 2.
	Mahanti, Biprucharan	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Kat. N. 5.
	Majumdar, Sudhirkumar	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 38.
40	Manna, Jatindramohan	City College, Calcutta.
	Mitra, Sailendrath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 3.
	Mukhopadhyay, Kamadananda	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 39.
	,, Mahadebgobinda	City College, Calcutta.
	,, Mohinimohan	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 30.
	,, Prankumar	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	Mustaphi, Prajapati	Krishnath College, Berhampur
	Nandi, Kshitindranath	Murarichand College, Shylhet.
	Pal, Satischandra	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Pramanik, Ramendragopal	City College, Calcutta.
50	Ray Brajendrakumar	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 49.
	,, Nirmalkumar.	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Rajkumar	City College, Calcutta.
	Raychaudhuri, Prabhatchandra	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Rameschandra.	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 1
	Saha, Bhaktibhushan	Krishnath College, Berhampur.
	,, Brajendrachandra	Dacca College.
	,, Debendrachandra	Jagannath College, Dacca.
	Samanta, Kesabananda	City College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Praphullakumar	Rajshahi College.
60	Sen, Sailendranath	Scottish Churches College, Calcutta.
	,, Sudhansubhushan	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Jyotischandra	Krishnath Collge, Berhampur.
	Sinha, Madanmohan	Non-Collegiate, Student, Roll Kat. N. 6.
64	Tat, Nandadulal	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 52.

HISTORY.

	Basu, Manindranath	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
	Deb, Prakaskrishna	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 41.
	Mitra, Manindranath	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 5.
	Mohamed Abdur Rashid	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 55.
	Mukherjee, Manojmohan	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 53.
6	Sil, Praphullasankar	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 40.

LOGIC.

Name	Institution
Chakrabarti, Praphullakumar	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 13.
Chaudhuri, Sudhirchandra	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Ser. N. 1.
Ghosh, Jabarlal	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Cal. N. 19.
Misra, Girichand	T. N. Jubilee College, Bhagalpur.
Pattanayak, Lalabihari	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Kat. N. 8.
Ray, Debiprasanna	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Haz. N. 2.
Sen, Niradbaran	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
Sinha, Satchidananda	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Pat. N. 13.
Som, Pramathanath	Rajshahi College.
Thakur Prashad	Non-Collegiate Student, Roll Haz. N. 1.

P. BRÜHL,
Registrar,
Calcutta University.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 12th June, 1917.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 12th June 1917.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up				2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	2,13,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	63,00,000	0	0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				63,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	8,88,84,720	8	10	11,67,07,931	0	0
Public Deposits at Branches	2,78,23,210	7	2			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				20,91,20,927	8	5
Bank Post Bills, etc.				16,09,705	13	0
Sundries				30,95,203	14	9
RUPEES				37,18,33,768	4	2

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities				6,55,31,562	12	0
Other authorized Investments				1,24,30,040	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities				7,29,30,711	14	6
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities				4,54,81,693	11	9
Bills discounted and purchased				2,83,57,598	7	8
Balances with other Banks				40,55,066	14	2
Bullion				......		
Dead Stock				29,41,881	10	7
Stamps				11,030	1	10
Sundries				3,95,267	0	11
				23,21,34,855	9	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	9,38,97,958	1	1	13,96,98,912	10	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches†	4,58,00,954	9	8			
RUPEES				37,18,33,768	4	2

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 6,51,127 8 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 6,89,235 0 0

Rs. 10,40,362 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 14th June 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 42·26

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID AND QUINOIDINE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3½ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. P. system,* AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1917 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	Rs
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	29 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	30 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	Rs
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	Rs
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	Rs
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tin.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0 10 0
,, ,, 2 ,,	,, 6 ,,	,,	Re.	1 0 0
,, ,, 3 ,,	,, 9 ,,	,,	Re.	1 8 0

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 11th June 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 7th June 1917.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE.										
				COIN AND BULLION.							SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).			
				In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.					
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.	TOTAL.	REMARKS.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta	1,46,04,640	31,89,08,325	33,35,12,965	4,75,59,291	1,58,87,250	32,33,560	5,17,50,000	...	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 49,00,63,630	70,84,98,677	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R50,68,41,571. (c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Section 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Ordinance No. 11 of 1917, at a cost of R40,50,63,630.
Cawnpore	...	93,36,110	93,36,110	1,97,00,653	86,07,738	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,85,03,391	
Lahore	...	6,83,07,795	6,83,07,795	1,20,33,243	2,08,49,257	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,28,82,500	
Bombay	64,91,615	28,36,81,685	29,01,73,300	3,21,90,631	2,90,22,596	30,82,052	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,42,95,279	
Karachi	...	3,12,77,430	3,12,77,430	50,56,682	36,71,625	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	87,28,307	
Madras	12,27,570	10,11,31,840	10,23,59,410	1,33,16,175	1,17,68,520	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,50,84,695	
Rangoon	...	5,97,08,295	5,97,08,295	1,71,21,341	48,73,455	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,19,94,796	
	2,23,23,825	87,23,51,480	89,46,75,305	14,69,78,016	9,46,80,441	63,15,612	5,17,60,000	...	...	...	9,99,99,946	49,00,63,630	88,99,87,645	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			95,32,660	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									48,45,000	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			88,51,42,645									TOTAL RESERVE R	88,51,42,645	

Gold worth £98,000, (R14,70,000) was transferred to the Paper Currency Reserve from the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 7th June 1917.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 7th June 1917 to 8 lakhs in sovereigns.

E. M. COOK,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st May 1917.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT.		GRAND TOTAL.
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	TOTAL.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	
Balance of 15th May 1917	28,29,200	94,98,100	4,23,02,000	1,47,68,600	64,60,700	21,48,100	7,51,77,500	2,500	20,50,400	8,00,59,600
Add—										
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st May 1917	500	...	...	18,000	...	...	18,000	...	...	18,500
	28,29,700	94,98,100	4,23,02,000	1,47,86,600	64,60,700	21,48,100	7,51,95,500	2,500	20,50,400	8,00,78,100
Deduct—										
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	23,400	4,43,600	24,700	1,200	...	4,92,900	...	...	4,92,900
Balance on 31st May 1917	28,29,700	94,74,700	4,18,58,400	1,47,61,900	64,59,500	21,48,100	7,47,02,600	2,500	20,50,400	7,95,85,200

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st Mar. 1917 Enfaced from India 12.410 lakhs, re-transferred from London 12.928 lakhs
" 1st April 1917 " 15th Apl " " ditto 1 lakh
" 16th " " " 30th " " ditto . ditto 22 lakhs
" 1st May " " 15th May " ditto . ditto 7 "
" 16th " " " 31st " " ditto . ditto 5 "

12,410 12,963

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 5th June 1917.

N H MATHESON,
for Secretary and Treasurer.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1ST TO 7TH JUNE 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.												Subsidiary Coinage for Ceylon Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.										
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native States.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Bullion for coinage transferred back to currency balance.	Cents coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	22	...	...	22	31	...	31	5	(a) 64	5	4	78	9	6	...	...	...	...
Bombay	8	...	...	8	39	...	39	...	(b) 121	1	1	123	...	...	...	1	1	...

(a) Exclusive of 2 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(b) Exclusive of 14 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint;
Calcutta, the 13th June 1917.

CURRENCY NOTE.

The following Currency Note of the Bombay Circle is stated to have been destroyed and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number; any other person claiming a right to it, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned.

Note wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
D./8 of 1917-18	ZA/65-46052	Rs. 100	Babu Ramani Mohan Dutta of Katihar, District Purneah.

CYRIL E. GWYTHER,
Assistant Accountant General, Paper Currency, Bombay.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
Bombay, the 9th June 1917.

SURVEY OF INDIA—TRIGONOMETRICAL SURVEY OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Dehra Dun, the 6th June 1917.

No. 145.—Mr. G. A. Norman, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for 1 month, under the provisions of Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations from the 22nd May 1917.

G. P. LENOX-CONYNGHAM, Colonel, R.E.,
Superintendent, Trigonometrical Survey.

IMPERIAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE IN INDIA.
Agricultural Research Institute, Pusa, Bihar.

NOTIFICATION.

June 1917.

Mr. Umrao Bahadur Mathur, L.Ag. (Lyallpur), attended the post-graduate course in Entomology at the Agricultural Research Institute and College, Pusa, from 16th June 1915 to 31st March 1916, and successfully passed through the course.

J. MACKENNA,
Agricultural Adviser to the Government of India.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 9th June 1917.

No. 1081-G.—Rai Sahib Chuni Lal Roy, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade (temporary), in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 3rd (Lahore) Division, is granted privilege leave for eleven days on medical grounds in extension of the privilege leave for one month granted in Notification No. 579-G., dated the 8th May 1917.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant-General.

AGREEMENT.

AN AGREEMENT entered into this 20th day of March 1917 between the Secretary of State for India in Council of the one part and the New Egerton Woollen Mills Company, Limited, a Company registered under the Indian Companies Act 1882 and having its registered office at Dhariwal in the Punjab, hereinafter called the Company of the other part.

Whereas it has been agreed between the Local Government of the Punjab and the Company that the Company will utilise at their Mills at Dhariwal the labour of members of a Criminal Tribe Settlement to be located at Dhariwal,

And whereas the Company has agreed to erect and maintain at its own expense suitable houses, huts and other buildings for the accommodation of the supervising staff and the members and their families of the Criminal Tribes of the Settlement provided that the Company is enabled to acquire land for the said purpose,

And whereas the Company has made an application to the Local Government of the Punjab to acquire under the provisions of Part VII of the Land Acquisition Act 1894 certain land in the villages of Rania and Dhariwal in the District of Gurdaspur in the Punjab being in admeasurement 48·74 acres or thereabouts which land is more particularly described in the schedule hereto annexed and is delineated and coloured pink in the plan hereto annexed and is hereinafter called "the said land,"

And whereas the Local Government of the Punjab after making such enquiry as is required by section 40 of the said Act is satisfied that the acquisition of the said land is needed for the construction of the houses, huts and other buildings required for the accommodation of the aforesaid Settlement of Criminal Tribes and that the construction of these works is likely to prove useful to the public,

And whereas under section 41 of the said Act the Company is required to enter into an agreement with the Secretary of State for India in Council regarding the matters set out in the aforesaid section.

It is hereby agreed and declared between the Secretary of State for India in Council for himself his successors and assigns, and the New Egerton Woollen Mills Company, Limited, for itself its legal representatives successors and assigns as follows:—

1. That the Company will pay to the Local Government of the Punjab or to such person or persons as the Local Government may appoint in this behalf all such sum or sums of money as shall be awarded under the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act of 1894 as compensation to any person or persons who may be found on enquiry held under the provisions of the said Act to be interested in the said land.

2. That the Company will pay to the Local Government of the Punjab all legal and other charges whatsoever incurred in or incidental to proceedings relating to the acquisition of the said land held before the Collector or before the Court or the Appellate Court or elsewhere.

3. That upon the Company having made the payments mentioned in the foregoing paragraphs Nos. 1 and 2 of this agreement the Local Government of the Punjab will forthwith in consideration of the payment of the compensation money and costs of acquisition aforesaid convey and grant the said land to the Company in full proprietary right free from all incumbrances and occupancy rights and together with all rights easements and appurtenances thereto whatsoever.

4. That the Company will use the said land for the purposes hereby agreed upon.

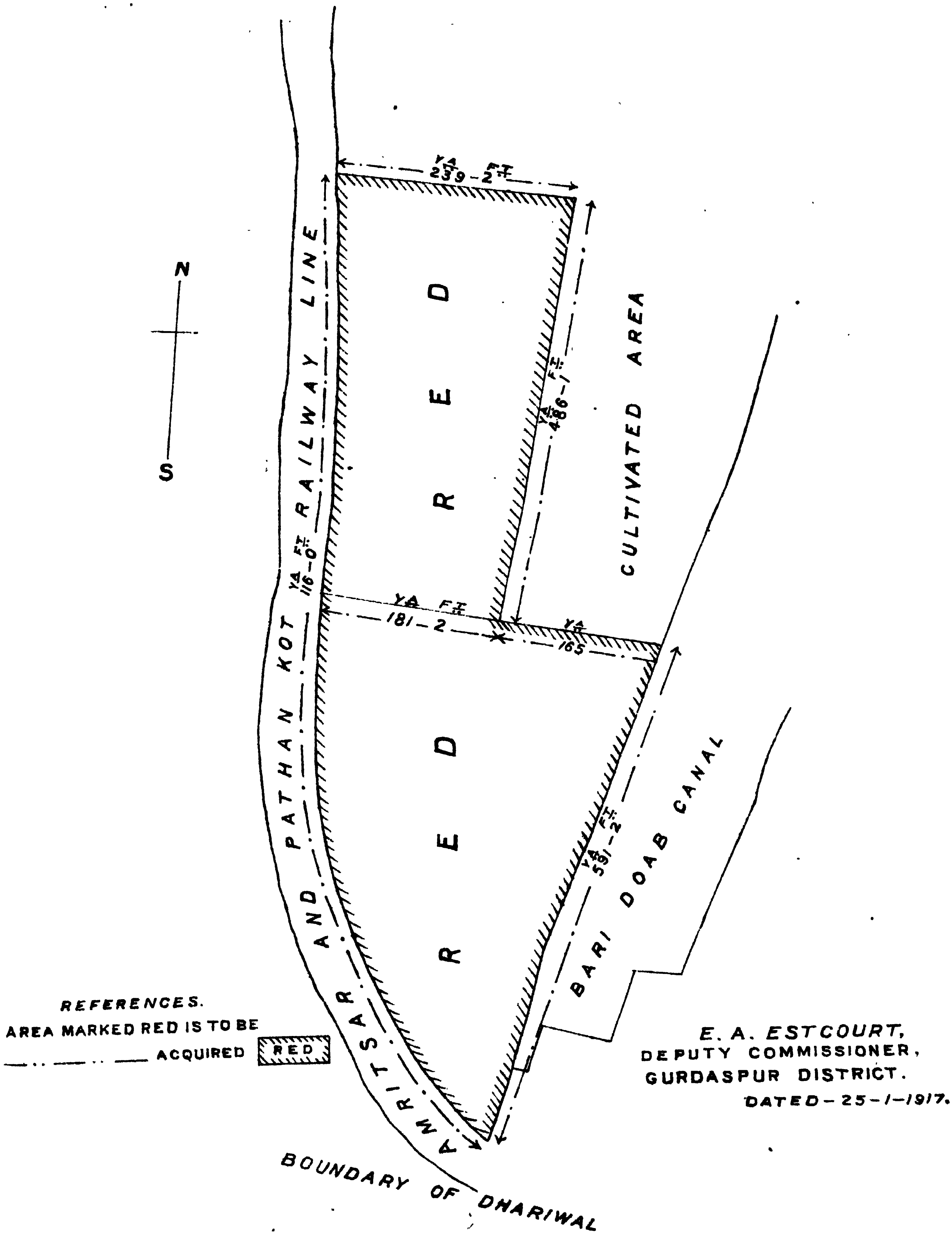
5. That the Company will use the said land for the purpose of erecting permanent houses, huts and other buildings in which to accommodate the supervising staff, and the members with their families of the Criminal Tribes Settlement to be established by the Local Government of the Punjab at Dhariwal and the land will continue to be used to this purpose as long as the Settlement is retained.

6. That the Company will immediately on being put in proprietary possession of the said land commence the construction of the residential quarters for the Officer appointed by Government to supervise the Settlement and the buildings for the accommodation of the members thereof and their families which buildings shall be completed with all possible speed and shall be of sound construction and in every way suitable for the purposes for which they are required.

7. That the Company will from time to time add to alter or extend any buildings standing on the said land or will construct other buildings on the said land as the Local Government of the Punjab may deem necessary to meet the purposes and requirements of the Settlement, and further that the Company will keep all buildings constructed by it on the said land in sound condition and good repair to the satisfaction of the Executive Engineer of the Gurdaspur district or other officer appointed by the Local Government in this behalf.

OF

THE AREA PROPOSED TO BE ACQUIRED FOR THE CRIMINAL TRIBES SETTLEMENT AT DHARIWAL.



E. A. ESTCOURT,
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
GURDASPUR DISTRICT.
DATED - 25-1-1917.

Signed and delivered by **H. D. Craik**, Revenue Secretary to the Government of the Punjab, for and on behalf of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab, acting in the premises for and on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council, in the presence of :—	Witnesses :— J. G. BEAZLEY. C. B. BARRY.
Signed and delivered by S. P. **Lilley**, acting on behalf of the New Egerton Woollen Mills Company, Limited, their successors and assigns, and sealed with common seal of the Company.	Witnesses :— DAVID R. GORDON. A. R. BALL.

8. That the Company will permit to enter upon the said land and to occupy the buildings constructed thereon by the Company such members of the Criminal Tribes together with their families as the Local Government of the Punjab or its authorised officers may from time to time send to the Settlement and such establishment for purposes of supervision watch and ward as may from time to time be deputed thereto by competent authority, and further will permit all duly authorised officers of Government and members of the public to enter upon the said land and visit the inmates and to inspect the houses, huts and other buildings of the Settlement in accordance with the Rules and Regulations in force in the Settlement.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

Witnesses.

J. G. BEAZLEY.
C. B. BARRY.

Signed and delivered by H. D. Craik, Secretary to the Government of the Punjab for and on behalf of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab acting in the premises for and on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council in the presence of :—

Witnesses.

DAVID R. GORDON.
A. R. BALL.

Signed and delivered by S. P. Lilley acting on behalf of the New Egerton Woollen Mills Company, Limited, their successors and assigns, and sealed with common seal of the Company.

H. D. CRAIK,
Revenue Secretary to Government Punjab.

SCHEDULE.

SPECIFICATION OF LAND.

District.	Tahsil	Mauza.	Area in Acres.	Boundaries.	Place where the plan may be inspected
Gurdaspur	Gurdaspur	Rania	48·23	North. Cultivated lands of village Rania.	Deputy Commissioner's Office, Gurdaspur.
				East. Upper Bari Doab Minor Canal and cultivated area of Rania.	
				West. Amritsar Pathankot Railway line	
				South Boundary line of village Dhariwal.	
		Dhariwal	·51	North Cultivated lands of village Rania	
				East. Bari Doab Minor Canal	
				West Amritsar Pathankot Railway line	
		TOTAL	48 74	South. Amritsar Pathankot Railway line.	

Signed and delivered by H D Craik, Secretary to the Government of the Punjab for and on behalf of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab acting in the premises for and on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council in the presence of :—

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Witnesses.
A. R. BALL.
DAVID R. GORDON.

H. D. CRAIK,
Revenue Secretary to Government Punjab.

UNDER-SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

Revenue Department, Land Acquisition Branch.

Calcutta, the 11th June 1917.

No. 4365-*L. A.*—The following agreement is published for general information :—

This is in modification of the agreement dated the 3rd November 1894 which was executed under Section 41 of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, and was published at pages 1158—1159, Part II of the Gazette of India of the 21st September 1895.

L. BIRLEY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Stamp annas eight.

An agreement made the seventh day of June 1917 between the Barnagore Jute Factory Company Limited a Joint Stock Company with limited liability incorporated under the English Companies Acts and carrying on business at (amongst other places) No. 100 Clive Street in the City of Calcutta (hereinafter called "the Company") of the one part and the Secretary of State for India in Council acting in the premises through the Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Revenue Department (hereinafter referred to as "the Secretary of State") of the other part whereas by an Agreement bearing date the 3rd day of November 1894 and made between the Bally Paper Mills Company Limited (hereinafter called the "Paper Company") of the one part and the Covenanted Deputy Collector of Howrah representing the Government of India of the other part it was (*inter alia*) agreed and declared by and between the parties thereto that the said Covenanted Deputy Collector should acquire for the Company under the Land Acquisition Act being Act I of 1894 the lands and hereditaments mentioned in the said Agreement and that the Company should fulfil and carry out the conditions therein mentioned of and concerning the lands so to be acquired and whereas the lands and hereditaments referred to in the said Agreement dated the 3rd November 1894 were duly acquired by the said Covenanted Deputy Collector and possession thereof was made over to the Paper Company and the stipulations on the part of the Paper Company therein contained were duly complied with and whereas by virtue of assignment and transfer from the Paper Company the Company is now possessed of and entitled to the said lands and hereditaments so acquired and made over by the said Covenanted Deputy Collector to the Paper Company as aforesaid and a short description of such lands is for registration purposes only set out in the Schedule* hereunder written and whereas the Company has made arrangements for the supply of filtered and unfiltered water in the neighbourhood of the bazar or market referred to in the said Agreement dated the 3rd November 1894 and the people of the locality have consequently discontinued and altogether abandoned the use of the tank referred to in the said Agreement and such tank has thus become insanitary and detrimental to public health and whereas the Company are desirous of developing the land now lying waste and erecting buildings thereon but are deterred by the last provision of the said Agreement dated the 3rd November 1894 and whereas under the altered circumstances and conditions it has been agreed and arranged by and between the parties that the said Agreement dated the 3rd November 1894 should be modified Now these presents witness that the first clause of the said Agreement dated the 3rd November 1894 beginning with the words "the Company shall prevent stagnation of water" and ending with the words "throw it open for the use of the public" is hereby cancelled and that the last provision of the said Agreement dated the 3rd November 1894 namely the clause beginning with the words "provided also that if the land" and ending with the words "on payment of the cost price" is hereby cancelled and in lieu of the said first clause a new clause 1 be substituted and in lieu of the said last provision an additional clause 6 be inserted as follows :—

Clause 1.—The Company hereby undertakes that the Company will at its own cost and as soon as possible properly fill up the said tank referred to in clause 1 of the said Agreement dated the 3rd November 1894 and that the Company will during the continuance of this Agreement maintain the present pipe water supply in the neighbourhood of the bazar delineated on the map or plan * hereunto annexed and shall also construct maintain and keep in repair a bathing platform and a filtered water standpost on the side of the Chaitalpara Lane also shown on the said map provided always that all land requisite or necessary for the construction or maintenance of such bathing platform and filtered water standpost shall be provided by the Bally Municipality free of charge or expense to the Company provided always that the Company shall not be required to repair any damage that may be caused to such bathing platform or filtered water standpost otherwise than by ordinary wear and tear, for example by any wilful or mischievous act.

* Not printed and published herewith, but may be inspected in the office of the Covenanted Deputy Collector of Howrah.

Clause 6.—The Company shall hold at the disposal of Government a strip of the land measuring ten feet in width along the southern edge of the road connecting the Grand Trunk Road and the Bally Railway Station, the said road being marked A B in the plan* attached to this Agreement and the said strip being coloured red in that plan,* and the Company shall deliver up the said strip of land to the Covenanted Deputy Collector of Howrah within six months of receiving a letter from the said Covenanted Deputy Collector requesting that the land be made over to him, and the Company shall not be entitled to nor shall claim any price or compensation for the said strip of land nor for any buildings thereon nor for any other addition to or improvement of the land.

Provided always that no such requisition shall be made for the delivery of the said strip unless a certificate be made under the hand of a Secretary to the Government of Bengal that the said strip is required for a public purpose.

Subject to the modifications mentioned herein, all the other terms of the Agreement dated the 3rd November 1894 remain in full force.

For the Barnagore Jute Factory Co., Ltd.

GEORGE HENDERSON & Co.,

Agents.

(1) Signature of 1st witness with designation.

GEORGE ELLIS PRAIN,

Merchant's Assistant, 100, Clive Street, Calcutta.

(2) Signature of 2nd witness with designation.

J. A. DELISLE,

Merchant's Assistant, 100, Clive Street, Calcutta.

L. BIRLEY,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue Department.

Signed, sealed and delivered by L Birley, Esq., C.I.E., I.C S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in the Revenue Department, on behalf of the Secretary of State for India in Council, in the presence of

E. W. HOPCROFT,

Assistant, Revenue Department, Government of Bengal,

Witness.

* Not printed and published herewith, but may be inspected in the office of the Covenanted Deputy Collector of Howrah

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 7th June 1917.

Retransfer.

No. 660-E.—The services of Mr. W. H. Nicholls, Architect, Member of the Imperial Delhi Committee, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India, Public Works Department, for re-employment under the Madras Government, with effect from the 10th June 1917, on which date the period of his deputation to the Public Works Department, Delhi, expires.

The 8th June 1917.

Appointment and Posting.

No. 668-E.—Mr. C. J. Brandon, having been appointed as a temporary Assistant Architect, assumed charge of his duties in the Chief Engineer's office, Delhi, to which he is posted on the forenoon of the 1st June 1917.

The 13th June 1917.

LEAVE.

No. 685-E.—Mr. Abdul Hamid, Temporary Engineer, attached to the VI Project Division, 2nd Circle, Delhi, is granted privilege leave for one month, under Articles 242 (a), 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 26th June 1917, or such subsequent date as he is relieved of his duties.

H. T. KEELING,

Secretary, P. W. D.

RESIDENT AT BARODA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Baroda, the 6th June 1917.

No. 5433.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 19 of the Bombay Abkari Act, 1878 (Bombay Act V of 1878) as amended by Bombay Act XII of 1912 as applied to the Cantonment of Baroda by the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 162-I. B., dated the 28th January 1913, and in supersession of so much of the Residency Notification No. 8551, dated the 12th August 1913, as relates to the levy of duty on charas, the Resident at Baroda is pleased to direct that, with effect from the 14th day of May 1917, a duty of Rs. thirty (Rs. 30) only per seer shall be levied on all charas imported into the Cantonment of Baroda.

No. 5434.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 14B and of section 17 of the Bombay Abkari Act, 1878 (Bombay V of 1878), as amended by Bombay Act No. XII of 1912 and as applied to the Cantonment of Baroda by the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 162-I.B., dated the 28th January 1913, and in supersession of so much of the Residency Notification No. 4655, dated the 30th March 1904, as relates to the sale of charas, the Resident at Baroda is pleased to direct that from the 1st July 1917 the maximum quantity of charas or any preparation or admixture thereof which may be possessed by any person not being a licensed vendor, or sold by retail at one time or to one and the same person in the aggregate on any one day in the Cantonment of Baroda shall be one tola.

F. MACDONALD, Lt.-Colonel.
Resident at Baroda.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Dated the 29th March 1917.

No. 282.—In supersession of Notification No. 223, dated the 11th January 1917, Sheikh Muhammad Kazim Husain, *Khan Sahib*, Superintendent, Lucknow Circle, Upper Division, Internal Branch, is granted privilege leave for 2 months and 18 days from the 16th February 1917.

The 23rd May 1917.

No. 30.—Mr. G. I. Fanthome, Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, 4th grade, with effect from the 11th January 1917, during the absence on leave of Mr. Sujan Singh Gyani, Superintendent, 4th grade, sub. *pro tem.* or until further orders.

J. F. CONNOLLY,
Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 6th June 1917.

CORRIGENDUM.

No. 1595.—In rule 1(*a*) of the revised rules for the encouragement of the study of the Brahui language published in Notification by the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner in Baluchistan, No. 4753, dated 20th October 1906, for the words "of or below the substantive grade of Political Agent of the second class" read "whose substantive pay does not amount to Rs. 1,600 a month"; and substitute the words "Superintendent" for "District Superintendent" and "Assistant Superintendent" for "Assistant District Superintendent".

By order,
R. H. CHENEVIX TRENCH,
First Assistant.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 8th June 1917.

No. 5439-C. & I.—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in Delhi Province are published for information :—

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 31st May, 1917.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.		ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee.	
	Srs.	Chts.		Srs.	Chts.
Wheat	9	12	Maize	16	0
Barley	13	0	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál)	11	0
Rice { Best sort	2	12	Firewood	60	0
Rice { Common sort	6	0	Salt { Wholesale	...	
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum)	14	0	Salt { Retail	18	0
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum)	14	8	Gur . Lawar	4	12
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana)	...		Cotton (unginned)	...	
Kangni (Setaria Italica)	...				
Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked)	12	12			

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the headquarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending the 31st May, 1917. (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82¼ LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.			ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees.		
	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Rice, unhusked	...			Cotton seed	3	3	0
,, husked	6	6	0	Ghi	57	0	6
Wheat	3	15	3	Flour (Wheat)	4	3	0
Barley	2	15	3	Tobacco Leaf (dry)	8	0	0
Oats	...			Turmeric (unground)	15	0	0
Jowar	2	12	0	Salt	2	1	0
Bajra	2	10	6	Raw Hides (Cow)	80	0	0
Maize	2	7	0	Bran	2	0	0
Gram	3	0	6	Grass (dry)	1	0	0
Arhar Dál	3	8	0	Bhusa (white)	1	0	0
Linseed	6	0	0	Jowar Stalks	1	0	6
Rapeseed (Sarshaf)	4	9	6	Bengal Coal	0	13	0
Poppy-seed	...			Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand)	2	9	3
Til (jinjili seed)	6	4	0	Plough Bullocks, per pair	250	0	0
Sugar (raw), Gur . Desi	6	0	0	Sheep, per score	80	0	0
Cotton (cleaned)	...						

Delhi, the 9th June 1917.

No. 5483-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 26th May, 1917, is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi .	225,471	91	70	161	76	99	175	...	4	...	72	10	71	1	17	1	31	31	62	37·13	40·36
	Notified Area	3,673	2	...	2	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	38·31	...
	Total .	229,144	93	70	163	76	99	175	...	4	...	72	10	71	1	17	1	31	31	62	36·96	39·71

Delhi, the 12th June 1917.

No. 5549-*Home*.—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi, during the half month ending 31st May, 1917, is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
			Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.		
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.
P. S. Alipur	58	44	...	...	...	30	...	12	...	...	2	...	12	5	17
Nangloi	21	28	..	2	...	18	..	7	...	...	1	1	4	2	6
Najafgarh	23	23		...	...	12	1	10	...	...	...	..	6	..	6
Subzimundi	10	19	..	...	...	19	..	...	.	..	..	.	4	4	8
Paharganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		.		.	...	...
Mehrauli	35	52	...	...	..	26	2	20	1	...	3	1	9	6	15
Raisina	9	17	...	...	...	15	...	2	...	...	...	...	3	2	5
Shahdara	9	8	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
New Cantonment	12	13	...	...	..	11	...	1	...	...	1	1	2	3	5
Total of the District .	177	204	...	2	...	139	3	52	1	...	7	3	41	22	68

No. 5569-*Home*.—L. Topan Ram assumed charge of his duties as Judge of the Small Cause Court, Delhi, with effect from the afternoon of the 28th May, 1917, relieving M. Rahim Bakhsh, transferred.

No. 5571-*Home*.—The services of M. Rahim Bakhsh, Judge of the Small Cause Court, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department, with effect from the afternoon of the 28th May 1917, for re-employment in the Punjab.

No. 5573-*Home*.—Under the provisions of Section 28, sub-section (1) of the Punjab Courts Act, 1884 (XVIII of 1884), L. Topan Ram is invested with the powers of a Subordinate Judge of the first class with respect to cases generally within the limits of the Civil District of Delhi.

The Chief Commissioner is pleased to direct that L. Topan Ram shall be deemed for the purposes of the said Act, to be a Subordinate Judge.

No. 5584-*Home*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 19 (1) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, 1907 (III of 1907), the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to appoint B. Basheshar Nath Goela, Pleader, to be Official Receiver under the said Act within the limits of Delhi Province.

No. 5587-*C. & I*.—The following draft amendments, which it is proposed to make in the rules made under Section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, which were issued in Punjab Government Notification No. 90, dated 15th February 1909, are published for criticism. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 15th of July 1917, together with any remarks or suggestions received on or before that date :—

Draft Amendment.

(1) Add the following to condition 6 of license Form F :—

"When, however, the quantity of dangerous petroleum does not exceed 20 gallons, it may be kept in a garage, stable or separate store-room not directly communicating with any dwelling room or room where persons assemble."

(2) In condition 11 of license form F, after the words "storage shed" insert the words "or other place of storage referred to in condition 6."

Delhi, the 13th June 1917.

No. 5609-*Home*.—Under Section 20 (2) (*d*) of the Criminal Tribes Act, Act III of 1911, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to make the following rules to regulate the notification of change or intended change of place of residence and intended absence by the registered members of a criminal tribe in Delhi Province where members of such criminal tribe have been directed under Section 10 of the said Act to notify their place of residence or any change or intended change of residence and any absence or intended absence from their residence.

Rule.

1. From or after the 20th June 1917, every registered member of a criminal tribe, in regard to whom the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, has issued a direction by a notification under Section 10 (*b*) of Act III of 1911, shall notify his actual place of residence to the Officer-in-charge of the Police Station within the limits of which he resides.

2. In case of any intendend change of residence of a temporary nature, involving an absence from the place of residence notified under rule 1 of more than one week, or in the case of any intended change of residence of a permanent nature, such registered member shall notify his intention to the Officer-in-charge of the Police Station mentioned in rule 1 at least three weeks before the date of his intended departure. At the time of notifying such intended change of residence, such member shall specify the date of his departure, the intended place of residence, the name of the Police Station in which such place is situated, the house in which he will reside and the proposed duration of his stay.

3. In the case of any intended absence other than that provided for in rule 2, every registered member of a criminal tribe shall notify his intention of absence to the Officer-in-charge of the Police Station mentioned in rule 1 at least 3 days before the date of such intended absence. At the time of notifying such intended absence such member shall specify the date of his departure, the intended place of sojourn during the absence, the Police Station in which such place is situated, and the proposed duration of his stay.

By order,

D. JOHNSTONE.

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

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ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Abu, the 5th June 1917.

No. 1248—1406.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of Act XIV of 1874 (the Scheduled Districts Act), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara is pleased, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, to extend the United Provinces Public Gambling (Amendment) Act I of 1917 to the Scheduled District of Ajmer-Merwara.

Abu, the 7th June 1917.

No. 1273—1232.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 110 (*d*) of the Ajmer Land and Revenue Regulation, II of 1877, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules relating to Patwaris, Girdawars and Registrar-Girdawars in Ajmer-Merwara issued in this office Notification No. 319—1232 of the 10th March 1913.

The following shall be substituted for rule 19 of the rules relating to Registrar-Girdawars :—

19. The Lambardars (including Patels) are paid fees for collecting the Government demand at the rate of 5 per cent. on the amount of land and water revenue (excluding cesses), actually paid into the Tahsil Treasury.

By order,

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Bombay, 11th June 1917.

No. 18.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave out of India on Medical Certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name :—

Temporary Engineer Lieutenant W. C. Munro, R. I. M. . 4 months with effect from 1st June 1917.

No. 19—The undermentioned officer is granted leave out of India on Medical Certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name :—

Commander H. M. Salmond, R. I. M. . . . . 6 months with effect from 1st June 1917.

No. 20.—The undermentioned officers are granted leave in India on Medical Certificate with effect from the dates and for the periods specified against their names :—

Temporary Lieutenant T. Reid, R. I. M . . . 3 months and 17 days with effect from 10th April 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant T. Lincoln, R. I. M. . . . 2 months and 18 days with effect from 21st April 1917.

Bombay, the 12th June 1917.

No. 21.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave in India on Medical Certificate with effect from the date and for the period specified against his name :—

Sub-Lieutenant C. K. B. Boyd, R. I. M. . . . 2 months and 16 days with effect from 2nd November 1916.

N. F. J. WILSON,

for Director, Royal Indian Marine.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 40 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 30th May 1917.

In the matter of Maung Ba of Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Maung Ba an insolvent, pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 29th day of May 1917.

CASE No. 86 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 25th May 1917.

In the matter of Subramoni Narasungham John, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Subramoni Narasungham John, No. 29, 38th Street, Rangoon, on the 21st day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 24th day of May 1917 against the said Subramoni Narasungham John.

CASE No. 87 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 28th May 1917.

In the matter of Chunmun and Jumna Lall, Insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Chunmun and Jumna Lall, hawkers of sweetmeats, No. 35, 122nd Street, Rangoon, on the 25th day of May 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Chunmun and Jumna Lall.

CASE No. 88 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 28th May 1917.

In the matter of Jana Veeranah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Jana Veeranah, Clerk, No. 35, 41st Street, Rangoon, on the 24th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 26th day of May 1917 against the said Jana Veeranah.

CASE No. 89 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 28th May 1917.

In the matter of S. Arokisawmy, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by S. Arokisawmy, Clerk of the General Hospital, Rangoon, on the 26th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 28th day of May 1917 against the said S. Arokisawmy.

CASE No. 90 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th May 1917.

In the matter of V. Thangasawmy Chetty, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by V. Thangasawmy Chetty, Commission Agent, of 30th Street, Rangoon, on the 28th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said V. Thangasawmy Chetty.

CASE No. 91 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th May 1917.

In the matter of K. A. Mahomed Ebrahim, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by K. A. Mahomed Ebrahim of No. 42, Kalabusti, Rangoon, on the 28th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said K. A. Mahomed Ebrahim.

CASE NO. 92 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th May 1917.

In the matter of Kanchirla Yenkiah, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Kanchirla Yenkiah of No. 33, 15th Street, Rangon, on the 29th day of May 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kanchirla Yenkiah.

CASE NO. 93 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 29th May 1917.

In the matter of Kadikithala Subbia, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Kadikithala Subbia, No. 2, 16th Street, Rangoon, on the 29th day of May 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kadikithala Subbia.

CASE NO. 94 OF 1917.

Rangoon the 31st May 1917.

In the matter of Gulam Rabbani, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Gulam Rabbani, Fruit Merchant, of No. 102, Dalhousie Street. Rangoon, on the 31st day of May 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Gulam Rabbani.

CASE NO. 95 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 1st June 1917.

In the matter of Deirasham Bomonji, Painter, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Deirasham Bomonji, Painter, No. 99, 39th Street, Rangoon, on the 1st day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Deirasham Bomonji, Painter.

CASE NO. 96 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 1st June 1917.

In the matter of Victor Von Boch, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Victor Von Boch, Inspector, No. 76, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 1st day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Victor Von Boch.

CASE NO. 97 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 2nd June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Thet, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Thet, Trader of Broker Street, Kemmendine, Rangoon, on the 1st day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Thet.

CASE NO. 98 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 5th June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Aung Ba, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Aung Ba, broker of No. 5, Oliphant Street, Rangoon, on the 5th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Aung Ba.

D. O'SULLIVAN,

Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
272—1917	*Re* Bhikoo Sonoo Gurate	Hindu	Chinchpokli	Moulder in the service of Bai Kashi bai	5th	June	1917	5th	June	1917
273—1917	„ Saligram Haridas Sad and Sitaram Haridas Sad.	„	Kali Chowki	Doing business in partnership as dealers in tea and sweetmeat, etc.	„	„	„	„	„	„
271—1917	„ Vasantrao Shivshankar Tanak.	„	No. 36, Mugbhat Cross Lane	Clerk in the Mofussil Co., Ltd.	„	„	„	6th	„	„
274—1917	„ Walter Herbert Eagle	European	Victoria Mansions, Ripon Road.	Fireman in the G. I. P. Railway Co.	6th	„	„	„	„	„
275—1917	„ Atmaram Bapoo Todankar	Hindu	Near Matunga Station, G. I. P. Railway.	Dealer in tobacco and country bidees	7th	„	„	7th	„	„
276—1917	„ Sakharam Lingoo Maskar	„	Walkeshwar	Milk Vendor	„	„	„	„	„	„
277—1917	„ Moorji Tejsy Sha.	„	Near J. J. Hospital	Lately doing business in partnership with Bhoja Tejsy Sha, and Manek Kellon Sha as dealers in grain in the name of Bhoja Tejsy and now servant in the employ of Sha Hirji Dharsy.	„	„	„	„	„	„
278—1917	„ Baboo Rajaram Bachan	„	Lalwadi	Lately dealer in ready made clothes and now servant in the employ of Dungersy Jeewandas.	8th	„	„	8th	„	„
279—1917	„ Tukaram Mahadeo Berday	„	Kamatipura 14th Lane	Servant in the employ of Vithal Mahadeo	11th	„	„	11th	„	„
281—1917	„ John Micheal Peris	Goanese	Mazagone, Delima Street, No. 84.	Fitter in the Bombay Port Trust	„	„	„	„	„	„
283—1917	„ Allimohomed Abdulla Cutchi Memon, Gani Abdulla Cutchi Memon, Esmail Abba Cutchi Memon, and Habib Abba Cutchi Memon.	Mahomedan	Nagdevi Street	Lately petty rent farmers in partnership, and now 1st Debtor servant in the employ of Habib Tyeb, 2nd Debtor extra tally clerk, and the 3rd and 4th Debtors servants in the employ of Edulji Burjorji.	„	„	„	„	„	„
284—1917	„ Virji Karamsy Sha	Hindu	Chinchpokli, Delisle Road	Rent Collector in the service of Manakbai Pochaji Batliboi.	„	„	„	„	„	„

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,
Bombay, this 11th day of June 1917.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

In Insolvency.

No. 706 OF 1913.

Dated the 5th June 1917.

Re Rahim Jusab, of Bombay, Khoja, residing at Byculla : an adjudged Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 17th day of December 1913 against the said Insolvent has been this day annulled.

No. 89 OF 1917.

Dated the 5th June 1917.

Re Essack Haji Cassim & Co., a partnership firm, until lately carrying on business as Commission Agents and Merchants at Kasai Molla outside the Fort, Bombay and Calcutta and under the name of Oomer Cassim at Java : adjudged Insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 12th day of February 1917 against the said Insolvents has been this day annulled.

No 254 OF 1917.

Dated the 19th May 1917.

Re Bahadarmal Nemani, of Bombay, Hindu Marwadi Inhabitant, carrying on business at Shaik Memon Street without the Fort: an adjudged Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 4th day of May 1917 against the said Insolvent has been this day annulled.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

Summary Case.

No. 79 OF 1916.

Dated the 7th June 1917.

Re Radhakissen.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 7th day of August 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 83 OF 1917.

Dated the 7th June 1917.

Re Debendra Nath Mookerjee working as a clerk in the employ of the Administrator General of Bengal at his office at No. 1, Council House Street in the town of Calcutta, and residing at Kushbah in Thana Tollygunge in the District of the Twenty-four Pergunnahs.

Ex parte the debtor. J. N. Mitra—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 30th day of May 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 84 OF 1917.

Dated the 9th June 1917.

Re Bhagaban Dass Benia residing at No. 5, Elliot Lane, in the town of Calcutta, a sweetmeat hawker.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 7th day of June 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 85 OF 1917.

Dated the 12th June 1917.

Re Miss Mary Mitter residing at No. 2, Elysium Row, in the town of Calcutta, and carrying on business as a Boarding Housekeeper and house and land agent at No. 2, Elysium Row, in Calcutta, aforesaid.

Ex parte the debtor.—Fox and Mandal—Attorneys for the Insolvent.

On the 7th day of June 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 86 OF 1917.

Dated the 12th June 1917.

Re Dinanath Dutt, residing at No. 34-5, Bancharam Ukoors Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business in co-partnership with one Nogendra Nath Pandit as Stationers under the name and style of Dinanath Dutt & Co., at No. 24, Radha Bazar Street, in Calcutta, aforesaid at present working as a paintsman.

Ex parte the debtor.—Satish Chandra Bose—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 8th day of June 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 87 OF 1917.

Dated the 14th June 1917.

Re Ram Saran Khanna, lately residing at Charatsing Kotra Amritsar in the District of Amritsar, at present residing at No. 156, Sootaputty in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business as Shawl Merchant in co-partnership with Tara Chand Kapur, Sitaram Kapur and Basantamull at No. 16, Cross Street in Calcutta aforesaid under the name and style of Basantamull Tara Chand, also at Amritsar under the name and style of Basantamull Sitaram, now working as a Gomastha under the firm of Charan Das Basumull of Calcutta.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 11th day of June 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 88 OF 1917.

Dated the 14th June 1917.

Re Shaik Abdul Karim residing at No. 110, Amherst Street, in the town of Calcutta, and formerly carrying on a lapidary business there, at present doing nothing.

Ex parte the debtor. Debtor—In person.

On the 12th day of June 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta

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IN THE COURT OF LALA TOPAN RAM, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

SUIT No. 32 OF 1917.

Dated the 28th May 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Khawja Hamid, son of Khawja Mohamed of Delhi, Kucha Raiman.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Khawja Hamid to be adjudicated him an insolvent has been admitted in this Court, and will be heard on 22nd June 1917.

SUIT No. 33 OF 1917.

Dated the 28th May 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Bhoria, son of Kalloo of Lado's Serai, Delhi Province.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Bhoria, son of Kalloo, to be adjudicated him an insolvent has been admitted in this Court, and will be heard on 23rd June 1917.

SUIT No. 34 OF 1917.

Dated the 6th June 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Mir Nawab Jan, son of Mir Abdur Razzaq of Delhi.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Mir Nawab Jan to be adjudicated him an insolvent has been admitted in this Court, and will be heard on 29th June 1917.

[SECTION 41 (1).]

Notice to Creditors of application for discharge.

IN THE COURT OF LALA TOPAN RAM, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT AT DELHI.

Dated the 25th May 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Puran Chand and Kanhya Lal, sons of Manohar Lal of Delhi, Debtors.

To

The Creditors.

Take notice that the abovenamed insolvents have applied to the Court for their discharge and that the Court has fixed the 22nd day of June 1917 at 10 o'clock for hearing the application.

FORM NO. 5.

Order appointing a Receiver

SECTION 18.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 27 OF 1917.

Dated the 2nd June 1917.

In the matter of Ram Chand, son of Chuba Mal of Delhi, Debtor.

Whereas Ram Chand was adjudicated an insolvent by order of this Court, dated 2nd June 1917, and it appears to the Court that appointment of a Receiver for the property of the insolvent is necessary.

It is ordered that a receiving order be made against the insolvent and a receving order is hereby made against insolvent and Clerk of Court is hereby constituted receiver of the property of the said insolvent.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 27 OF 1917.

Dated the 2nd June 1917.

In the matter of Ram Chand, son of Chuha Mal, caste Khatri of Delhi, Debtor.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 27th April 1917, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

FORM NO. 8.

Notice to creditors of the date of consideration of a composition or scheme of arrangement.

SECTION 27.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI.

In the matter of Insolvency of Diwan Singh, son of Ghasi Ram Aggarwal of Delhi, Debtor.

SUIT No. OF

Dated the 8th June 1917.

To

The Creditors.

Take notice that the Court has fixed the 27th day of June 1917, for the consideration of a composition (or scheme of arrangement) submitted by Diwan Singh, the debtor in the above Insolvency petition. No creditor who has not proved his debt before the aforesaid date will be permitted to vote on the consideration of the above matter.

If you desire to be represented at the above mentioned hearing you should be present in person or by duly instructed pleader with your proofs.

TOPAN RAM,
Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 5th June 1917.

No. 1276s-*Ap*.—The following officiating appointments are made with effect from the 16th May 1917 and until further orders:—

Rai Radhika Mohan Lahiri Bahadur, Assistant Director-General of the Post Office in the grade of Rs. 1,000 to act in the grade of Rs. 1,200—1,400;

Rao Bahadur P. Anantha Krishnama Charlu, Assistant Director-General of the Post Office in the grade of Rs. 800 to act in the grade of Rs. 1,000;

Mr. C. G. Hamilton, Financial Personal Assistant to the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, pay Rs. 400—500, to act as Assistant Director-General of the Post Office in the grade of Rs. 800;

Babu Manindra Nath Banerji, Technical Personal Assistant to the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, pay Rs. 400—500, to work as Financial Personal Assistant to the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, on his own pay;

Mr. A. J. L. Gonet, Chief Clerk, Office of the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, Simla, to act as Technical Personal Assistant to the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, pay Rs. 400—500.

Simla, the 7th June 1917.

No 1315-s-Ap.—Mr. Khoo Po Ain, Probationary Superintendent of post offices, Burma, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 1st June 1917 and until further orders.

Simla, the 9th June 1917.

No. 1347-s-Ap.—Babu Suresh Chandra Dutt, clerk, office of the Director General of Posts and Telegraphs, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, with effect from the 21st May 1917 and until further orders.

No. 1351-s-Ap.—Mr. Jiwan Nath Dar, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 4th grade, is granted leave on medical certificate for 2 months with effect from the 17th May 1917.

The following officiating appointments are made during his leave on medical certificate or until further orders :—

Pt. Ishri Pershad, Assistant Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, officiating in the 1st grade attached to the office of Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, J. Division, to hold charge of the current duties of the office of Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, J. Division, in addition to his own duties, from the 17th May 1917 to 29th May 1917 inclusive.

Mr. Daulat Ram, Probationary Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, to act as Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, from the 30th May 1917.

Simla, the 12th June 1917.

No. 1372-s-Ap.—Mr. V. S. Khare, Superintendent, office of the Postmaster-General, Central Circle, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, and Personal Assistant to the Postmaster-General, Central Circle, from the 17th May 1917 and until further orders.

No. 1379-s-Ap.—Khan Sahib H. B. Vakil, Postmaster, Surat, pay Rs. 200—300, is appointed to officiate as 2nd Assistant Postmaster, Bombay, pay Rs. 300—400, with effect from the 22nd May 1917 and until further orders.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 8th June 1917.

No. 1114-s-E.-E.—Mr. E. G. Wightman, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, is granted special (field) leave for three months with effect from the 18th September 1916, under Army Department letter No. H.-5332, dated the 4th June 1915.

Simla, the 12th June 1917.

No. 1145-s-E. E.—Mr. H. S. Pritamdas, Deputy Superintendent, Technical, is granted privilege leave for one month and five days combined with medical leave for four months and twenty-five days with effect from the 27th May 1917.

No. 1147 s-E-E.—Mr. W. E. Johnson, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, is granted special (field) leave for two months, with effect from the 4th May 1917 under Army Department letter No. H.-5332, dated 4th June 1915

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 13th June 1917.

No. 3291-*T*.—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 7th June 1917 to 13th June 1917.

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Government Telegraph Offices.		
Ghagra . . .	Bihar and Orissa . .	1st June 1917 . . .	Closed.
Poona Combined Infantry Depôt.	Bombay	1st April 1917 . . .	Opened.

The following alteration in the name of a Government Telegraph Office is notified :—

"Karatia" instead of "Karatiya."

W. SUTHERLAND,
Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

Calcutta, the 13th June 1917.

No. 3275-*T*.—Mr. J. V. Robins, Deputy Superintendent, 1st class, was granted leave on medical certificate from the 10th February 1917 to the 5th June 1917.

2. This cancels Notification No. 1857-T., dated the 28th March 1917.

Calcutta, the 14th June 1917.

No. 3315-*T*.—Mr. W. A. Eleazar, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, reverted to the grade of Telegraph Master with effect from the 4th June 1917.

Calcutta, the 15th June 1917.

No. 3325-*T*.—The following promotions to the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch are sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Names.	Nature of promotion.	Date.
Mr. C. J. Smith	Permanent	22nd February 1917.
" C. D. Vigers	Provisional	" " "
	Permanent	1st April 1917.

2. Mr. C. F. Burns, who was officiating in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch, *vice* Mr. R. W. Hodges, continues to officiate from the 22nd February to the 31st March 1917 in the arrangements, *vice* Mr. F. T. deMonte, on leave, and is appointed provisionally to the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch with effect from the 1st April 1917, *vice* Mr. W. R. Howson on deputation to the Foreign and Political Department.

3. Mr. C. A. Dodd, who was officiating in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch in the arrangements, *vice* Mr. P. N. Mitra, continues to officiate from the 1st to 14th April 1917 in the arrangements, *vice* Mr. F. T. deMonte, and from the 15th April 1917 in the arrangements, *vice* Mr. C. W. Sowerby-Coo on leave.

4. Mr. V. A. Hughes, who was officiating in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch, *vice* Mr. A. G. Moore, continues to officiate from the 10th April 1917, *vice* Mr. C. H. Cooper on deputation to the Army Department.

5. Mr. R. J. Keys, who was officiating in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch, *vice* Mr. J. J. Platel, continues to officiate from the 10th April 1917, *vice* Mr. V. A. Hughes on field service.

6. Mr. T. C. Lafrenais, Telegraph Master, is appointed to officiate in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch as Superintendent of Post Offices, Traffic, United Provinces Circle, with effect from the 22nd April 1917, *vice* Mr. W. G. Wells on field service.

7. Mr. H. Marley, who was officiating in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch, *vice* Mr. C. H Cooper, continues to officiate from the 24th April 1917, *vice* Mr. S. C. Mitra on deputation to E. I. Railway Company.

8. Mr. J. Steele, who was officiating in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch in the arrangements *vice* Mr. C. W. Sowerby-Coo, continues to officiate from the 27th April 1917, *vice* Mr. R. G. Walker on leave.

9. Mr. W. G. W. O'Brien, Deputy Superintendent, 1st Class, is appointed to officiate in the second division of the Superior Traffic Branch as Superintendent of Post Offices, Traffic, United Provinces Circle, with effect from the 1st May 1917, *vice* Mr. A. Brokenshaw on leave.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICE.

It is hereby notified under section 5 of Act VI of 1878 that the undermentioned treasure was found on 27th December 1916 by Muthia Thevan, son of Ramaswami Thevan, while digging earth for laying new foundation on the western side of Garbagraham of Sri Madyarjunaswami temple in S. No. 114-3 F. (Inamdry) of Marudavanam village, Tirutturaipundi Taluk, belonging to the above temple covered by T. D. No. 371.

Name of article.	Weight.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
1. Sivagami Amman	54 seers	30	0	0
2. Bell in 2 pieces	91 tolas	1	0	0
3. Gandi	87¼ "			
4. Tumbler	70¾ "			
5. Tripod (broken)	63 "			
6. Tray	27¼ "			
7. Broken pieces of lamp	115 "			
8. Broken pot	160 "			
9. Broken pieces	415 "			
		31	0	0

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore at his office on Monday, the 8th October 1917, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. R. HUGGINS,

Collector.

TANJORE COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
Dated 30th May 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Annual Report of the Board of Scientific Advice for India, for the year 1915-16. Royal 8vo. Paper cover. Re. 1 (3a.)

Classified List of Forest Officers of the Imperial and Provincial Services in India and Burma on 1st January 1917. Royal 8vo. Limp. Re. 1 (4a.)

The Work of the Forest Department in India. Edited by R. S. TROUP, Esq., Assistant Inspector-General of Forests. Super-royal 8vo, paper cover, with 13 full-page illustrations. As. 4 (2a.)

FOREST BRANCH.

Forest Bulletin No. 34 of 1917.—Note on Red Sanders (Pterocarpus santalinus), Linn. F. By T. A. WHITEHEAD, Esq., I.F.S. Royal 8vo. Paper cover. As. 9 (1a.)

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Monthly Classified List of Officers of the Indian Finance Department, 25th March and 25th April 1917. Royal 8vo. Paper cover. As. 4 (1a.)

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Quarterly List of the Foreign and Political Department, No. 42; corrected up to the 1st April 1917. Super-royal 8vo. Paper cover. Rs. 2-8 (4a.)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

Department of Commerce and Industry Notification No. 5385-C. W., dated 12th May 1917. Foolscap. As. 1-6 (6p.)

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Agricultural Statistics, 1915-16, Summary Tables showing the Total Area, Area Cultivated and Uncultivated, Area under Irrigation, Areas under different Crops, Live Stock, Transfers of Land, and Land Revenue Assessment in British India in the year 1915-16. Foolscap. Stitched. As. 4 (6p.)

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February ,,
March ,,

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June " " 3 " "

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Return showing the Imports into and Exports from Chief Ports of Wheat, Jute and Cotton for the week ending—

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31st " "

7th April "

14th " "

21st " "

28th " "

5th May "

12th " "

19th " "

26th " "

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15th March "

31st " "

15th April "

30th " "

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Proceedings and Report of the Second Conference of Electric Inspectors and Electrical Engineers to Government, held in Calcutta, December 1916. Edited by J. W. Meares, Esq., M.I.C.E., M.I.E.E., Electrical Adviser to the Government of India. Foolscap. Paper cover. Rs. 2-6 (3a.)

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15th November „
30th „ „
15th December „
31st „ „

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J. C. R. JOHNSTON.

Calcutta, the 25th May 1917.

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and

In the matter of the Boot and Equipment Factory Company Limited.

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J. N. MITTER,

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL (FORTNIGHTLY) PRICES

RETURN SHOWING the WHOLESALE and RETAIL PRICES of CEREALS, PULSES, OILSEEDS, SUGAR (RAW), SALT, ETC., in INDIA by DISTRICTS for the FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH MAY 1917

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA
May 12, 1917

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics

Published by order of the Governor-General in Council

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 1.

Comparison with previous year—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 15th May, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916.

Province	Rice (Common)		Wheat		Barley		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending 15th May of																			
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma	100	92	100	100	...	.	100	88	100	86	100	98	100	100	100	105	..	...	100	106
Assam	100	93			...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	116	100	104	100	100
Bengal	100	88	100	100	...	..	..	...	...	...	100	94	100	89	100	112	100	98	100	100
Bihar and Orissa	100	75	100	99	100	80	100	81	100	97	100	96	100	87	100	108	100	94	100	100
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	100	85	100	107	100	96	100	103	100	91	100	93	100	81	100	112	100	92	100	94
Delhi	100	96	100	102	100	98	100	100	100	97	100	90	100	72	100	121	100	100	100	103
Punjab	100	92	100	114	100	103	100	102	100	120	100	90	100	86	100	112	100	82	100	119
North-West Frontier Province	100	86	100	107	100	95	100	81	100	116	100	96	100	77	100	113	100	79	100	127
Sind and Baluchistan	100	97	100	120	100	100	100	90	100	136	100	98	100	84	100	110	100	96	..	...
Bombay	100	94	100	104	100	97	100	107	.	...	100	98	100	101	100	116	100	79	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	100	100	96	..	...	100	128	...	...	100	104	100	87	100	110	...	.	100	114
Madras	100	95		...	..		100	115	..	..	100	103	100	90	100	93	100	88	100	120
India	100	91	100	105	100	96	100	100	100	106	100	97	100	87	100	111	100	91	100	108

NOTE.—The rise in the price of wheat in Sind, of jawar in the Central Provinces and Berar of maize in Sind and the Punjab, of ghi in Delhi, and of salt in the North-West Frontier Province and the Madras Presidency is noteworthy. The fall in the price of Arhar dál in Delhi and in the North-West Frontier Province, of rice and barley in Bihar and Orissa, and of raw sugar (gur) in the North West Frontier Province and in the Bombay Presidency is also noticeable.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 2.

Comparison with previous fortnight—

WHOLESALE PRICES in India, province by province, of certain articles of food during the fortnight ending 15th May, 1917, as compared with the previous fortnight.

Province	Rice (common)		Wheat		Barley		Jawar (*Andropogon Sorghum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Ghi		Raw Sugar (*Gur*)		Salt	
	Index number of prices during the fortnight ending																			
	30th Apr 1917	15th May 1917	30th Apr 1917	15th May 1917	30th Apr 1917	15th May 1917	30th Apr 1917	15th May 1917	30th Apr 1917	15th May 1917	30th Apr. 1917	15th May 1917	30th Apr 1917	15th May 1917	30th Apr 1917	15th May 1917	30th Apr. 1917	15th May 1917	30th A 1917	15th May 1917
Burma	100	101	100	100	...	.	100	100	100	100	100	91	100	100	100	100	...	...	100	98
Assam	100	100	..		..	.	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	100	100	100	97	100	97
Bengal	100	97	100	98	..	...	...	...	...	...	100	94	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Bihar and Orissa	100	106	100	99	100	99	100	106	100	111	100	105	100	94	100	100	100	96	100	106
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh.	100	99	100	101	100	102	100	103	100	100	100	103	100	100	100	101	100	101	100	100
Delhi	100	119	100	102	100	100	100	107	100	108	100	100	100	100	100	104	100	92	100	100
Punjab	100	100	100	90	100	99	100	96	100	100	100	96	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	99
North-West Frontier Province.	100	98	100	97	100	104	100	104	100	91	100	103	100	83	100	102	100	100	100	103
Sind and Baluchistan.	100	99	100	88	100	90	100	96	100	103	100	102	100	93	100	100	100	108	...	...
Bombay	100	104	100	102	100	97	100	108	..	...	100	103	100	100	100	101	100	99	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	100	103	100	98	...	...	100	100	...	..	100	112	100	100	100	99	...	...	100	107
Madras	100	98	...	...	...	...	100	103	...	...	100	100	100	101	100	100	100	98	100	102
India	100	102	100	97	100	99	100	102	100	102	100	101	100	97	100	101	100	99	100	101

NOTE.—The rise in the price of rice in Delhi, of maize in Bihar and Orissa, and of gram in the Central Provinces and Berar is noteworthy. The fall in the price of wheat in Sind and in the Punjab and of Arhar Dál in the North-West Frontier Province is also noticeable.

SUMMARY TABLE NO. 3.

WHOLESALE PRICES (per maund of 82⅐ lbs.) of wheat, rice (common), jawar, bajra, and gram at certain selected markets during the fortnight ending 15th May of the years 1917, 1916 and 1915.

Marts	Wheat			Rice (common)			Jawar (*Andropogon sorghum*)			Bajra (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)			Gram (*Cicer arietinum*)		
	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915	1917	1916	1915
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	4 6 0	3 14 0	4 6 0	5 10 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	..	...		...		.	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 8 0
Bombay	5 6 4	4 8 10	5 8 1	4 9 4	4 12 2	4 10 3	3 10 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 4 6	3 6 2	3 6 2	4 2 0
Karachi	4 4 0	3 8 6	4 2 0	5 8 0	5 1 0	4 8 6	2 10 0	3 1 6	2 14 0	3 14 0	3 5 2	3 15 6	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	5 2 9	5 4 10	5 4 10	...		.	...	...	..	4 12 4	4 3 4	5 0 8
Rangoon	4 8 1		5 2 7	2 15 5	3 6 6	3 0 9	.	.	.	...	...	...	3 9 10	4 1 3	4 0 10
Dacca	...	...	.	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	..	..	...	...	.	...	...	...	...
Patna	3 15 0	4 13 0	4 7 0	3 9 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	2 5 0	2 13 6	3 0 0		4 0 0	3 4 0	3 1 0	3 1 3	3 4 0
Ranchi	5 12 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	5 2 6	.	.	..	..	.		4 0 0	3 14 0	4 0 0
Cuttack	4 5 8	4 1 4	5 1 3	3 9 6	4 3 4	4 11 3			...	..	.	.	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11
Benares	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 8 8	4 8 8	5 6 1	5 8 3	3 12 3			2 11 5	.		2 11 0	3 0 4	3 5 4
Cawnpore	3 14 6	3 10 0	4 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 1 4	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 1 0	2 8 0		.	2 11 0	2 14 0	3 1 6
Meerut	3 11 0	3 7 9	3 14 6	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 8 3		3 12 9		...			2 15 3	3 0 3	2 13 9
Agra	4 5 2	4 1 7	3 12 11	6 10 8	5 14 9	6 10 8	2 5 7	2 9 3	2 13 8	2 1 8	3 1 2	3 10 2	3 11 6	3 4 2	2 14 6
Lucknow	3 14 0	3 6 6	4 2 6	4 3 4	4 13 6	4 3 4		..	...	..	...		2 5 8	2 10 3	3 3 2
Ferozepur	3 10 3	3 5 3	3 10 0	5 5 3	5 0 0	5 11 3	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 7 6	2 13 9	4 0 0	3 5 3	2 15 6	2 15 3	2 10 6
Lahore	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 7 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	5 5 3	3 5 3	3 1 3	3 7 6	3 0 3	3 11 6	3 10 3	2 14 6	3 4 3	2 10 9
Amritsar	3 8 0	3 1 0	3 7 9	4 15 6	5 6 9	5 11 6	3 5 3		..	2 12 0	.	.	2 13 9	3 1 0	2 14 0
Rawalpindi	4 7 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	4 12 0	5 11 0	5 12 0	3 13 0	4 4 0	3 14 0	2 13 9	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 5 3	3 6 0	2 15 0
Lyallpur	3 11 0	3 2 0	3 11 0	5 6 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 10 0	2 12 0	3 8 0		2 11 0	3 0 6	2 13 0
Ambala	3 11 6	3 5 0	3 14 0	4 5 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	2 5 0	2 8 0	3 10 0	2 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	2 13 0	2 13 0	2 10 3
Delhi	3 14 6	3 13 0	4 1 6	6 6 0	6 10 0	6 10 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	2 7 6	3 3 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	3 3 0	2 13 0
Peshawar	4 2 10	3 13 4	3 11 6	5 1 11	5 13 11	6 2 5	4 1 3	4 3 9	2 13 8	3 3 9	4 3 9	3 5 1	3 5 4	3 5 10	2 14 9
Quetta	5 2 6	4 6 0	4 13 6	..	..		3 4 0	3 7 0	2 10 0	..	.		...	...	...
Poona	4 9 4	4 4 11	4 10 6	5 5 9	6 0 9	5 0 3	3 0 11	2 11 4	2 11 3	3 14 3	3 9 9	3 9 9	3 9 10	3 12 8	3 15 7
Ahmednagar	3 12 8	3 9 10	4 11 11	6 2 1	..		2 7 5	2 3 5	2 5 10	3 2 6	2 9 11	2 9 11	3 6 9	3 7 3	...
Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 5 0	4 14 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	5 10 0	2 3 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 4 0	3 7 0	3 6 0
Nagpur	3 11 7	3 14 5	4 1 11	4 6 10	4 3 8	4 2 11	2 15 1	2 6 5	2 11 6		..	...	3 9 11	3 7 6	4 0 0
Jubbulpur	3 10 2	3 5 4	4 3 7	4 3 5	4 3 4	4 11 4	...	..		...	..	...	2 15 5	2 15 5	3 5 4
Godavari	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 0 2	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malabar	...	...	...	4 15 0	5 2 11	4 11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MAY

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
urma *—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	34·78	44·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy		...	32·99	32·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	..	...	32·99	32·99	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	29·63	34·04	45·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	35·16	36·78	82·05	82·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	32·99	36·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	34·41	35·75	68·08	68·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...
Toungoo	...	...	30·19	32·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	32·99	38·55	34·78	45·07	...	...	...	...	19·60	22·38	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	35·75	35·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	34·78	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ssam*—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	28·75	...	42·5	46·25	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goalpara	23·12	25	37·5	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	22·5	26·25	47·5	49·37	...	...	...	...	.	..	...	...	...	...	...
engal *—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	25·62	27·5	42·5	50	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...
Dacca	30	30	52·5	57·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	26·25	31·25	56·25	60	43·75	38·75	..	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	30	30	33·12	52·5	57·5	50	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...
Midnapore	21·25	26·25	42·5	47·5	50	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	24·69	30	45	51·25	41·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	25	25	47·5	50	50	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
har and Orissa*—															
Bihár, north—															
Bhágalpur	...	...	36·87	52·5	35	40	...	...	20	28·75	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	44·87	66·56	40	40	...	...	22·19	25	...	...	..	...	...
Bihár, south—															
Patna	...	...	35·62	44·37	39·37	38·12	...	...	21·87	27·5	23·12	28·44	...	40	...
Orissa—															
Cuttack	...	...	35·94	42·08	43·54	40·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
nited Provinces—															
Agra—															
Eastern—															
Benares	24·48	26·67	45·42	53·8	40·73	40·73	44·43	48·7	27·13	30·32	27·66	...	27·13	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	24·37	28·75	52·5	57·5	39·06	36·25	45·62	46·25	26·25	26·56	23·25	22·5	25	...	...
Jhánsi	...	...	45·73	50	33·28 to 39·06	36·77	...	...	22·97	25·62	21·04	21·87	...	...	...
Western—															
Meerut	...	...	56·87	56·87	36·87	34·84	40·94	38·12	27·5	27·03	...	27·66	...	...	...
Agra	...	...	66·67	59·22	43·23	40·99	50·78	48·44	27·55	28·54	23·49	25·78	21·04	30·73	...
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	22·5	30	38·75	50	35·62	31·87	40·94	38·75	24·69	25·62	...	25	...	...	...
Oudh—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	...	42·08	48·44	38·75	34·06	45·78	41·04	24·22	25	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	23·85	25·94	45·78	53·75	38·75	36·41	...	...	25	26·87	...	25	..	...	...

* The figures under "Rice, husked" represent the prices of common rice

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from the fortnightly returns furnished by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. ...ey relate to the wholesale prices in the principal markets (not necessarily district head-quarters) in each province on the last (or nearest mart) day of each ...rtnight

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Bajri	Maize		Gram		Arhar dál		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mergui
...	...	...	61·54	61·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	65·98	65·98	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	36·16	40·76	57·14	64	57·66	62·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rangoon
...	...	...	60·95	56·64	68·82	68·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Manbin
...	...	...	37·43	43·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	42·95	42·95	75·29	75·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	18·71	21·84	31·22	34·41	62·75	68·82	57·66	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	34·41	34·41	71·91	71·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pakôkku
															Arakan—
...	...	...	66·67	58·18	...	92·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42·5	42·5	...	...	Balaganj (Sylhet)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37·5	35	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	110	...	42·5	37·5	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	40	45	60	80	...	...	...	...	80	80	55	55	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	70	60	...	...	...	...	60	80	55	70	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...	...	32·5	30	47·5	55	...	...	...	...	50	50	52·5	46·25	Calcutta
															Western—
...	...	...	32·5	32·5	40	50	...	...	...	...	65	55	55	50	Burdwan
...	...	...	37·5	40	50 to 70	67·5	...	...	...	...	47·5	45	57·5 to 63·75	52·5	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	60	72·5	...	...	...	...	65	55	64·06	60	Pabna
...	...	...	70	70	75	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa—
															Bihar, north—
...	23·75	25	26·25	32·5	41·87	52·5	20	35	...	...	48·12	50	40 and 46·87	40 and 52·5	Bhágalpur
...	25	30	32·66	33·26	50	53·12	23·44	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
...	24·37	25	30·62	30·78	35·62	48·12	22·5	20	...	...	50	51·25	46·87	46·87	Patna
															Orissa—
...	...	...	38·07	38·07	50·78	60·94	38·07	38·07	...	...	...	...	61·04	75	Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) AGRA—
															Eastern—
...	...	...	26·87	30·21	31·27	45	...	...	...	...	50·05	46·87	49·53	47·92	Benares
															Central—
...	...	...	26·87	28·75	35	41·25	36·25	...	28·44	25	50	45	45·94	38·12	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	28·28	...	...	...	...	...	30·78	45·73	42·08	...	36·87	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	...	...	29·53	30·16	44·37	43·28	...	...	...	...	...	61·56	44·37	37·19	Meerut
...	21·04	24·58	37·10	32·6	47·03	50	...	...	26·67	27·86	50	44·23	44·43	44·43	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	...	...	25·31	27·5	38·75	38·75	...	...	23·44	25	40·94	40	44·37	42·5	Shahjahánpur
															(b) OUDH—
															Southern—
...	...	...	23·54	26·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	44·43	44·48	57·13	44·43	Lucknow
															Northern—
...	23·12	23·75	25	26·09	...	36·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	Fyzabad

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MAY—*continued*

DISTRICTS	SESAMUM (*Til* or *jinjili*)		GHI		SUGAR, RAW (*Gúr*)		SALT		TOBACCO LEAF		TURMERIC		GRASS		STRAW
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Burma—															
Tenasserim—															
Mergui	...	...	581·82	640	...	...	27·47	22·86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	640	640	...	...	25·7	25·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	...	...	457·14	457·14	...	...	24·62	24·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—															
Rangoon	...	...	533·33	533·33	...	...	34·22	33·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maubin	...	...	492·31	581·82	...	...	40	39·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	45·71	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—															
Henzada	...	...	533·33	533·33	...	...	35·75	35·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·16	36·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—															
Mandalay	...	...	711·11	640	...	...	40	36·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	45·39	45·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arakan—															
Akyab	...	...	640	581·82	...	...	30·77	30·85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam—															
Surma—															
Balaganj (Sylhet)	...	...	580	490	61·25	70	33·12	33·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—															
Goálpára	...	...	550	460	72·5	75	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gauhati	...	...	515	475	90	68·75	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal—															
Eastern—															
Chittagong	...	...	580	520	70	80	30·62	30·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	580	475	110	90	40	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—															
Calcutta	...	...	550	480	55	63·75	33·75	33·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western—															
Burdwan	...	...	540	470	57·5	61·25	33·12	22·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...	...	550 to 580	560 to 580	72·5 to 77·5	75	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Pabna	...	...	590	550	80	73·75	40	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	...	...	580	560	70	90	50	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa—															
Bihar, north—															
Bhágalpur	57·5	...	640	556·25	57·5	55	40	41·25	80	100	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	...	...	533·12	457·5	44·37	50	28·50	31·87	266·56	160	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—															
Patna	57·5	44·37	500	440	45	55	36·25	33·12	25	25	...	...	5	...	4·06
Orissa—															
Cuttack	76·15	75	533·33	533·33	57·13	53·33	20	20	91·41	90	...	...	5	5·62	5·62
United Provinces—															
(*a*) AGRA—															
Eastern—															
Benares	54·17	48·91	521·41	499·43	55·78	50·05	29·32	31·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central—															
Cawnpore	65·94	...	520	460	57·5	62·5	21·87	22·5	117·5	105	150	100	...	...	...
Jhánsi	50	43·59	478·59	441·41	56·56	66·72	22·66	25	...	...	...	123·12	...	6·72	...
Western—															
Meerut	...	...	575	473·75	61·25	55·16	28·12	24·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	57·13	61·51	533·33	457·13	72·71	72·71	21·04	20	120	160	150	115	10	10	12·5
Submontane, west—															
Shahjahánpur	55	50	530	440	66·25	66·25	23·75	25	180	170	130 to 150	80	...	...	...
(*b*) OUDH—															
Southern—															
Lucknow	...	...	510	500	...	...	25	28·59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northern—															
Fyzabad	...	...	510	535	47·5	53	25	26·67	...	...	...	...	6·25	...	...

The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw	Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Coal (Bengal)		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil, per tin		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Burma—
															Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	22·86	20·58	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·62	3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	Tavoy
...	...	..	...	...	11·9	11·9	...	7·35	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·56	Moulmein and Amherst
															Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	36·99	12·12	9·92	...	...	...	...	2	1·87	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	Maubin
...	...	...	...	...	...	8·58	...	...	...	...	...	..	1·87	1·87	Bassein
															Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	Henzada
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	Toungoo
															Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	...	28·83	32·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·06	2·06	Pakôkku
															Arakan—
...	...	..	..	...	...	...	9·18	7·35	...	...	..	...	2·81	2·5	Akyab
															Assam—
															Surma—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·44	1·94	Balaganj (Sylhet)
															Brahmaputra—
...	...	.		...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	3·75	3·37	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·62	5·62	...	...	...	...	2·56	2	Gauhati
															Bengal—
															Eastern—
...	...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	..	2·06	1·81	Chittagong
..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...		...	3·06	2·81	Dacca
															Deltaic—
...	...		.	.	..	25	7·5	3·75	...	...	.	...	2·91	2·3	Calcutta
															Central—
...	...	...	...	...	...	30	4·37	5	...	...	..	...	3·06	2·75	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	3	2·75	Midnapur
															Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·25	2·19	Pabna
...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	3·25	2·87	Rangpur
															Bihar and Orissa—
															Bihar, north—
...	..	.	..	...	20	27·5	...	1·47* to 1·65	...	...	...	...	2·34	2·81	Bhágalpur
...	...	...	10	5	24·22	25	..		...	..	..	...	2·75	2·05	Muzaffarpur
															Bihar, south—
6·25	...	...	11·25	8·75	20	20	...	..	..	...	...	...	3·17	2·44	Patna
															Orissa—
5·62	...	.	.	...	7·5	7·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·12	2·75	Cuttack
															United Provinces—
															(a) Agra—
															Eastern—
...	...	..	.		22·86	26·67	3·96 to 7·92	3·96 to 7·92	...	...	...	...	3·6:	2·94	Benares
															Central—
...	.	...	8·12	7·5	26·25	28·75	8·12	6·87	65	65	...	...	3·31	2·91	Cawnpore
3·83	...	3·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·5	2·62	Jhánsi
															Western—
...	...	...	10	7·34	26·56	25	8·91	7·5	...	...	...	...	3·56	3·25	Meerut
12·5	...	...	7·97	10	26·67	30·16	...	...	...	...	100	80	3·56	3·19	Agra
															Submontane, west—
...	...	...	10	6·87	30	36·25	6·25	6·25	90 and 100	60 and 80	60 and 100	50 and 80	3·5	3·06	Shahjahánpur
															(b) Oudh—
															Southern—
...	...	...	7·29	6·25	23·75	32·5	...	6·25	...	...	...	...	3·37	3	Lucknow
															Northern—
...	...	...	8·12	10·78	...	...	12·5	10	...	...	60	50	3·28	2·62	Fyzabad

* Price of 1st class coal at Jharia

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MAY—*continued*

Districts	Rice, unhusked		Rice, husked		Wheat		Flour (wheat)		Barley		Jawar		Bajra		Ragi
	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
Rajputana—															
Eastern— Ajmer*	26·67	16 67	..	...	45·47	50	...	...	33 59	37 24	24·84	31·98	30·88	34·79	...
Delhi— Delhi	...	...	63 75	66·25	39 06	38 12	42·5	40	28·75	29 87	27 5	27 5	24·69	31·87	...
Punjab—															
Southern— Ferozepur	27 66	30 78	53 26	50	36 41	33 26	43·28	36 41	28 59	25	34 84	33 26	28·59	40	...
Central— Lahore	25	34 69	47·03	48 14	38 13	36 41	47 03	40	29 69	26 72	33·28	30 78	30·16	37·19	...
Submontane— Amritsar	25	30·62	48 44	54 22	35	30 62	43 28	34 06	25 78	.	33·28	.	27 5	...	...
Northern— Rawalpindi	..	.	47 5	56·87	44 37	36 25	47·5	40	27 5	30	38 12	42 5	28 59	39·06	...
Western— Lyallpur			53 75	55	36 87	31·[illegible]5	41 25	36 25	26 25	25	22 5	32 5	27 5	35	...
Multan	26 75	25	45 62	44 37	36 56	31 25	39 06	35 47	27 5	27 34	30	31 41	27 5	30·62	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshawar		.	[illegible]1 2	58 7	41 77	[illegible]	46 72	42·34	24 79	24·58	40 28	43 84	32 34	42·34	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...		57 55	67 5	39 37	[illegible]7 5	[illegible]	41 25	27 5	30 62	31 35	42 66	26·04	31·25	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karachi			51 87	50 62	42 5	35 31	..	..	...		26 25	30·94	28 75	33·23	...
Shikarpur	20 62	26 56	55	59 06	40 16	34 19	.	.	50	31 25	27 5	..	25	..	...
Quetta		..	..	...	50 31 to 52·81	42·5 to 45	70 to 80	74 06 to 83 12	36 25	34 69	32 5	34 37	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan— Bombay	33 8	31 56	45 83	47 6	53 96	45 52	...	..	29 63	32 03	[illegible]6 25	30	38 07	38·07	...
Deccan and Karnátak— Dharwar		..			34 95	33·65	..	...	..	...	..	18 91	..	...	...
Sholapur			48 38	47 76	36 04	38 12	...	.	..		28 96	20·31	36 15		...
Poona		45 78	53 59	60 47	45 83	43 07	..	...	..	40·[illegible]	30 57	27 08	38 91	36 09	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmednagar	..		61 3		37 92	36 15	...	...	..	...	24 63	22 13	31 56	26 2	...
Dhulia	...	..	...		..	42 24	..	..	...	...	...	.	38 8	31·77	...
Gujarat— Surat	...	...	.	.	47 55	51·87	...	...		...	.	29 53		.	...
Ahmedabad	.	...	70	65	45	43 12	...	...	28 12	27 5	21 87	27·5	22 5	38 12	...
Central Provinces*—															
Western— Nagpur	36 5	36 5	41 25	42 31	37 [illegible]5	39	40 75	50	...	...	29 44	24	...	...	...
Central— Jubbulpore	.	.	42 12	42 06	36 [illegible]7	38 31	44 44	43 25	..	...	.	.	-	...	...
Eastern— Raipur	30	35	35	41	35	34 5	43	42	...	...	.	..	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	...	..	39	43 12	32 25	37 69	...	...	...	...	24·44	18 75	...	...	...
Amraoti	..	.	44 44	44 44	40 14	43 94	.	...	..	...	28 41	22·19	...	...	...
Madras—															
South, central— Coimbatore	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38 8	34	...	43 9	...
Salem	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32·1
Central— Bellary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23·4	22 2	...	...	...
Cuddapah	39·7	40 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30·7	27·8	...	26	...
Karnul	...	..	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29 7
East Coast, south— Madras	29 7	29 7	51 7	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tanjore	27·1	33 9	45 5	...	...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·6
Southern— Madura	.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	38·8	32·5	44 6	26·6	...
Mysore—															
Mysore	20	22	50	56	54	56	60	60	...	...	24	24	...	...	24
Bangalore	24	22	60	56	54	54	67·76	67·76		...	28	28	...	...	26

* The figures under "Rice, husked," represent the prices of cleaned rice

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Ragi	Maize		Gram		Arhar dal		Oats		Cotton seed		Linseed		Mustard and rapeseed		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Rajputana—
...	25	32·03	33·59	36·2	...	..	...	...	...	...	92·86	95·31	...	...	*Eastern—* Ajmer
															Delhi—
...	24·37	25	28·75	31·87	35	48·75	...	...	31·87	30	60	55	44·37	44·37	Delhi
															Punjab—
...	27·66	21·56	29·69	29·53	66·72	72·66	...	...	33·28	34·84	80	66·72	...	...	*Southern—* Ferozepur
...	29·06	24·22	29·06	32·66	40	57·19	30·78	40	30·78	33·91	55·16	55·16	47·03	47·03	*Central—* Lahore
..	...	...	28·59	30·62	...	...	...	...	33·12	35	45	42·5	45	50	*Submontane—* Amritsar
...	33·28	30	33·28	33·75	...	..	...	...	...	...	50	45	41·25	40·94	*Northern—* Ráwalpindi
...	25·62	21·87	28·75	30·31	...			...	31·25	35	..	...	40·62	42·5	*Western—* Lyallpur
...	29·53	25	31·87	30	60	70	30	30	30	33·28	60	[illegible]5	42·5	45	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province—
...	32·84	27·92	33·33	33·65	29·48	51·2	...	...	...	...	..	...	41·82	43·8	Peshávar
...	31·35	...	32·71	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27·19	30·31	...	...	...	...	Karáchi
...	...	...	31·09	31·87	52·5	60	...	...	27·5	33·75	...	...	31·87	38·28	Shikarpur
	38·75 to 46·25	31·25	..	...	57·5 to 67·5	71·87 to 81·87	59·69	56·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	Quetta
															Bombay—
...	...	..	33·85	33·85	60·1	57·71	33·91	39·27	23·49	[illegible]5·52	56·25	52·66	...	...	*Konkan—* Bombay
...	...	...	37·13	...	...	...	..	...	24·76	20·36		40·17	...	...	*Deccan and Karnátak—* Dharwar
...	...	...	32·45	30·47	47·76	47·76	...	...	20	21·67	50·78	46·2	...	...	Sholapur
...	...	...	36·15	37·92	...	49·27	...	...	...	26·3	...	...	...	...	Poona
...	...	..	34·22	34·53	...	...	...	...	...	19·17	...	49·84	...	..	*Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—* Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	37·19	...	...	...	...	...	19·11	...	...	...	...	Dhulia
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Gujarat—* Surat
...	...	...	32·5	34·37	60	62·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces—
...	...	...	36·19	34·69	46·94	47·94	...	...	24·5	25	59·69	55·94	...	...	*Western—* Nagpur
..	...	...	29·62	29·62	34·75	45·12	36·87	44·44	26·69	25	48·5	44·44	36·37	...	*Central—* Jubbulpore
...	...	...	29	29	38	40	..	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	*Eastern—* Raipur
															Berar—
...	...	...	35·94	35·62	39·19	45·81	...	...	21·44	20·87	50·37	55·5	...	...	Akola
...	...	...	36·12	36·12	40·44	43·94	...	...	21·44	21·44	60·87	59·37	...	...	Amráoti
															Madras—
...	...	...	55·8	55·8	...	...	...	...	35·2	32	...	...	...	...	*South, central—* Coimbatore
26·3	..	...	...	...	38·6	53·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Salem
...	...	...	37	46·3	35·3	35·3	...	...	22·2	23·8	...	...	...	...	*Central—* Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Karnul
28·3	...	...	...	...	34·9	42·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, central—* Nellore
...	...	...	47·7	42·1	...	...	54·9	63·4	57·6	57·6	...	...	...	...	*East Coast, south—* Madras
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tanjore
23·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	Trichinopoly
...	...	...	...	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*Southern—* Madura
															Mysore—
24	...	...	22	26	46	60	70	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mysore
22	...	...	26	28	64	56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangalore

TABLE NO. 4.—WHOLESALE PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MAY—concluded

Districts	Sesamum (*Til* or *Jinjili*) 1917	Sesamum 1916	Ghi 1917	Ghi 1916	Sugar, raw (*Gúr*) 1917	Sugar, raw 1916	Salt 1917	Salt 1916	Tobacco leaf 1917	Tobacco leaf 1916	Turmeric 1917	Turmeric 1916	Grass 1917	Grass 1916	Straw 1917
Rajputana—															
Eastern— Ajmer	66·2	69·53	533·33	492·34	65·31	74·53	...	...	...	...	...	...	7·66	10	...
Delhi— Delhi	62·5	60	192·5	490	60	60	20·62	20	80	80	150	137·5	10	13·44	...
Punjab—															
Southern— Ferozepur	72·66	...	533·28	492·34	69·53	76·09	21·19	22·19	133·28	133·28	145·47	114·22	...	...	...
Central— Lahore	57·19	63·91	581·87	533·28	53·91	63·91	20·94	18·12	133·28	114·22	133·28	152·34	10	10	...
Submontane— Amritsar	61·25	60	580	475	50	63·91	17·81	17·5	100	90	145	100	...	...	...
Northern— Ráwalpindi	...	...	540	500	51·25	66·56	18·75	15·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Western— Lyallpur	...	...	520	482·5	46·25	60	21·56	17·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Multan	52·5	55	550	455	53·28	63·75	24·06	18·12	122·5	110	160	153·75	10	10	...
N.-W. Frontier Province—															
Peshâwar	...	...	568·91	482·97	64·63	82·03	17·6	17·34	106·67	136·15	...	...	...	...	...
Dera Ismael Khan	...	...	581·82	533·28	54·53	68·96	24·01	15·36	...	...	...	...	12·03	15·36	...
Sind and Baluchistan—															
Karáchi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shikarpur	...	...	557·5	520	60	62·19	...	...	27·5	53·75	...	...	...	...	...
Quetta	...	...	575 to 605	517·5 to 533·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay—															
Konkan— Bombay	64·27	57·13	611·27	514·27	88·44	88·44	...	...	...	...	117·03	110·21	17·6	9·58	...
Deccan and Karnátak— Dharwar (Hubli)	...	...	...	...	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sholapur	...	...	425·52	467·19	64·84	81·51	...	...	116·93	...	125·26	121·09	...	...	...
Poona	...	...	484·22	466·67	74·11	92·97	...	...	196·51	203·49	...	...	...	...	...
Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan— Ahmednagar	...	...	483·33	466·67	65	68·33	...	...	90	86·04	...	123·33	...	...	...
Dhulia	...	61·93	...	470	...	76·67	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	...
Gujarat— Surat	...	...	627·03	486·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	...	...	600	470	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces—															
Western— Nagpur	71·12	63·31	516·69	533·31	...	...	28·75	25	100	99·31	..	100	5·31	5·87	5
Central— Jubbulpore	47·06	51·62	490	470	...	...	28·56	26·62	100	80	160	130	5·69	6·62	...
Eastern— Raipur	...	...	520	460	...	...	20	28·75	160	160	120	80	...	...	...
Berar—															
Akola	64·87	54·75	504·75	438·06	...	...	26·75	20·5	119·25	104·25	...	...	...	...	...
Amráoti	69·25	58·44	520	480	...	...	25	20	142·25	133·31	...	...	...	3·19	...
Madras—															
South, central— Coimbatore	87·9	77·6	487·8	487·8	54·4	76·8	22·6	17·4	...	...	112	108·8	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	462·4	486·5	...	...	...	...	171·3	171·3	91·4	67	...	...	7·7
Central— Bellary	62	58	471·7	507·9	67·5	79·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	526·3	526·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	82·4	98·9	...	...	...
Karnul	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66·7	133·3	98·8	89·8	...	...	...
East Coast, central— Nellore	...	...	...	416·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·7
East Coast, south— Madras	...	72·4	559·6	559·6	67·5	65·8	15·3	15·8	136·6	134·9	111·9	94·6	...	...	...
Tanjore	...	...	466·7	466·7	...	...	23·4	23·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trichinopoly	...	...	473	540·5	...	...	23·1	20·6	128·4	128·4	...	...	...	...	...
Southern— Madura	66·7	66·7	675·7	675·7	...	...	...	...	141·1	141·1	...	...	...	...	15
Mysore— Mysore	72	72	480	480	111·41	102·86	...	...	214·27*	214·27*	222·86	102·86	5·1	5·1	5·1
Bangalore	64	64	548·54	548·54	77·13	77·13	...	...	240*	274·27*	85·68	85·68	8·8	8·8	8·8

* Includes octroi duty amounting to Rs. 103 per 10 maunds

(The figures state prices in rupees per ten maunds)

Straw	Jawar stalks		Bhusa (white)		Bran		Coal (Bengal)		Sheep, per score		Plough bullocks, per pair		Kerosene oil per tin		Districts
1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	
															Rajputana— *Eastern—*
8·59	8·8	8·91	...	...	34·79	37·24	...	...	...	...	80 to 90	80 to 90	3·25	2·75	Ajmer
															Delhi—
...	10·62	10·09	11·41	10	20	28·75	8·75	...	80	80	250	150	2·58	2·2	Delhi
															Punjab— *Southern—*
...	...	...	8·91	7·97	24·22	20	...	8·75	142·5	142·5	225	212·5	3·5	3·09	Ferozepur
															Central—
...	...	...	11·41	9·53	35·78	26·72	11·25	7·5	150	160	170	170	3·62	3·12	Lahore
															Submontane—
...	...	...	11·25	10	23·75	26·72	10	7·5	120	130	...	...	3·56	3·28	Amritsar
															Northern—
...	...	...	20	12·5	...	...	12·5	7·5	100	90	120	120	3·75	2·62	Rávalpindi
															Western—
...	...	...	10	6·56	28·12	25·62	13·75	11·25	112	100	180	140	3·53	3·19	Lyallpur
...	...	...	6·25	7·34	28·56	25·78	...	...	105	100	...	...	3·5	3·19	Multan
															N.-W. Frontier Province —
...	...	...	7·34	6·77	21·72	21·2	11·56	11·15	60 to 100	60 to 100	60 to 200	60 to 200	3·87	3·37	Peshâwar
...	...	...	...	12·13	27·97	28·49	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·75	3·37	Dera Ismael Khan
															Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·03	2·72	Karáchi
...	...	...	7·5	8·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·28	3·06	Shikárpur
...	...	...	12·5	14·37	25·62	30	14·14	11·02	120 to 220	120 to 220	...	...	3·34	2·97	Quetta
															Bombay— *Konkan—*
...	...	...	...	...	17·4	24·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·06	2·84	Bombay
															Deccan and Karnátak—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	...	...	...	3·25	3	Dharwar
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·22	2·09	Sholapur
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·11	2·8	Poona
															Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	...	28·59	34·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·39	2·08	Ahmednagar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·25	2·91	Dhulia
															Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	Surat
...	...	...	...	...	22·5	26·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·94	3·06	Ahmedabad
															Central Provinces— *Western—*
4·5	18·12	8	...	...	...	...	7·37	7	...	65 to 75	...	125 to 190	2·5	2·02	Nagpur
															Central—
...	...	...	8	7	28·56	28·56	...	...	60	60	70	70	2·37	2·12	Jubbulpore
															Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·75	2·25	Raipur
															Berar—
...	8·25	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	99	95	64	56	2·81	3	Akola
...	...	3·25	...	...	...	...	5·69	4·5	70	65	60	70	3·12	2·19	Amráoti
															Madras— *South, Central—*
...	4	4	...	...	90·4*	90·4*	...	...	...	...	60	60	3·25	2·99	Coimbatore
7·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	...	...	3·13	2·09	Salem
															Central—
...	7·5	10·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	100†	100†	150	140	3·3	3	Bellary
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·88	2·63	Cuddapah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·75	3·25	Karnul
															East Coast, Central—
5·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·08	2·04	Nellore
															East Coast, South—
...	...	...	...	...	36·7	38·2	14·7	5·9	202·5†	180†	...	...	...	2·25	Madras
...	...	...	...	...	9·1	5·6	...	...	170†	170†	...	...	2·71	2·96	Tanjore
...	...	...	...	...	38·2	44·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·63	3·06	Trichinopoly
															Southern—
15	...	...	...	...	20·4	20·4	...	...	...	...	60	60	3·75	2·88	Madura
															Mysore—
3·1	3·12	4·48	...	...	40	40	...	...	50 to 100	50 to 100	50 to 100	50 to 100	3·75	3·25	Mysore
8·8	...	...	...	...	33·3	38·8	...	...	160	160	120 to 150	120 to 150	3·25	2·62	Bangalore

* Superior quality

† Sheep or goats

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MAY 1917

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice Best sort		Rice Common		Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half month of report	Previous half month
Burma—												
Tenasserim—												
Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	9 1	...	...	...	...
Tavoy	...	...	...	...	10 2	...	11 12	...	...	...	...	...
Moulmein and Amherst	5 1	5 1	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 3	11 3	...	...	...	...
Pegu (deltaic)—												
Pegu	...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Rangoon	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Maubin	4 10	4 10	...	...	10 7	10 7	11 3	12 2	...	...	...	...
Bassein	...	...	...	...	12 2	10 13	12 2	10 13	...	...	...	...
Pegu (inland)—												
Tharawadi	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	14 —	14 —	...	...	...	...
Henzada	5 9	5 9	...	...	11 8	10 12	11 3	10 12	...	...	...	...
Prome	...	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	11 8	11 3	...	...	...	...
Toungoo	...	...	...	...	10 7	11 3	12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...
Thayetmyo	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	11 8	11 3	...	...	...	...
Upper Burma—												
Mandalay	10 13	9 9	...	...	8 13	8 13	11 3	11 8	17 14	17 14	...	...
Bhamo	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...
Pakôkku	...	...	...	...	8 1	8 1	10 6	10 6	...	...	...	...
Meiktila	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	16 3	16 3	...	...	...	...
Arakan—												
Sandoway	2 10	2 10	...	...	10 10	10 10	12 12	12 12	...	...	...	...
Kyaukpyu	3 8	3 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Akyab	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Assam—												
Surma—												
Sylhet	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 8	7 8	7 —	...	...	...	...
Cachar	4 —	4 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	6 6	6 6	...	...	...	...
Hill Tracts—												
Khási and Jáintia Hills	5 11	5 11	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 —	...	...	...	...
Gáro Hills	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	7 12	8 —	...	...	...	...
Manipur	18 —	17 —	...	...	20 —	21 —	22 —	23 —	...	...	...	...
Nágá Hills	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	11 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Lushai Hills	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Brahmaputra—												
Goálpára	14 —	14 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Kámrúp (Gauhati)*	7 8	8 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Darrang	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nowgong	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 8	9 —	...	...	...	...
Sibságar	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Lakhimpur	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	7 8	...	...	...	...
Bengal—												
Eastern—												
Chittagong	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Backergauj	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 12	9 —	...	...	...	...
Maimensingh	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 9	7 9	...	...	...	...
Tippera	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 14	...	...	...	...
Dacca	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Deltaic—												
Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
24-Parganas	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...
Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 7	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Nadia (Krishnagarh)	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 6	8 14	...	...	...	...
Jessore	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	...
Faridpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by District Officers to Local Governments and Administrations, etc. They relate to the retail prices in the district headquarters on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dal (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Burma—
												Tenasserim—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	Mergui
...	...	...	...	6 6	...	...	...	...	...	14 —	...	Tavoy
...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	...	...	5 10	5 10	11 3	11 3	Moulmein and Amherst
												Pegu (deltaic)—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	4 9	4 9	10 2	10 2	Pegu
...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	...	...	5 9	5 9	11 3	11 3	Rangoon
...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	...	5 10	5 10	9 6	9 6	Maubin
...	...	...	...	10 11	8 9	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	Bassein
												Pegu (inland)—
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 2	...	...	5 14	5 14	9 8	9 8	Tharawadi
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 1	5 1	9 5	9 5	Henzada
...	...	...	...	11 7	12 13	...	...	5 9	5 9	9 8	11 6	Prome
...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	...	...	9 7	9 7	Toungoo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	8 5	8 5	Thayetmyo.
												Upper Burma—
...	...	...	...	11 10	11 2	19 10	19 10	6 3	5 14	8 —	8 —	Mandalay
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 —	4 —	8 —	8 —	Bhamo
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	4 10	4 10	7 —	7 —	Pakôkku
...	...	...	...	16 —	25 10	32 1	32 1	...	...	9 6	9 6	Meiktila
												Arakan—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4	3 4	14 9	14 9	Sandoway
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8	3 8	15 —	15 —	Kyaukpyu
...	...	...	...	5 —	5 3	...	...	...	...	11 —	10 8	Akyab
												Assam—
												Surma—
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	7 —	6 8	10 8	10 —	Sylhet
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 12	5 8	9 —	9 —	Cachar
												Hill Tracts—
...	...	...	...	7 5	7 5	8 14	8 14	6 6	6 6	7 11	7 11	Khási and Jáintia Hills
...	...	...	...	5 4	5 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Gáro Hills
...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	24 —	24 —	5 —	5	6 8	6 8	Manipur
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 4	6 4	Nágá Hills
...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	Lushai Hills
												Brahmaputra—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	Goálpára
...	...	...	...	10 —	9 —		...	8 —	8 —	11 —	10 —	Kámrúp (Gauhati)
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 4	6 4	8 —	8 —	Darrang
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 4	6 —	8 —	8 —	Nowgong
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 8			7 —	6 8	10 —	10 —	Sibságar
...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 8	5 —	9 —	8 8	Lakhimpur
												Bengal—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	12 —	12 —	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	10 9	10 9	Noakhali
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	10 4	10 4	Backerganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	10 —	Maimensingh
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 13	5 13	10 11	10 11	Tippera
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	10 —	9 8	Dacca
												Deltaic—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 —	Khulna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	8 —	11 8	11 8	24-Parganas
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	Howrah
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	11 —	11 —	Calcutta
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 —	11 —	Hooghly
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	7 2	12 —	13 —	Nadia (Krishnagarh)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 —	10 4	10 4	Jessore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	10 —	9 8	Faridpur

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MAY 1917—*continued*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Bengal—*continued*												
Western—												
Bankura	.	..	...	...	..	...	11 —	11 —	..	...	...	..
Burdwan	..	..	..	...	...	..	10 —	9 —	..	...	...	...
Birbhum	.	..	...	.	.	...	10 12	10 8	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	...		.	...		...	9 6	9 6	...		..	.
Murshidabad	...	..	..	...	..	.	9 1	9 8	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Pabna	..	.	..	...	...	...	7 10	7 8	...	...	..	...
Rajshahi	...	...	.	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	...	..	...	...
Malda	..	...	...	...	...	...	9 12	10 —	...	...	...	..
Bogra	...	.	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	..
Jalpaiguri	..	..	..		...	...	8 8	8 8	..	...	...	...
Dinajpur	..	...	...	...	...	.	9 —	9 9	...	..	...	
Rangpur	...	...	..	.	...	..	7 12	8 —	...	..	...	...
Hills—												
Darjeeling		..		...	...	...	5 8	5 8	...	...	..	...
Bihar and Orissa												
Bihar, north—												
Purnea	12 —	9 8		...	..		9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...
Bhágalpur	11 3	10 12	18 4	18 1	..	..	10 6	10 8	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga	12 12	12 1	19 12	18 11	...		10 13	10 9	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	12 —	9 8	17 —	17 —	...	..	9 8	8 12	...	...	...	..
Sáran	9 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	...	.	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Champáran	12 4	11 4	21 —	20 —	...	...	10 4	10 8	...	...	...	...
Bihar, south—												
Santhal Parganas	9 —	9 —	13 —	14 —	...	..	11 —	12 —	...	...	...	...
Monghyr	12 —	11 8	20 —	20 —	...		9 8	9 8	...	...	...	..
Gaya	11 4	11 4	18 —	18 —	...	..	11 —	10 8	13 —	14 —	...	.
Patna	12 —	10 —	18 —	16 —	...	...	11 —	11 8	20 —	18 —	...	..
Shahabad	10 —	10 —	15 8	15 8	.	..	...	...	...	.	..	...
Chota Nagpur—												
Singhbhum	9 —	10 —	...	.	..	.	8 —	8 —	...	...	..	
Mánbhum	8 12	8 4	10 —	10 8	..	...	9 8	9 —	...	...	14 —	14 —
Ranchi	8 14	8 4	11 —	11 —	.	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	9 8	9 8
Palámau	11 4	10 2	15 3	15 3	.	..	8 7	9 —	...		...	
Hazáribágh	9 —	9 —	12 —	13 8	..	..	8 —	8 —	...		..	.
Orissa—												
Puri	8 8	7 15				.	9 3	10 8	.	.		
Cuttack	9 13	9 3	.	.			11 2	11 2	...	...		
Balasore	7 8	7 8	..			...	11 4	11 8	..	...		...
Sambalpur	10 8	10 4	.	...			12 4	12 4			...	.
United Provinces												
(a) AGRA—												
Eastern—												
Mirzapur	9 8	9 —	15 —	15 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	16 —	16 —	12 —	12 —
Benares	9 8	9 10	14 1½	13 13	6 12	6 12	8 6	8 6	13 13	13 13	14 1½	14 1½
Ghazipur	9 8	9 5	15 8	14 14	5 —	5 —	8 10	8 10	14 5	14 5	13 12	13 12
Jaunpur	9 14	9 10	14 8	14 4	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	.	...		..
Allahabad	9 12	10 —	15 —	14 12	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 4	13 12	13 8	13 4	13 —
Central—												
Bánda	11 10	13 4	14 12	14 4	5 —	5	9 8	9 4	20 8	20 8	13 4	13 4
Fatehpur	10 —	10 8	17 —	17 —	3 8	3 8	10 —	10 —	.	...	..	..
Hamirpur	12 8	12 12	14 8	14 8	4 12	4 12	7 12	7 12	16 4	16 4	12 4	12 4
Jalaun	12 8	13 8	17 —	17 —	4 —	4 —	7 —	6 —	18 —	18 —	.	
Cawnpore	9 12	10 4	15 —	15 —	..		7 4	7 4	16 4	16 12	15 —	15 4
Jhansi	9 15¼	8 15½	16 9⅜	16 8½	4 8	4 10½	8 1	8 2	18 15	...	...	...
Etáwah	10 12	10 14	14 12	14 13	3 —	3 —	10 —	9 —	...	17 —	...	...
Farrukhabad	10 9	11 4	15 8	15 5	4 1	4 1	9 9	10 4	..	...	...	..
Mainpuri	11 —	11 —	16 4	16 4	5 —	5 —	10 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	15 —	15 —
Etah	11 12	12 —	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	..	...	...	...
Western—												
Meerut	10 8	10 4	14 4	15 8	3 —	3 —	6 12	6 12	...	15 —	...	...
Agra	8 8	9 8	14 8	15 —	6 8	5 8	10 —	6 —	.	18 —	..	19 4
Muttra	10 12	11 8	15 2	16 8	4 8	4 8	7 —	7 12	18 8	20 —	19 —	21 —
Aligarh	11 4	11 4	15 12	16 —	3 —	3 —	5 8	5 8	16 4	17 8	19 8	20 8
Bulandshahr	11 2	11 1	14 12	15 —	3 —	3 —	5 — to 8 —	5 — to 8 —	15 —	19 —	13 4	15 8
Submontane, east—												
Ballia	10 6	9 2	16 4	16 4	5 8	5 8	9 2	9 2	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh	10 8	10 —	16 —	16 —	...	6 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur	10 12	10 8	15 —	14 8	7 8	7 8	9 12	9 12	...	...	...	...
Basti	11 —	11 8	18 —	16 8	6 —	6 —	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	...

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or Marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer aristinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Bengal—*continued*
												Western—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 —	13 —	Bankura
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	8 —	11 4	10 8	Burdwan
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	13 —	Birbhum
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	5 4	10 8	9 —	Midnapur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	Murshidabad
												Northern—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pabna
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	9 12	9 13	Rajshahi
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	Malda
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 —	6 —	9 13	9 13	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	Jalpaiguri
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	8 6	10 —	10 —	Dinajpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 —	5 4	8 —	8 —	Rangpur
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 —	8 —	Darjeeling
												Bihar and Orissa—
												Bihar, north—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 —	15 —	16 —	6 8	6 8	9 —	10 —	Purnea
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 8	16 10	19 —	9 6	8 —	10 —	10 —	Bhágalpur
14 4	13 3	...	...	14 4	14 10	19 12	17 9	8 12	8 13	14 4	12 10	Darbhanga
...	...	...	...	...	12 —	16 —	15 8	7 8	7 8	.	13 8	Muzaffarpur
...	...	...	...	14 —	18 —	17 —	17 —	15 —	14 —	11 —	11 —	Sáran
...	...	...	...	18 —	16 —	19 —	18 —	10 —	8 —	10 —	10 8	Champáran
												Bihar, south—
...	...	...	...	12 —	10 8	20 —	20 —	8 —	8 —	12 —	13 —	Santhal Parganas
...	...	...	...	14 8	18 —	16 —	16 —	12 —	12 —	10 —	10 —	Monghyr
17 —	17 —	8 —	8 —	13 8	13 8	15 —	15 —	11 —	10 —	10 12	11 —	Gaya
...	...	10 —	10 —	...	14 8	...	17 8	11 —	10 —	11 —	12 —	Patna
...	...	...	...	...	14 —	15 —	15 —	10 —	10 —	12 —	12 —	Shahabad
												Chota Nagpur—
...	...	...	...	10 —	10 8	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	Singbhum
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	16 —	16 —	8 8	8 —	10 —	10 —	Mánbhum
12 —	12 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	10 —	10 —	6 4	6 4	10 —	10 —	Ránchi
...	...	...	...	13 13½	14 1	...	18 —	11 2	11 4	11 4	11 4	Palámau
16 —	17 —	...	...	11 —	10 12	12 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	10 8	11 —	Hazáribágh
												Orissa—
...	...	...	...	9 13	9 5	...	...	8 8	9 —	19 —	18 —	Puri
...	...	...	...	...	10 8	...	...	...	7 14	20 —	20 —	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	Balasore
...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	16 —	17 —	8 — to 8 8	8 — to 8 8	13 —	13 —	Sambalpur
												United Provinces—
												(*a*) Agra—
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 —	18 —	18 —	10 —	10 —	14 —	14 —	Mirzapur
...	...	11 6	11 6	14 1½	14 4½	...	...	10 13½	10 13½	12 15	12 15	Benares
...	...	...	...	15 15	15 1	18 2	18 2	9 10	9 12	13 13	13 13	Ghazipur
...	...	...	...	14 12	14 8	...	...	12 —	12 —	14 9	14 —	Jaunpur
...	...	...	...	15 4	15 4	...	...	13 8	13 —	16 8	14 —	Allahabad
												Central—
...	...	...	...	15 4	16 2	...	...	10 12	10 12	16 —	16 —	Bánda
...	...	...	...	15 4	15 12	...	...	12 8	13 —	15 —	15 —	Fatehpur
...	...	...	...	15 12	15 13	...	...	10 12	10 12	15 —	15 —	Hamirpur
...	...	...	...	16 8	17 —	...	...	9 —	10 —	...	...	Jalaun
...	...	12 —	12 4	...	15 —	...	16 8	11 5	11 3	17 12	17 12	Cawnpore
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 ½	...	...	8 5	8 7	16 8	16 8	Jhansi
...	...	...	...	14 4	14 12	...	...	12 4	11 8	16 —	16 —	Etáwah
...	...	...	...	15 11	16 8	...	...	11 10	10 15	17 12	17 12	Farrukhabad
...	...	...	...	13 3	15 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	Mainpuri
...	...	...	...	14 8	15 —	...	...	12 —	12 —	16 —	16 —	Etah
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 12	...	...	...	9 —	8 8	16 —	15 8	Meerut
...	...	...	...	...	15 —	18 —	18 —	...	8 4	18 8	18 8	Agra
...	...	...	...	15 2	16 12	...	...	13 —	12 —	17 —	16 —	Muttra
...	...	10 4	10 4	14 —	15 —	15 12	15 8	12 8	12 4	17 12	16 12	Aligarh
...	...	...	...	12 14	13 8	15 8	19 —	10 —	11 —	16 —	16 —	Bulandshahr
												Submontane, east—
...	...	...	...	15 10	15 10	16 14	16 14	9 12	9 12	13 —	13 —	Ballia
...	...	...	...	15 —	14 8	...	...	12 —	11 —	18 —	13 —	Azamgarh
...	...	...	...	14 8	14 —	...	...	11 4	11 —	14 —	14 —	Gorakhpur
...	...	...	...	16 8	15 4	16 8	16 8	11 —	11 4	16 —	16 —	Basti

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MAY 1917—*continued*

DISTRICTS	WHEAT (*Triticum Sativum*)		BARLEY (*Hordeum vulgare*)		RICE				JAWAR OR CHOLUM (*Andropogon sorghum*)		BAJRA OR CUMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*)	
					Best sort		Common					
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
United Provinces— *continued*												
(*a*) AGRA—*continued*												
Submontane, west—												
Shahjahánpur	11 4	11 4	...	17 —	4 —	4 —	10 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Budaun	10 10	10 7	16 9	16 10	8 8	8 8	7 —	7 8	16 —	15 11	14 —	14 6
Pilibit	11 8	11 4	16 8	16 8	4 8	4 8	10 8	10 —	...	...	...	...
Bareli	10 13	10 8	16 15	16 6	4 8	4 8	9 8	9 —	17 5	17 —	14 11	14 6
Moradabad	10 12	9 12	16 —	15 4	4 8	4 8	8 12	8 12	...	18 12	...	12 11
Bijnor	10 6	10 5	16 8	16 8	3 4	3 4	6 12	6 12	...	...	13 —	18 —
Muzaffarnagar	11 —	10 2	15 5	15 5	6 9	6 9	7 10	7 10	14 4	13 2	14 4	14 4
Sahåranpur	10 6	10 —	15 2	15 2	3 8	3 8	7 12	7 12	...	...	...	...
Dehra-Dun	9 —	8 12	15 —	13 8	3 —	3 —	8 —	8 —	13 —	13 —	12 —	12 —
Hills—												
Naini Tal	8 —	7 —	11 8	9 8	3 —	3 —	6 —	6 8	10 —	...	10 —	9 —
Almora	7 4	6 8	10 —	8 —	3 4	3 4	6 4	6 4		...	..	...
Garhwál	6 —	5 —	12 —	10 —	3 —	3 —	5 —	4 8	...	...	...	...
(*b*) OUDH—												
Southern—												
Partábgarh	10 8	10 8	15 —	15 8	5 —	6 —	9 —	9 —	14 -	14 —	12 —	12 —
Sultanpur	10 12	11 —	16 4	16 4	...	...	8 12	9 4	..	...	...	...
Rae-Bareli	10 8	10 4	16 —	15 8	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 —	14 —	14 -	12 —	12 -
Unao	9 14	10 12	14 4	15 12	4 8	4 8	8 8	8 8	13 —	13 —	12 —	18 —
Lucknow	10 —	10 4	16 —	15 8	4 —	4 —	8 4	8 4	...	14 —	16 —	14 —
Hardoi	11 12	12 —	16 8	16 8	4 —	4 —	7 8	8 —	...	...	...	...
Northern—												
Fyzabad	10 —	10 —	16 —	15 —	..	...	8 4	8 6	11 8	11 2	11 —	11 4
Barabanki	10 14	11 —	16 —	15 12	4 5	4 4	8 13	9 —	13 12	14 5	12 2	13 2
Gonda	11 8	11 8	17 —	17 —	5 —	5 —	9 4	9 4	16 —	16 -	16 —	16 —
Bahraich	11 4	11 8	20 —	20 —	5 —	5 —	10 4	10 4	22 8	25 —	20 —	19 —
Sitapur	10 12	10 12	15 8	16 —	4 —	4 —	9 —	9 8	16 —	16 —	13 —	13 —
Kheri	11 —	10 12	17 —	17 8	3 —	3 —	8 —	8 —	19 —	20 —	15 —	15 —
Rajputana—												
Eastern—												
Mewar (Udaipur)	9 6	9 13	17 1	16 18	4 18	4 12	5 2	5 6	22 0	22 8	15 18	15 15
Ajmer	8 8	8 —	...	11 8	4 8	4 8	6 —	6 —	16 —	14 —	12 —	12 —
Kishangarh	9 —	9 —	13 8	13 —	8 —	8 —	6 —	6 —	15 —	17 —	16 —	17 —
Tonk	11 —	10 8	15 14	16 8	4 6	4 5	8 12	8 9	22 —	22 9	19 11	21 9
Jaipur	9 8	9 4	18 14	14 2	4 14	4 14	5 2	5 2	17 8	17 8	14 15	14 15
Karauli	11 4	11 4	16 14	16 14	6 14	7 8	8 12	8 12	20 —	20 —	18 7	18 7
Dholpur	11 3	11 4½	15 8	15 5½	5 5½	5 1½	5 5½	5 5½	16 6	15 13½	17 15	18 7
Bharatpur	11 —	10 13	15 6	15 8	4 5	4 11	4 14	5 5	18 8	18 8	19 8	19 8
Alwar	11 2	11 3	15 8	15 8	5 2	5 2	6 10	6 10	19 8	19 10	18 14	17 8
Nasirabad	9 —	9 -	..	...	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	16 -	16 —	15 —	15 —
Western—												
Bikaner	8 4	8 4	13 —	13 —	5 —	5 —	7 —	7 —	18 —	12 4	11 —	11 —
Jaisalmer	7 —	6 15	...	...	4 —	3 15	5 8	5 15	12 —	12 14	11 —	10 14
Jodhpur	9 12 and 10 4	9 2 and 9 13	14 8	13 8	5 4	5 8	6 8	6 8	17 4	13 15 and 14 15	13 8 and 15 8	14 9 and 15 7
Central India—												
Indore	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	6 8	6 8	8 —	8 —	19 —	20 —	14 —	17 —
Neemuch	10 —	11 —	...	...	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	18 —	20 —	12 —	12 —
Gwalior	11 —	11 —	...	...	4 12	4 12	6 8	6 8	...	...	...	...
Delhi—												
Delhi	9 12	10 4	13 8	18 8	2 12	5 —	6 —	6 —	14 —	15 —	15 8	17 —
Punjab—												
Southern—												
Hissar	10 4	9 12	15 —	13 8	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	15 —	15 —
Ferozepur	10 12	10 —	18 8	13 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	13 8	13 8
Central—												
Lahore	10 4	9 4	13 4	18 —	...	...	8 4	8 4	11 8	11 8	18 —	18 —
Gujranwala	11 10	10 —	14 8	14 8	...	...	8 12	8 12	10 12	...	...	...
Gujrat	11 —	10 —	16 —	16 —	...	...	8 —	8 8	...	...	14 —	14 —
Jhelam	10 —	9 8	15 8	14 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun, Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer aristinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												United Provinces — *continued*
												(*a*) Agra—*continued*
												Submontane, west—
...	...	14 —	14 —	15 12	16 7	...	16 —	11 8	11 —	16 —	16 —	Shahjahánpur
...	...	10 —	10 —	15 6	15 10	17 —	17 —	10 —	11 6	17 —	16 8	Budaun
...	...	...	...	17 12	17 12	...	...	9 8	9 8	14 —	14 —	Pilibit
...	...	...	...	13 8	15	16 7	16 4	12 —	12 14	16 12	16 12	Bareli
...	...	...	...	14 2	13 4	...	13 12	10 4	10 8	16 12	16 12	Moradabad
...	...	...	...	12 12	13 —	...		10 4	10 —	16 8	16 —	Bijnor
...	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	14 4	14 4	6 —	5 8	16 8	16 8	Muzaffarnagar
...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	...	...	10 2	9 8	16 —	16 —	Sahéranpur
12 —	11 —	...	...	12 8	11 12	13 —	13 —	10 —	8 14	12 —	11 8	Dehra-Dun
												Hills—
...	..	...	...	10 8	9 —	10 —	10 —	7 —	6 —	10 —	9 —	Naini Tal
8 8	8 8	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	6 —	5 12	8 8	8 8	Almora
...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	Garhwál
												(*b*) Oudh—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	14 —	14 —	Partábgarh
...	...	...	...	16 12	17 —	...	...	11 —	11 —	12 8	12 8	Sultanpur
12 —	...	12 —	10 —	16 —	16 4	...	...	12 8	13 —	12 —	12 —	Rae-Bareli
...	...	12 —	12 —	15 4	16 12	...	...	11 —	9 —	16 —	16 —	Unao
...	...	...	...	16 4	16 4	...	...	12 8	12 8	15 8	15 8	Lucknow
...	...	...	...	16 8	17 4	...	...	14 —	9 8	14 —	14 —	Hardoi
												Northern—
...	...	11 —	11 —	15 8	14 3	17 —	17 —	11 4	10 8	15 —	15 —	Fyzabad
...	16 —	...	12 —	17 —	17 2	13 12	14 13	10 8	10 10	14 8	14 8	Barabanki
...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	18 —	18 —	9 —	9 —	12 —	12 —	Gonda
...	...	8 —	8 —	18 8	18 6	21	21 —	12 —	10 —	14 8	14 8	Bahraich
...	...	12 —	12 —	15 8	15 8	14 —	14 —	11 8	11 —	16 —	16 —	Sitapur
20 —	20 —	8 —	8 —	15 —	14 8	20 —	18 —	11 —	10 —	15 —	15 —	Kheri
												Rajputana—
												Eastern—
...	...	10 5	9 8	12 14	13 —	24 8	25 6	8 1	7 9	14 3	15 4	Mewar (Udaipur
...	...	4 —	4 —	...	13 —	15 —	13 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Ajmer
...	...	...	...	13 8	14 8	15 —	16 —	...	...	18 8	19 —	Kishangarh
...	...	...	...	15 14	15 8	19 11	21 9	...	...	18 8	17 4	Tonk
...	...	16 —	16 —	13 14 to 14 6	14 6 and 14 14	17	17 —	9 12	9 12	17 —	17 —	Jaipur
...	...	...	...	16 9	17 8	...	...	...	...	16 4	16 4	Karauli
...	...	12 8	12 8	15 14	16 —	...	...	11 12	12 4	15 12	15 8	Dholpur
...	...	...	...	15 8	16 1	19 8	19 8	8 8	7 4	16 —	16 —	Bharatpur
...	...	9 12	9 12	15 12	16 7	17 4	16 5	19 6	19 9	19 14	18 12	Alwar
...	...	...	...	12 9	12 15	...	...	8 8	8 8	20 —	20 —	Nasirabad
												Western—
...	...	...	...	13 12	13 12	...	..	7	7 —	18 —	17 —	Bikaner
...	...	...	...	8 —	7 15	...	...	..	...	22 — and 24 —	22 — and 24 —	Jaisalmer
...	...	...	...	13 12	14 1 to 14 15	...	16 13	7 8	...	18 —	18 —	Jodhpur
												Central India —
...	...	...	...	12 8	13 —	28 —	24 —	8 8	8 8	17 —	17 —	Indore
...	...	..	...	12 —	18 —	...	...	9 —	9 —	16 —	17 —	Neemuch
...	...	15 —	16 —	17 —	17 4	...	..	13 12	14 —	16 —	16 —	Gwalior
												Delhi—
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	16 —	17 —	11 —	11 —	18 —	18 —	Delhi
												Punjab—
												Southern—
...	...	...	...	15 8	15 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Hissar
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 4	14 —	14 —	5 8	5 8	16 —	15 —	Ferozepur
												Central—
...	...	12 8	12 8	13 8	13 —	13 8	13 8	7 4	7 4	18 —	18 —	Lahore
...	...	...	...	13 4	13 —	...	...	...	...	19 —	19	Gujranwala
...	...	...	...	12 8	12 —	12 —	13 —	...	...	18 —	16 —	Gujrat
...	...	...	...	12 8	11 4	12 —	12 —	7 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Jhelam

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MAY 1917—continued

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*) Half-month of report	Wheat Previous half-month	Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*) Half-month of report	Barley Previous half-month	Rice Best sort Half-month of report	Rice Best sort Previous half-month	Rice Common Half-month of report	Rice Common Previous half-month	Jawar or Cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*) Half-month of report	Jawar or Cholum Previous half-month	Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*) Half-month of report	Bajra or Cumbu Previous half-month
Punjab—continued												
South-eastern—												
Gurgáon	10 8	10 8	14 8	15 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	15 —	16 —	16 —	16 —
Rohtak	10 6	10 12	15 —	15 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	16 —	18 —	16 —	17 8
Karnál	10 12	11 —	15 8	16 —	..	...	7 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Submontane—												
Ambala	10 8	9 10	14 8	18 4	...	.	8 12	8 12	17 —	17	14 —	13 8
Ludhiana	10 8	10 4	15 —	15 —	.	..	6 —	6 —	13 8	13 8	13 8	13 8
Jullundur	11 —	10 —	18 —	18 —	...	.	7 —	7 —	12	13 —	12 —	13 —
Hoshiárpur	11 —	10 8	15 —	13 8	...	.	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 —	12 —	12 —
Gurdáspur	11 8	11 —	16 —	13 8	.	..	8 —	8 —	12 8	12 8	...	...
Amritsar	11 2	9 12	15 4	14 12	...	...	8 —	8 —	11 12	11 12	...	...
Siálkot	11 —	10 —	14 —	13 —	...	...	8 8	8 8		...	..	14 —
Hills—												
Simla	8 12	7 12	11 —	10 12	...	..	6 12	6 8	10 —	10 —	11 —	11 8
Kángra	8 4	8 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	8 1	8 —	..	.	..	.
Northern—												
Ráwalpindi	8 12	8 12	14 —	14 —	..	...	8 —	8 —	10 4	11 4	13 8	14 —
Attock	9	9 —	14 —	14 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	.	..	12 8	12 8
Western—												
Sháhpur	11 —	10 —	13 8	13 —	..	...	7 7	7 —	11 7	10 —	15 12	15 —
Jhang	11 8	10	13 4	13 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 —	9 8	12 —	12 —
Lyallpur	10 8	9 12	14 8	14 —	.	...	7 4	7 —	12 —	10 —	14 —	15 —
Multan	10 12	10 8	14 —	14 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 12	12 12	14 —	13 8
Montgomery	10 8	10 4	13 —	12 —	...	...	6 12	7 —	10 —	10 —	11 —	12 —
Muzaffargarh	10 8	10 8	12 8	12 8	...	...	6 —	6 8	...	..	...	..
Dera Ghazi Khan	10 —	10 —	15 10	16 —	...	..	9 6	9 6	13 8	13 8	15 —	15 —
N.-W. F. Province—												
Hazára	9 —	8 4	15 —	14 2	3 9	3 9	7 4	7 4	.	...	10 —	10 —
Pesháwar	9 7	9 10	15 15	16 5	4 15	4 15	7 8	7 3	9 7	10 2	12 3	12 8
Kohát	8 4	8 9	13 14	12 3	3 13	3 13	8 —	8 4	9 11	14 8	13 14	13 10
Bannu	10 12	10 —	15 5	15 5	4 6	4 6	8 2	8 7	15 10	15 10	11 14	11 14
Dera Ismael Khan	10 —	9 6	14 4	15 —	3 8	3 8	6 14	7 —	12 8	12 8	15 —	15 —
Tochi	10 8	10 8	21 —	21 —	.	.	7 —	7 —	...	...	...	...
Kurram	10 8	10 8	15 —	15 —	7 8	7 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malakand	9 8	9 8	16 —	16 —	4 —	4 —	6 8	6 8	..	...	..	..
Wano	7 7	8 —	8 —	8 8	2 15	3 1	...	...	.	...	...	...
Sind and Baluchistan												
Karáchi	7 8	7 8		.	5 8	5 —	6 8	6 —	12 —	12 —	12 —	12 —
Hyderabad	8 8	8 8		...	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	11 —	11 —	13 —	13 —
Thar and Parkár (Mirpur Khas)	9 8	9 —	...	..	5 —	4 12	6 4	6 4	14 —	13 —	13 —	13 8
Shikárpur	9 8	9 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	7 —	7 —	13 —	15 —	15 8	15 —
Upper Sind Frontier	9 4	9 4	.	.	6 —	6 —	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	16 —	16 —
Quetta	7 9 to 7 15	7 5 to 7 11	10 8	10 5½	3 2	3 2	6 8	6 8	11 10	11 7	12 5	12 5
Bombay—												
Konkan—												
Karwar	6 13	6 13	...	..	6 1	6 1	7 4	7 4	10 9	10 9	10 8	10 8
Ratnagiri	6 14	6 14	.	..	5 13	5 13	7 3	7 3	11 6	10 11	10 2	10 2
Alibág	6 7	6 7	...	...	6 4	6 7	7 6	7 6	...	...	9 4	9 4
Bombay	*7 —	*7 —	..	...	4 8	4 13	7 —	7 —	10 7	10 7	8 15	8 15
Thana	8 7	8 7	...	..	5 9	5 9	6 7	6 7	12 4	12 4	10 10	10 10
Deccan and Karnátak—												
Dharwar	10 11	10 11	...	..	6 13	6 13	7 3	7 3	12 12	12 12	11 4	11 4
Belgaum	9 9	10 1	..	...	6 11	7 —	7 5	7 10	11 7	11 15	12 15	13 8
Satara	9 —	9 6	.	...	5 6	5 6	5 14	5 14	10 2	12 14	11 1	1 7
Sholapur	10 3	10 3	.	...	6 15	7 6	7 9	8 —	12 11	14 8	13 8	13 8
Bijapur	11 1	11 1	...	..	5 12	5 12	7 13	7 13	12 —	12 15	13 9	15 6
Poona	7 13	8 6	...	...	5 10	6 4	6 11	7 4	12 —	15 10	9 10	10 13
Khandesh and N. E. Deccan—												
Ahmednagar	9 7	9 7	...	.	5 14	5 14		6 10	15 13	16 8	11 3	12 10
Násik	10 5	10 5	...	...	5 15	5 15	6 10	6 10	.	..	10 14	10 14
Dhulia	9 4	9 4	...	...	6 6	6 6	7 6	7 6	12 15	12 15	11 2	11 2
Jalgaon	7 9	8 —	...	..	5 11	5 11	7 10	7 10	11 6	12 4	10 15	11 6
Gujarat—												
Surat	8 1	8 5	...	...	4 10	4 10	6 15	6 15	10 3	10 3	11 2	11 2
Broach	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 —	7 —	11 —	11 8	10 —	10 —
Kaira	7 —	8 —	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 —	6 8	20 —	20 —	18 8	18 8
Baroda	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	6 8	6 8	12	11 8	9 —	9 8
Ahmedabad	8 8	8 8	...	...	4 4	4 4	5 4	5 4	17 —	17 —	16 —	16 —
Godhra	8 —	8 —	...	...	5 —	5 —	6 8	6 8	...	...	10 8	10 —
Disa	9 4	9 4	...	...	4 8	4 8	5 —	5 —	16 —	16 —	12 —	12 8
Kathiawar—												
Rajkot	10 —	10 8	...	...	3 8	3 8	4 8	4 8	14 8	14 8	11 —	11 —
Central Provinces—												
Nimar	8 7	9 9	...	...	4 8	4 8	6 12	7 5	14 7	14 7	...	...
Hoshangabad	11 6	12 8	...	...	3 —	3 —	8 9	8 9	15 8	15 8	...	...
Betul	11 —	10 11	...	...	4 —	4 —	6 9	6 9	15 1	15 1	...	...
Chhindwara	11 4	11 4	...	...	5 —	5 —	8 2	8 2	13 1	13 1	...	...
Nagpur	10 8	10 8	...	...	5 3	5 3	8 12	9 6	13 1	13 1	...	...
Wardha	10 10	10 10	...	...	5 2	4 11	8 15	8 15	13 3	13 13	...	...

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Ragi or marua (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, chenna, chola, kadalay, or sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Punjab—*continued*
												South-eastern—
...	...	...	...	15 —	15 4	13 —	13 —	8 —	8 —	17 —	17 —	Gurgáon
...	...	...	...	14 6	14 12	...	...	9 —	8 —	16 —	15 —	Rohtak
..	...	...	...	14 8	14 12	...	...	8 8	9 —	16 8	16 8	Karnál
												Submontane—
17 —	17 —	9 12	9 12	14 —	14 —	16 —	15 —	8 12	8 12	17 —	19 —	Ambala
...	...	7 —	7 —	13 12	13 —	15 —	15 8	6 —	6 —	17 8	17 8	Ludhiána
...	..	9 —	9 —	13 4	12 8	15 —	14 8	...	...	18 4	18 4	Jullundur
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 8	15 —	15 8	...	..	18 —	18 —	Hoshiárpur
...	...	8 —	8 —	12 8	11 8	15 —	15 —		...	16 —	16 8	Gurdáspur
...	...	...	15 4	13 12	12 —	14 4	11 4	8 12	8 —	20 —	19 14	Amritsar
...	.	...	...	12 —	11 —	14 —	13 —	...	...	19 —	16 —	Siálkot
												Hills—
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	11 —	11 —	6 4	6 4	11 8	11 8	Simla
...	..	...	..	8 —	7 12	12 —	11 —	5 —	5 —	10 8	9 8	Kángra
												Northern—
...	...	..	...	11 12	12 —	11 12	12 —	8 —	7 —	20 —	19 —	Ráwalpindi
...	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 12	5 4	5 4	14 —	14 —	Attock
												Western—
...	...	...	...	12 14	13 —	14 —	13 8	7 14	7 14	18 —	16 —	Sháhpur
14 —	14 —	11 8	11 8	12 8	12 12	13 —	13 —	...	...	13 8	13 8	Jhang
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 4	15 —	14 —	8 —	7	17 8	17 8	Lyallpur
...	...	14 —	14 —	12 —	12 4	13 —	12 12	6 8	6 8	15 8	16 8	Multan
...	..	...	...	12 2	12 —	11 —	12 —	7 —	7 —	13 —	12 —	Montgomery
..	..	...	..	11 8	11 8	..	...	..	...	16 —	16 —	Muzaffargarh
..	..	..	..	11 12	11 12	...	..	...	...	12 8	12 —	Dera Ghazi Khan
												N.-W. F. Province—
...		9 8		10 —	10 —	12 8	12 8		...	13 12	13 12	Hazára
...	..	12 6	12 6	11 14	12 3	12 —	11 2	9 13	...	22 7	21 8	Peshávar
...	...	11 —	11 —	11 5	9 9	11 15	11 8	...	..	24 —	24 —	Kohát
...	...	...	...	12 6	12 3	15 —	14 11	...	...	25 —	23 12	Bannu
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 4	12 8	...	...	...	16 4	17 8	Dera Ismail Khan
...	..	...	...	...	...	15 —	16 —	...	...	16 —	16 —	Tochi
...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	16 —	16 —	...	...	13 —	13 —	Kurram
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	13 —	13 —	...	...	13 —	15 —	Malakand
...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	10 —	...	...	..	...	Wano
												Sind and Baluchistan—
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	...	...	8 —	8 7	16 —	18 —	Karáchi
.	...	..	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	16 —	16 —	Hyderabad
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	...	16 —	16 —	Thar and Parkar (Mirpur Khas)
...	...	...	.	12 8	12 —	...	...	...	9 —	16 —	19 —	Shikárpur
...	...	...	...	13 8	13 4	...	...	7 —	7 —	11 8	12 —	Upper Sind Frontier
...	...	...	...	11 1	10 9½	9 11 to 8 3	8 6½ to 9 13½	6 8 to 5 8	5 10 to 6 7	9 12	9 10	Quetta
												Bombay—
												Konkan—
13 8	13 8	...	...	9 10	9 10	...	...	6 12	6 12	14 10	14 10	Karwar
11 6	11 6	...	...	9 10	10 5	...	...	6 12	6 12	14 15	15 9	Ratnagiri
...	...	...	...	9 4	9 4	...	...	6 5	6 5	17 9	17 9	Alibág
8 6	8 6	...	...	8 6	8 6	...	...	6 2	6 2	19 3	19 3	Bombay
11 —	11 —	...	..	9 14	9 14		...	6 3	6 3	15 12	15 12	Thanna
												Deccan and Karnáták—
...	...	...	...	10 5	10 5	...	...	6 3	6 3	13 4	13 4	Dharwar
13 8	14 8	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	6 12	7 —	15 —	15 —	Belgaum
...	..	...	...	12 13	12 13	...	...	7 2	7 2	14 2	13 1	Satara
...	...	...	...	11 14	11 14	...	...	7 15	7 9	15 —	15 —	Sholapur
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	7 11	7 11	12 3	12 3	Bijapur
...	...	...	...	10 11	10 11	...	...	6 5	6 14	15 15	15 15	Poona
												Khandesh and N.-E. Deccan—
...	...	...	...	11 5	11 5	...	...	7 14	7 14	14 7	14 7	Ahmednagar
16 2	16 2	...	...	12 3	12 3	...	...	7 4	7 4	16 12	16 12	Násik
...	...	...	...	9 12	9 13	...	...	7 9	7 9	11 8	11 8	Dhulia
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 15	...	...	7 7	7 7	15 15	15 15	Jalgáon
												Gujarat—
...	...	...	...	10 3	10 3	...	...	5 12	6 —	20 13	23 2	Surat
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	6 8	6 8	20 —	20 —	Broach
16 —	16 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	...	...	8 8	8 8	20 —	20 —	Kaira
...	...	...	...	9 —	9 8	...	...	6 8	6 8	19 —	19 —	Baroda
...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	..	...	5 12	5 12	21 8	22 8	Ahmedabad
16 —	17 —	...	...	13 —	12 8	...	...	8 —	7 —	20 —	20 —	Godhra
...	...	...	...	10 8	...	..	...	6 —	6 —	21 —	21 —	Disa
												Kathiawar—
...	..	...	...	9 —	9 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	80 —	80 —	Rajkot
												Central Provinces—
												Western—
...	...	...	...	11 11	11 11	...	...	7 15	7 15	14 —	14 14	Nimar
.	...	...	...	13 13	13 13	...	...	9 2	9 2	13 —	14 —	Hoshangabad
..	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	...	...	5 13	5 13	13 —	12 —	Betul
...	...	...	...	12 7	12 7	...	...	7 5	7 5	13 —	13 —	Chhindwara
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 11	...	...	8 4	7 15	13 2	11 4	Nagpur
...	...	...	...	10 6	10 6	...	...	9 6	9 6	15 15	17 —	Wardha

TABLE NO. 5.—RETAIL PRICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF MAY 1917—*concluded*

Districts	Wheat (*Triticum Sativum*)		Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)		Rice — Best sort		Rice — Common		Jawar or cholum (*Andropogon sorghum*)		Bajra or cumbu (*typhoideum*)	
	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month
Central Provinces—*continued*												
Central—												
Narsinghpur	10 9	11 2	...	...	4 4	4 8	7 1	7 1	14 8	15 1	...	...
Saugor	10 12	11 —	...	.	6 8	6 8	7 8	7 8	17 —	16 —	...	..
Damoh	11 11	11 11	.	...	7 5	7 5	8 —	8 —	21 15	21 15	...	..
Jubbulpore	10 12	10 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	9 —	9 —	...	...	...	...
Mandla	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 2	7 2	10 4	10 4	...	...	...	...
Seoni	11 —	11	...	...	7 —	7 —	9 8	9 8	14 —	14 —	...	...
Bálághát	10 10	10 10	...	...	5 7	5 7	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	...
Bhandára	11 —	10 11	...	...	...	...	9 9	9 9	15 7	16 10	...	...
Chánda	9 6	9 6	...	..	5 —	5 —	8 12	8 12	14 4	14 4	...	...
Eastern—												
Biláspur	11 11	11 11	.	..	10 11	9 14	12 13	11 11	...	...	..	...
Raipur	11 —	11 —	..	...	6 —	6 —	11 —	11 —	...	...	...	..
Drug	13 —	13 —		...	7 —	7 —	11 —	10 —	...	...	...	...
Berar—												
Buldana	10 2	10 2	...	..	4 13	4 13	6 14	6 14	14 6	15 11	...	...
Akola	10 9	9 11	...	...	4 8	4 8	8 13	7 14	15 12	15 12	...	...
Amráoti	9 12	9 12	..	..	4 8	4 8	9 —	9 —	13 11	13 11	...	...
Yeotmal	9 15	9 15	...	...	4 7	4 7	8 1	8 1	13 —	13 —	...	...
Hyderabad—												
Secunderabad	7 4	7 3	...	9 5	4 1	3 14	8 12	8 3	12 4	11 15	...	12 3
Madras—												
Malabar Coast—												
Malabar	...	...	...	..	...	..	8 15	8 5	...	...	...	...
S. Canara	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 6	7 11	...	...	...	...
South, central—												
Coimbatore	...	...	...	..	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 3	...	...	...
Nilgiris	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	...	...
Salem	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	12 9	12 9	10 4	10 4
Central—												
Bellary	...	...	...		..	...	7 2	7 11	...	...	...	...
Anantapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 13	8 13	15 1	15 1	...	...
Cuddapah	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 10	6 10	...	13 5	...	...
Karnul	...	...	..	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 12	11 12	...	...
East Coast, north—												
Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	...	...	15 1	15 1
Godávari	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 2	...	...	18 —	18 —
East Coast, central—												
Kistna	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 1	8 8	10 13	10 13	...	...
Guntur	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 7	10 7	11 —	11 —
Nellore	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 14	9 14	10 15	10 15	10 —	10 —
East Coast, south—												
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 2	7 8	...	...	...	...
Chingleput	...	.	...	...	...	...	7 1	7 2	...	...	...	...
N. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 11	8 11	...	...	...	...
S. Arcot	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 12	7 8	...	...	11 10	10 —
Tanjore	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	...	...	13 —	13 —
Trichinopoly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	10 3	11 12	10 15	10 15
Southern—												
Tinnevelly	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	11 4	11 6	9 15	9 15
Madura	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 8	10 10	...	...
Mysore—												
Mysore	7 8	7 8	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 8	7 8	8 —	16 —	16 —	...	...
Bangalore	7 —	7 —	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	6 4	6 4	14 —	14 —	...	...
Coorg—												
Coorg	5 12	5 12	6 —	6 —	6 —	6 —	8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...
Aden	5 1	5 1	...	...	4 —	4 —	4 10	4 10	8 —	8 —	8 —	7 4

[The figures state the number of seers (of 80 tolas) and chittacks sold for one rupee]

Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*)		Kangni or Kakun Italian Millet (*Setaria italica*)		Gram, Chenna, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*)		Maize (*Zea Mays*)		Arhar Dál (*Cajanus Indicus*)		Salt		Districts
Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	Half-month of report	Previous half-month	
												Central Provinces—*continued*
												Central—
	...	...	...	14 12	15 10	...	...	11 1	9 15	12 —	13 —	Narsinghpur
...	...	...	...	14 4	15 —	...	...	7 4	7 4	15 —	15 —	Saugor
...	...	...	...	16 15	16 15	...	...	7 —	7 —	14 —	14 —	Damoh
...	...	...	...	13 —	12 8	...	...	11 —	11 —	13 —	14 —	Jubbulpore
...	...	...	...	13 1	13 1	...	...	7 —	7 —	10 —	10 —	Mandla
...	...	...	...	12 —	12 —	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 —	13 —	Seoni
...	...	...	...	11 9	11 9	...	...	8 2	8 2	12 —	12 —	Bálághát
...	...	...	...	10 13	10 3	...	...	7 4	7 4	11 11	11 11	Bhandára
...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	...	...	8 2	8 2	13 13	13 13	Chánda
												Eastern—
...	...	...	...	12 13	12 13	...	...	10 11	10 11	10 11	10 11	Biláspur
...	...	...	...	13 —	13 —	...	...	10 —	10 —	13 —	13 —	Raipur
...	...	...	...	14 —	14 —	...	...	10 —	9 —	12 8	12 —	Drug
												Berar—
...	...	...	...	11 —	11 —	...	...	7 11	7 11	10 12	10 12	Buldána
...	...	...	...	9 15	10 7	...	...	8 8	8 6	13 2	14 —	Akola
...	...	...	...	11 1	11 1	...	...	9 12	9 12	16 —	16 —	Amráoti
...	...	...	...	12 7	12 7	...	...	9 9	9 9	13 14	13 14	Yeotmal
												Hyderabad
18 11	17 8	...	...	10 10	10 13	...	...	14 —	14 —	11 10	11 9	Secunderabad
												Madras—
												Malabar Coast—
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	15 6	Malabar
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 6	14 6	S. Canara
												South, central—
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 3	16 7	Coimbatore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 3	11 3	Nilgiris
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 14	12 —	Salem
												Central—
15 13	15 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 5	14 5	Bellary
12 14	12 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	15 10	Anantapur
13 14	13 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	Cuddapah
8 —	8 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 2	12 2	Karnul
												East Coast, north—
17 8	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 4	18 7	Ganjam
16 5	16 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Vizagapatam
15 13	15 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 3	19 3	Godavari
												East Coast, central—
12 4	12 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21 10	21 10	Kistna
11 13	11 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 10	17 10	Guntur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 —	18 —	Nellore
												East Coast, south—
12 2	12 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 2	21 10	Madras
11 7	11 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 6	19 6	Chingleput
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 10	18 6	N. Arcot
12 9	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 13	17 8	S. Arcot
14 1	14 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	[illegible]	...	15 8 to 15 10	15 10 to 15 15	Tanjore
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 12	14 12	Trichinopoly
												Southern—
13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	17 1	Tinnevelly
9 10	10 —	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 5	16 5	Madura
												Mysore—
16 —	16 —	...	...	8 —	8 —	...	...	6 8	7 —	12 8	12 —	Mysore
15 —	15 —	...	...	7 —	7 —	...	...	6 —	6 —	12 —	12 —	Bangalore
												Coorg—
16 —	16 —	...	...	15 —	17 —	...	...	5 13	5 13	14 —	14 —	Coorg
...	...	...	...	6 9	6 9	...	...	6 8	6 3	32 —	32 —	**Aden**

WHEAT PRICES IN INDIA

RETURN SHOWING THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES OF WHEAT IN INDIA FROM THE SECOND HALF OF JULY 1914 TO THE FIRST HALF OF MAY 1917.

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A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914. Rs. A. P.	15th August 1914. Rs. A. P.	31st August 1914. Rs. A. P.	15th September 1914. Rs. A. P.	30th September 1914. Rs. A. P.	15th October 1914. Rs. A. P.	31st October 1914. Rs. A. P.	15th November 1914. Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	3 15 2	3 15 3	4 2 3	4 8 9	4 7 9	4 7 3	4 12 3	5 3 9
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 9	4 2 1	...	4 2 1	4 2 1	4 1 11	4 3 6	4 9 5
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 5 10	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 8 3	4 14 0	5 2 6	5 5 0
Punjab	Lahore	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	3 12 9	4 3 3	4 11 3
	Ferozepur	3 5 3	3 8 0	3 10 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 3 0	4 11 0
	Lyallpur	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 11 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 2 0	4 9 0
	Amritsar	3 8 3	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 0	3 14 6	4 7 0
	Multan	3 6 0	3 4 0	3 8 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	4 2 0	4 7 0
	Rawalpindi	3 4 3	3 6 0	3 7 6	3 9 6	3 11 3	3 10 6	3 12 0	4 3 0
	Ambala	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	5 0 0
Delhi	Delhi	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 11 0	5 6 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 2 10	4 3 10	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 5	4 7 6	4 9 10
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 0 9	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 5 3	4 6 0	4 13 8	4 13 8	5 5 8
	Cawnpore	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 4 0
	Meerut	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 9 0	4 13 6
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 10 0
	Agra	4 1 7	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 5 2	4 9 1	4 13 6	5 5 6
	Fyzabad	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 2 3	4 7 0
	Lucknow	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	5 0 0
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 1	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 8 1	4 11 4
	Jubbulpore	4 5 1	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 9 1	4 9 1	4 13 7
	Raipur	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	3 14 5	4 1 7	4 8 0
	Akola	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 5 7	5 5 7	5 5 7	5 2 0
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 6 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 15 7
Baluchistan	Quetta	3 15 5	3 14 0	3 12 6	3 13 9	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 1 0	4 5 6
Bombay	Poona	5 4 1	...	5 1 11	5 1 11	...	...	...	...
	Ahmednagar	5 2 9	...	5 2 9	5 2 9	4 13 3	4 12 7	4 12 4	...
	Ahmedabad	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0
	Dharwar (Hubli)	4 8 4	4 7 5	4 7 5	4 4 8	4 8 4	4 12 4	4 12 4	4 10 3
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 6 0
	Bhagalpur	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 8 0	4 11 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0
	Ranchi	4 7 0	4 15 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	5 4 0
	Cuttack	4 5 8	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 4	5 1 4	5 4 0
Bengal	Dacca	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0
	Rangpur	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0
	Mandalay	4 3 0	4 3 0	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	4 2 3	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 5 5	4 9 0	4 12 5
	Index Numbers (a).	100	100	102	103	104	105	110	115

* 5% barley, 8% dirt, and 80% red.

NOTE.—These statistics are compiled from *fortnightly* returns furnished by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the wholesale prices in the markets referred to above which prevailed on the last (or nearest mart) day of each fortnight. The statistics for Karachi, Bombay, and Calcutta are compiled from the Chambers of Commerce Market Report.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India, per maund of $82\frac{2}{7}$ lbs.

FORTNIGHT ENDING

30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5 0 3	5 2 3	5 8 10	5 5 4	5 5 10	6 2 4	6 4 4	5 6 4	5 4 3	5 4 3	4 12 3	4 7 9	4 9 3
4 8 0	4 10 7	5 1 6	5 3 5	5 0 5	5 5 9	5 2 8	4 13 6	4 7 7	4 15 2	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 15 2
5 9 6	5 6 6	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 14 0	6 10 0	6 6 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	5 3 6	4 13 0	4 6 0	4 9 0
4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 13 6	5 2 6	5 14 9	5 5 3	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 3 3	3 7 6	3 13 0
4 11 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	5 2 6	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 14 3
4 9 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 14 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 1 0	3 11 0	3 14 6
4 8 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 14 0	5 6 9	5 6 0	4 14 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	3 7 9	3 12 3
4 7 0	4 5 6	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 9 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	3 13 0	3 7 6	3 14 0
4 3 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 5 0	4 15 0	5 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 5 0	4 8 0	4 6 6	3 10 0	3 13 6
5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	5 13 0	5 4 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 15 6
5 6 0	5 2 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 8 0	6 6 0	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 1 6	4 3 0
4 12 2	5 1 5	5 1 7	5 4 4	5 6 1	5 14 7	5 14 7	5 12 1	5 8 10	4 15 3	4 13 11	4 8 8	4 7 6
5 5 7	5 4 6	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 3 0	5 15 2	...	5 5 7	5 11 2	4 8 8	4 3 6	4 0 2	3 14 1
5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	5 9 0	5 12 0	6 10 8	6 2 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 4 0	4 5 0
5 2 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 5	5 14 9	6 10 9	5 11 6	5 5 3	6 2 6	4 8 6	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6
5 0 0	4 15 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 6 0	5 11 6	5 14 3	6 2 3	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
5 11 5	5 5 4	5 8 3	5 8 3	5 11 5	6 10 8	6 10 8	5 8 3	6 6 4	4 11 3	4 7 1	3 12 11	4 5 2
5 0 0	5 1 0	5 1 0	5 8 0	5 8 3	6 2 9	6 2 9	5 4 6	4 12 3	4 9 2	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0
5 2 6	5 8 4	5 8 4	5 11 5	5 8 3	6 2 3	6 2 3	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 2 6	4 4 3
4 11 4	4 11 4	4 11 4	5 8 5	5 11 0	5 11 0	5 0 0	...	4 6 7	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 3 5
4 13 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 8 4	5 14 10	6 6 5	5 14 10	5 14 10	4 11 4	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 7	4 5 2
4 14 5	4 14 5	4 14 5	5 8 0	6 9 7	6 9 7	6 0 0	5 3 2	3 14 5	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
5 5 7	4 15 2	5 13 7	7 8 10	7 8 10	6 1 7	5 10 5	5 8 10	4 12 5	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 8 10	4 2 10
4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 3 10	4 6 2	5 3 11	5 0 0	4 11 10	4 3 10	4 8 7	4 8 7	3 11 6	3 4 6
4 8 1	4 1 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 10 5	4 14 6	5 8 4	5 10 7	5 5 2	5 2 0	4 15 6	4 13 6	4 11 2
5 14 10	...	5 11 7	...	6 5 3	6 5 3	5 8 4	5 1 11	5 6 2	5 7 10	5 6 2	5 10 6	5 6 2
...	...	6 14 4	...	6 1 7	5 2 3	5 2 3	4 8 4	4 6 6	4 1 1	...	4 11 11	4 10 1
5 14 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0
4 2 3	4 11 2	4 1 5	...	4 14 6	4 6 6	4 1 5	3 11 10	3 10 6	3 3 5	3 7 0	3 10 6	3 8 1
4 12 0	4 10 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	5 6 0	4 6 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 6 0
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 11 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	5 12 0	4 13 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 8 0
4 7 0	4 7 0	5 5 0	5 11 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0
5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 12 11	6 12 11	6 1 6	6 1 6	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3
6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 9 0	5 13 1	5 13 1	5 7 6	5 2 7	4 13 7	4 12 5	4 12 5	5 2 7	5 2 7
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 8	5 8 0	5 9 0	6 0 0	5 12 10	5 5 9	5 0 0	4 11 3	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 5 2
121	121	125	133	134	145	140	129	121	114	109	103	104

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	Market.	Fortnight ending 15th June 1915. Rs. A. P.	30th June 1915. Rs. A. P.	15th July 1915. Rs. A. P.	31st July 1915. Rs. A. P.	15th August 1915. Rs. A. P.	31st August 1915. Rs. A. P.	15th September 1915. Rs. A. P.	30th September 1915. Rs. A. P.	15th October 1915. Rs. A. P.	31st October 1915. Rs. A. P.
Port	Karachi (white)*	4 5 3	4 4 3	4 6 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 8 3	4 12 3	4 12 3	4 9 9	4 9 9
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy).	4 9 10	...	...	...	...	5 3 0	5 4 4	5 0 3	4 15 11	5 0 5
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 6 6	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 12 6	4 14 0	4 15 0	5 2 6	5 1 0	5 2 0	5 2 6
Punjab	Lahore	3 11 6	3 11 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 3
	Ferozepur	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 6 0
	Lyallpur	3 9 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 1 6	4 5 0	4 7 6	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 4 0
	Amritsar	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 4 3	4 6 0	4 9 8	4 8 0	4 3 3	4 3 3
	Multan	3 11 6	3 10 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 3 3	4 8 0	4 6 3	4 5 6
	Rawalpindi	3 13 6	3 14 0	4 6 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 10 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 0
	Ambala	3 15 6	3 15 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	4 10 0
Delhi	Delhi	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 12 6	4 13 0	4 13 0
United Provinces	Benares	4 5 0	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 10 6	4 12 11	4 11 3
	Aligarh (Hathras)	3 14 5	4 3 5	4 9 4	4 7 5	4 14 9	4 7 10	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 12 0	4 15 0
	Cawnpore	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 13 6	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 14 0
	Meerut	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 3 6	4 7 3	4 13 6	4 7 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 11 3
	Shahjahanpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 3
	Agra	4 4 8	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 13 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 8 3
	Fyzabad	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 9 6	4 10 0	4 11 6	4 11 3	4 11 6	4 13 0	5 5 3	5 3 2
	Lucknow	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 9 2	4 9 2	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 13 6
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 5 10	4 7 2	4 12 0	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 10 5
	Jubbulpore	4 5 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 3 5	4 8 2	4 8 2	4 13 7	4 11 4	5 0 0
	Raipur	4 4 10	4 4 10	4 7 2	4 7 2	4 12 10	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 11 2	4 6 5	4 6 5
	Akola	4 2 10	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 14 5	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	3 15 7	4 6 0	4 10 10
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	3 8 10	3 8 10	3 13 4	4 1 7	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2	4 6 2
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 10 0	4 7 3	4 0 5	3 15 6	4 1 1	4 2 0	4 2 6	4 3 3	4 3 6	4 7 0
Bombay	Poona	5 1 11	5 1 4	5 4 1	5 4 1	5 5 1	...	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 8 11	5 6 8
	Ahmednagar	4 8 4	4 10 1	4 13 9	4 14 8	4 6 9	4 15 7	4 11 11	4 15 6	5 1 4	5 2 3
	Ahmedabad	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Dharwar (Hubli)	3 7 0	3 11 9	3 8 1	3 8 1	3 9 3	3 10 8	3 12 9	3 12 1	3 14 11	3 12 1
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	5 0 0	4 6 0	5 0 0
	Bhagalpur	4 10 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 13 0	4 14 3	5 5 0	5 9 7	5 4 0	5 5 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 9	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
	Ranchi	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0
	Cuttack	5 1 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 1 3
Bengal	Rangpur	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	6 5 5	7 3 1
	Mandalay	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	5 7 6	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7
	(Median Average)	4 5 0	4 6 2	4 7 1	4 7 4	4 11 9	4 9 3	4 11 3	4 12 10	4 13 0	4 13 6
	Index Numbers (a)	104	106	107	108	114	111	114	116	115	117

* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82$\frac{2}{7}$ lbs—*contd.*

Fortnight ending 15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4 10 6	4 9 0	4 8 9	4 9 3	4 10 9	4 8 9	4 5 9	4 3 9	4 1 3	3 15 3	3 12 9	3 11 8	3 12 3	3 12 9
5 0 3	4 15 4	4 15 4	5 0 5	4 15 11	4 13 8	4 13 6	4 11 1	4 8 2	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 4 0	4 4 8	4 5 5
5 3 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 3 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	4 13 0	4 14 0	[illegible] 0 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 6
4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3
4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	3 14 0	3 10 0	3 7 9	3 7 9	3 5 3	3 5 3
4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 1 6	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0
4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 1 6	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 1 0	3 5 3
4 5 3	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 4 3	4 1 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 7 0	3 5 0	3 2 3	3 2 0	3 5 0
4 9 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 14 0
4 9 0	4 6 6	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 1 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 6 0	3 5 0	3 6 0
4 13 0	4 13 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 3	4 14 10	4 11 9	4 11 9	4 3 10	4 2 10	4 1 2	4 1 2	4 1 2	3 14 11
5 5 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 15 8	4 15 7	4 13 6	5 0 2	5 2 7	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 13 1	3 13 1	3 13 1
4 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 14 0
4 11 3	4 13 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 1	4 11 0	4 7 0	4 0 0	3 12 9	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 7 9	3 9 0
4 15 0	4 10 3	4 10 3	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 9 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 7 6	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 5 6
5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 2 6	5 2 6	4 11 3	4 5 2	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 1 7	4 1 7	4 3 4
5 3 2	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 10 3	3 13 6	3 13 6	3 10 3	3 10 3
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 3	4 13 6	4 11 3	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 11 6	3 7 8	3 6 6	3 11 6
4 10 5	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 9 7	4 12 10	4 9 7	4 11 2	4 9 7	4 4 0	3 12 10	3 11 2	4 0 0	3 14 5	3 12 10
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 0 0	4 14 10	4 14 10	5 0 0	4 7 1	4 11 4	4 7 1	3 11 6	3 10 2	3 7 7	3 5 4	3 4 2
4 6 5	4 6 5	4 10 5	4 6 5	4 6 5	...	4 6 5	4 0 0	3 9 7	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 7 2
4 10 7	4 5 10	4 2 8	4 12 2	4 12 2	4 5 10	4 5 10	4 2 7	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 15 6	3 12 4	3 12 4	3 14 0
4 6 2	4 6 2	4 7 7	4 7 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 1	4 5 2	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4	3 13 4
4 13 3	4 13 6	4 12 6	4 10 6	4 11 1	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 12 6	4 11 0	4 9 4	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 1
5 6 8	5 8 11	5 4 5	5 6 8	5 1 1	...	5 0 0	...	4 13 9	4 9 4	4 4 11	4 6 0	4 4 11	4 4 11
4 5 7	4 4 8	3 13 6	3 10 9	4 2 11	4 2 11	...	4 3 4	3 14 4	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 11 8	3 9 10	3 14 2
5 1 2	5 5 4	5 8 2	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
3 11 11	3 15 9	3 13 0	3 13 8	3 12 4	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 7 0	3 2 3	3 0 10	2 15 11	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 0 11
5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 10 0
5 5 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	6 2 0	5 1 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0
5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
5 12 0	5 14 0	5 14 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0
5 1 3	5 1 3	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 9 0	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 5 9	4 5 9	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4
5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
5 2 7	5 2 7	5 2 7	5 7 6	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 9 2	4 13 7	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 13 7
4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 7	4 14 3	4 13 7	4 13 6	4 11 10	4 11 2	4 3 0	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 1
118	117	117	118	117	117	114	113	101	95	92	92	92	92

A—Wholesale prices of Wheat in

Port or province.	District.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.
		Fortnight ending									
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Port (a)	Karachi (white)*	3 10 2	3 10 2	4 0 3	4 3 3	4 6 9	4 8 9	4 7 0	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 7 3
	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy)	4 1 5	4 2 10	4 3 7	4 7 3	4 9 1	4 8 9	4 8 0	4 5 10	4 4 10	4 6 8
	Calcutta (Club No. 2).	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 2 6	4 3 0	4 5 0	4 3 0	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6	4 4 6
Punjab	Lahore	3 6 3	3 3 3	3 7 6	3 10 3	3 14 3	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 14 3	4 0 0
	Ferozepur	3 3 3	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 7 9	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 13 0
	Lyallpur	3 0 9	3 1 6	3 6 6	3 12 0	3 15 6	3 15 0	3 11 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 14 0
	Amritsar	3 3 9	3 2 9	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 10 0	3 7 0	3 11 6	3 12 0
	Multan	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 7 9	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 11 6	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Rawalpindi	3 12 0	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 12 3	3 15 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 11 0
	Ambala	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 14 0	3 14 0
Delhi	Delhi	3 10 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 11 9	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 13 6	3 11 0	3 11 0	4 0 0
United Provinces	Benares	3 14 1	3 14 7	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	3 15 5	4 0 8	4 0 8	4 0 8	3 15 9
	Aligarh (Hathras)	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 1 8	4 1 4	4 1 8	3 14 6	4 1 8
	Cawnpore	4 1 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
	Meerut	3 10 3	3 6 3	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 10 3	3 11 3	3 11 6
	Shahjahanpur	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 9 3	3 10 3	3 13 0	3 12 6	3 11 6	3 11 9	3 11 6	3 10 0
	Agra	4 8 4	4 1 7	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2	4 5 2
	Fyzabad	3 12 9	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 9	4 0 0	3 14 6
	Lucknow	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 12 11	3 12 3	3 14 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 14 6	3 14 6
Central Provinces and Berar	Nagpur	3 12 10	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 13 2	3 13 2	3 11 7	3 11 7	3 11 7
	Jubbulpore	3 3 2	3 8 11	3 8 11	3 10 2	3 12 11	3 14 5	3 14 10	3 14 5	3 12 2	3 11 6
	Raipur	3 7 2	3 7 2	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 10 5	3 9 7	3 9 7	3 9 7
	Akola	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 1 1	3 15 6	3 10 11	4 1 1	3 14 0	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 6 2
North-West Frontier Province	Peshawar	3 13 4	3 9 10	3 12 11	3 12 7	3 12 7	3 10 2	3 9 6	3 8 3	3 8 3	3 10 4
Baluchistan	Quetta	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 8 3	4 10 5	4 12 6	4 13 9	4 12 0	4 11 0	4 15 0
Bombay	Poona	4 2 8	4 3 9	4 0 5	4 2 8	4 2 1	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 2 8	4 11 7	4 11 7
	Ahmednagar	3 9 10	3 11 2	...	3 9 10	3 13 6	3 10 9	3 8 11	3 9 10	3 9 5	3 8 11
	Ahmedabad	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 3 0
	Dharwar (Hubli)	2 11 5	3 0 1	3 1 10	3 5 10	3 6 6	3 8 1	3 1 10	3 3 10	3 2 10	3 8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 9 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 4 6	3 7 6
	Bhagalpur	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	4 3 0	4 0 0	3 15 0	3 14 0	4 2 0
	Muzaffarpur	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	3 13 0
	Ranchi	4 8 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 2 0
	Cuttack	4 1 4	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 12 11	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 4	4 1 2	4 1 2
Bengal	Rangpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein).	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1
	Mandalay	4 8 1	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	5 2 7	4 14 9	4 14 9	4 14 9
	(Median Average)	3 12 9	3 11 6	3 1[illegible]	[illegible]						
	Index Numbers (b)	92	[illegible]	[illegible]							

* 5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% re[illegible]

(a) Prices at ports after 15th [illegible]

Karachi (w[illegible]

Bombay (Delhi [illegible] White Pessy)

Calcutta (Club No. 2)

(b) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July 1914 being taken as 100.

India per maund of 82⅐ lbs—*concld.*

Fortnight ending: 15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917.	15th March 1917	31st March 1917.	15th April 1917.	30th April 1917.	15th May 1917.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th May 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	R. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Per cent
4 9 3	4 13 3	4 13 9	4 14 9	5 1 3	5 1 3	4 12 9	4 13 6	4 13 3	4 12 3	4 13 3	4 13 3	4 5 3	—10
4 9 6	4 14 10	4 13 0	4 11 1	4 12 7	4 8 9	4 10 7	4 9 10	4 10 9	4 9 10	4 10 11	4 9 10	4 10 7	+1
4 10 0	5 2 6	5 0 0	...	4 13 0	4 10 0	4 11 0	4 13 0	4 14 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	+2
4 1 6	4 9 3	4 7 0	4 5 3	4 7 0	4 9 3	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	4 3 3	3 13 0	—9
3 13 0	4 1 9	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 3 6	4 1 9	4 5 3	4 5 3	4 1 9	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 10 3	—7
3 15 6	4 6 0	4 1 0	4 3 0	4 7 0	4 4 6	4 2 0	4 3 0	4 3 6	4 0 0	4 1 0	4 2 0	3 11 0	—11
3 9 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	4 3 6	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 1 0	3 13 6	3 15 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	—13
3 14 6	4 7 0	4 3 3	4 1 6	4 5 3	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	4 1 6	3 12 0	3 10 6	—3
3 15 0	4 10 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 5 0	4 7 0	+3
3 15 0	4 12 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 6 0	3 14 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	3 11 6	—7
4 1 6	5 0 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 10 6	4 9 0	4 11 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 13 0	3 14 6	+3
3 14 11	3 14 11	4 14 3	4 12 11	4 10 6	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 4	4 9 10	4 5 0	4 3 1	4 3 1	4 1 2	—6
4 1 9	4 11 7	4 6 11	4 8 11	4 8 11	4 5 2	4 5 4	4 5 5	4 5 4	4 3 8	3 14 6	3 13 0	3 11 5	—3
4 2 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 5 6	4 5 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	3 14 0	3 11 6	3 14 6	+5
4 0 0	5 2 9	4 9 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	4 9 0	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 0	4 1 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	*Nil*
3 14 6	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 1 6	4 1 9	3 12 0	3 8 3	3 9 0*	+1
4 7 1	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 2 6	5 5 4	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 13 6	4 13 6	4 9 1	4 1 7	4 5 2	+5
3 14 6	4 5 6	4 9 3	4 8 0	4 9 0	4 5 6	4 7 0	4 6 0	4 1 9	4 1 7	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	*Nil*
4 0 0	4 9 2	4 11 3	4 9 3	4 9 3	4 7 1	4 7 1	4 3 4	4 7 1	4 0 0	3 12 11	3 12 11	3 14 0	+2
3 11 7	4 5 0	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 1 11	4 0 4	4 0 4	4 0 6	4 1 11	3 13 2	4 0 4	3 11 7	3 11 7	*Nil*
4 0 10	4 6 0	4 7 1	4 6 0	4 9 1	4 7 1	4 4 4	4 3 5	4 3 5	4 5 2	4 1 8	3 14 5	3 10 2	—7
3 9 7	4 8 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 10	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 10	3 12 10	3 8 0	3 8 0	*Nil*
3 6 2	3 6 2	3 6 2	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 7 10	3 4 8	3 4 8	3 7 6	3 10 11	3 3 7	—12
3 12 7	4 4 3	4 4 3	4 4 9	4 5 8	4 4 9	4 8 7	4 9 8	4 9 8	4 8 7	4 10 2	4 2 1	4 2 10	+1
4 13 0	5 0 3	5 3 3	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	5 2 6	—3
...	4 11 9	4 12 8	...	4 11 7	4 10 5	...	4 11 7	4 13 9	4 11 7	...	4 10 5	4 9 4	—1
3 8 1	3 10 9	3 11 3	3 8 1	3 8 11	3 4 5	4 1 1	3 13 6	3 13 0	3 9 11	3 15 5	3 13 7	3 12 8	—1
4 5 0	4 9 0	4 13 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	*Nil*
3 10 6	3 8 2	...	3 11 11	3 4 10	3 2 4	3 8 2	4 0 2	3 5 11	3 3 10	3 9 4	3 2 6	3 7 11	+11
3 7 6	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 15 0	3 15 0	4 6 0	3 15 0	4 0 0	3 15 0*	—2
5 0 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	—3
3 13 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0*	*Nil*
4 8 0	5 4 0	5 5 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 14 0	5 12 0*	+18*
4 1 2	4 1 2	5 1 3	5 1 5	5 1 5	5 1 5	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 11 3	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8	4 5 8*	*Nil*
5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	—5
7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	7 3 1	*Nil*
5 0 8	4 8 1	4 8 1	4 4 3	3 14 1	3 8 7	3 5 7	3 8 7	3 10 10	3 14 1	3 14 1	3 14 1	3 7 8	—10
4 0 0	4 9 0	4 7 6	4 7 0	4 9 5	4 7 1	4 6 2	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 5 0	4 0 8	4 0 0	3 14 0	—3
[illegible]	110	108	107	110	107	106	106	106	104	98	97	94	

*Under enquiry.

[illegible]ations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th May as [illegible] with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	30th April	15th May	Increase or Decrease.	30th April	15th May	Increase or Decrease.
			Per cent			Per cent
India . . .	100	97	—3	100	100	*Nil*
Punjab . .	100	92	—8	100	98	—2
United Provinces .	100	102	+2	100	97	—3
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	96	—4	100	100	*Nil*

B—Retail prices of Wheat in India

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1914.	15th August 1914.	31st August 1914.	15th September 1914.	30th September 1914.	15th October 1914.	31st October 1914.	15th November 1914.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	9 8	9 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	7 8
	Bombay *	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 8	6 8	5 14	5 14	5 14
	Calcutta	9 0	8 14	8 14	8 3	8 4	8 0	7 8	6 14
Punjab	Lahore	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 12	10 4	10 0	9 4	8 4
	Ferozepur	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 4	8 4
	Amritsar	12 4	11 8	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	8 12
	Rawalpindi	12 4	11 12	11 4	11 0	10 12	10 12	10 4	9 4
	Lyallpur	11 4	11 8	10 12	9 8	10 4	10 4	9 8	8 4
	Multan	11 8	12 0	11 4	10 0	10 0	10 4	9 8	8 12
	Ambala	10 12	10 4	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	7 12
Delhi	Delhi	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 4	7 8
United Provinces	Benares	9 3	8 15	9 1	9 1	9 1	8 13	8 8	8 6
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	7 8
	Meerut	10 12	10 0	9 12	9 4	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 0
	Agra	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	7 0
	Lucknow	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 8	7 12
	Aligarh	9 4	10 4	9 4	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	7 4
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	9 14	9 14	9 10	9 6	9 4	9 8	8 8
	Fyzabad	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8	8 12
Central Provinces and Berar	Nagpur	9 9	8 15	9 9	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 4	8 5
	Jubbulpore	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Raipur	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	8 0
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 2	8 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province	Peshawar	11 6	11 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12
Baluchistan	Quetta	10 2	10 5¼	10 9	10 5½	10 0	9 13	9 13	9 4
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	6 13	6 13
	Ahmednagar	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 8	8 1	8 2	8 2	8 2
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8
	Dharwar	9 9	9 1	9 1	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	10 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 0
	Bhagalpur	9 8	9 6	8 12	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 4
	Muzaffarpur	9 0	9 0	9 12	9 12	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0
	Ranchi	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8
	Cuttack	9 3	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 8
Bengal	Dacca	8 14	8 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8	7 4
	Murshidabad	10 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8
	Malda	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13
	Mandalay	8 14	8 4	7 9	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8
	(Median Average)	9 9	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 0
	Index Numbers (a)	100	103	103	106	106	109	112	120

NOTE.—These statistics are entirely compiled from returns furnished fortnightly by Local Governments and Administrations. They relate to the retail prices in the head-quarters of the districts and in the ports referred to above.

(a) Price for the fortnight ending the 31st July, 1914, being taken as 100.

* Relates to Khandwa wheat.

[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]

Fortnight ending												
30th November 1914.	15th December 1914.	31st December 1914.	15th January 1915.	31st January 1915.	15th February 1915.	28th February 1915.	15th March 1915.	31st March 1915.	15th April 1915.	30th April 1915.	15th May 1915.	31st May 1915.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 8	8 8
5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	4 14	5 3	5 8	5 8	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14
6 14	6 14	6 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	7 4	7 8	7 12	8 0	9 0	11 4	10 4
8 4	8 8	8 8	8 2	7 12	6 12	8 0	7 12	7 12	8 0	9 8	10 8	10 0
8 12	9 0	8 8	8 10	8 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	7 12	7 14	8 8	11 4	10 8
9 4	9 6	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 4	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 14	10 12	10 4
8 4	9 0	8 4	8 4	7 4	6 10	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 8	9 8	10 4	10 0
8 12	9 0	8 4	8 0	7 12	7 0	7 0	8 8	8 12	9 0	10 4	11 4	10 0
7 6	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 6	6 8	6 8	7 0	6 8	7 8	10 4	10 0	9 12
7 4	7 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 0	6 0	7 12	9 0	9 8	9 4
8 1⅛	7 9	7 7	7 3	7 1	5 9	6 6	6 12	7 5	7 13	7 13	7 15	8 0
7 4	7 4	7 4	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 12	7 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 12
7 8	8 0	7 12	7 0	6 8	5 12	6 8	7 4	6 4	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 0
6 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 8	5 12	5 12	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 8	...	9 0
7 8	7 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	6 4	6 4	7 14	8 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 2
7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 14	8 2	8 14	9 8	9 8
8 0	8 2	7 14	7 0	7 4	6 12	6 12	6 4	7 4	8 12	9 10	10 0	10 0
7 14	7 12	7 12	7 2	7 0	6 4	6 6	8 5	8 2	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12
8 5	8 3	8 4	7 0	6 6	6 6	7 11	8 4	8 15	8 15	8 15	9 4	8 15
8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0
7 4	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	10 0	9 12	9 8	9 8	9 8
7 6	7 6	6 5	5 4	5 6	6 5	6 5	7 6	7 6	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6
9 2	9 2	9 2	9 2	8 13	7 9	7 14	8 6	9 2	8 7	8 7	10 0	11 0
8 14	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10½	8 2¼	7 4¾	7 1	7 8¼	7 13	8 1	8 4	8 8½
6 8	6 8	6 8	5 9	5 9	5 9	6 13	6 13	7 2	6 13	7 2	6 13	6 13
8 2	8 2	5 14	5 14	5 14	6 10	7 6	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	7 6	7 6
6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	9 9	9 9	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8
9 8	8 8	7 8	7 2	7 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 14	8 4	8 12	8 14	8 14	8 12
8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8
8 0	8 0	6 12	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 4	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0
7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	5 14	5 14	6 9	6 9	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14
7 0	6 0	6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	9 8	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	6 13	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10
7 8	7 8	7 8	6 14	6 8	6 8	6 14	7 5	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 5
7 14	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 6	6 8	7 1	7 12	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 0
121	123	127	137	137	150	147	135	123	116	112	106	106

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	Fortnight ending 15th June 1915.	30th June 1915.	15th July 1915.	31st July 1915.	15th August 1915.	31st August 1915.	15th September 1915.	30th September 1915.	15th October 1915.	31st October 1915.
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
Port	Karachi	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Bombay *	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Punjab	Lahore	10 8	10 8	9 12	9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0
	Ferozepur	10 4	10 4	9 12	9 8	9 0	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 14	8 14
	Amritsar	10 10	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 4	9 4
	Rawalpindi	10 4	10 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12
	Lyallpur	10 8	11 0	9 12	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
	Multan	10 8	10 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	8 14	8 14	9 0
	Ambala	9 12	9 12	9 6	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 2	8 2	8 8	8 8
Delhi	Delhi	9 4	9 4	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0
United Provinces.	Benares	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	7 15	8 4	7 15	7 13	7 11
	Cawnpore	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Meerut	10 4	10 0	9 8	8 12	8 0	8 8	9 0	8 12	8 8	8 8
	Agra	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 12	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 0
	Lucknow	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Aligarh	9 12	10 0	9 4	9 4	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 12
	Shahjahanpur	10 0	10 0	9 14	9 10	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 8
	Fyzabad	8 10	8 10	8 8	8 6	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	7 9	7 8
Central Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	8 15	8 15	8 15	8 12	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7
	Jubbulpore	9 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 4	7 12
	Raipur	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8
	Akola	8 6	8 6	8 6	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	8 6	7 6
North-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 7	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 14
Baluchistan	Quetta	8 11½	9 0	10 0	10 2	9 13½	9 11½	9 10½	9 8½	9 8	9 0½
Bombay	Poona	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 7	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3
	Ahmednagar	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	8 2	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6	7 6
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8
	Dharwar	10 1	10 8	10 8	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 6	9 15	9 7	9 7
Bihar and Orissa.	Patna	9 0	9 6	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 8	7 12
	Bhagalpur	8 10	8 12	9 14	8 12	8 4	8 2	7 9	6 14	6 15	7 8
	Muzaffarpur	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 12	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8
	Ranchi	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 12	6 12	7 0	6 12
	Cuttack	7 14	8 8	8 8	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14
Burma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 10	5 1
	Mandalay	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	6 14	7 5	7 5	7 5
	(Median Average)	8 14	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 0	8 2	8 0
	Index Numbers (a)	108	109	112	112	116	116	116	120	118	120

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1914, being taken as 100

* Relates to Khandwa wheat

Wheat in India—*contd.* [The figures state quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas.]

FORTNIGHT ENDING													
15th November 1915.	30th November 1915.	15th December 1915.	31st December 1915.	15th January 1916.	31st January 1916.	15th February 1916.	29th February 1916.	15th March 1916.	31st March 1916.	15th April 1916.	30th April 1916.	15th May 1916.	31st May 1916.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
5 3	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 2	5 2	5 12	5 12	6 1	6 14	7 5	7 10	7 10	7 10
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	8 12	9 4	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 8	10 12	10 12
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 12	10 4	11 8	11 8	11 12	12 12	11 12
8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	10 4	10 8	11 0	10 12	10 0
9 0	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 12	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 8	13 0	12 12	12 8
9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 2	9 10	10 4	10 4	10 4	11 8	11 12	12 4	12 4	11 8
8 12	9 0	8 12	8 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 6	9 10	10 8	10 12	11 8	11 12	11 8
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0
7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 11	7 15	8 4	8 13	9 1	9 8	8 15	...	9 12
8 0	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 8	10 8	10 0
8 0	8 0	8 4	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	8 8	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 4	11 0
7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 12	8 12	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 0
7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 12	7 14	8 0	8 4	9 12	10 0	10 8	12 0	11 4	10 8
8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	9 12	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 0
8 6	8 8	8 6	8 0	8 4	8 4	8 12	9 0	10 8	11 0	10 10	11 12	12 8	12 0
7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 4	11 0	10 10
8 7	8 7	8 2	8 2	8 2	8 7	8 2	8 7	9 1	10 0	10 0	9 11	10 0	10 0
7 8	7 8	7 12	7 14	7 14	7 12	8 8	8 4	8 12	10 4	10 12	11 4	11 14	11 14
8 8	8 8	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 8	10 8	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4	11 4
7 6	8 6	8 6	7 6	7 6	8 6	8 6	8 7	9 7	9 8	9 7	10 8	10 8	9 11
8 14	8 14	8 11	8 11	8 7	8 7	8 7	8 10	8 15	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
8 4½	8 4½	8 6	8 9½	8 8½	8 6½	8 6½	8 6½	8 8½	8 11	9 4	9 1	9 1	9 0¾
7 3	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6
8 2	8 2	8 2	8 14	8 2	8 14	8 11	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 12	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8
9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	9 7	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	10 14	11 5
7 12	7 12	7 12	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 12	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	11 0
7 8	7 8	6 14	6 4	7 10	7 10	7 0	6 12	7 14	10 12	10 12	10 0	10 0	10 8
7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8
6 12	6 12	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 8	9 0
7 14	7 14	7 3	7 3	7 3	7 8	7 8	7 11	7 14	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13	9 13
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
7 5	7 5	7 5	6 14	7 2	7 12	7 5	7 12	8 4	8 4	8 4	7 12	8 4	7 12
8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 2	8 1	9 1	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 0
120	120	120	120	120	120	118	116	106	96	96	96	92	96

B—Retail prices of

Port or province.	District.	15th June 1916.	30th June 1916.	15th July 1916.	31st July 1916.	15th August 1916.	31st August 1916.	15th September 1916.	30th September 1916.	15th October 1916.	31st October 1916.
		FORTNIGHT ENDING									
		sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.
ort	Karachi	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
	Bombay*	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10	7 10
	Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
unjab	Lahore	11 8	12 4	11 4	10 12	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 8	10 0	9 12
	Ferozepore	12 0	11 12	11 12	11 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 12	10 12	10 4
	Amritsar	12 0	12 4	11 10	11 10	10 12	10 10	10 12	11 8	10 12	10 9
	Rawalpindi	10 8	10 12	10 10	10 8	10 0	10 4	10 4	10 6	10 6	10 10
	Lyallpur	13 0	12 8	11 10	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 9	10 8	10 11	10 0
	Multan	12 4	12 4	11 12	11 4	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 8	10 4	10 4
	Ambala	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 6	10 6	10 6	10 4	10 4
elhi	Delhi	10 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 4	9 8
nited Provinces	Benares	9 12	...	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 8	9 8	9 10	9 10
	Cawnpore	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8
	Meerut	10 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 4	10 8	10 8	10 8
	Agra	9 12	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
	Lucknow	10 8	10 8	10 2	10 4	10 0	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0
	Aligarh	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 4	10 0	9 8	9 12	10 0	9 12	9 12
	Shahjahanpur	11 8	11 8	11 4	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 10	10 12
	Fyzabad	10 6	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	9 14	9 12	10 0
entral Provinces and Berar.	Nagpur	10 0	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3	10 3
	Jubbulpore	12 12	11 8	11 0	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 6	10 8
	Raipur	11 4	11 4	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 8	11 0	11 0	11 0
	Akola	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11
orth-West Frontier Province.	Peshawar	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	11 4	11 4	10 14
aluchistan	Quetta	9 0	9 0	9 2½	8 15	8 10	8 5½	8 4	8 6	8 8	8 1½
ombay	Poona	8 6	8 6	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	9 10	8 6	8 6	8 6
	Ahmednagar	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 5	10 5
	Ahmedabad	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	8 8
	Dharwar	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 5	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3	11 3
har and Orissa	Patna	10 12	10 12	10 12	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	11 8
	Bhagalpur	10 12	10 12	10 4	10 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	10 2	10 5	9 6
	Muzaffarpur	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 0	10 0
	Ranchi	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 12	9 12	9 12
	Cuttack	9 13	10 8	10 8	10 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	9 13
urma	Amherst (Moulmein)	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1
	Mandalay	8 4	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 5	7 12	7 12	7 12
	(Median Average)	10 0	10 6	10 2	10 0	10 0	9 12	9 14	10 0	10 0	10 0
	Index Numbers (a)	96	92	94	96	96	98	97	96	96	96

(a) Prices for the fortnight ending 31st July, 1914, being taken as 100

* Relates to Khandwa wheat ;

Wheat in India—*concld.* **[The figures state quantity per rupee in seers of 80 tolas.]**

Fortnight ending: 15th November 1916.	30th November 1916.	15th December 1916.	31st December 1916.	15th January 1917.	31st January 1917.	15th February 1917.	28th February 1917	15th March 1917.	31st March 1917.	15th April 1917.	30th April 1917.	15th May 1917.	Increase or decrease in fortnight ending 15th May 1917 compared with preceding fortnight.
sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	sr. ch.	Per cent
8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	*Nil*
7 10	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	*Nil*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 8	8 8	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	10 4	—10
10 4	9 8	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 12	—7
10 12	9 0	9 0	9 8	9 1	9 4	9 7	9 7	9 9	10 0	9 14	9 12	11 2	—12
9 14	8 6	8 14	8 14	8 14	8 10	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 4	8 8	8 12	8 12	*Nil*
10 0	9 0	9 8	9 4	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 4	9 12	9 12	9 12	10 8	—7
10 0	8 12	9 4	9 8	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	10 8	10 12	—2
10 0	8 2	8 10	8 10	8 6	8 6	8 8	8 8	8 14	10 0	9 12	9 10	10 8	—8
9 8	7 12	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 0	9 0	10 4	9 12	+5
9 12	9 3	7 15	7 15	8 4	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 13	9 1	9 1	9 10	9 8	+1
9 4	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	8 8	8 8	8 8	10 0	10 4	9 12	+5
9 12	7 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 4	8 1	9 0	9 8	10 4	10 8	—2
8 12	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 12	7 8	7 12	8 0	7 12	8 4	9 8	8 8	+12
9 14	8 8	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 12	8 12	9 0	8 12	9 12	10 4	10 4	10 0	+2
9 8	9 0	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	0 0	8 4	9 4	9 4	10 12	11 4	11 4	*Nil*
10 6	9 0	8 14	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	9 4	9 8	9 8	10 0	11 4	11 4	*Nil*
10 0	8 14	8 4	8 10	8 6	8 10	8 10	8 14	8 14	9 12	9 12	10 0	10 0	*Nil*
10 3	8 15	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 3	9 9	10 3	10 8	—3
9 10	9 0	8 12	9 0	8 8	8 12	9 2	9 4	9 4	9 0	9 8	10 0	10 12	—7
11 0	8 2	9 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 2	10 2	11 0	11 0	*Nil*
9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	9 11	10 12	10 12	10 12*	9 11	10 9	—8
10 7	9 5	9 5	9 3	9 2	9 3	8 11	8 10	8 10	8 12	8 9	9 10	9 7	+2
8 1½	7 15¾	7 11	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 12	—3
8 6	8 6	7 13	7 13	7 13	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	8 6	7 13	+7
10 5	10 5	10 5	10 2	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	10 2	10 2	9 7	9 7	9 7	*Nil*
8 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	*Nil*
11 3	10 11	10 4	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	9 5	10 4	10 11	10 11	10 11	10 11	*Nil*
11 8	10 8	9 0	9 12	10 8	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	—17
8 0	8 4	8 8	8 8	8 8	8 6	9 4	9 8	9 4	9 0	10 8	10 12	11 3	—4
10 0	10 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 0	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 8	12 0	—21
9 8	7 8	7 7	7 8	7 8	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	7 4	8 4	8 14	—7
9 13	9 13	7 14	7 14	7 14	7 14	8 8	8 8	8 8	9 3	9 3	9 3	9 13	—6
5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	5 1	*Nil*
7 8	8 4	8 4	8 14	9 9	10 5	10 12	10 5	10 5	9 9	9 9	9 9	10 13	—12
9 12	8 8	8 9	8 10	8 8	8 10	8 12	8 14	8 14	9 3	9 8	9 11	10 4	—5
98	112	112	111	112	111	109	108	108	104	101	99	93	

* Under enquiry.

Variations expressed in Index Numbers during the fortnight ending 15th May as compared with those in the previous fortnight in 1917 and 1916 :—

	1917.			1916.		
	30th April	15th May	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.	30th April	15th May	Increase or Decrease. Per cent.
India . . .	100	95	—5	100	96	—4
Punjab . .	100	93	—7	100	98	—2
United Provinces .	100	102	+2	100	95	—5
Central Provinces and Berar.	100	95	—5	100	100	*Nil*

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.

IN INDIAN PORTS.

[Index Numbers—Prices for the week ending 30th July 1914=100]

Date.	Karachi. White (5% barley, 3% dirt, and 30% red). Price.	Karachi. White. Index Numbers.	Karachi. Red (5% barley, 3% dirt, and 92% red). Price.	Karachi. Red. Index Numbers.	Bombay (Delhi No. 1 White Pessy). Price.	Bombay. Index Numbers.	Calcutta Club No. 2. Price.	Calcutta. Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
Week ending 30th July 1914	31 6	100	31 3	100	32 9	100	34 9½	100
" 6th August "	31 3	99	31 0	99	32 10½	100	34 9½	100
" 3rd September "	34 6	110	34 3	110	...	...	34 10½	100
" 1st October "	35 9	113	35 1½	112	33 7	103	...	...
" 5th November "	38 9	123	38 0	122	34 9½	106	41 8½	120
" 3rd December "	40 0	127	39 0	125	35 10½	110	44 4	127
" 30th " "	44 3	140	41 6	133	40 7½	124	...	..
" 7th January 1915	42 6	135	39 6	126	41 0	125	47 4	136
" 4th February "	45 0	143	43 0	138	42 1	128	48 10	140
" 25th " "	50 0	159	48 0	154	41 2	126	50 10	146
" 4th March "	44 6	141	42 6	136	38 4	117	49 10	143
" 1st April "	42 0	133	39 0	125	35 8½	109	40 10½	117
" 6th May "	37 6	119	36 9	118	38 5	117	34 4½	99
" 3rd June "	36 6	116	35 9	114	39 7½	121	34 10½	100
" 2nd July "	34 0	108	33 3	106	...	..	35 10½	103
" 23rd " "	34 9	110	34 0	109	38 6½	118	37 1½	107
" 6th August "	34 9	110	34 0	109	...	...	38 7½	111
" 27th " "	36 0	114	35 0	112	41 4½	126	39 4½	113
" 3rd September "	36 3	115	35 3	113	42 1	128	40 10	117
" 29th " "	38 0	121	37 3	119	40 0	122	40 4½	116
" 8th October "	37 6	119	36 9	118	39 5½	120	40 10½	117
" 5th November "	37 9	120	37 3	119	40 4	123	42 4	122
" 3rd December "	36 9	117	36 6	117	39 6	121	41 10	120
" 7th January 1916	37 4½	119	37 1½	119	39 11	122	42 4	122
" 4th February "	34 9	110	34 6	110	38 9	118	37 10	109
" 3rd March "	33 9	107	33 6	107	37 5	114	38 10	112
" 7th April "	30 9	98	30 6	98	35 3	108	32 11	95
" 5th May "	28 10½	92	28 7½	92	33 8	103	32 11	95
" 12th " "	34 3	109	30 0	96	33 8	103	32 5	93
" 2nd June "	30 3	96	30 0	96	34 7	106	33 3	96
" 9th " "	30 0	95	29 9	95	32 3	98	32 11	95
" 16th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	32 7	99	32 8	94
" 23rd " "	28 6	90	28 3	90	32 7	99	32 .	92
" 30th " "	29 0	92	28 9	92	33 4	102	32 8	94
" 7th July "	29 9	94	29 6	94	34 0	104	32 5	93
" 14th " "	32 0	102	31 9	102	33 8	103	33 2	95
" 21st " "	32 9	104	32 6	104	34 5	105	32 8	94
" 28th " "	33 6	106	33 3	106	35 6	108	33 4½	96
" 4th August "	34 0	108	33 9	108	35 6	108	32 10½	94
" 11th " "	35 0	111	34 6	110	36 0½	110	34 1½	98
" 18th " "	35 3	112	34 3	110	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 25th " "	35 10½	114	34 10½	112	36 5	111	34 4½	99
" 31st " "	36 3	115	34 3	113	36 2½	111	33 4½	96
" 8th September "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	36 7½	112	34 1	98
" 15th " "	35 4½	112	34 4½	110	35 10½	110	34 1½	98
" 22nd " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	35 6	108	34 1½	98
" 29th " "	34 0	108	33 0	106	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 5th October "	34 0	108	33 0	106	33 8	103	...	...
" 13th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	34 9½	106	34 1½	98
" 20th " "	34 3	109	33 3	106	34 4	105	34 1½	98
" 27th " "	35 6	113	34 6	110	35 2	107	34 1½	98
" 3rd November "	36 3	115	35 3	113	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 10th " "	36 9	117	35 9	114	37 0	113	34 11	100
" 17th " "	36 6	116	35 6	114	36 7	112	36 10	106
" 24th " "	37 9	120	36 9	118	39 2	120	37 10	109
" 1st December "	38 6	122	37 6	120	39 3	120	41 1	118
" 8th " "	38 9	123	37 9	121	39 4	120	40 7	117
" 15th " "	38 9	123	37 9	121	38 4	117	39 10	114
" 22nd " "	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 0	116	38 10	112
" 29th " "	39 3	125	38 3	122	37 5	114	...	...
" 5th January 1917	39 0	124	38 0	122	38 1	116	39 4	113
" 12th " "	40 6	129	39 6	126	38 2	117	38 4	110
" 19th " "	40 3	128	39 3	126	37 6	114	37 4	107
" 26th " "	40 6	129	39 6	126	36 3	111	36 10	106
" 2nd February "	40 0	127	39 0	125	36 8	112	36 10	106
" 9th " "	39 6	125	38 6	123	37 2	113	36 10	106
" 16th " "	38 3	121	37 3	119	37 2	113	37 4	107
" 23rd " "	39 0	124	38 0	122	37 2	113	37 10	109
" 2nd March "	38 7½	123	37 7½	120	36 9	112	38 4	110
" 9th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	37 10	109
" 16th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 3	114	39 1	112
" 23rd " "	38 3	121	37 3	119	36 3	111	36 7	105
" 30th " "	38 0	121	37 0	118	36 9	112	36 4	104
" 6th April "	38 0	121	37 0	118	38 1	116	37 4	107
" 13th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 4	114	37 4	107
" 20th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	37 0	113	35 5	102
" 27th " "	38 6	122	37 6	120	36 6	112	33 11	97
" 4th May "	37 0	117	36 0	115	36 7	112	34 2	98
" 11th " "	35 0	111	34 0	109	37 8	115	34 2	98
" 18th " "	34 6	110	33 6	107	37 2	113	34 8	100
" 25th " "	35 0	111	34 0	109	37 8	114	35 8	102
" 1st June "	35 6	113	34 6	110	37 8	115	35 10½	103

C.—Comparative prices of Wheat in Indian ports and London per quarter of 492 lbs.—*contd.*

IN LONDON.

[Index Numbers—Price on 30th July, 1914, in the case of Choice White Karachi and that on the first date available in the case of other grades taken as 100.]

Date.	Choice White Karachi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Red Karachi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Delhi. Price.	Index Numbers.	Choice White Bombay. Price.	Index Numbers.	Club No. 1. Price.	Index Numbers.	Club No. 2. Price.	Index Numbers.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	
30th July 1914	39 6 July-Aug.	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st August „	41 0	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd September 1914	46 0	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st October „	44 9	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th November „	48 3	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd December „	50 6	128	50 0	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16th „ „	Nominal	...	...	...	50 9 May-June.	100	...	...	...	...	50 6 April-May sellers.	10[illegible]
30th „ „	51 6 May-June.	130	53 0 Jany.-Feb.	106	52 0	102	...	...	...	...	52 0 April-May.	10[illegible]
8th January 1915	52 3 Do.	132	...	...	53 3 May-June.	105	...	...	...	...	53 6 Do.	10[illegible]
4th February „	61 0 Do.	154	Nominal	...	61 4½ Do.	121	...	...	...	...	Nominal	...
25th „ „	60 3 Do.	153	Do.	...	60 6 April-May.	119	...	...	...	...	64 6 Mar.-April.	12[illegible]
4th March „	59 0 Do.	149	Do.	...	59 3 Do.	117	...	...	...	...	59 6 April-May.	11[illegible]
8th April „	58 0 Do.	147	Unoffered	...	Unoffered	...	...	...	...	...	64 3 Do.	12[illegible]
6th May „	66 3 June-July.	168	64 0 June-July.	128	65 0 May-June.	128	...	...	...	...	65 0 Do.	12[illegible]
12th „ „	63 9 Do.	161	63 3 Do.	126	64 3 Do.	127	68 0	100	67 0	100	...	...
4th June „	61 0 Do.	154	60 9 Do.	121	61 6 June-July.	121	62 9 June-July.	92	62 0 June-July.	93	61 0 June-July.	121
2nd July „	53 0 June	134	52 9 June.	105	53 3 June	105	53 9 Do.	79	53 3 Do.	79	52 9 Do.	104
23rd „ „	56 0 July	142	55 7½ July.	111	56 3 July	111	56 9 July	83	56 3 July	84	55 9 July	110
6th August „	56 6	143	56 1½	112	56 9	112	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
27th „ „	54 0	137	56 1½	112	56 6	111	57 3 Do.	84	56 9	85	56 1½	111
3rd September „	54 0 July sellers.	137	53 7½ July sellers.	107	...	...	Nominal	...	56 9 July sellers.	85	...	...
From 24th Sept. 15 to 18th April 16.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th April 1916	61 0	154	60 0	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 28th April to 15th May 1916.	No sellers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th May 1916	63 0 May-June.	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd and 9th June 1916	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th June 1916	57 0 June-July.	144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23rd „ „	55 0 June sellers.	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th „ „	55 6 sellers.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From 29th June to 7th July '16.	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th July 1916	58 6 July-Aug.	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	59 0 Do.	149	58 6 July-Aug. sellers.	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th „ „	61 3 July-Aug. sellers.	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th August „	65 0 Aug.-Sept.	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11th „ „	71 0 Do.	180	70 6 Aug.-Sept.	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18th „ „	69 3 Do. sellers.	175	68 9 Do. sellers.	137	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25th „ „	72 0 Do. Sept.-Oct.	182	Nominal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31st „ „	72 6 Sept. sellers.	184	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th September „	73 0 Oct. paid.	185	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15th „ „	72 3 Oct. sellers.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd „ „	71 0 Do.	180	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
28th „ „	71 9 sellers.	182	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5th October „	72 3 Oct. paid.	183	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14th „ „	73 9 Oct.-Nov. sellers.	187	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21st „ „	75 6 Do.	191	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27th „ „	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3rd November „	79 0 paid.	200	Do.	...	79 6 sellers.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
10th „ „	80 0 passage.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Noml.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
17th „ „	80 3 Nov.-Dec. sellers.	203	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
24th „ „	81 0 paid.	205	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st December „	82 0 buyers.	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
8th and 15th Dec. 1916	No sellers.	...	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th December 1916	82 0 paid.	208	81 6 paid.	163	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
22nd December '16 to 12th January 1917.	No sellers.	...	Nominal.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
19th „ „	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
26th „ „	82 0	208	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd February „ to 30th March „	82 0 Feb.-Mar. & Mar.-April.	208	No sellers	...	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
4th April „	83 0 April-May	210	Do.	..	79 6 Do.	157	...	...	...	...	...	...
13th Apl. to 4th May 17	85 0 „ „	215	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	87 6	129	...	...	...	...
5th to 11th „ „	86 9 May-June quoted.	220	Do.	...	79 6 Do.	157	87 6	129	...	...	...	...
18th May to 8th June 1917.	86 9 quoted.	220	86 3	172	86 9	171	...	...	86 9	129	...	...

NOTE.—The Indian price quotations are market and not F. O. B. prices. The source of these quotations is the Price Current published weekly by Chambers of Commerce. The statistics for London are compiled from Reuter's telegrams.

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No. 450.—The services of Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 8th June 1917.

POLICE.

The 14th June, 1917.

No. 326.—Mr. R. E. Coupland, Superintendent of Police, United Provinces, is placed on special duty under the Government of India in the Home Department, with effect from the 23rd May 1917.

The 15th June, 1917.

No. 333.—The services of Lieutenant J. F. B. Sanderson, 4th Battalion, Oxford. and Bucks. Light Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam for employment with the Assam Military Police, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties.

POLITICAL.

The 15th June, 1917.

No. 1597.—ORDER.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that *for* the second schedule annexed to the Order No. 548, dated the 28th February, 1917, specifying the immovable property in the Punjab held by Sardar Arjan Singh Ahluwalia, the following schedule shall be *substituted* :—

Schedule of immovable property in the Punjab held by Sardar Arjan Singh Ahluwalia.

Serial No.	Nature of building and land.	Estimated rental	Estimated value.	Situation.	REMARKS.
		Rs.	Rs.		
1	Shops and dwelling houses ...	2,040	45,000	Lahore City, Lahore District.	¼th share.
2	Land with house and garden known as Jowind Lal's area, 38 kanals, 5 marlas.	940	19,929	Jullundur City, Jullundur District.	Do.
3	Land, measuring 34 kanals, building known as Bhagat Mills erected on above. Plant and machines for above mills.	9,437	1,25,328	Ditto	Do.
4	Building No. $\frac{2103}{68}$ in the Khasra abadi for 1913-14.	15	500	Basti Shaikh Darwesh, Jullundur District.	Do.
5	Mortgagee's rights in land, measuring 333 kanals, 10 marlas.	70	430	Bhika Nangal, Tahsil and District Jullundur.	Do.
6	Land measuring 382 kanals, and (b) land measuring 3,546 kanals, 13 marlas.	1,127	70,704	Ditto	Do.
7	Pacca well, measuring 1 kanal, 12 marlas.	...	400	Ditto	⅛th share.
8	Pacca well, measuring 1 kanal, 10 marlas.	...	400	Ditto	¼th share.
9	Tea garden and land, measuring 1,950 kanals, 6 marlas.	Not ascertained.	21,000	Maniara and Thandol Villages, Palampur Tahsil, Kangra District.	¼th share.
10	Plot of land, measuring 73 kanals, 10 marlas.	Ditto	Not ascertained.	Tika Gadiara Village, Palampur Tahsil, Kangra District.	Do.
11	Plot of land, measuring 11 kanals, marlas.	Ditto	Ditto	Village Agojar, Tika Bhatiara, Tahsil Palampur, District Kangra.	Do.

J. H. DU BOULAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 11th June, 1917.

No. 743-Est.-A.—Major C. G. Crosthwaite, of the Political Department, is granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 12th May 1917.

No. 744-Est.-A.—Mr. D. G. Mackenzie, of the Political Department, is posted as Deputy Commissioner, Bannu, with effect from the 12th May 1917.

No. 745-Est.-A.—Major W. A. Garstin, of the Political Department, is posted as District Judge, Peshawar, with effect from the 18th May 1917.

No. 746-Est.-A.—Mr. B. J. Gould, of the Political Department, is posted as Assistant Commissioner, Mardan, with effect from the 16th May 1917.

No. 747-Est.-A.—Major J. A. Brett, of the Political Department, is posted as Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan, with effect from the 18th May 1917.

The 12th June, 1917.

No. 1144-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act, 1886 (VI of 1886), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Political Agent, Cambay, for the time being, to be Registrar of Births and Deaths in respect of the classes of persons indicated in section 11, sub-section (*1*), clause (*b*) of the said Act, for the local area included within the State of Cambay.

2. For the purposes of section 24, sub-section (2), and section 32 of the said Act, the Governor General in Council is further pleased to appoint the Registrar-General of Births, Deaths and Marriages for the Presidency of Bombay, for the time being, to be the Registrar-General for the said local area.

The 13th June, 1917.

No. 1155-I. C.—*Erratum.*—In the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, No. 1011-I. C., in the *Gazette of India* (*Extraordinary*), dated the 4th June 1917, announcing appointments to the Imperial Service Order, *for* "Lieutenant John Arthur Hamilton, I. A. R. O.", *read* "Temporary Lieutenant John Arthur Hamilton, R.E.", and *for* "Captain Douglas William Mew Gumbley, I. A. R. O.", *read* "Temporary Captain Douglas William Mew Gumbley, R.E."

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 14th June, 1917.

No. 775-Est.-B.—The services of Captain F. C. G. Campbell, M. C., 40th Pathans, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor General in the North-West Frontier Province, for employment with the Frontier Militia, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 13th June, 1917.

No. 800-G.—Mr. F. J. Woolmer, 1st grade Assistant, has been appointed a 3rd grade Superintendent, temporary rank, in the Military Finance Office, with effect from the 28th May 1917.

No. 804-Accts.—Mr. J. N. Roy, a Superintendent in the office of the Comptroller and Auditor General, has been placed on deputation as a gazetted officer, in the office of the Senior Controller of Military Supply Accounts, Calcutta, with effect from the 7th June 1917, *vice* Mr. T. K. Acharya who has been permitted to revert to his permanent appointment as Chief Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Madras.

The 15th June, 1917.

No. 633-F.E.—Mr. R. Srinivasa Ayyar, Deputy Accountant General, Madras, has been granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 5th June 1917.

Mr. T. Rangasami Mudaliar, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Madras, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office, with effect from the 5th June 1917, and during the absence on leave of Mr. R. Srinivasa Ayyar.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

ASSESSED TAXES.

Income tax.

The 15th June, 1917.

No. 1347-F.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Indian Income Tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886), the Governor General in Council is pleased to exempt from liability to the tax payable under the said Act the salary and allowances for the period of deputation of any person deputed by Native States in Central India, for training in British India

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ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

PUBLIC DEBT.

The 15th June, 1917.

No. 1357-F.—In continuation of the Government of India Notification in the Finance Department No. 1122-F., dated the 21st May 1917, it is announced that applications for the payment of subscriptions to the Indian War Loan in England in the shape of British treasury bills will be received by the Controller of Currency at Calcutta between the 16th June 1917 and the 31st October 1917, inclusive.

2. The application should state the subscription in cash made to the loan in India, the date and place of such subscription and the amount which it is desired to subscribe in treasury bills. The Controller of Currency will verify the facts stated in the application and inform the Secretary of State for India that treasury bills may be received on behalf of the applicant up to a named amount, an intimation being simultaneously sent to the latter.

3. The applicant should then arrange with his representative in England for the tender of the treasury bills to the Secretary of State along with a certificate of ownership of the bills prior to the 17th April 1917. He should also pay to the credit of Government in India any cash subscription required to make up an exact multiple of Rs. 100, and forward the acknowledgment of the Government treasury or Presidency Bank to the Controller of Currency. On receipt of the acknowledgment and of a telegraphic intimation from the Secretary of State regarding the tender of the treasury bills, the Controller of Currency will issue to the applicant allotment letters which can be exchanged at the Public Debt Office for War Loan scrip in the usual way.

H. F. HOWARD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATION.

(CIVIL VETERINARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Simla, the 15th June, 1917.

No. 640.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3, sub-section (1) of the Live Stock Importation Act (IX of 1898), the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel so much of the notification in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture No. 1194, dated the 29th May 1914, as relates to clothing, harness and fittings.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 16th June, 1917.

No. 6856-C.W.—The following Army Council Order, dated the 24th April 1917, is published for general information :—

ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

PACKING CASES.

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations, and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, the Army Council hereby prohibit the manufacture of cases and crates, and the use of new cases and crates, for the packing of the goods listed in Schedule A hereto attached : Provided that nothing in this Order shall prohibit (1) the export as now packed of goods already packed for export at the date of this Order : (2) the packing in cases of the goods listed in Schedule B : (3) the packing in crates of the goods listed in Schedule C.

By Order of the Army Council,

R. H. BRADE

Schedule A

Athletic Outfits, Toys, Games.
Blankets and Rugs.
Books, unbound.
Boots and Shoes.
Calicoes.
Carpets and Mats (not pile).
Clothing (cheap ready made).
Confectionery.
Cotton Linings
Cotton Piece Goods.
Cotton Sateens.
Cottons, white.
Cottons, printed.
Cotton Shawls.
Cotton Yarns.
Curtains (lace or muslin).
Dusters and Household Cloths.
Handkerchiefs (in paper parcels).
Hose and Half Hose (not silk).
Linen Piece Goods.

Paper, Wrapping, Blotting and Unprinted.
Shirts (cotton, linen and woollen).
String and Rope.
Straw Boards.
Tablecloths and Covers (not pile).
Tinned Foodstuffs.
Towels and Towelling.
Underwear (cotton, linen and woollen).
Wadding (not for medical purposes).
Wool for knitting.
Wool or Worsted Piece Goods (not faced).

Schedule B.

Crepes and Crimps.
Embossed and/or Schreinered Goods.
Expensive Mercerised Yarns.
Figured, Ribbed and Corded Goods.
Fine Muslins, Fine Lawns and Voiles (valued at over 6*d*. per sq. yard).
Fine bordered white Dhooties.
Goods usually made up in cartons (cardboard boxes).
Mercerised goods (silk finished).
Pongees (valued at over 6*d*. per sq. yard).
Silks (artificial).
Velvets and Plushes.
White and dyed China Lawns.
Yarns made up on cops, pirns, cards or bobbins, or in chesses or balls.

Schedule C.

Athletic Outfits, Toys and Games.
Harness and Saddlery.
Tinned Foodstuffs.

The 16th June, 1917.

No. 6864-Spl.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1915 (XIV of 1915), and in modification of this Department Notification No. 7756-W.-II, dated the 26th August 1916, the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. W. Stather Hale, A.C.A., Registrar, Joint Stock Companies, Bengal, to act as Custodian for the Presidency of Bengal, *vice* Mr. E. N. Blandy, I.C.S., with effect from the 15th June 1917 for the purpose of receiving, holding and dealing with such money as may be paid to him in pursuance of the said Act.

COMPANY LAW.

The 16th June, 1917.

No. 6723-M.—In pursuance of the proviso to sub section (3) of section 277 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), the Governor General in Council is pleased to exempt the Universal Film Manufacturing Company, New York, from the requirements of sub-section (3) of the said section, provided that it annually files with the Registrar of the province, in which it has its principal place of business, a certified copy of the Statement of Assets and Liabilities and of the certificate of the Company's auditor as submitted to its shareholders.

GENERAL.

The 16th June, 1917.

No. 6761-G.—The services of Mr. S. H. Slater, I.C.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras, with effect from the 18th June 1917.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 16th June, 1917.

No. 6878-C.W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following new entry shall be inserted in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 5385-C.W., dated the 12th May 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.* :—

"(A) Belting (of all descriptions) for machinery."

SALT.

The 16th June, 1917.

No. 6830-G.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 28 of the Indian Salt Act, 1882 (XII of 1882), and by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf and in pursuance of the agreement made with the Chief of the State of Jaipur, dated the 7th August 1869, and of the agreements made with the Chief of the State of Jodhpur, dated, respectively, the 27th January 1870, the 18th April 1870, and the 18th January 1879, which provide for the lease to the British Government of the Salt Sources of Sambhar, Didwana and Pachbadra within the said States, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 547-Excise, dated the 25th January 1905, as amended by the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 4632, dated the 24th April 1915, namely :—

1. (*a*) In sub-rule (*1*) of rule 2, the words " either remit to the Assistant Commissioner in currency notes or by money order, or if he prefers it," shall be omitted.

(*b*) In the same sub-rule, after the words " Indian Midland " the words " or the Gwalior Light ", and after the words " General Traffic Manager ", the words " or the Manager ", respectively, shall be inserted, and for the words " said Railway ", the words " said Railways" shall be substituted.

(*c*) In sub-rule (*3*) of the same rule, the words " the remittance is made to the Assistant Commissioner or " shall be omitted.

(*d*) In sub-rule (*4*) of the same rule, the words " remitted or ", wherever they occur, shall be omitted: and after the words " (Indian Midland) ", the words " or the Gwalior Light " shall be inserted.

2. In sub-rule (*2*) of rule 3, after the words " (Indian Midland) ", the words " or the Gwalior Light "; and after the words " Chief Auditor " in brackets, the words " or Traffic Auditor as the case may be ", shall be inserted.

3. (*a*) In sub-rule (*1*) of rule 4, the words " accompanied by currency notes, or " and the words " or by money orders sent separately through the post office " shall be omitted.

(*b*) In the same sub-rule, after the words "(Indian Midland)" the words " or the Gwalior Light " shall be inserted.

4. (*a*) In sub-rule (*2*) of rule 4 after the word " despatched " the words " if otherwise than by the cheapest route " shall be inserted and at the end of the said sub rule the following sentence shall be inserted, namely :—

" If the rates are the same by two or more routes the applicant may either specify the route by which he desires the salt to be sent or leave it to the Railway Authorities at the station of despatch to select the route."

5. (*a*) In sub-rule (*3*) of rule 4, the words " and, in the case of a remittance, he should credit the sum remitted " shall be omitted.

(*b*) In the same sub-rule for the last sentence the following shall be substituted :—

" He shall thereafter cause to be refunded to the applicant any excess payment due to him under sub-rule (*4*) of rule 2."

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATION.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Simla, the 14th June, 1917.

No 199.—For the Department of Education Notification No. 195 (Ecclesiastical), dated the 15th June 1916, substitute the following :—

In exercise of the power conferred by Section 2, sub-section (2) of the Church of Scotland Kirk Sessions Act, 1899 (XXIII of 1899), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to notify that the Kirk Session of St. Margaret's Church, Murree and of St. Paul's Church, Rawalpindi, has been duly constituted for ecclesiastical purposes in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 15th June 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 909.—The following warrant officer and non-commissioned officer to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).

Company Serjeant Major Alexander Muir. 29th May 1917.

Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's).

Company Quartermaster Serjeant John Fisher. 28th May 1917.

No. 910.—The undermentioned Second Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant) relinquishes his temporary rank on alteration in posting :—

1-4th Battalion, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment.

N. L. MacLennan. 21st March 1917.

No. 911.—In Army Department Notification No. 374, dated the 16th March 1917, under the heading "Personal Appointments," *for* "2nd Lieutenant R. H. Bion, Indian Army Reserve of Officers," *substitute* "2nd Lieutenant A. E. Bion, Indian Army Reserve of Officers."

Governor General's Bodyguard.

No. 912.—Captain A. H. Brooke, 18th King George's Own Lancers, to be Commandant, *vice* Captain W. A. S. deGale, 5th Cavalry, resigned. Dated 1st June 1917.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 913.—The undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified :—

Pherozshah Maneckshah Taleyar Khan	... 11th February 1917.
Bradford Ivan Hector Joachim ...	... 15th February 1917.
Jal Edulji Dhunjibhoy	... 20th February 1917.
Justinian Anthony daCosta ...	... 3rd March 1917.
Edward Claude Brooks	... 5th March 1917.
Jamshedji Sorabji Kanga	... 8th March 1917.
Alexander Reginald Lester... ..	... 12th March 1917.
Charles Leonard Digby Roberts ...	.. 12th March 1917.
Alfred Maurice Victor Hesterlow ...	... 14th March 1917.
Pydah Venkata Ramana Murty ...	... 17th March 1917.
Homi Rustomji Cursetji	... 31st March 1917
Narayan Keshinath Desai	... 1st April 1917.
Abundius Joseph Abreu	... 2nd April 1917.
Dinshaw Limji Kaka	... 3rd April 1917.
Sohan Lal Bhatia	... 5th April 1917.
Anil Chandra Chatterji	... 17th April 1917
Krishnaji Nilkant Chhatre ...	... 20th April 1917.

No. 914.—In Army Department Notification No 666, dated the 4th May 1917, *for* "23rd December 1916" opposite Jal Dinshawji Daruwalla *read* "18th December 1916"

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 915.—In Army Department Notification No 1241, dated the 19th October 1916, publishing a list of officers, non-commissioned officers and men brought to notice by Lieutenant-General Sir P. H. N. Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., in connection with the operations of Indian Expeditionary Force "D" from the 19th January to the 30th April 1916, the following amendment is made —

Under heading "Indian Subordinate Medical Department" *for* "863 Jit Singh, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon" *read*—

"No. 1150 Jit Singh, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon."

No. 916.—The following corrections are made to Army Department Notification No. 1242, dated the 19th October 1916:—

Under 22nd Punjabis, for "Jemadar Hakim Singh" *read* "Jemadar Hakim Khan."

for "No. 222 Sepoy Dalit Singh" *read* "No. 222 Sepoy Dalip Singh."

for "No. 162 Sepoy Dutep Singh" *read* "No. 112 Sepoy Dalip Singh."

for "No. 4751 Naik Bhakur Singh" *read* "No. 4551 Naik Thakur Singh."

for "No. 370 L.-Naik Lair Singh" *read* "No. 370 L.-Naik Hari Singh."

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 917.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

To be Second Lieutenants

Cavalry Branch.

Name	Date
Robert Cecil Wilkinson.	Dated 9th June 1917.
Joseph Herbert Thorniley.	Dated 12th June 1917.
Harold John Leach.	Dated 12th June 1917.

Infantry Branch.

Name	Date
David Evan Jones.	Dated 3rd April 1917.
John Needham.	Dated 20th April 1917.
Henry Ronald-Taylor Simpson Perrott.	Dated 1st May 1917.
Henry Robert Holmes.	Dated 12th May 1917.
Charles Frank Jeffery.	Dated 14th May 1917
Cyril Gregory Atkins.	Dated 23rd May 1917.
Bertie Conroy Welby.	Dated 29th May 1917.
James Edward Scott.	Dated 1st June 1917.
Eric Charles Ashington Thompson.	Dated 8th June 1917.
Alexander Simpson Milne.	Dated 12th June 1917.
Cecil Charles Browne.	Dated 12th June 1917.

No. 918.—William James Knott (Temporary Lieutenant, 1st Garrison Battalion, The Norfolk Regiment) to be Second Lieutenant with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 12th June 1917, but to rank as Second Lieutenant from the 11th May 1915, and as Temporary Lieutenant from the 24th November 1915.

No. 919—Second Lieutenant Henry Ronald-Taylor Simpson Perrott, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while employed as Commandant, 29th Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval with effect from the 1st May 1917.

No. 920.—Second Lieutenant James Edward Scott, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while employed as Commandant, 30th Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st June 1917.

No. 921.—Second Lieutenant David Evan Jones, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, 27th Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 3rd April 1917.

No. 922.—Second Lieutenant John Needham, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, 27th Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 20th April 1917.

No. 923.—Second Lieutenant Henry Robert Holmes, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, 29th Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 12th May 1917.

No 924.—Second Lieutenant Charles Frank Jeffery, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, 22nd Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 14th May 1917.

No. 925.—Second Lieutenant Cyril Gregory Atkins, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, 29th Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 23rd May 1917.

No. 926.—Second Lieutenant Bertie Conroy Welby, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, 35th Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 29th May 1917.

No. 927.—Second Lieutenant T. L. Noble, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Assistant Embarkation Staff Officer. Dated 1st June 1917.

No. 928.—In Army Department Notification No. 517, dated the 13th April 1917, *for* "Second Lieutenant H. M. Blaikie, Indian Army Reserve of Officers," *read* "2nd Lieutenant H. M. Baikie, Indian Army Reserve of Officers."

No. 929.—In Army Department Notifications No. 220, dated the 5th March 1915 and No. 289, dated the 17th March 1916, *for* "Arthur Roland Price" *read* "Arthur Roland-Price."

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 930.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Second Supplement dated the 18th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 17th April 1917, pages 3702 and 3703.

War Office,
18th April 1917.

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The undermentioned temp. appts. are made :—

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Staff Capts.—22nd Mar. 1917 :—

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Lt. A. P. Cunningham, Ind. Army, and to be temp. Capt. whilst so empld.

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MEMORANDA.

Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) J. H. Hunter, C.B., Ind. Army, to be Maj.-Gen. in succession to K. S. Davison, C.B 30th Aug. 1916.

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The undermentioned are granted the hon. rank of Brig.-Gen. 19th Apr. 1917 :—

Col. G. de S. De Lisle, ret. pay, Ind. Army.

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Fifth Supplement dated the 19th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 17th April 1917, pages 3735, 3736, 3740, 3748 and 3749.

War Office,
19th April 1917.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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Flying Officers.—

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24th Mar. 1917.

2nd Lt. J. P. Dalley, Ind. Army Res. of Off.

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MEMORANDA.

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2nd Lt. L. D. Ford, Ind. Army Res. of Off., to be temp. Lt. whilst empld. with Tunnelling Cos. 25th Oct. 1916.

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The undermentioned to be acting Lts. whilst 2nd in comd. of Trench Mortar Batts.:—

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2nd Lt. E. Johnson, Ind. Army Res. of Off., from 22nd Aug. to 30th Sept. 1916, and from 11th Nov. to 24th Dec. 1916.

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TERRITORIAL FORCE.

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INFANTRY.

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Dorsetshire Regt.—Capt. (Lt.-Col., ret., Indian Army) R. P. Colomb is seconded for duty with the Army Canteen Committee. 17th Feb. 1917.

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London Gazette dated the 20th April 1917, pages 3756, 3760 and 3762.

War Office,
20th April 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

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Lt.-Col. C. A. F. Hocken, Ind. Cav., to be temp. Col. whilst empld. as a Col. on the Staff in India. 27th Mar. 1917.

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Training Reserve.

Bt.-Col. G. S. Hogge (ret., Ind. Army) vacates the comd. of a Bn. 1 Apr. 1917.

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Second Supplement dated the 21st April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 20th April 1917, pages 3823, 3824 and 3825.

War Office,
21st April 1917.

The following are among the decorations and medals awarded by the Allied Powers at various dates to the British Forces for distinguished services rendered during the course of the campaign:—

His Majesty the King has given unrestricted permission in all cases to wear the decorations and medals in question.

Decorations conferred by

THE PRESIDENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

Croix de Guerre.

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Major Hugh William Knox-Niven, Cavalry, Indian Army.

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Decorations conferred by

HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF ITALY.

Order of the Crown of Italy.

Commendatori.

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Lieutenant-Colonel George Frederick Chenevix-Trench, C.I.E., Indian Army, retired

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Decorations conferred by

HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF THE BELGIANS.

Ordre de la Couronne.

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Officier.

Captain Stewart Ranken Douglas, late Indian Medical Service, St. Mary's Hospital.

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Decorations and Medals conferred by

H. M. THE KING OF SERBIA.

(In recognition of services during the operations in Serbia in November and December 1915.)

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Order of the White Eagle, 4th Class.

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Captain (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Godfrey Drage (retired, Indian Army), Royal Munster Fusiliers.

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Supplement dated the 24th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 24th April 1917, pages 3889 and 3891.

War Office,
24th April 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

Lt.-Col. W. F. Bainbridge, C.M.G., D.S.O., Ind. Army, to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst Brig.-Gen., Gen. Staff. 27th Mar. 1917.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 931.—The undermentioned officers retain their temporary rank on alteration of posting :—

Royal Field Artillery (Territorial Force).

Temporary Lieutenant W. E. C. Moore, attached 16th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery. Dated 4th March 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant C. Mouritz, attached 16th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery. Dated 5th March 1917.

Temporary Lieutenant J. Cattanach, attached 16th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery. Dated 27th March 1917.

Royal Garrison Artillery.

No. 932.—The undermentioned officers to be Acting Majors :—

Captain J. A. H. B. Somerville, 33rd (Reserve) Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery. Dated 6th March 1917.

Captain R. E. Wilson, D.S.O., 29th Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery. Dated 18th March 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 933.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

2nd May 1917.

Lionel Whitelaw Fox, Supply and Transport Corps.

23rd May 1917.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Nelson Lushington, Supply and Transport Corps.
Vincent Francis William Tregear, 98th Infantry.

Captains to be Majors.

7th May 1917.

Charles Clarke Walker, 28th Light Cavalry.
Ernest Edwards, 29th Punjabis.

Second Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

24th February 1917.

Robert Geoffrey Woodward, attached 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force) ; whilst acting Adjutant of the regiment.

No. 934.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified, but not to carry pay and allowances prior to the 1st September 1916.

Captains to be Majors.

8th May 1916.

William Philip Hammond, 18th Infantry.

11th May 1916

Philip Geoffrey Benson-Cooke, 80th Carnatic Infantry.

6th July 1916.

Frederick Launcelot Donne Jarrad, 126th Baluchistan Infantry.

4th December 1916.

Robert Orr Sutherland, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers.

18th January 1917.

Henry Champion de Crespigny, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).
Erskine Magniac, 27th Punjabis. (Since deceased).
William Rix Ames, 4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

6th September 1915.

Donald Gordon Rule, 27th Punjabis.
Eric James Shearer, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.

19th January 1916.

George Van Baerle Gillan, 9th Gurkha Rifles.

24th August 1916.

Charles Joseph Weld, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

13th January 1916.

Llewellyn Mostyn Paterson, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.
John William Albert Merk, 6th Gurkha Rifles. (Since deceased).

17th March 1916.

Ernest Leopold Fitzhardinge Berkeley, 25th Punjabis.

16th June 1916.

Charles Noel Harris, 123rd Outram's Rifles. (Since deceased).

15th November 1916.

Angus Claude Bromham, attached 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).
Thomas Winford Rees, attached 73rd Carnatic Infantry.
Geoffrey Woodburn Gemmell, 4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.
Arthur Hugh Jay Snelling, 4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.
Thomas Gazzard, attached 32nd Sikh Pioneers.
Charles Frederick Dann, attached 28th Punjabis.
Walter Northey Cecil Barlow, attached 30th Punjabis.
Theodore Franklyn Pearse, 120th Rajputana Infantry.

18th April 1917.

Robert Hailstone, attached 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Alan Herbert Mainwaring West, attached 36th Sikhs.
Arthur Buckingham Miller, attached 59th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).
Douglas Richard Wordsworth Mason, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry.
Charles Edward Gray, attached 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 935—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenant to be Captain.

Eric Howard Thirkell White. Dated 19th December 1916.

MISCELLANEOUS LIST, MADRAS.

No 936.—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain John Hanly, to be Commissary ; with effect from the 5th January 1917.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

(Late) Madras List.

No. 937.—Conductor (supernumerary Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant) William Henry Penn to be absorbed in the grade of Assistant Commissary with the honorary rank of Lieutenant,

Sub-Conductor William Terry to be Conductor,

Staff Serjeant Eugene William Newman, Amalgamated List, to be Sub-Conductor on the Amalgamated List,

vice Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Charles Lewis, supernumerary on attaining the age of 55 years; with effect from the 28th May 1917.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 938.—The following promotions are made :—

33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.

Risaldar Santa Singh, I.O.M., to be Risaldar-Major, Ressaidar Hidayat Ali Khan to be Risaldar, Jemadar Sundar Singh to be Ressaidar and Kot-Dafadar Muhammad Shafi Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 6th March 1916, Kot-Dafadar Hargayan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st April 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

11th Rajputs.

Havildar-Major Raghuraj Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th April 1917, and Havildar Danbahadur Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th May 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.

Havildar Jiwa Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 4th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

25th Punjabis.

Subadar Sudama to be Subadar-Major, Jemadar Sadhu Singh II to be Subadar and Havildar Basant Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st May 1917 ; *vice* Mula Singh, *Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment.

28th Punjabis.

Colour-Havildar Imam Ali and Havildar Diwan Ali to be Jemadars, with effect from the 22nd April 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

30th Punjabis.

Jemadar Maghar Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Hakim Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

34th Sikh Pioneers.

Havildar Jagat Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 16th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Burhan Ali to be Subadar, with effect from the 22nd March 1917, Havildar Basawa Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd February 1917, and Colour-Havildar Muhammad Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 25th April 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).

Quartermaster-Havildar Nadir Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

82nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Mastan Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 13th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.

Subadar Venkatasami to be Subadar-Major, with effect from the 11th April 1917 ; *vice* Jivaji Rao, transferred to the pension establishment.

Jemadars Sourinayagam and Saiyid Mohi ud-din to be Subadars, with effect from the 12th March 1917, Jemadar Shaikh Daud to be Subadar, with effect from the 11th April 1917, Havildars Muhammad Ghaus, Abdul Sattar and Subrayan to be Jemadars, with effect from the 12th March 1917, and Havildar Kasturi to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

91st Punjabis (Light Infantry).

Havildar Dali Ahmad to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

94th Russell's Infantry.

Colour-Havildar Ramji Lal to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th May 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, The 101st Grenadiers.

Jemadar Bapu Barji to be Subadar and Havildars Kashinath Mane and Yeshwant Rao Mane to be Jemadars, with effect from the 3rd February 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles.

Havildar Lokhbir Ale to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st May 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadar Sing Bahadur Limbu to be Subadar, with effect from the 22nd September 1916, Jemadar Mahadal Limbu to be Subadar, with effect from the 11th November 1916 Jemadar Kulman Rai to be Subadar, with effect from the 14th January 1917, Jemadar Sasiram Thapa to be Subadar, with effect from the 18th January 1917, Jemadar Lahang Limbu to be Subadar, with effect from the 18th February 1917, Havildar Dal Sing Basnet to be Jemadar, with effect from the 26th November 1916, Havildar Jaspatti Limbu to be Jemadar, with effect from the 14th January 1917, Havildar Ranser Limbu to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th January 1917, and Colour-Havildar Jasbir Lama to be Jemadar, with effect from the 26th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

Havildar Naine Lama to be Jemadar, with effect from the 24th July 1915; to complete the establishment.

Jemadar Naine Lama to be Subadar, with effect from the 26th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles.

Havildars Nar Sing Thapa, Jitman Pun, Subhan Sing Gurung, and Chandra Sing Gurung to be Jemadars, with effect from the 6th April 1917, and Havildar Narbir Pun to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

1st Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles.

Havildar Singhbaj Limbu to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st April 1917, and Havildar Jagatbahadur Rai to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th April 1917; to complete the establishment.

13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).

No 939—The promotion to Jemadar of Kot-Dafadar Jiwan Singh, published in Army Department Notification No. 310, dated the 2nd March 1917, is cancelled.

129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.

No 940—The date of the promotion of Colour-Havildar Raj Wali Khan to Jemadar is the 15th December 1916, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No 72[illegible] dated the 11th May 1917.

DISMISSALS, REMOVALS AND DISCHARGES.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bombay Establishment.

No. 941.—No. 333 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Maganlal Gordhandas Dave is discharged from the service, under the provisions of Rule 13 (XI), Indian Army Act Rules with effect from the 25th May 1917.

RETENTIONS.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

No. 942.—Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Charles Lewis is retained in the service after the age of 55 years, with effect from the 28th May 1917, until further orders, and will be borne as supernumerary in his rank and grade.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 943.—Lieutenant-Colonel Claude Tulloch Ducat, Supernumerary List, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service on account of ill-health, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 25th April 1917.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 944.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, Bt.-Colonel Sir Bruce Gordon Seton, *Bart*, I.M.S., has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service on account of ill-health; with effect from the 27th May 1917.

REWARDS.

INDIAN ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 945.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotion in, and admissions to, the Military Division of the Indian Order of Merit:—

For promotion to the 1st Class of the Order.

No. 2103 Havildar Bir Singh, I.O.M., Sikhs, for conspicuous gallantry and skill on the 15th April 1916, when in command of a picquet of 14 rifles he organised and led an attack on a hostile picquet over 200 yards of open ground in broad daylight. The attack was made by a rush over the open to bombing distance whence bombs were thrown until the enemy surrendered. This non-commissioned officer led the charge himself and threw the first bomb. The enemy picquet consisted of 1 officer and 21 other ranks of which the officer and 17 other ranks were captured, 2 were killed and 2 escaped. The attack was made under flanking fire from the remainder of the enemy's picquet.

The award of the 2nd Class Indian Order of Merit to No. 2103 Havildar Bir Singh, I.O.M., in Army Department Notification No. 1387, dated the 17th November 1916, is cancelled.

For admission to the 2nd Class of the Order.

No. 764 Naik Sawan Singh, No. 785 Naik Bhullan Khan, } Sappers and Miners, for conspicuous gallantry and coolness on the night of the 4th April 1916, when in charge of parties joining up a gap of 350 yards in the front line. These non-commissioned officers freely exposed themselves under heavy rifle and machine gun fire and cleared casualties. It was mainly due to their action that the line was successfully consolidated. They had previously rendered very good service by the energy with which they pushed forward saps against the enemy's positions.

The award of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal to No. 764 Naik Sawan Singh and No. 785 Naik Bhullan Khan, Sappers and Miners, in Army Department Notification No. 1388, dated the 17th November 1916, is cancelled.

No. 946.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the admission of the undermentioned Indian officer to the 2nd Class Military Division of the Indian Order of Merit:—

Subadar Turra Baz, Southern Waziristan Militia.

This officer showed great personal gallantry on the 9th April 1917 in an encounter with a gang of Mahsuds. By his promptitude in taking up a position at the commencement of the action and by his bravery in maintaining his position under heavy fire at close range, although he had lost one-third of his party killed and wounded, Subadar Turra Baz enabled a picquet which had been attacked to retire to a position of comparative safety.

INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

No. 947.—His Majesty the King Emperor has been graciously pleased to declare that all Indian non-combatants attached to a force in the field shall be eligible for the grant of the Indian Distinguished Service Medal as a reward for gallantry or meritorious service.

JUDICIAL.

No. 948.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in rule 21 of the Indian Defence Force Rules, 1917, namely :—

(1) In clause (*b*) of the said rule, after the words "any other person" the words "resident in British India, including Baluchistan and the Santhal Parganas" shall be inserted.

(2) After clause (*b*) of the said rule, the following clause shall be added, namely :—

"(*c*) In the case of a person resident within the territories of a Native Prince or Chief in India—an area with a radius of forty miles from the ordinary place of residence of such person."

No. 949.—Lieutenant Charles Henry Walpole Phillips, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached Supply and Transport Corps is cashiered by sentence of a General Court Martial held at Basrah, with effect from the 13th February 1917.

ORGANISATION.

No. 950.—The following appointments under the Indian Munitions Board have effect from the dates stated :—

Name.	Appointment.	Date
Mr. R. D. Bell, I.C.S.	Controller of Industrial Intelligence ...	17th March 1917.
Mr. J. C. Highet	Controller (Railway Materials) ...	20th March 1917.
Dr. A. C. McWilliam	Metallurgical Inspector	20th March 1917.
Mr. R. H. Meredith	Assistant Government Hides Inspector, Madras	1st April 1917.
Mr. J. W. Macfarlane	Assistant Controller (Hides), Bombay ...	1st April 1917.
Mr. R. S. Troup	Controller, Timber Supplies	16th April 1917.
Dr. G. C. Simpson, F.R.S.	Assistant Secretary, Indian Munitions Board	25th April 1917.
Mr. E. R. Reake	Registrar, Indian Munitions Board ...	20th April 1917.
Mr. F. J. G. Geare, I.C.S.	Assistant Controller (Hides), Calcutta ...	8th May 1917.
Mr. V. Bayley, C.I.E.	Controller of Munitions, Karachi ...	29th May 1917.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS

No. 951.—His Excellency the Right Hon'ble Lawrence John Lumley Dundas, Earl of Ronaldshay, G.C.I.E., Governor of Bengal, to be Honorary Colonel of the following Corps :—

Eastern Bengal Volunteer Rifles. Dated the [illegible] March 1917.

Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps. Dated the [illegible] April 1917.

United Provinces Horse.

2nd (Northern) Regiment.

No. 952.—Major John Walter Le[illegible], V.D., is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated the 18th February 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 15th June, 1917.

No. 26.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Impressment of Vessels Ordinance, 1914, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the first column of the schedule annexed to Marine Department Notification No. 73, dated the 18th August 1914, as amended by Marine Department Notifications Nos 77, 30, 40, 16, 36, 50, 55 and 15, dated the 1st September 1914, the 10th September 1915, the 10th December 1915, the 5th May 1916, the 25th August 1916, the 24th November 1916, the 15th December 1913 and the 23rd March 1917, respectively :—

For " Commodore W. Lumsden, C.V.O., C.I.E., R.N., Director of the Royal Indian Marine ", *substitute* " Captain N. F. J. Wilson, C.M.G., officiating Director of the Royal Indian Marine ".

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 11th June, 1917.

No. 253-F.-17.—In pursuance of section 135 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), and in continuation of the Notification of the Government of India in the Railway Department No. 291, dated 28th October 1914, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the Administration of the Burma Railways shall be liable to pay, in aid of the funds of the local authority set out in the Schedule hereto annexed, the tax specified in the second column thereof.

SCHEDULE.

Local Authority.	Tax.
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Pyinmana Municipality	Latrine tax.

No. 412-P.-16.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the Railway Board have sanctioned the carrying out of a survey, by the agency of the Eastern Bengal Railway of the east or left bank of the river Jamuna opposite Serajganj with a view to selecting a site for the establishment of a ferry service in connection with the proposed Serajganj-Mymensingh, Railway.

No. 570-E.—The services of Mr. D. E. Keatinge, Chief Storekeeper, North Western Railway, are placed at the disposal of the Indian Munitions Board, with effect from the 23rd May 1917.

No. 570-1-E.—Mr. G. A. Meade, Storekeeper, Eastern Bengal Railway, is appointed to officiate as Chief Storekeeper, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.

No. 570-2-E.—Mr. F. E. Goodall, Storekeeper, on special duty, is transferred from the North Western Railway to the Eastern Bengal Railway.

He will continue for the present on special duty.

No. 570-3-E.—Mr. F. W. Thorp, Storekeeper, is transferred from the North Western Railway to the Eastern Bengal Railway.

The 12th June, 1917.

No. 286-P.-16.—The Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 7, Madras, having inspected the Suramangalam-Salem Railway, authorised its opening for passenger traffic, with effect from the 1st June 1917. The Railway Board, after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

No. 784-E.-17—Rai Sahib Hira Lal, Assistant Engineer, North Western Railway is permitted to retire from the service of Government under the provisions of Article 465, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th January 1917.

The 14th June, 1917.

No. 280-P.-16.—The Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 2, Calcutta, having inspected the Kalighat-Falta Railway, authorised its opening for passenger traffic, with effect from the 28th May 1917.

The Railway Board, after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

No. 454-E.—The following permanent promotions are ordered in the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Carriage and Wagon Department, with effect from the 1st April 1917 :—

Names.	From	To
Hunter, J. C.	Class II, grade 2 ...	Class II, grade 1.
Armitstead, H.	Class II, grade 3, and officiating Carriage and Wagon Superintendent.	Class II, grade 2, and officiating Carriage and Wagon Superintendent.
White, C. F.	Class II, grade 5 ...	Class II, grade 4.

No. 455-E.-1.—The following permanent promotions are ordered in the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Locomotive Department, with effect from the 1st April 1917 :—

Names.	From	To
Josceiyne, A. H.	Class II, grade 2, and officiating Deputy Locomotive Superintendent.	Class II, grade 1, and officiating Deputy Locomotive Superintendent.
Cole, H. L.	Class II, grade 2 ...	Class II, grade 1.
Silvester, C. J.	Do. 2 ...	Do. 1
Wrench, T. W. E. S.	Do. 3 ...	Do. 2
Hunt, E.	Do. 3 ...	Do. 2
Scott, E. L.	Do. 3 ...	Do. 2
Thorpe, W. A. C.	Do. 3 ...	Do. 2
Spurgeon, C. E.	Do. 3 ...	Do. 2
Furley, H. D.	Do. 4 ...	Do. 3
Cardew, D.	Do. 4 ...	Do. 3
Wrench, J.M.D.	Do. 4 ...	Do. 3
Crosbie, A.	Do. 5 ...	Do. 4
Brock, I. E.	Do. 5 ...	Do. 4

No 458-E.—The following permanent promotions are ordered in the Superior Stores Establishment of State Railways :—

Names.	From	To	With effect from
Lightowler, I.	Class III, grade 3 ...	Class III, grade 2 ...	1st April 1917.
Paterson, R. H.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Oates, R. J.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	17th May 1917.

The 15th June, 1917.

No. 456-E.-17.—The following promotions in the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Traffic Department, are ordered :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Bocquet, G. S.	Class II, grade 2 ...	Class II, grade 1 ...	1st April 1917.
Chase, J. H.	Class II, grade 2, and officiating Deputy Traffic Manager in Class I.	Class II, grade 1, and officiating Deputy Traffic Manager in Class I, temporary.	Ditto.
Rai Bahadur Jai Narain	Class II, grade 3 ...	Class II, grade 2 ...	Ditto.
Freeman, W. P.	Do. 3 ...	Do. 2 ...	Ditto.
Collett-White, R. J.	Do. 3 ...	Do. 2 ...	Ditto.
Green, A. D.	Do. 4 ...	Do. 3 ...	Ditto.
Hawkins, A. V.	Do. 4 ...	Do. 3 ...	Ditto.
Ritchie, C. S.	Do. 5 ...	Do. 4 ...	Ditto.
Manson, S. D.	Class II, grade 5, and Class II, grade 4, *sub-pro-tem.*	Do. 4 ...	Ditto.
Van Someren, L. W.	Class II, grade 5 ...	Do. 4 ...	5th May 1917.
Goulding, H. P. R.	Class III, grade 2, and Class II, officiating.	Class III, grade 1 and Class II, grade 5, temporary.	1st April 1917.
Bisco, W. T.	Ditto ...	Class III, grade 1 and Class II, grade 5, temporary (Supy.).	Ditto.
Mathra Das	Ditto ...	Class III, grade 1 and Class II, officiating.	Ditto.
Heymerdinguer, C. A.	Ditto ...	Class III, grade 1, and Class II, grade 5, temporary.	Ditto

No. 825-T.-16.—The following is published for general information :—

No. 825-T.-16, dated the 15th June 1917.

RESOLUTION—By the Railway Board.

Adoption on the Bombay Port Trust Railway of special goods consignment note and receipt forms for goods booked from Depots on that Railway to the Docks.

RESOLUTION.—The Manager of the Bombay Port Trust Railway has applied for permission to adopt special forms of goods consignment note and receipt for goods booked from Depots on that Railway to the Docks in order to suit the local conditions under which the traffic is handled by that railway.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 54 (1) and 72 (2) (*b*) of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to approve of the accompanying forms, and to sanction, with effect from the date of receipt of this resolution, their adoption on the Bombay Port Trust Railway.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this resolution and of its enclosures be communicated to the Manager, Bombay Port Trust Railway, for information and guidance and to the Government of Bombay, Public Works Department, for information and that they be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India*.

Ordered also that this resolution with the annexed forms be kept at all Grain Cotton Depot stations on the Bombay Port Trust Railway for inspection free of charge, by any person, at all reasonable times, as directed by sub-section (2) of section 54 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890).

Bombay Port Trust Railway.

CONSIGNMENT NOTE.

From Grain / Cotton Depot to Docks.

Direct Shipment—Owner's Risk.

No................

Please receive from (consignors) Messrs...

at Grain / Cotton Depôt Station, siding number..........shed number..........the goods. contained in Wagon No............and said to consist of (number)...... bags / bales, contents.............................marks..................and forward them by goods train to the Dock Manager at Prince's / Victoria / Alexandra / Dock Station, siding number..........................shed number....................for shipment by S. S "......................................"

Whereas the said consignment is charged at a special reduced rate instead of at the ordinary tariff rate chargeable for such consignment, I / we the undersigned do, in consideration of such lower charge, agree and undertake to hold the Bombay Port Trust Railway Administration and also all other transport agents or carriers employed by them by or through whose transport agency or agencies the said goods may be carried harmless and free from all responsibility for any loss, destruction, or deterioration of, or damage to, the said consignment, from any cause whatever and without exception.

Date................ ....

Signature of sender or deliverer of goods

A separate Consignment Note must be prepared for every wagon load.

Alternative words in the text should be struck out by the Consignor.

No alteration is to be made in the above entries after this Consignment Note has been signed by the consignor.

The following particulars are to be filled in by the Railway staff only.

Wagon No..........type..........placed at time..........loaded at time.........

Date...............Time................ ....

Loading Clerk.

Receipt No.............issued.

Freight Rs .... Total Rs.............

Demurrage Rs......... Bill Register folio.............

Date...............time............ ....

Booking Clerk.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNORS.

The Bombay Port Trust Railway Administration hereby gives public notice.

1. That the Railway Administration will not be accountable for any articles unless the same are booked and a receipt for them given by their clerk or agent, and that when the articles are so accepted for conveyance, the responsibility of the railway for the loss, destruction or deterioration of the articles is subject to the provisions of Section 72 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890.

2. That the Railway Administration will not, in any case, be responsible for the loss, destruction or deterioration of parcels or packages containing the following articles, *viz*,—Gold or silver, coined or uncoined, manufactured or unmanufactured; plated articles; cloths and tissues and lace of which gold or silver forms part, not being the uniform or part of the uniform of an officer, soldier, sailor, police officer or person enrolled as a volunteer under the Indian Volunteers Act, 1869, or of any public officer, British or Foreign, entitled to wear uniform: pearls, precious stones, jewellery, and trinckets; watches, clocks or timepieces of any description; Government securities; Government stamps; bills of exchange; hundies, promissory notes, bank notes and orders or other securities for payment of money; maps, writing and title-deeds; paintings, engravings, lithographs, photographs, carvings, sculpture and other works of art: art pottery and all articles made of glass, china or marble: silks in a manufactured or unmanufactured state and whether wrought up or not wrought up with other materials; shawls; lace and furs; opium and narcotic preparations of hemp; ivory and ebony; coral and sandalwood, musk, sandalwood oil and other essential oils used in the preparation of itr or other perfume; musical and scientific instruments; any article of special value which the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, add to this list, when the value of such articles exceeds Rs. 100, *unless* the value and nature of such articles shall have been declared by the sender, and an insurance rate over and above the railway charges for carriage shall have been paid to and accepted by some person duly authorised to receive the same on behalf of the Railway Administration.

That where goods, insured as above, have been lost or destroyed, or have deteriorated, the compensation payable by the Railway Administration shall not exceed the value declared, and the burden of proving the value so declared to have been true value, shall, notwithstanding anything in the declaration, lie on the person claiming the compensation.

That the Foremen at the several stations on the line are authorised to insure any of the abovementioned articles valued at from Rs. 100 to Rs. 500, but that for the insurance of any such article valued at over Rs. 500, application must be made to the Manager, Bombay Port Trust Railway.

No other persons except those herein mentioned are authorised to accept insurance charges.

3. That the Railway receipt given by the Railway Administration for the articles delivered for conveyance must be given up at destination by the consignee to the Railway Administration or the Railway may refuse to deliver, and that the signature of the consignee or his agent in the delivery book at destination shall be evidence of complete delivery.

If the consignee does not himself attend to take delivery, he must endorse on the receipt a request for delivery to the person to whom he wishes it made, and if the receipt is not produced, the delivery of the goods may, at the discretion of the Railway Administration, be withheld until the person entitled in its opinion to receive them has given an indemnity to the satisfaction of the Railway Administration.

4. That all claims against the Railway Administration for loss or damage to goods must be made to the clerk in charge of the station to which they have been booked before delivery is taken, and that a written statement of the description and contents of the articles missing, or of the damage received, must be sent forthwith to the Manager; otherwise the Railway Administration will be freed from responsibility.

5. That by Section 77 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890, it is enacted that a person shall not be entitled to a refund of an overcharge in respect of animals or goods carried by railway or to compensation, for the loss, destruction or deterioration of animals or goods delivered to be so carried, unless his claim to the refund or compensation has been preferred in writing by him or on his behalf to the Railway Administration, within six months from the date of the delivery of the animals or goods for carriage by railway.

6. That the Railway Administration have the right of re measurement, re weighment, and re calculation of charges at the place of destination, and of collecting, before the goods are delivered, any amount that may have been omitted or undercharged.

7. That the freight on all goods must be paid either previously or at the time of delivery, and that by Section 55 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890, it is enacted that if a person fails to pay on demand made by or on behalf of a Railway Administration, any rate, terminal or other charge due from him in respect of any animals or goods, the Railway Administration may detain the whole or any of the animals, or goods, or, if they have been removed from the railway, any other animals or goods of such person then being in or thereafter coming into its possession.

8. That all goods left on the Railway Administration's premises are liable to wharfage and demurrage charges as per Goods Tariff, and those charges will also be levied on goods left on hand, pending payment of freight and charges due on them.

9. That goods booked to stations on the Bombay Port Trust Railway are carried subject to the rules and conditions printed from time to time in the Railway Administration's Goods Tariff; and goods booked to or over a foreign railway are subject to the rules and regulations and to wharfage and to other charges in force on such railway.

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11. That by Section 107 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890, it is enacted that, if in contravention of Section 59, a person takes with him any dangerous or offensive goods upon a railway, or tenders or delivers any such goods for carriage upon a railway, he shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees and shall also be responsible for any loss, injury or damage, which may be caused by reason of such goods having been so brought upon the railway.

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Manager,

Bombay Port Trust Railway.

RECEIPT.

From—Grain/Cotton Depot to Docks.

Direct Shipment—Owner's Risk.

No.... ....

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at Grain/Cotton Depot Station, siding number...............shed number..................

the goods, contained in Wagon No..............and said to consist of (number)

.... bags/bales, contents..............marks....................................

consigned to the Dock Manager at Prince's / Victoria/ Alexandra/Dock Station

siding number.........................shed number....................for shipment by

S S. " .... "

The following charges are due to be paid at Grain/Cotton Depot :—

Freight	Rs. 10-0-0	Total Rs.
Demurrage	Rs.	

The wagon was placed at time.................date...............................

and was loaded at time.................date...............................

These goods are accepted for conveyance at Owner's Risk subject to the special conditions printed on the consignment note.

Date..............................

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Booking Clerk.

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Manager.

F. A. HADOW,

Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.
PLAGUE.

Simla, the 15th June, 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 9th June 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures	Plague deaths.
DELHI ...	...	......	..	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	36	33
		Ahmedabad City	1	...
		Broach Port	1	1
		Surat Town and Port	8	6
		Surat District	7	3
		Thana District	35	29
	Central	Ahmednagar District	8	14
		East Khandesh District	22	14
		West Khandesh District	2	2
		Poona District	29	16
		Nasik District	32	21
		Satara District	78	56
		Sholapur District	15	12
	Southern	Kolaba District	11	11
		Ratnagiri Port	15	9
		Ratnagiri District	4	3
		Belgaum District	16	15
		Dharwar District	14	5
	Sind ...	Karachi Town and Port	62	55
		Karachi District	11	8
		Hyderabad District	1	4

In the return for the week ending 2nd June 1917, against Surat Town and Port *read* 9 deaths *for* 10 deaths.

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Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind	Political Charges	Baroda State	1	2
		Mangrol Port	2	3
		Kathiawar Agency	1	1
		Mandvi Port	1	1
		Mundra Port	8	8
		Tuna Port	3	2
		Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	147	90
		Akalkot State	3	3
		Surat Agency	3	2
		TOTAL	576	436
Madras Presidency	...	Anantapur District	14	14
		Bellary District	2	2
		Chittoor District	...	1
		Godavari District	1	1
		Salem District	3	1
		North Arcot District	1	1
		TOTAL	21	20
Bengal Presidency	..	...	..	.
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	Patna City	1	1
		Patna District	18	14
		Shahabad District	61	40
	Tirhut	Saran District	43	31
		Muzaffarpur District	43	41
		Darbhanga District	7	3

In the return for the week ending 2nd June 1917, add the following :—

Karachi District 1 case, 1 death,
Sukkur " 1 " 1 "
Mundra Port 7 cases, 5 deaths
Tuna " 6 " 6 "
Aden " 9 " 9 "

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 30,000 or more inhabitants, and Forts.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	9	7
		Bhagalpur City	4	1
		Bhagalpur District	4	1
		TOTAL	490	119
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut	Saharanpur District	14	10
		Muzaffarnagar District	26	25
	Agra	Mainpuri District	12	12
	Rohilkhand	Barelly City	1	
		Bareilly District	...	1
		Bijnor District	43	29
		Budaun District	10	15
		Moradabad District	17	17
		Pilibhit District	4	4
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City	5	4
		Farrukhabad District	44	42
		Etawah District	6	6
		Cawnpore City	5	5
		Cawnpore District	30	29
		Fatehpur District	48	34
		Allahabad District	25	25
	Jhansi	Jalaun District	23	21
	Benares	Jaunpur District	8	6
		Ghazipur District	30	28
		Ballia District	43	41

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur District	72	9
		Azamgarh District	47	34
	Lucknow	Lucknow City	5	2
		Lucknow District	8	8
		Unao District	113	115
		Rae Bareli District	54	56
		Hardoi District	8	7
		Kheri District	8	7
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	5	5
		Gonda District	20	14
		Bahraich District	3	2
		Sultanpur District	8	8
		Partabgarh District	2	3
		Bara Banki District	9	9
		TOTAL	,060	607

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Ambala	Karnal District	18	18
		Ambala District	28	23
	Jullundur	Kangra District	8	3
		Ludhiana District	33	16
	Lahore	Lahore City	40	20
		Lahore District	143	97
		Gurdaspur District	25	12
		Gujranwala District	65	26
	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District	1	2
		Shahpur District	8	1
	Multan	Lyallpur District	..	4
	Native States	Jind State	3	2
		Patiala State	6	6
		TOTAL	368	219
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	25	24
		Hanthawaddy District	3	3
		Pegu District	8	2
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	10	10
		Bassein District	3	2
		Henzada District	2	2
		Myaungmya District	12	12
		Pyapon District	3	3
	Tenasserim	Moulmein Town	10	10
	Magwe	Minbu District	1	...
	Mandalay	Bhamo District	1	1
		TOTAL	78	69

In the return for the week ending 2nd June 1917, *add* the following :—

Julhundur District 49 cases, 20 deaths.
Ludhiana „ 27 „ 15 „
Gujranwala „ 23 „ 14 „
Gujrat „ 6 „ 3 „
Rawalpindi „ 35 „ 14 „
Lyallpur „ 4 „ 3 „
Attock „ 2 „ 1 death.
Pegu „ 5 „ 6 deaths.
Magwe „ 1 case, 1 death.
Northern Shan States 2 cases, 1 „

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 30,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur	Nagpur District	17	13
		Bhandara District	4	2
		Balaghat District	1	1
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town	1	1
		Jubbulpore District	23	11
		Saugor District	5	5
		Damoh District		1
		Seoni District	3	3
		Mandla District	1	1
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District	9	9
		Narsinghpur District	26	19
		Chhindwara District	17	13
	Chhatisgarh	Raipur District	2	3
	Berar	Amraoti District	38	28
		Yeotmal District	7	2
		Akola District	25	19
		Buldana District	29	18
		TOTAL	208	149
ASSAM ...	...	......	...	...
COORG ...	...	......	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 30,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	2	1
		Mysore District	17	9
		Kadur District	1	1
		Shimoga District	21	14
		Tumkur District	4	4
		Kolar District	11	7
		TOTAL	50	36
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	14	8
		Bir District	9	7
		Parbhani District	30	27
		Nander District	8	8
		Usmanabad District	160	145
		Bidar District	8	3
		Medak District	9	5
		Warangal District	2	1
		TOTAL	240 (a)	204 (a)

(a) From the 28th May to the 3rd June 1917.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Indore State	...	2
		Gwalior State (Ujjain)	43	37
		Bhopal State	6	7
		Rewa State	2	2
		TOTAL	51 (a)	48 (a)
RAJPUTANA	...	Ajmer City	62	41
		Ajmer District	34	32
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State	13	16
		Kishangarh State	3	4
		Jaipur State	89	78
		Jhalawar State	2	7
		TOTAL	203	168
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	59	31
		TOTAL	59	31
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	2,708	2,101

(a) For the week ending 2nd June 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 14th June 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. With the exception of Baluchistan and Sind, the monsoon gave rain over the whole country, and in most divisions the rainfall recorded was above the average.

At the close of the week a shallow depression was lying over Chota Nagpur and was giving general and in places moderately heavy rain in northeast India, while in the Arabian Sea a storm had probably formed off the Kathiawar coast and was causing a temporary withdrawal of the Arabian Sea monsoon current from the central parts of the country.

2. *Burma.*—Rainfall was nearly general every day except the 8th in Lower Burma and on the 7th, 8th and 9th in Upper Burma.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—There was nearly general rain every day except the 9th in Assam and except the 10th in Bengal. Rainfall was nearly general in Orissa from the 10th to the 13th, in Chota Nagpur on the 8th, 12th and 13th, and in Bihar on the 7th and 13th.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Nearly general rain fell in the Central Provinces on the 9th and 12th. Rain fell locally in the United Provinces and Central India.

Northwest India.—Rainfall was nearly general in the Punjab, excluding the south and in Kashmir on the 7th, and in Gujarat on the 12th. Local falls were reported from Rajputana and the North-West Frontier Province.

The Peninsula.—Rain fell at nearly every station throughout the week in the Konkan, from the 7th to the 9th and on the 13th in Malabar, on the 9th and 11th in the Bombay Deccan, on the 7th and 11th in Hyderabad, on the 13th in Mysore, and on the 7th on the north Madras coast. Local falls were reported from the rest of the division.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows:—

June	7th.	Minbu 1·95", Dhubri 1·44", Bogra 3·12", Darjiling 2·02", Darbhanga 1·50", Nowgong 1·80", Khardwa 2·78", Sialkot 1·73", Murree 3·82", Gulmarg 1·?2", Udaipur 1·18", Hanamkonda 3·01", Kurnool 1·25" and Cocanada 2·35".
,,	8th.	Kyaukpyu 2·54", Yamethin 1·36", Shillong 2·45", Cox's Bazar 3·15", Jessore 2·44", Calcutta 1·67", Burdwan 1·91", Gaya 1·85", Meerut 2·16", Neemuch 3·23", Sutna 1·78", Jodhpur 1·14", Veraval 3·03", Aurangabad 1·33", Cochin 2·07" and Waltair 1·43".
,,	9th.	Tavoy 3·07", Moulmein 2·10", Kyaukpyu 3·15", Lashio 1·01", Tezpur 1·75", Cherrapunji 5·16", Cox's Bazar 3·98", Jessore 1·74", Saugor Island 1·53", Mymensingh 1·83", False Point 1·25", Akola and Khandwa each 1·13", Raipur 1·78", Parbhani 3·34", Mangalore 1·97" and Cocanada 1·37".
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,,	13th.	Kyaukpyu 6·67", Akyab 1·84", Darjiling 3·86", Saugor Island 2·40", Burdwan 3·89", Sambalpur 1·21", Chaibasa 1·27" Hazaribagh 2·14", Gaya 1·20", Naya Dumka 1·50", Veraval 2·75", Marmagao 2·10", Karwar 2·12", Bangalore 0·90", Mercara 2·46", Mangalore 2·40", Calicut 5·17", Cochin 2·65", Madras 1·07" and Kurnool 1·05".

4. The rainfall of the week was 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, the Punjab South-West, Baluchistan, Sind and the Bombay Deccan, and was within 20 per cent of the normal in Burma, the United Provinces, the North West Frontier Province, Mysore, Malabar and Madras South-East. It was 20 per cent or more in excess in the remainder of the country.

The rainfall from the 4th May to date is in defect by as much as 20 per cent in only the Bay Islands, Lower Burma, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province and Mysore. It differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent in Upper Burma, Assam, Bengal, Orissa, Baluchistan, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Malabar and Madras South-East and is 20 per cent or more in excess in all the remaining divisions.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 14th June 1917.			Rainfall data from 4th May to 14th June 1917.			Percentage departure from normal.	
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	This week.	Last week.
Bay Islands	0·6	4·5	−3·9	12·9	25·8	−12·9	−50	−42
Lower Burma	6·1	6·5	−0·4	16·1	25·1	−7·0	−28	−35
Upper Burma	2·0	2·0	0	10·4	9·8	+0·6	+6	+8
Assam	4·9	4·0	+0·9	18·6	18·0	+0·6	+3	−2
Bengal	4·8	2·9	+1·9	12·8	13·0	−0·2	−2	−21
Orissa	3·0	1·9	+1·1	7·3	6·2	+1·1	+18	0
Chota Nagpur	3·1	1·7	+1·4	8·6	4·9	+3·7	+76	+72
Bihar	1·9	1·5	+0·4	7·5	5·0	+2·5	+50	+60
United Provinces, East	0·7	0·7	0	3·9	1·8	+2·1	+117	+191
United Provinces, West	0·7	0·7	0	3·5	1·6	+1·9	+119	+211
Punjab, East and North	0·6	0·3	+0·3	2·9	1·2	+1·7	+142	+156
Punjab, South-West	0·1	0·2	−0·1	2·0	0·7	+1·3	+186	+280
Kashmir	0·3	0·2	+0·1	1·4	2·5	−1·1	−44	−52
N.-W. Frontier Province	0·1	0·1	0	0·4	0·8	−0·4	−50	−57
Baluchistan	0	0·1	−0·1	0·4	0·4	0	0	+33
Sind	0	0·1	−0·1	0·6	0·1	+0·5	+500	—
Rajputana, West	0·6	0·2	+0·4	4·9	0·7	+4·2	+600	+760
Rajputana, East	0·7	0·5	+0·2	4·4	1·2	+3·2	+267	+429
Gujarat	1·8	0·5	+1·3	6·3	0·6	+5·7	+950	+4400
Central India, West	3·2	1·0	+2·2	9·1	1·7	+7·4	+435	+743
Central India, East	1·9	0·7	+1·2	3·9	1·0	+2·9	+290	+567
Berar	1·8	1·4	+0·4	5·5	2·5	+3·0	+120	+236
Central Provinces, West	1·7	1·3	+0·4	4·5	2·3	+2·2	+96	+180
Central Provinces, East	3·5	1·4	+2·1	6·2	2·7	+3·5	+130	+108
Konkan	10·5	8·2	+2·3	15·5	14·4	+1·1	+8	−19
Bombay Deccan	1·2	1·5	−0·3	3·7	3·9	−0·2	−5	+4
Hyderabad, North	3·1	1·3	+1·8	6·0	2·3	+3·7	+161	+190
Hyderabad, South	1·7	1·2	+0·5	4·8	2·7	+2·1	+78	+107
Mysore	0·8	0·8	0	4·3	5·6	−1·3	−23	−27
Malabar	6·7	8·1	−1·4	17·9	22·0	−4·1	−19	−19
Madras, South-East	0·3	0·3	0	2·6	2·6	0	0	0
Madras Deccan	1·0	0·7	+0·3	4·4	2·6	+1·8	+69	+79
Madras Coast, North	1·9	1·1	+0·8	7·1	3·1	+4·0	+129	+160

GILBERT T. WALKER,
Director-General of Observatories.

R. A. MANT,
Secretary to the Government of India.

SIMLA;
Dated the 14th June 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 9th June 1917.

Burma.—The rainfall in Lower Burma was light and the distribution was somewhat uneven. In Upper Burma all districts except Pakokku report falls over one inch. Ploughing for the main rice crops in Lower Burma and in irrigated tracts of Upper Burma is in progress. Sowing of early sesamum, groundnut and cotton in the dry zone districts is proceeding. Reaping of spring rice and island crops is approaching completion. Standing crops are doing well. Cattle are generally healthy. The price of paddy at Rangoon has risen slightly but is still much below normal. The market for white rice continues steady.

Assam.—The weather is rainy and favourable. Ploughing for and sowing of transplanted winter rice, manufacture of tea and harvesting of Khasi potatoes are in progress. Sowing of broadcast winter rice and planting of sugarcane have been nearly finished. Cattle disease is reported from seven districts. The price of common rice has further risen slightly.

Bengal.—During the week general rain fell throughout the Province. The fall was heavy in parts of the Rajshahi, Dacca and Presidency divisions, and light to moderate elsewhere. It has facilitated the preparation of fields for the next winter rice crops and has greatly helped the growth of the autumn crops. Sowing of jute and autumn paddy is fast approaching completion and weeding continues. Sowing of winter paddy for seedlings is also proceeding. Some damage to autumn paddy by insects is reported from Dacca and Faridpur. Cattle disease exists in eight districts. The average price of common rice for the Province has fallen slightly as compared with that of the previous week.

Bihar and Orissa.—The rainfall during the week was general over the Province, the fall being generally light to moderate. Preparation of lands for autumn crops continues and sowings are in progress. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has risen in two districts, fallen in four and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from nine districts The number of persons on test works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in Puri was 1,133 and 773 respectively. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

The report on scarcity in Singhbhum is as follows :—In the Kolhan Government Estate the distress was moderate. Relief measures are sufficient. The public health is good and the physical condition of the workers is satisfactory. The average price was 8 seers per rupee. The number of persons on test works was 1,522.

United Provinces.—Rain has again fallen over a large area in the Provinces, retarding threshing of spring crops in places. Locusts visited some villages in the Etah district but no damage is reported. Sowings of rice, cotton, maize and *juar* are going on. Standing crops are in good condition. Sugarcane is flourishing. Prospects are good. Agricultural stock is doing well. Fodder and water are ample. Cattle disease is subsiding. Export of grain is on a moderate scale. Markets are well supplied. Prices are still rising.

Punjab.—Light or moderate rain was received in parts of all the reporting districts except in parts of the west. The fall was fairly heavy in parts of the submontane tracts. It was useful for standing extra spring and autumn crops which are in average to good condition. Threshing of wheat continues in some districts with yield normal or slightly below normal on irrigated and below normal or poor on unirrigated areas. Sowings of cotton and other autumn crops continue and are generally normal. Extra spring crops are being reaped and the expected yield is generally normal. Cattle are generally healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices are generally stationary but show a slight upward tendency. They range generally between normal and warning rates in the south-east and between warning and scarcity rates elsewhere. Price of wheat :—Rawalpindi 9½, Lahore 9¾, Ferozepore 10, Lyallpur 10¼ and Ambala 10¾ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—Slight rain has fallen in Peshawar and parts of Bannu. The weather is hot. The condition of standing crops on irrigated areas is average and on unirrigated areas below average in Peshawar. Reaping of wheat and barley in Peshawar has been practically finished. Threshing is now being carried on with outturn average. Autumn crops are being sown in the north and the south of the Province. The condition of cattle is generally good. Water and fodder are sufficient. The public health is good. Prices are stationary. The price of wheat in Peshawar is $9\frac{9}{16}$ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 8 to 18 and maize from 12 to 25 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is average. Cattle disease of mild type prevails in the Basohli tahsil. Fodder is insufficient in certain places.

Kashmir.—The rainfall during the week was fair. Standing crops are in fair condition. Sowings of autumn crops are in progress. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are rising.

Rajputana.—Except in Serohee, Jaisalmer, Banswara and Dholpur, the rainfall was general, varying from 53 cents in Dungarpur to 3 inches 14 cents in Tonk. The weather is monsoonal. Land is being prepared for autumn crops and sowings continue. Agricultural stock is healthy. Some cattle disease is reported from Dungarpur and Bharatpur. Water and fodder are ample. Prices are rising in most places remarkably in Jhalawar, Tonk and Karauli while they are falling in Serohee, Shahpura and Kotah.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was partial in Indore and Malwa and general elsewhere. The principal falls were over 3 inches in Alirajpur, over 2 inches in Bundelkhand and over 1 inch in Dhar, Barwani and Jhabua and insufficient in Bhopal. Spring crops are being threshed in Bhopal. Land is being prepared for autumn crops almost everywhere. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are high in Bhopal and steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—The weather has been hot and cloudy and the rainfall general throughout the Provinces. Threshing and winnowing of spring crops have been practically completed. Ploughing of fields continues and sowing of rice and cotton has begun in a few districts. Fodder and water are sufficient. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Prices of food grains fluctuated slightly, exhibiting a tendency to rise.

Feudatory States:—Most States received rain. Sowing of autumn crops has been started in places.

Bombay.—Good rain fell during the week throughout the Presidency except Sind. Lands are being prepared for autumn cultivation and sowing generally continues. The fodder supply is adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Larkana, Thar and Parkar, Kaira and the Panch Mahals. Prices of grains are generally steady.

Hyderabad.—Fairly good rain fell during the week. The average fall was 2 inches 34 cents. Late rice harvest has been nearly completed. Lands are being prepared for monsoon sowings. Cattle disease prevails in three talukas. Prices of grains are almost constant. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 7 seers per rupee in Bidar and the lowest 18 seers per rupee in Bir.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was good. Prices of rice has risen in Mysore, Hassan and Chitaldrug and of *ragi* in Mysore. Markets are well supplied. Sowing of paddy and *ragi* are in progress. Standing crops are in good condition. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 5 inches 8 cents. Ploughing for rice continues. Prices of food grains are high. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was very heavy in Malabar, South Kanara and Cochin, heavy in Godavari, Banganapalle, Sandur and Madras, good in the Vizagapatam littoral, Kistna, Guntur, Chittoor, North Arcot, Salem, Travancore, the Nilgiris, Deccan except Banganapalle and Sandur and Carnatic except Madras and fair to *nil* elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally but rain is required in parts of one district. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water-supply is insufficient in parts of Ganjam, Godavari, South Arcot, Tanjore, Madura, Central and Deccan except Kurnool and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is insufficient in seven districts and in parts of six others. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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Simla, the 22nd June, 1917.

No. 22.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Alexander Sligo Anderson Westropp of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

No. 23.—For the purposes of section 63 of the Government of India Act, 1915 (5 and 6 Geo. 5, c. 61), and in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, the Governor General is pleased to nominate Mr. Charles Augustus Kincaid, C.V.O., I.C.S., being an official, to be an Additional Member of the said Council, in the said Act referred to as the Indian Legislative Council.

No. 24.—In pursuance of the second proviso to Regulation X (1) of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General published in the Notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department, No. 61 of the 14th November, 1912, as amended by the like Notification No. 46, dated the 20th August, 1915, the Governor General is pleased to extend the term of office of the Hon'ble Mr. Maneckjee Byramjee Dadabhoy, C.I.E., Barrister-at-Law, up to the 15th November, 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 20th June, 1917.

No. 525.—Mr. L. Marshall has been permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service, with effect from the 24th April 1917, or the subsequent date on which he sailed from India.

JUDICIAL.

The 15th June, 1917.

No. 462.—The services of Mr. J. K. M. Tapp and Lala Topan Ram, Extra Judicial Assistant Commissioners, Punjab, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, with effect from the dates on which they relinquish charge of their duties in the Punjab.

The 18th June, 1917.

No. 470.—The following amendments, which have been made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal under section 112 of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909), in rules 169 and 175 of the Rules published in the Home Department notification no. 44, dated the 13th January 1910, have been sanctioned by the Governor General in Council under section 113 of the said Act, and are hereby published in pursuance of section 114 thereof :—

In rules 169 and 175 the words " or other securities of the Government of India " shall be inserted after the words " 3½ per cent. Promissory Notes of the Government of India."

No. 472.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 527, sub-section (1), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the transfer of the criminal appeal Mangharam Lachiram Hingorani and Sawaldas Chandiram Bhojwani *versus* the Crown, from the Court of the Judicial Commissioner of Sind to the High Court of Judicature at Bombay.

The 21st June, 1917.

No. 491.—The services of M. Rahim Bakhsh, Judge, Small Cause Court, Delhi, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, with effect from the afternoon of the 28th May 1917.

The 22nd June, 1917.

No. 496.—The Hon'ble Justice Sir C. W. Chitty, Kt., Barrister-at-Law, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 3rd August 1917.

MEDICAL.

The 21st June, 1917.

No. 191.—Mr. W. F. Stowell, Chief Superintendent, Office of the Director-General, Indian Medical Service, is permitted to retire from the service with effect from the 2nd April 1917.

POLITICAL.

The 22nd June, 1917.

No. 1670.—The services of Captain W. L. Forsyth, Indian Medical Service, Additional Deputy Commissioner and Junior Medical Officer, Port Blair, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

J. H. DUBOULAY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 18th June, 1917.

No. 799-Est. A.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. B. Drummond, Political Agent in Malwa, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, with effect from the 7th June 1917.

No. 800-Est. A.—Major C. E. Luard, Political Agent in the Southern States of Central India, is appointed temporarily to officiate as Political Agent in Malwa, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 7th June 1917 and until further orders.

No. 816-Est. A.—Mr. Indravadahram Madhuvachram Hora, Indian Assistant to the Resident at Baroda, is granted furlough for six months in continuation of the leave granted to him by notification No. 976-D, dated the 12th February 1917.

The 19th June, 1917.

No. 821-Est. A.—The services of the officers named below have been replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India :—

Major J. W. Little, I.M.S.
Major E. C. Taylor, I.M.S.

The 20th June, 1917.

No. 830-Est. A.—Major C. A. Smith, of the Political Department is posted as Political Agent, Gilgit, with effect from the 21st May 1917.

No. 1234-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the First Schedule annexed to the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3510-I.B., dated 3rd November 1913, applying certain enactments to Berar, namely :—

Of the entries in the second column of the said schedule relating to item No. 84, The Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901), those numbered (2), (3) and (4), and in the first entry the figure "(1)", shall be omitted.

The Governor General in Council is further pleased to direct that this amendment shall be deemed to have had effect as from the 28th of October 1910.

No. 1235-I.B.—The following draft of amendments which it is proposed to make, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901), as applied to Berar, in Part VIII of the rules issued with the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 1822-I.B., dated the 25th August 1911, is published, as required by sub-section (3), for the information of persons concerned. Notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor General in Council on or after the 23rd September 1917.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before that date will be considered by the Governor General in Council.

Draft amendments.

1. In Rule 28 delete the words "one of these persons shall be the owner or manager of a mine, the other shall be a Mining Engineer."

2. After the proviso in Rules 32 and 33 add—

"Provided also that the above periods may, subject to such conditions as the Board of Examiners may see fit to prescribe, be reduced, at the discretion of the Board of Examiners, in the case of a candidate who satisfies the Board that he has been unable to complete the prescribed period of practical experience in a mine by reason of field service in a military capacity, but that a certificate of competency shall not be granted until the candidate has, subsequent to examination, completed the prescribed period."

3. Delete Rules 36 and 37 and the words "Notwithstanding anything in rules 36 or 37" in rule 38.

The 21st June, 1917.

No. 833-Est. A.—Major R. J. W. Heale, of the Political Department, is placed on special duty as Political Officer, Bhitanni Border, with the Waziristan Field Force, with effect from the 18th May 1917.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 19th June, 1917.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

No. 653-F. E.—Mr. Bhupati Bhusan De, an Accountant in the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal Railway, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Accountant, class II, in that office with effect from the 5th June 1917 and until further orders.

The 22nd June, 1917.

No. 662-F.-E.—The privilege leave for six weeks granted to Mr. R. S. Jackson, an officer in class III of the Public Works List of the Indian Finance Department, attached to the office of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, in Notification No. 542-F. E., dated the 18th May 1917, published on page 881 of Part I of the *Gazette of India* dated the 19th May 1917, has been extended by 1 month and 19 days.

H. F. HOWARD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 18th June, 1917.

FORESTS.

No. 363-F.-53-11. Mr. F. Littlewood is appointed, temporarily, to be Exploitation Officer in the Andamans Forest Division with effect from the afternoon of the 26th April 1917.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 23rd June, 1917.

No. 7026-P. & T.—The following post office holidays, *viz.*, Id-ul-Fitr and Diwali will be observed in the Punjab and North-West Frontier Circle, on the 21st July and 14th November 1917, respectively, and that of Id-uz-Zuha, on the 27th September 1917, if the moon be visible on the 17th otherwise on the 28th, instead of on the dates mentioned in the Notification in this Department No. 26-P. T. D., dated the 6th January 1917.

GEOLOGY AND MINES ESTABLISHMENT.

The 23rd June, 1917.

No. 7143-M.—Mr. R. R. Simpson, Inspector of Mines in India, No. 1 Circle, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 10th July 1917, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 23rd June, 1917.

No. 6977-C. W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 5041-C. W., dated the 5th May 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz* :—

Netherlands East Indies.

Abdul Salam Rafiqui, Koepang.

No. 7118-C.W.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE R. I.

WHEREAS by Section forty-three of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by Proclamation :

And whereas by the Prohibition of Import (Consolidation and Amendment) Proclamation, 1917, the importation of certain goods has been prohibited accordingly :

And whereas it is expedient that the importation into the United Kingdom of certain other goods should be prohibited :

Now, THEREFORE, We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct and ordain as follows :—

As from and after the date hereof, subject as hereinafter provided, the importation into the United Kingdom of the following goods is hereby prohibited, *viz* :—

Animals, wild.

Gum copal.

Gum kauri.

Manufactures of rubber.

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (No. 16) Proclamation, 1917.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Tenth day of May, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the Eighth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 7122-C.W.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

PROHIBITING, UNDER SECTION 8 OF "THE CUSTOMS AND INLAND REVENUE ACT, 1879," AND SECTION 1 OF "THE EXPORTATION OF ARMS ACT, 1900," AND SECTION 1 OF "THE CUSTOMS (EXPORTATION PROHIBITION) ACT, 1914," AND SECTION 1 OF "THE CUSTOMS (EXPORTATION RESTRICTION) ACT, 1914," THE EXPORTATION FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM OF CERTAIN ARTICLES.

GEORGE R.I.

WHEREAS by Section 8 of "The Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879," it is enacted that the exportation of arms, ammunition, and gunpowder, military and naval stores, and

any articles which We shall judge capable of being converted into or made useful in increasing the quantity of military or naval stores, provisions, or any sort of victual which may be used as food for man may be prohibited by Proclamation :

And whereas by Section 1 of "The Exportation of Arms Act, 1900," it is enacted that We may by Proclamation prohibit the exportation of all or any of the following articles, namely, arms, ammunition, military and naval stores, and any article which We shall judge capable of being converted into or made useful in increasing the quantity of arms, ammunition, or military or naval stores, to any country or place therein named whenever We shall judge such prohibition to be expedient in order to prevent such arms, ammunition, military or naval stores, being used against Our subjects or forces or against any forces engaged or which may be engaged in military or naval operations in co-operation with Our forces:

And whereas by Section 1 of "The Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914," it is enacted that Section 8 of the aforesaid Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, shall have effect whilst a state of war in which We are engaged exists as if in addition to the articles therein mentioned there were included all other articles of every description :

And whereas it is further enacted by Section 2 of "The Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914," that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8, as so amended, of "The Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1897," may whilst a state of war exists be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas by Section 1 of "The Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914," it is enacted that Section 1 of "The Exportation of Arms Act, 1900," shall have effect whilst a state of war in which We are engaged exists as if, in addition to the articles therein mentioned, there were included all other articles of every description :

And whereas it is further enacted by Section 2 of "The Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914," that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of "The Exportation of Arms Act, 1900," may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas a Proclamation dated the 10th May, 1916, and various Orders dated respectively the 25th May, the 7th and the 28th June, the 4th and the 26th July, the 15th August, the 8th and the 29th September, the 23rd October, the 17th November, the 12th and the 19th December, 1916, the 15th and the 19th January, the 2nd, the 19th and the 23rd February, the 12th and the 30th March, and the 1st May, 1917, prohibiting the exportation of certain articles therein referred to from the United Kingdom to certain or all destinations have been issued in pursuance of the aforesaid powers :

And whereas it is expedient that the said Proclamation and Orders should be consolidated, with amendments and additions, and that such Proclamation and Orders should be revoked :

And whereas We have deemed it expedient to prohibit the exportation of the articles hereinafter enumerated :

Now, THEREFORE, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, to issue this Our Royal Proclamation, declaring, and it is hereby declared, that the abovementioned Proclamation and Orders be and the same are hereby revoked :

And We have further thought fit, by and with the advice aforesaid, and in virtue and in exercise of the powers aforesaid, further to declare, and it is hereby declared, as follows :—

That the exportation of the goods mentioned in the Schedule hereto be prohibited as follows :—

(1) Goods marked (A), to all destinations ;

(2) Goods marked (B), to all ports and destinations abroad other than ports and destinations in British Possessions and Protectorates ;

(3) Goods marked (C), to all destinations in foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, other than France and French Possessions, Russia, Italy and Italian Possessions, Spain and Portugal, and to all ports in any such foreign countries, and to all Russian Baltic ports.

SCHEDULE.

(B) Accoutrements ;

(A) Aerated and mineral waters ;

(A) Aeroplane dope ;

(A) Aeroplane engines and their component parts;
(C) Agar-agar;
(A) Aircraft of all kinds and their component parts, together with accessories and articles suitable for use in connection with aircraft;
(A) Albumen;
(C) Algae;
(C) Algin and its compounds;
(B) Alunite;
(A) Aluminium powder;
(A) Aluminium, alloys of aluminium and manufactures of aluminium;
(A) American cotton ties, varnished or blacked;
(A) Anchors;
(A) Aneroids suitable for aircraft;
(A) Animals, living, for food;
(A) Animals, pack, saddle and draught, suitable, or which may become suitable, for use in war;
(B) Antimony and alloys of antimony;
(B) Anvils;
(C) Apparel, waterproof wearing, not otherwise specifically prohibited;
(A) Armour plates, armour quality castings, and similar protective material;
(A) Arms, not being firearms and their component parts;
(C) Arsenical ore;
(B) Asbestos and articles manufactured wholly or partly of asbestos;
(C) Asphalt;
(C) Asphalt, coal tar;
(B) Axes;
(A) Baggings, old;
(C) Bags, wrappers or sacks not otherwise specifically prohibited (except unwoven paper bags), other than such bags, wrappers or sacks as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation, and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings;
(B) Bags and sacks made wholly or partly of jute, other than such bags or sacks as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation, and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings;
(C) Balsams;
(C) Bamboo;
(A) Barographs, suitable for aircraft;
(A) Barometers and their component parts;
(A) Barrels and casks, empty, and their distinctive component parts, including barrel shooks and staves, other than such barrels or casks as have been previously imported full and are being returned empty whether whole or in parts;
(A) Basic slag;
(C) Baskets and basket ware;
(A) Baudruche skin;
(B) Bauxite;
(A) Bayonets and their component parts;
(A) Bearings, ball and roller, and steel balls and rollers suitable for bearings;
(C) Bedding (not including bedsteads and parts thereof);
(A) Beer and ale;
(B) Beeswax;
(C) Belting, woven hair;
(C) Bicycles and their component parts;
(A) Binder twine;
(A) Binoculars;
(A) Binnacles;
(C) Bitumen, liquid or solid;
(A) Bladders;

(C) Blankets ;
(B) Boats and craft ;
(A) Boiler tubes ;
(A) Boilers ;
(C) Bone black ;
(A) Bones (except fish bones) in any form and bone ash ;
(A) Boots and shoes with soles or uppers of leather ;
(C) Boots and shoes not otherwise prohibited ;
(B) Boots and shoes, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, the following :—
Boot and shoe grindery, including clog nails;
Cutters ;
Drivers ;
Eyelets ;
Groovers ;
Hooks ;
Shoemakers' tools, hand and machine ;
(A) Bottles, metal, such as can be used for containing mercury ;
(C) Bristles ;
(A) Bronze powder ;
(C) Brooms and brushes, except dandy brushes ;
(A) Brushes, dandy ;
(B) Buckets, suitable for camp use ;
(C) Burners, acetylene ;
(A) Cables, chain ;
(B) Cables, insulated ;
(B) Cadmium, alloys of cadmium and cadmium ore ;
(A) Calfskins ;
(A) Calves' stomachs ;
(A) Camel fleece, khaki ;
(B) Camp equipment, military, articles of ;
(B) Camphor ;
(A) Candles manfactured wholly or partly of paraffin wax or tallow ;
(C) Candles (except candles manufactured wholly or partly of paraffin wax or tallow) ;
(C) Canes, unmounted ;
(A) Cannon and other ordnance, and their component parts ;
(A) Canvas, old ship ;
(A) Canvas cuttings ;
(B) Capsicum ;
(A) Capsicum, oleo-resin of ;
(A) Carbon, Brazilian ;
(A) Carbon, gas ;
(A) Carbons, suitable for searchlights ;
(A) Card clothing ;
(C) Carpets and carpet rugs made wholly or partly of wool or hair ;
(A) Carriages and mountings for cannon and other ordnance and their component parts ;
(A) Cartridges, charges of all kinds, and their component parts ;
(B) Carts, two wheeled, capable of carrying 15 cwt. or over, and their component parts ;
(A) Casein and preparations thereof ;
(A) Casings ;
(A) Castings, malleable, hæmatite iron ;
(A) Celluloid ;
(C) Celluloid, articles wholly or partly manufactured of ;
(A) "Celluliod" sheet, non-inflammable, and similar transparent material non-soluble in lubricating oil, petrol or water ;
(A) Cerium and its alloys (except ferro-cerium) ;
(C) Charcoal ;

Chemicals, drugs, dyes, dye stuffs, and medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations, the following :—

(B) Acetanilide ;
(A) Acetates, all metallic ;
(A) Acetic acid ;
(A) Acetic anhydride ;
(A) Aceto-celluloses ;
(A) Acetones and their compounds and preparations ;
(A) Acetylsalicylic acid (aspirin) and its preparations ;
(A) Alcohol, absolute ;
(A) Alcohol, methylic, and its esters ;
(C) Aloes ;
(A) Aluminium nitrate ;
(B) Aluminium, oxides of, and mixtures containing aluminium oxides ;
(C) Aluminium, salts of (except aluminium nitrate and sulphate, alumino-ferric and ammonium alum) ;
(B) Aluminium sulphate ;
(B) Alumino-ferric ;
(A) Amidol and mixtures containing amidol ;
(B) Amidopyrine ;
(B) Ammonia and its salts, whether simple or compound (except ammonium nitrate, perchlorate, sulphate and sulphocyanide) ;
(B) Ammonia, liquefied ;
(B) Ammonia liquor ;
(B) Ammonium alum ;
(A) Ammonium nitrate, perchlorate, sulphate and sulphocyanide ;
(A) Amyl acetate, and other amyl esters ;
(A) Anthracene oil, and mixtures and preparations containing anthracene oil ;
(C) Antimony, compounds of (except sulphides and oxides of antimony) ;
(B) Antimony, sulphides and oxides of ;
(A) Antipyrine (phenazone) and its preparations ;
(A) Anti-tetanus serum ;
(C) Arsenic, compounds of arsenic, and mixtures containing arsenic ;
(B) Barium peroxide ;
(B) Barium sulphate ;
(A) Belladonna and its preparations ;
(A) Belladonna alkaloids, and their salts and preparations ;
(B) Benzoic acid (synthetic) and benzoates ;
(A) Benzol and its compounds and preparations ;
(C) Bismuth and its salts (except bismuth nitrate) ;
(A) Bismuth nitrate ;
(A) Bleaching powder ;
(C) Borax and mixtures containing borax ;
(C) Boric acid ;
(C) Boron compounds ;
(B) Bromine and alkaline bromides ;
(B) Caffeine and its salts ;
(A) Calcium carbide ;
(C) Calcium silicide ;
(C) Calcium sulphate ;
(C) Calcium sulphide ;
(C) Cantharides ;
(A) Carbolic acid and compounds thereof, and preparations containing carbolic acid ;
(A) Carbon disulphide ;
(B) Carbon tetrachloride and its preparations ;
(C) Cascara sagrada ;
(B) Cerium, oxide and salts of ;
(B) Chloral and its compounds and preparations ;
(A) Chlorates, all metallic ;
(B) Chlorine ;
(B) Chromium, compounds of (except chromium acetate, chromium chlorate and chromium nitrate), and mixtures containing such compounds of chromium ;
(A) Chromium acetate ;
(A) Chromium chlorate ;
(A) Chromium nitrate ;
(B) Cinchona bark ;
(B) Citric acid ;
(A) Coal tar, all products obtainable from and derivatives thereof, suitable for use in the manufacture of dyes and explosives, whether obtained from coal tar or other sources, and mixtures and preparations containing such products or derivatives ;

(A) Cobalt nitrate;
(B) Cobalt, oxides and salts of (except cobalt nitrate), and mixtures containing such oxides or salts of cobalt;
(A) Cocaine and its salts and preparations;
(B) Colchicum and its preparations;
(A) Collodion;
(A) Copper acetate;
(C) Copper, compounds of (except copper acetate, copper iodide, copper nitrate, copper sulphate, and suboxide of copper), and mixtures containing such compounds of copper;
(B) Copper iodide;
(A) Copper nitrate;
(B) Copper, suboxide of, and mixtures containing suboxide of copper;
(B) Copper sulphate;
(A) Creosote, and creosote oils (except wood tar oil) and mixtures and preparations containing such creosote or creosote oils;
(A) Cresol, compounds and preparations of cresol (except saponified cresol) and nitro-cresol;
(B) Cresol (saponified);
(A) Cyanamide;
(A) Diethylbarbituric acid (veronal) and veronal sodium;
(A) Dimethylaniline;
(A) Dyes and dyestuffs manufactured from coal tar products, and articles containing such dyes or dyestuffs;
(A) Emetin and its salts;
(B) Ergot of rye;
(A) Ether, acetic;
(A) Ether, formic;
(A) Ether, sulphuric;
(A) Eucaine hydrochloride, eucaine (benzamine) lactate, and their preparations;
(C) Fluorine compounds, not otherwise prohibited;
(C) Formates, not otherwise prohibited;
(C) Formic acid;
(B) Formic aldehyde;
(A) Fusel oil (amyl alcohol);
(B) Gentian root;
(A) Glycerine, and preparations containing glycerine not otherwise specifically prohibited;
(A) Green oil, and mixtures and preparations containing green oil;
(B) Guaiacol and guaiacol carbonate;
(C) Halogen derivatives of aliphatic hydrocarbons (except carbon tetrachloride);
(B) Henbane and its preparations;
(B) Hexamethylene tetramin (urotropin) and its compounds and preparations;
(B) Hydrobromic acid;
(B) Hydrochloric acid;
(B) Hydrogen peroxide;
(A) Hydroquinone, and mixtures containing hydroquinone;
(A) Indigo, natural and synthetic;
(C) Iodine and its compounds and preparations;
(C) Iridium compounds;
(C) Iron, oxides of;
(C) Iron sulphates;
(A) Ipecacuanha root;
(C) Jalap;
(A) Lead compounds, and mixtures containing lead compounds;
(B) Magnesium chloride and sulphate, and mixtures containing magnesium chloride or sulphate;
(C) Manganese compounds, not otherwise prohibited;
(A) Manganese, peroxide of, and mixtures and preparations thereof;
(C) Menthol;
(B) Mercury, compounds and preparations of (except nitrate of mercury), and mixtures containing such compounds of mercury;
(A) Mercury nitrate;
(A) Methylaniline;
(B) Methyl salicylate;
(A) Metol, and mixtures containing metol;
(B) Molybdic acid and its salts;
(A) Naphthalene and its compounds and preparations;
(A) Neo-salvarsan;
(A) Nickel nitrate;
(B) Nickel, oxides and salts of (except nickel nitrate), and mixtures containing such oxides or salts of nickel;

(A) Nitrates, all metallic ;
(A) Nitric acid ;
(A) Nitro toluol ;
(A) Novocain and its preparations ;
(C) Nux vomica and its preparations ;
(C) Nux vomica alkaloids and their salts and preparations ;
(A) Opium and its preparations ;
(A) Opium alkaloids and their salts and preparations ;
(C) Osmium compounds ;
(C) Oxalates, not otherwise prohibited ;
(B) Oxalic acid ;
(C) Palladium compounds ;
(B) Paraffin, liquid medicinal ;
(A) Paraformaldehyde ;
(A) Paraldehyde ;
(A) Perchlorates, all metallic ;
(A) Phenacetin and its preparations ;
(A) Phosgene (carbonyl chloride) ;
(B) Phosphorus and its compounds ;
(A) Picric acid and its components ;
(A) Platinum, salts of ;
(A) Potash, caustic, and articles containing caustic potash ;
(A) Potash, muriate, nitrate (saltpetre), sulphate, and crude manurial potash salts, and mixtures containing any of these substances ;
(B) Potash salts, and mixtures containing such potash salts, not otherwise prohibited ;
(A) Potassium chlorate, and mixtures containing potassium chlorate ;
(A) Potassium cyanide, and mixtures containing potassium cyanide ;
(A) Potassium, perchlorate ;
(A) Potassium, permanganate ;
(A) Potassium prussiates and mixtures containing potassium prussiates ;
(A) Pyridine ;
(A) Pyrogallic acid, and mixtures containing pyrogallic acid ;
(B) Quinine and its salts ;
(A) Radium compounds ;
(C) Rhodium compounds ;
(C) Rhubarb (medicinal) ;
(C) Ruthenium compounds ;
(A) Saccharin ;
(B) Salicylic acid and its preparations ;
(B) Salipyrine ;
(B) Salol and its preparations ;
(A) Salvarsan ;
(C) Santonin and its preparations ;
(C) Senega ;
(B) Senna leaves and pods ;
(A) Soda, caustic ;
(C) Soda lime ;
(C) Sodium bicarbonate ;
(B) Sodium carbonate ;
(A) Sodium cyanide, and mixtures containing sodium cyanide ;
(B) Sodium hyposulphite (thiosulphate), and mixtures containing sodium hyposulphite ;
(A) Sodium prussiates and mixtures containing sodium prussiates ;
(B) Sodium salicylate and its preparations ;
(C) Sodium silicate and mixtures containing sodium silicate ;
(C) Sodium sulphate and bisulphate (nitre cake) ;
(C) Sodium sulphide ;
(A) Spent oxide ;
(B) Stramonium leaves and seeds ;
(A) Strontium compounds, and mixtures containing strontium compounds ;
(C) Sulphites, metallic, not otherwise prohibited ;
(A) Sulphonal ;
(A) Sulphur and preparations containing sulphur ;
(A) Sulphur, chlorides of ;
(A) Sulphur dioxide, liquefied ;
(A) Sulphuric acid and mixtures containing sulphuric acid ;
(A) Sulphuric acid, fuming (oleum) ;
(B) Tartaric acid, cream of tartar, and alkaline tartrates ;
(B) Theobromine sodium salicylate ;
(C) Thiosulphates, metallic, not otherwise prohibited ;

(B) Thorium, oxide and salts of ;
(B) Thymol and its preparations ;
(B) Tin, chlorides of ;
(C) Tin, compounds of (except chlorides and oxide of tin) ;
(B) Tin, oxide of, and mixtures and preparations containing tin oxide ;
(A) Titanium compounds ;
(A) Toluol and its compounds and preparations ;
(A) Trional ;
(A) Trioxymethylene ;
(A) Triphenyl phosphate ;
(B) Tungsten compounds ;
(C) Ultramarine, and mixtures containing ultramarine ;
(C) Uranium compounds ;
(B) Urea and its compounds ;
(C) Vanadium compounds ;
(A) Xylol and its compounds and preparations ;
(B) Zinc chloride and sulphate, and mixtures containing zinc chloride or sulphate ;
(A) Zinc oxide ;
(B) Zinc sulphide ;
(A) Zirconium compounds ;

(C) China stone ;
(B) Chrome ore ;
(A) Chronometers ;
(A) Cinematograph films ;
(C) Clay, China, potters', and ball ;
(B) Coal, except coal allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as bunker coal ;
(B) Cobalt, cobalt ore, and alloys of cobalt ;
(B) Coir yarn ;
(A) Coke, petroleum ;
(B) Coke, except petroleum coke ;
(A) Compasses for ships, and component parts thereof ;
(A) Compasses, other than ships compasses ;
(A) Copper manufactures, the following :—
All articles wholly or partly manufactured of copper or its alloys except articles partly manufactured of copper or its alloys in which the total weight of copper and copper alloy does not exceed five per cent. of the total weight of the article and does not exceed 56 lbs ;
(A) Copper ore ; regulus, matte, concentrate and precipitate ;
(A) Copper stamps for stamping woven piece goods ;
(A) Copper, whether refined or unrefined, unwrought, wrought or partly wrought of all kinds and descriptions, including brass, bronze, yellow metal and all other alloys of copper ;
(C) Cork and cork dust and articles manufactured from cork or cork dust ;
(C) Cotton, all manufactures, mixtures and products of, not otherwise specifically prohibited ;
(A) Cotton pulp ;
(A) Cotton rags and rags containing cotton ;
(A) Cotton, raw ;
(A) Cotton, Sea Island, yarn made from or containing ;
(A) Cotton, shoddy ;
(A) Cotton wadding and articles containing cotton wadding ;
(A) Cotton waste and articles containing cotton waste ;
(A) Cotton wool and articles containing cotton wool ;
(B) Crucibles (plumbago) ;
(A) Cryolite ;
(A) Curry combs ;
(A) Cylinders, metal, such as can be used for containing compressed gas ;
(B) Deer skins ;
(A) Dextrine, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing dextrine ;
(A) Diamonds suitable for industrial purposes ;
(B) Docks, floating, and their component parts ;
(B) Draw plates, jewelled, for drawing wire ;
(C) Electrical apparatus and plant for the generation, distribution and utilisation of electric power, not otherwise prohibited ;
(B) Electric lamps (except carbon filament lamps, arc lamps for street lighting, and pocket electric lamps and their component parts) ;
(C) Electric lamps, pocket, and their component parts ;
(A) Electrodes carbon, for electric furnaces ;
(B) Emery and corundum and manufactures thereof, carborundum, alundum, crystolon and all other artificial abrasives and manufactures thereof ;

(B) Equipment, military ;
(A) Esparto grass ;
(A) Explosives ;
(B) Fats, all animal and vegetable, and articles and mixtures containing such fats, not otherwise prohibited ;
(B) Fatty acids and articles and mixtures containing fatty acids ;
(C) Feathers and down, except ornamental feathers ;
(C) Felspar ;
(C) Felt (except saddle felt) ;
(B) Fencing staples ;
(C) Ferrets ;
Ferro alloys, the following :—
(B) Ferro-cerium ;
(B) Ferro-chrome ;
(B) Ferro-manganese ;
(A) Ferro-molybdenum ;
(B) Ferro-nickel ;
(B) Ferro-titanium ;
(A) Ferro-tungsten ;
(B) Ferro-vanadium ;
(B) Silicon-spiegel ;
(B) Spiegeleisen ;
(A) Ferro-silicon ;
(A) Fibre, New Zealand flax ;
(C) Fibres, vegetable, not otherwise specifically prohibited, and cordage, twine, and yarns made therefrom, except coir yarn ;
(A) Field glasses ;
(A) Firearms, rifled, and their component parts ;
(B) Firearms, unrifled, and their component parts ;
(A) Fire bricks and fire clay ;
(B) Fish bones ;
(C) Fishing gear, including tackle for fishing by rod and line ;
(A) Flax, raw ;
(A) Flax shakings ;
(A) Flax tow ;
(A) Flax waste ;
Forage and food which may be used for animals, the following :—
(A) Beans, all kinds, including haricots ;
(A) Buckwheat ;
(A) Cakes and meals, the following :—
Biscuit meal ;
Calf meal ;
Coconut and poonac cake ;
Compound cakes and meal ;
Cotton seed cake, and cotton seed meal ;
Fishmeal and concentrated fish ;
Gluten meal or gluten feed ;
Ground nut or earth nut cake and meal ;
Hempseed cake and meal ;
Husk meal ;
Linseed cake and meal ;
Locust bean meal ;
Maize germ meal ;
Maize meal and flour ;
Meat meal ;
Palmnut cake and meal ;
Poppy seed cake and meal ;
Rapeseed or colzaseed cake and meal ;
Sesame seed cake and meal ;
Soya bean cake and meal ;
Sunflower seed cake and meal ;
Whale cake ;
Whale meal ;
(A) Chick peas ;
(A) Dari ;
(A) Forage, green ;
(A) Grains, brewers' and distillers' ;
(A) Gram or dhol ;
(A) Hay ;
(A) Lentils ;
(A) Lupin seeds ;

(A) Maize ;
(A) Maize germs ;
(A) Malt dust, malt flour, culms, sprouts or combings ;
(A) Millet ;
(A) Offals of corn and grain, the following :—
Bran ;
Middlings ;
Mill dust and screenings ;
Pollard ;
Rice meal (or bran) and dust ;
Sharps ;
(A) Patent and proprietary cattle foods of all kinds ;
(A) Pigeon peas ;
(A) Straw ;
(B) Forges, portable ;
(A) Fuel economisers constructed of cast iron pipes, used as auxiliary heating apparatus in connection with land or marine steam boilers ;
(B) Fuel, manufactured ;
(C) Furs, and manufactures thereof ;
(A) Fuses ;
(B) Fustic (chips and extract) ;
(A) Galvanised sheets, corrugated or flat ;
(A) Glass for optical instruments ;
(B) Gloves, made wholly or partly of leather ;
(B) Gloves, men's woollen ;
(A) Glucose, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing glucose ;
(C) Glue, osseine and concentrated size, fish glue, isinglass, finings and other kinds of gelatine ;
(B) Gluestock of all kinds, including animal hoofs, untanned hides and pelts not otherwise specifically prohibited, fish bladders and fish skins ;
(B) Goat skins ;
(A) Goldbeaters' skin ;
(C) Gold paint containing sulphide of tin ;
(A) Gramophone and other sound records, including perforated music rolls ;
(C) Gramophone record compositions ;
(B) Graphite, and mixtures containing graphite ;
(A) Grenades and their component parts ;
(A) Grindstones ;
(A) Guanos ;
(B) Gum arabic ;
(A) Gum damar ;
(B) Gums containing caoutchouc ;
(C) Gums, not otherwise prohibited ;
(A) Guts ;
(A) Hacksaw blades ;
(B) Hammers ;
(B) Hair, animal, and tops, noils, mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof ;
(B) Hair, human ;
(C) Hair, all manufactures, mixtures and products of, not otherwise specifically prohibited
(A) Handles and helves for grubbers, pickaxes, spades and shovels ;
(A) Harness and metal fittings therefor ;
(B) Hatchets ;
(A) Heliographs ;
Hemp and hemp manufacturers , the following :—
(A) Hemp ropes, old ;
(A) Hemp waste ;
(A) Italian, Russian and Manila hemp, Maguey fibre, and manufactures thereof, except Tagal braid ;
(B) Other hemp and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specifically prohibited ;
(C) Tagal braid ;
(B) Hides and pelts, clippings of ;
(A) Hides of cattle, buffaloes, and horses ;
(B) Horse, mule and pony shoes ;
(B) Huts, wooden ;
(A) Implements and apparatus designed exclusively for the manufacture of munitions of war, for the manufacture or repair of arms or of war material for use on land or sea, the following :—
Cordite presses ;
Dies for cartridge cases ;
Gauges for cartridges or shells ;
Incorporators ;

Lapping machines;
Rifling machines;
Wire-winding machines;
Insulating materials, the following:—
(c) Compounds intended for the purpose of electrical insulation;
(c) Leatheroid;
(c) Oiled cloth and tape;
(c) Vulcanised fibre;
(c) Zinc-barium pigments made from zinc salts and barium sulphate (except zinc oxide);
(c) Iridium and its alloys;
(A) Iron and iron articles containing chrome, cobalt, molybdenum, nickel, tungsten or vanadium;
(A) Iron angles, channels, joists, tees and other sectional material;
(A) Iron bars, including flats, rounds and other sections and shapes;
(A) Iron billets, blooms and slabs;
(A) Iron bridgework, pier work and constructional material;
(A) Iron hoops and strips;
(A) Iron ingots;
(A) Iron ore;
(A) Iron, pig;
(A) Iron pipes (wrought);
(A) Iron plates and sheets;
(A) Iron pyrites;
(A) Iron scrap;
(A) Iron sheet bars;
(A) Iron tubes;
(A) Ivory, vegetable;
(B) Jute cordage and twine;
(B) Jute padding;
(B) Jute, piece goods made wholly or partly of;
(A) Jute rags;
(A) Jute, raw and carded;
(B) Jute threads;
(B) Jute twist;
(A) Jute waste;
(B) Jute webbing;
(A) Jute wrappers (Surat tares), other than such wrappers as constitute the coverings of goods to be shipped for exportation, and are allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped as such coverings;
(B) Jute yarns;
(B) Kettles, camp;
(B) Lacs, not including lac dye;
(B) Lanterns suitable for camp use;
(B) Lead ore;
(A) Lead, lead alloys, and manufactures of lead or of lead alloys;
(A) Lead coated sheets;
(A) Leather;
Leather goods of the following descriptions:—
(B) Articles of personal equipment suitable for military purposes;
(B) Bandoliers;
(B) Belting, hydraulic leather, pump leather and leather manufactures suitable for textile machinery;
(B) Belts;
(B) Laces;
(B) Pouches;
(c) Goods manufactured wholly or partly of leather, not otherwise prohibited;
(c) Leather waste;
(c) Lichens;
Linen manufactures, the following:—
(c) Canvas hose;
(D) Cloth unbleached woven from bleached or unbleached flax yarns, whether the cloth or yarn is pure or mixed with any other material:—
(i) being of a weight per square yard exceeding 8 ounces;
or
(ii) if of a weight per square yard of 8 ounces or less, aggregating 96 threads or more per inch warp and weft combined;
(c) Cloth woven from bleached or unbleached flax yarns not otherwise specifically prohibited whether the cloth or yarn is pure or mixed with any other material;
(c) Linen thread;
(c) Linen yarn;

(A) Linen rags.
(A) Linen waste;
(C) Linoleum;
(B) Logwood (chips, extract, and preparations);
(B) Lubricants and articles and mixtures containing lubricants;
(A) Machine guns, mountings for machine guns, and component parts thereof;
(A) Machinery, agricultural, including hand tools which can be used for agricultural purposes;
(C) Machinery, metal-working, and component parts and accessories thereof;
(A) Magnesite and magnesite bricks;
(A) Magnesite, caustic or lightly calcined, and dead burnt magnesite;
(A) Magnesium and its alloys;
(A) Magnetos and component parts thereof;
(B) Manganese and manganese ore;
(A) Mantles, incandescent;
(A) Manures, compound;
(A) Manures, organic;
(B) Maps and plans of any place within the territory of any belligerent, or within the area of military operations, on a scale of four miles to one inch or on any larger scale, and reproductions on any scale by photography or otherwise of such maps or plans.
(C) Matches;
(B) Matchets;
(C) Mats and matting made of fibre, grass or straw;
(A) Mercury;
(C) Mess tins;
(B) Mica, mica splittings, mica powder, micanite, and articles made from and insulating materials containing them;
(B) Mineral jellies;
(B) Mines and their component parts;
(A) Molasses;
(B) Molybdenum and molybdenite;
(C) Monazite sand;
(A) Moss, Carrageen;
(C) Mosses, other than Carrageen moss;
(B) Motor spirit (except benzol);
(C) Motor vehicles, motor bicycles, and their component parts and accessories;
(C) Nails, wire;
(A) Nautical instruments;
(A) Needles for boot-making machines;
(B) Needles, hosiery, machine (latch and bearded);
(B) Nickel, alloys of nickel, and nickel ore;
(C) Nickel manufactures, not otherwise prohibited (except nickel-plated goods);
(B) Nightlights;
(B) Oakum;
(A) Oats;
(C) Oil, blast furnace;
(B) Oil fuel, except oil fuel allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped for use on board the exporting ship;
(B) Oil fuel, shale;
(B) Oils, animal, not otherwise specifically prohibited, and articles and mixtures containing such oils;
Oils, vegetable, the following, and articles and mixtures containing such oils:—
- (A) Coconut;
- (A) Cotton seed;
- (A) Ground nut;
- (A) Palm kernel;
- (B) All other vegetable oils except essential oils;

(C) Oils, essential (except turpentine oil);
(B) Oil waste;
(B) Oil, fish and seal, not otherwise prohibited, and mixtures containing such oils;
(A) Oil, sea-elephant, and mixtures containing such oil;
(A) Oil, sperm, and mixtures containing such oil;
(A) Oil, whale, and mixtures containing such oil;
(B) Oil, wood tar;
(A) Oleaginous kernels, nuts, seeds, and products, not otherwise specifically prohibited;
(A) Oleo-margarine;
(C) Osmium and its alloys;
(B) Ovens, suitable for camp use;
(A) Packing cases, empty wooden, and their distinctive component parts, including box shooks and staves, other than such wooden packing cases as have been previously imported full and are being returned empty whether whole or in parts;

(C) Packings, engine and boiler ;
(C) Palladium and its alloys ;
(C) Paper coated with gelatine ;
(C) Paper, Japanese tissue ;
(A) Paper, waste ;
(B) Paper, waxed ;
(B) Paraffin oil ;
(A) Paraffin wax ;
(C) Peat ;
(A) Pegs, wooden, suitable for use in the manufacture of boots and shoes ;
(A) Pepper ;
(A) Periscopes and their component parts ;
(B) Petroleum, fuel oil ;
(B) Petroleum, lighting oil ;
(B) Petroleum, gas oil ;
(B) Petroleum spirit and articles containing petroleum spirit ;
(C) Petroleum and its products not otherwise specifically prohibited ;
(A) Phosphate rock, namely :—
Apatites ;
Phosphate of lime and alumina ;
(A) Photographic sensitive films, plates, and printing paper, whether exposed or not ;
(A) Pickaxes ;
(B) Pickled grains and fleshes ;
(B) Pigskins ;
(C) Pimento ;
(A) Pipes, cast iron ;
(C) Pitch and all mixtures, preparations, and commodities of which pitch forms an ingredient ;
(A) Platinum, alloys of platinum, and manufactures containing platinum ;
(B) Plumbago ;
(A) Plywood ;
(A) Projectiles of all kinds and their component parts ;
Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—
(A) Animals, living, for food ;
(A) Arrowroot ;
(A) Baking powder ;
(A) Barley, barley meal, and pearled and pot barley ;
(A) Bean flour and meal ;
(A) Beans, all kinds, including haricots ,
(A) Biscuits ;
(A) Bread ;
(A) Butter ;
(A) Cakes ;
(A) Caramel, liquid or solid ;
(A) Cassava powder ;
(A) Cereals, prepared foods wholly or partially derived from ;
(A) Cheese ;
(C) Chicory ;
(A) Cocoa, raw, and manufactures thereof ;
(A) Cocoa husks ;
(A) Cocoa shells ;
(A) Coffee ;
(C) Condiments (except table salt) not otherwise prohibited ;
(A) Cornflour ;
(A) Corn grits ;
(A) Eggs in shells ;
(A) Egg powder ;
(A) Egg, yolk and liquid ;
(A) Farina ;
(A) Fish ;
(A) Fruit and fruit preserves ;
(A) Game ;
(A) Ginger, crystallised or preserved ;
(A) Hominy ;
(A) Honey, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing honey ;
(A) Lard of all kinds (including imitation lard) ;
(A) Lentil flour and meal ;
(A) Macaroni ;
(A) Malt ;
(A) Malt extract, and preparations containing malt extract ;
(A) Malt sugar ;

(A) Mandioca ;
(A) Margarine ;
(A) Meat, extract of ;
(A) Meat of all kinds (including tinned and potted meat) ;
(A) Milk, condensed or preserved ;
(A) Milk powder ;
(B) Mustard ;
(A) Nuts used as fruit ;
(A) Oatmeal and rolled oats ;
(A) Onions ;
(A) Pea flour and meal ;
(A) Peas ;
(A) Pickles ;
(A) Potatoes ;
(A) Potato flour ;
(A) Poultry ;
(A) Rennet powder, rennet extract, and other preparations of rennet ;
(A) Rice and rice flour, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing rice or rice flour ;
(A) Rye and rye flour and meal ;
(A) Sago and sago flour and meal ;
(C) Sauces ;
(A) Sausages ;
(A) Semolina ;
(A) Soups, compressed and desiccated ;
(A) Spaghetti ;
(A) Sugar, cane and beet, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing sugar, cane or beet ;
(A) Syrups which may be used as food for man ;
(A) Tapioca and tapioca flour ;
(A) Tea ;
(A) Tomato pulp ;
(A) Vegetables of all kinds, whether fresh, dried, preserved, canned or bottled ;
(A) Vermicelli ;
(A) Wheat, wheat flour, and wheatmeal, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing them ;
(C) Yeast, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing yeast ;

(A) Pulp-board waste ;
(A) Quercitron bark extract ;
(C) Quillaia bark ;
(A) Raffia ;
(A) Railway carriages, locomotives and waggons, and their component parts ;
(C) Railway material (except railway carriages, locomotives and waggons, and their component parts, steel rails and steel sleepers) ;
(A) Railway material of iron or steel, the following :—
Rails ;
Sleepers ;
Springs ;
Other railway constructional material ;
Wheels, axles, and tyres ;
(B) Ramie stockings and ramie fabrics suitable for the manufacture of gas mantles ;
(A) Range finders and their component parts ;
(C) Rattan, woven ;
(A) Rattans ;
(A) Resins, resinous substances (except such as contain caoutchouc), and articles containing resins and resinous substances ;
(B) Resinous substances containing caoutchouc ;
(A) Revolution indicators suitable for aircraft ;
(C) Rhodium and its alloys ;
(C) Rock crystal ;
(B) Rubber (raw, waste, and re-claimed), solutions containing rubber, jellies containing rubber, and any other preparations containing rubber, and also balata, gutta-percha, and the following varieties of rubber, *viz.* :—Borneo, Guayule, Jelutong, Palembang, Pontianac, and all other substances containing caoutchouc ;
(B) Rubber, gutta-percha or balata, goods made wholly or partly of ;
(B) Rubbies, natural or synthetic ;
(C) Rugs (except horse rugs) ;
(B) Rugs, horse ;
(C) Ruthenium and its alloys ;
(C) Sabadilla seeds and preparations therefrom ;
(A) Sackings, old ;

(B) **Sacks, coal ;**
(A) **Saddlery, and metal fittings therefor ;**
(C) **Salt, rock and white (except table salt) ;**
(B) **Sapphires, natural or synthetic ;**
(A) **Sausage skins ;**
(B) **Sealskins, untanned hair ;**
(B) **Search-lights and their component parts ;**
Seeds, the following :—
- (C) **Canary ;**
- (A) **Carrot ;**
- (A) **Culiflower ;**
- (B) **Clover ;**
- (B) **Grass ;**
- (A) **Kohl rabi ;**
- (A) **Mangold ;**
- (A) **Mustard ;**
- (A) **Onion ;**
- (A) **Parsnip ;**
- (A) **Swede ;**
- (A) **Turnip ;**

(B) **Selenium ;**
(B) **Sheepskins, haired or woolled, and pelts ;**
(B) **Shellac ;**
(A) **Shipbuilding materials, the following :—**
- Condenser tubes ;
- Engines for use on board ship (including Diesel and other internal combustion engines for marine propulsion) and component parts of such engines ;
- Iron and steel castings and forgings for hulls and machinery of ships ;
- Machinery for steam ships and component parts thereof ;
- Sectional materials for shipbuilding ;
- Ships' auxiliary machinery ;
- Ships' telegraphs and component parts thereof ;
- Stearing gear and component parts thereof ;
- Winches ;
- Windlasses ;

(B) Signalling lamps and their compenent parts ;
(A) Silica bricks ;
(A) Silicon-manganese ;
Silk and silk manufactures, the following :—
- (A) Cocoons ;
- (A) Raw silk and all threads, yarn and twists thereof ;
- (A) All threads, yarns and twists of Tussah silk and of artificial silk ;
- (A) Silk waste of all kinds (including artificial silk waste) and all threads yarns and twists thereof, including noils and noil yarns ;
- (B) Tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk), whether pure or mixed with other yarns or materials (except metal threads) in the grey or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted, not including velvets, plushes, nets, laces gauzes, tulles, muslins, grenadines, voiles, crêpes, crêpe-de-chine and similar diaphanous fabrics, and also not including piece goods of less than 12 inches in width (except braids), trimmings, hosiery, and all made-up articles ;

(A) Sisal strings, old ;
(A) Sisal waste ;
(C) Slagwool ;
(A) Soap containing more than one per cent of glycerine ;
(C) Soap (except soft soap) containing one per cent or less of glycerine ;
(B) Soap, soft, containing one per cent or less of glycerine ;
(B) Sodium ;
(C) Sounding machines and gear ;
(A) Sparking plugs ;
(A) Spelter and spelter dross ;
(A) Spermaceti ;
(C) Spices and mixtures thereof (except pepper) ;
(B) Spiegeleisen ;
(A) Spirits, methylated, and mixtures containing methylated spirits ;
(A) Spirits of a strength of not less than 43 degrees above proof ;
(C) spirits, potable, of a strength of less than 43 degrees above proof ;
(C) Sponges raw and prepared ;
(A) Starch, articles containing starch, and mixtures and preparations of starch ;
(A) Steel containing tungsten or molybdenum, and any tools or other articles made from such steel ;

(A) Steel and steel articles containing chrome, cobalt, nickel, or vanadium;
(A) Steel angles, channels, joists, tees and other steel sectional material;
(A) Steel bars, including flats, rounds, and other sections and shapes;
(A) Steel billets, blooms and slabs;
(A) Steel bridgework, pierwork, and structural material;
(A) Steel flyers;
(A) Steel hawsers;
(A) Steel hoops;
(A) Steel ingots;
(A) Steel plates and sheets;
(B) Steel rivets, bifurcated;
(A) Steel scrap;
(A) Steel sheet bars;
(A) Steel stampings, suitable for aircraft;
(A) Steel textile pins of all kinds, including card pins, comb pins, faller pins, gill pins, and hackle pins;
(A) Steel travellers;
(A) Steel tubes;
(A) Steel wire rope;
(C) Sticks, unmounted;
(A) Straw-board waste;
(B) Submarine sound-signalling apparatus;
(A) Superphosphates;
(B) Surgical bandages and dressings (except cotton wadding and cotton wool);
(B) Surgical instruments;
(A) Swords and their component parts;
(B) Syringes, hypodermic;
(C) Talc, all forms, including French chalk;
(A) Tallow;
(A) Tanning extracts and substances for use in tanning;
(A) Tantalum, alloys of tantalum and ores containing tantalum;
(A) Tar, coal;
(B) Tar, vegetable;
(B) Tar, wood;
(A) Tarpaulins;
(A) Telegraphs (including wireless) and telephones, and instruments and material for;
(A) Telescopes;
(B) Tents and their component parts;
(A) Terneplates and receptacles made from terneplates;
(A) Theodolites;
(A) Thermometers;
(A) Thorium and its alloys;
(B) Tin, and alloys of tin not otherwise specifically prohibited;
(C) Tin, manufactures of (except hollow-ware, tin plates, and receptacles made from tin plates;
(B) Tin ore;
(A) Tin plates and receptacles made from tin plates;
(C) Tissues manufactured wholly or partly of wool or hair (except khaki woollen or worsted cloth);
(A) Titanium, alloys of titanium and titanium ores;
(C) Tobacco;
(A) Tools, small, the following:
  Boring cutters;
  Chucks;
  Files, other than shoemakers' seat files;
  Hacksaws;
  Lathe tools;
  Measuring tools;
  Milling cutters;
  Reamers;
  Screwing tackle;
  Slitting saws;
  Thread milling hobs;
  Twist drills;
(B) Torpedoes and their component parts;
(B) Torpedo nets;
(B) Torpedo tubes;
(A) Tungsten (except tungsten filaments for electric lamps);
(B) Tungsten filaments for electric lamps;
(B) Tungsten ores (including ferberite, hubnerite, scheelite, and wolframite);
(A) Turnbuckles suitable for aeroplanes;

(B) Turpentine (oil and spirit), and articles containing turpentine;
(B) Turpentine substitute, and articles containing turpentine substitute:
(B) Tyres for motor vehicles and for cycles (whether attached to a vehicle or cycle or not), together with articles and materials especially adapted for use in the manufacture or repair of tyres;
(A) Umbrella ribs, tubes, and tube frames;
(B) Uniform clothing (except second-hand naval and military uniform clothing);
(A) Uniform clothing, second-hand naval and military;
(A) Uranium, alloys of uranium, and uranium ores;
(C) Valves, gas, steam and water;
(B) Vanadium;
(B) Varnishes containing shellac, oil, turpentine or turpentine substitute;
(C) Varnishes not otherwise prohibited;
(B) Vessels;
(B) Vices;
(B) Vinegar containing not more than 6 per cent of acetic acid;
(A) Vinegar essence and similar preparations containing more than 6 per cent of acetic acid.
(B) Waggons, four-wheeled, capable of carrying one ton or over, and their component parts;
(A) Waggon covers;
(C) Water bottles suitable for military use;
(C) Wax, carnauba;
(B) Waxes, animal, mineral, vegetable, and composite waxes not, otherwise prohibited;
(B) Web equipment;
(A) Whalebone;
(A) Whale fins;
(A) Whalebone meal;
(C) Wine;
(A) Wire, barbed, and galvanised wire, and implements for cutting or fixing such wire;
(A) Wire, card;
(A) Wire, heald;
(A) Wire, iron;
(A) Wire, reed;
(A) Wire rods, iron;
(A) Wire, steel;
(A) Wire rods, steel;
(B) Wires, insulated;
(C) Wood-screws made of iron or steel;
(A) Wood and timber of all kinds, hewn, sawn or split, planed or dressed;
(A) Wood pulp;
Wool and wool manufactures, the following:—
 (A) Saddle felt;
 (A) Saddle serge;
 (B) Scarves, shawls, jerseys, cardigan jackets, men's gloves, men's socks, men's hosiery and men's underwear of all kinds manufactured wholly or partly of wool;
 (B) Stockinette manufactured wholly or partly of wool;
 (B) Wool, raw, and mixtures thereof;
 (B) Wool tops and mixtures thereof;
 (B) Wool noils and wool waste and mixtures thereof;
 (B) Woollen and worsted yarns and mixtures thereof;
 (A) Woollen and worsted cloth, khaki, and mixtures thereof;
 (A) Woollen collar check;
 (B) Woollen rags, shoddy, and mungo, applicable to other uses than manure;
 (C) Wool, all manufactures, mixtures and products of, not otherwise specifically prohibited;
(B) Wool grease;
(B) Wolfenite;
(B) X-ray apparatus;
(A) Zinc ashes;
(B) Zinc ore;
(A) Zinc, alloys of zinc, manufactures of zinc, and zinc dust;
(A) Zirconium and its alloys;
(B) Zirconium minerals.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Tenth day of May, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the Eighth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 7125-C.-W.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 66-C.W.D., dated the 13th January 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

Additions.

Colman, P. C.
Dastoor, N. C., Canton.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 22nd June 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 953.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer to be Second Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

The Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment).

Acting Serjeant Major Sidney George Walker. Dated the 5th June 1917.

No. 954.—Second Lieutenant C. W. Jimby, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant of a Young Officers' School of Instruction. Dated the 21st January 1917.

No. 955.—Second Lieutenant J. H. Bone, 7th (Queen's Own) Hussars, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant and Quartermaster of a Cadet College. Dated the 18th November 1915.

No. 956.—Major W. F. S. Casson, D.S.O., 27th Light Cavalry, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while holding a temporary appointment as Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster General. Dated the 14th June 1917.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

No. 957.—The undermentioned appointments are made :—

BRIGADE COMMANDERS.

Brevet Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) G. A. J. Leslie, C.M.G., Royal Engineers. Dated the 28th March 1917.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) T. R. Maclachlan, 92nd Punjabis. Dated the 11th May 1917.

Brevet Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) A. G. Wauchope, D.S.O., The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders). Dated the 11th May 1917.

GENERAL STAFF OFFICERS.

2nd Grade.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel M.G.D. Rowlandson, 38th Dogras. Dated the 4th August 1916.

Major C. Kirkpatrick, Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's). Dated the 2nd April 1917.

3rd Grade.

Captain G. V. Heriz-Smith, 27th Punjabis. Dated the 12th April 1917.

DEPUTY ASSISTANT ADJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL.

Captain C. W. G. Walker, 37th Dogras. Dated the 8th April 1917.

STAFF CAPTAIN.

Captain E. C. Brown, 6th Gurkha Rifles. Dated the 2nd April 1917.

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

Assistant Provost Marshal.

Lieutenant A. K. Lee, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry). Dated the 1st June 1917.

Field Treasure Chest Officer.

2nd Lieutenant B. K. Sheppard, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry). Dated the 19th April 1917.

ATTACHED TO HEADQUARTER UNITS.

Commanding Royal Engineer.

Major E. F. J. Hill, M. C., Royal Engineers. Dated the 28th March 1917.

No. 958.—The undermentioned appointments are made :—

ASSISTANT ADJUTANT AND QUARTER MASTER GENERAL.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) E. F. Orton, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse), and to retain, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while so employed. Dated the 20th February 1917.

GENERAL STAFF OFFICER, 2ND GRADE.

Major G. P. Grant, D.S.O., 106th Hazara Pioneers. Dated the 20th February 1917.

DEPUTY ASSISTANT ADJUTANT AND QUARTER MASTER GENERAL.

Captain R. G. Hinde, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry. Dated the 19th July 1916.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) T. M. O. Catternon-Smith, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment). Dated the 24th February 1917.

DEPUTY ASSISTANT QUARTER MASTER GENERAL.

Captain (temporary Major) F. A. Hamilton, 8th Cavalry. Dated the 24th February 1917.

Intelligence Officer (Graded as General Staff Officer, 2nd Grade).

Temporary Major E. C. Withers. Dated the 20th February 1917.

Staff Officers (Graded as General Staff Officers, 2nd Grade).

Captain (temporary Major) G. L. Blair, 36th Sikhs. Dated the 12th March 1916.

Major F. F. Hunter, Indian Army. Dated the 30th April 1916.

Staff Officers (Graded as Brigade Majors).

Major A. S. Hay, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers. Dated the 15th January 1917.

Captain (temporary Major) C. R. L. Fitzgerald, D.S.O., 126th Baluchistan Infantry. Dated the 15th January 1917.

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

Base Commandants (Graded as Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General).

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) C. H. Donovan, 94th Russell's Infantry. Dated the 20th February 1917.

Captain (temporary Major) A. R. L. King-Mason, 108th Infantry. Dated the 20th April 1917.

Captain B. S. J. McMurray, 108th Infantry. Dated the 26th May 1917.

Assistant Base Commandant (Graded as Staff Captain).

Lieutenant F. G. Hall, The Dorsetshire Regiment. Dated the 4th May 1917.

Field Treasure Chest Officers.

2nd Lieutenant C. A. Swainson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers. Dated the 20th February 1917.

2nd Lieutenant L. Hudson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers. Dated the 19th April 1917.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES AND DEPARTMENTS.

Deputy Assistant Director of Supplies and Transport.

Major J. A. P. Manson, Supply and Transport Corps. Dated the 29th January 1917.

Deputy Assistant Director of Medical Services.

Major J. M. Holmes, Indian Medical Service. Dated the 29th March 1917.

No. 959.—The undermentioned appointments are made :—

PERSONAL APPOINTMENT.

Aide-de-Camp.

2nd Lieutenant M. J. Dixon, Indian Army Reserve of Officers. Dated the 12th April 1917.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES AND DEPARTMENTS.

Assistant Directors of Supplies and Transport.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. J. Thacker, Supply and Transport Corps. Dated the 5th August 1914.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. W. H. Forteath, Supply and Transport Corps. Dated the 3rd May 1916.

Major O. A. Geoghegan, Supply and Transport Corps. Dated the 28th March 1917.

Assistant Directors of Medical Services.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. F. Cleveland, V. H. S., Indian Medical Service. Dated the 5th August 1914.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. T. Hudson, Indian Medical Service. Dated the 1st March 1916.

ATTACHED TO HEAD QUARTER UNITS.

Commanding Royal Engineer.

Major F. W. Saunders, Royal Engineers. Dated the 5th August 1914.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. J. Barton, Royal Engineers. Dated the 18th May 1916.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 960.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned to be honorary temporary Lieutenant for the period of his honorary service in Amritsar, with effect from the date specified :—

Shivnarain Rozdon. Dated the 1st June 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 961.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 953, dated the 25th November 1910, Major William Best Greig, Indian Army (Retired), is reinstated in the Indian Army, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 21st September 1915.

Major Greig will not count the whole, or any portion, of the period from the 3rd December 1910 to the 20th September 1915, both dates inclusive, for promotion or Indian pension.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 962.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

TO BE SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Cavalry Branch.

Andrew Thomas Dawson.	Dated 15th June 1917.
William Edward Meatyard.	Dated 16th June 1917.
Tom Murdoch Odling.	Dated 18th June 1917.

Infantry Branch.

Fletcher Allen Yearsley.	Dated 1st May 1917.
Charles Robinson.	Dated 1st June 1917.
George Trusler.	Dated 15th June 1917.
William Napier Ogilvie.	Dated 20th June 1917.

No. 963.—Raymond Arthur Coulson, [Second Lieutenant, 3rd Battalion (Reserve), The Royal Sussex Regiment], to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 16th June 1917, but to rank from the 22nd April 1915.

No. 964.—Second Lieutenant (now Lieutenant) Gavan John Cowan, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is transferred from the Infantry Branch to the Cavalry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, with effect from the 17th January 1916.

No. 965.—Second Lieutenant (now Captain) Ethelbert George Bland, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant, 92nd Punjabis, subject to His Majesty's approval, from the 13th January 1916 to the 31st July 1916.

No 966.—Second Lieutenant Joseph Frederick Wilkinson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant and Quartermaster, Indian Convalescent Section, Lucknow, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 14th October 1916.

No. 967.—Second Lieutenant George Thomas Lloyd, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant, 2nd Battalion, 42nd Deoli Regiment, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 12th May 1917.

No. 968.—In Army Department Notifications No. 997, dated the 13th November 1914, and No. 685, dated the 4th May 1917, *for* " Percival Farncio Purves " *read* " Percival Francis Purves."

No. 969.—In Army Department Notification No. 1039, dated the 22nd October 1915, against the name of John Frederick Shaw, *after* " Dated 26th July 1815," *add* " but to rank from the 19th April 1915."

No. 970—In Army Department Notifications No. 1068, dated the 29th October 1915, and No. 685, dated the 4th May 1917, *for* " Richard Raad MacFadden " *read* " Richard Read MacFadden "

No. 971.—In Army Department Notification No. 750, dated the 7th July 1916, *for* " Hubert Stephen Lowry Dewan " *read* " Hubert Stephen Lowry Dewar."

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 972.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Supplement dated the 17th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 17th April 1917, pages 3675, 3678 and 3686.

War Office,
April 17th, 1917.

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His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to confer the Military Cross on the undermentioned officers and warrant officers in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

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2nd Lt. (actg. Capt.) John Gwatkin Steel, I.A.R.O., attd. Baluchis.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty when in command of the firing line during a stiff engagement which lasted for four hours. He kept his C. O. well informed of the progress of the fight, and inspired his men throughout by his splendid example of courage and determination.

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Second Supplement dated the 25th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 24th April 1917, pages 3901, 3902, 3903 and 3904.

War Office,
25th April 1917.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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Flying Officers (Observers).

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28th Mar. 1917, with seniority from 3rd Feb. 1917 :—

Lt. C. G. Royston, Ind. Army.

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MEMORANDA.

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Lt.-Col (temp. Brig. Gen.) L. C. Jones, C.M.G., M.V.O., Ind. Cav., to be temp. Maj.-Gen 10th Mar. 1917.

The initials of Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) J. G. Hunter, C.B., Ind. Army, whose promotion to Maj.-Gen. was notified in the Gazette of 18th Apr. 1917, are as now described and not as stated therein.

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Third Supplement dated the 26th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 24th April 1917, pages 3913, 3914 and 3920.

War Office,
26th April 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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ATTACHED TO HD. QR. UNITS.

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Staff Capts.

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Capt. C. S. Foster, Ind. Cav., *vice* temp. 2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) H N. Grimwade, M.C., Gen. List 8th Mar. 1917.

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MEMORANDA

Bt. Col. A. W. F. Knox, 58th Rif., Ind. Army, to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst empld. as a Military Attache. 27th Apr. 1917.

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Fourth Supplement dated the 26th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 24th April 1917, pages 3933, 3934, 3937, 3940, 3944 and 3945.

War Office,
26th April 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the appointments of the undermentioned officers to be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

*Maj. Robert Geoffrey Baker, Punjabis, Ind. Army.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He showed a quick grasp of the situation, and with great ability secured his left flank at a critical time, rendering it possible to organise further attacks elsewhere. His fearless, personal example contributed largely to the success of a difficult operation.

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(The names marked with an asterisk appeared in the London Gazette, dated 17th March 1917, without deeds.)

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His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Military Cross on the undermentioned officers and warrant officers, in recognition of their gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

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*Capt. Arthur John Lunn, Punjabis, Ind. Army.

For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. He assumed command of the third wave, and led it to the enemy's trench and then returned under heavy fire to report the situation. Later, when communication failed, he again proceeded across the open to make a further report.

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(The names marked with an asterisk appeared in the London Gazette, dated 17th March 1917, without deeds.)

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards for distinguished service in the field in Mesopotamia :—

Awarded the MILITARY CROSS.

Temp. Lt. Erach Ruttonji Daboo, I.M.S., Capt. Dudley MacNeil Evans, Rif., Ind. Army.

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2nd Lt. James Wensley Gray, I. A. R. of O.

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Note —The acts of gallantry for which the foregoing rewards have been conferred will be published in the London Gazette next month.

His Majesty the KING-EMPEROR has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards to officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the Indian Army for gallantry and devotion to duty in the field :—

Indian Order of Merit, 2nd Class.

2782 Dafadar Amir Muhammad, Lrs., I.A., attd. Hodson's Horse.
2761 Dafadar Hakim Singh, Hodson's Horse, I.A.
1995 Lance-Dafadar Mobara Khan, Lrs., I A.
2967 Dafadar Sarfaraz Khan, Lrs., I.A., attd. Hodson's Horse.

Indian Distinguished Service Medal.

Capt. Thakur Balu Singh, Bikaner Camel Corps.
Jemadar Hira Singh, Sikh Pioneers.
3150 A.-Lance Dafadar Pretem Singh, Hodson's Horse, I.A.
3841 Sowar Shamsuddin Khan, Hodson's Horse, I.A.
3090 Sowar Sujjan Singh, Hodson's Horse, I.A.

Indian Meritorious Service Medal.

569 Dafadar-Major Syed Abdul Aziz, I.S., Lrs.
78 Kot Dafadar Firman Ali, Mule Corps, attd. Ind. Cav. Fd. Amb.
478 Dafadar Gajendra Singh, I.S. Lrs.

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Supplement dated the 27th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 27th April 1917, pages 4033 and 4044.

War Office,
27th April 1917.

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SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 1st Cl.).—4th Apr. 1917—
Col. H. Rose, ret. pay, Ind. Army.
Lt.-Col. J. F. Barry, Ind. Army.
Maj I. H. Campbell, ret. pay, Ind. Army.

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MEMORANDA.

Maj. W. Keyworth (ret., Ind. Army), late temp. Lt.-Col., comdg. a Serv. Bn., S. Lan. R., is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. 10 Feb. 1917.

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Second Supplement dated the 28th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 27th April 1917, pages 4061, 4063 and 4071.

War Office,
28th April 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

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Service Battalions.

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Lt.-Col. A. P. D. C. Stuart, ret., Ind. Army, to vacate comd. of a Bn. 19 Apr. 1917.

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INFANTRY.

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Durham L. I.—Lt.-Col. H. Lowther, (Lt.-Col., Indian Army), relinquishes his commission in the T. F. on ceasing to command the Bn. 19th Apr. 1917.

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Third Supplement dated the 30th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 27th April 1917, pages 4076, 4080, 4081 and 4082.

War Office,
30th April 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

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2nd Lt. E. H. Peverell, from Ind. Army, to be temp. 2nd Lt. (on prob.) for duty with R.F.C. 25th Apr. 1917.

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REGULAR FORCES.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the R. Mil. Coll., to be 2nd Lts. 1st May 1917 :—

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INFANTRY.

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Unattached list for Ind Army. With a view to their appointment to the Ind. Army :—

Indian Army.—Mervyn Vincent Smelt.
Hubert Kendall Percy-Smith.
Oswald John Tattersall Milne.
Henry Ward Duloken.
Lewis Charles Montagu Bellamy.
Alexander Thomas Stephen.
Henry Taylor Craft.
Douglas Richmond Stanley.
Cecil Gault.
Walter John Fletcher Piper.
John Henry Reginald Orr.
William Thomas Carter.
Jonus Inchiquin Leake.
Gerald Erpingham Orpen.
Percy Claude Rayne.
Francis Edward Croucher.
Geoffrey Record Brown.
John Emrys Evans.

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Supplement dated the 1st May 1917 to the London Gazette of the 1st May 1917, pages 4155, 4156, 4158, 4159, 4160, 4161, 4162 and 4164.

War Office,
1st May 1917.

The following are among the decorations and medals awarded by the Allied Powers at various dates to the British Forces for distinguished services rendered during the course of the campaign :—

His Majesty the KING has given unrestricted permission in all cases to wear the decorations and medals in question.

Decorations conferred by

THE PRESIDENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

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Legion d'Honneur.

Croix d'Officier.

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Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James Whitehead, D.S.O., Indian Army.

Legion d'Honneur.
Croix de Chevalier.

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Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) William Albany Fetherstonhaugh, D.S.O., Indian Army.

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Captain Vivian Bartley Green-Armytage, M.D., M.R.C.P., Indian Medical Service.

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Major Hugo Meynell, Indian Army.

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Captain Donald Elphinston Robertson, Indian Army.

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Croix de Guerre.

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2859 Sowar (Acting Lance-Dafadar) Asghar Ali, Indian Army.

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1957 Naik Bombahadur Gurung, Indian Army.

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2634 Sepoy Ram Saram, Indian Army.

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Medaille Militaire.

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Conductor A. J. Cameron, Indian Miscellaneous List.

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1740 Havildar Mangal Singh, Indian Army.

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Note.—The above-mentioned decorations will shortly be distributed by the French Authorities. No applications in respect of this list should be made to the War Office.

Second Supplement dated the 1st May 1917 to the London Gazette of the 1st May 1917, pages 4165, 4166, 4167, 4168 and 4175.

War Office,
1st May 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

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(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt, 3rd Cl.)—2nd Lt. P. C. Mangin, Res. of Off., Ind. Army. 22nd Mar. 1917.

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COMMANDS AND STAFF.

SPECIAL APPOINTMENT.

(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 1st Cl.)—Bt. Col. E. Grey, ret. pay, Ind. Army, resigns his appt. on account of ill-health. 1st Feb. 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

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The promotion of 2nd Lt. E. A. Floyer, Ind Army Res. of Off., to the temp. rank of Lt., notified in the Gazette of 2nd Apr. 1917, is cancelled.

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INFANTRY.

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Liverpool Regt.—Lt-Col. G. P. Ranken (Bt. Col., Ind. Army) relinquishes the rank of Lt.-Col. (temp.) on ceasing to command a Bn. 2nd May 1917.

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PROMOTIONS.

Royal Garrison Artillery.

No. 973.—The undermentioned officer to be acting Major, whilst commanding a battery of Indian Mountain Artillery :—

Captain A. F. V. Jarrett, M.C., 31st Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery. Dated 10th June 1917.

No. 974.—In Army Department Notification No. 853, dated the 2nd June 1917, *for* "Royal Field Artillery," *substitute* "Royal Garrison Artillery."

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 975.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

17th June 1917.

Andrew Alexander Irvine, Supernumerary List.
Keith Hungerford Jackson, Military Accounts Department.
Robert Joseph Tucker Stewart, Cantonment Magistrates' Department.

Captain to be Major.

23rd April 1917.

Lionel Plomer Ball, 5th Light Infantry.

No. 976.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, from the dates specified but not to carry pay and allowances prior to the 1st September 1916.

Captains to be Majors.

14th September 1916.

Charles King Valentine Brown, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.

18th January 1917.

Percival Gaussen Carey, 31st Punjabis.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

6th September 1915.

Roderic Arthur Graham, 31st Punjabis.
Brian Reginald Mullaly, 10th Gurkha Rifles.

20th January 1916.

James Hubert Williams, 10th Gurkha Rifles.

24th August 1916.

Paul Anthony Meade, 112th Infantry.
Cyril Philip Francis Williamson, 95th Russell's Infantry.

22nd January 1917.

Ian Everest Rose Weir, 126th Baluchistan Infantry.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

13th January 1916.

John Terence Brownrigg Bookey, attached 52nd Sikhs, (Frontier Force).

12th May 1916.

Cyril Gascoigne Oxley Brennan, attached 31st Punjabis.

14th July 1916.

Eric Ralph Lovatt Wynne, attached 10th Gurkha Rifles.

4th August 1916.

Gerald Beverley Matthewman, attached 113th Infantry.

15th November 1916.

Francis Bernard Roseveare, attached Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides (Frontier Force) (Lumsden's).
Joseph Watson Laughton, attached 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Alan Daniel Mackinlay Gordon Laing, attached 79th Carnatic Infantry.
Gordon Ericksen Hansen, attached 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Frederick Rutley Walker, attached 31st Punjabis.
Stevenson Eden Walker, 47th Sikhs.
John Dennis Twinberrow, 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).
Dennis Adair Garbett, 96th Berar Infantry.

18th April 1917.

Thomas Bryden Yarrow, attached 24th Punjabis.
Charles Melville Malden attached 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).
Hugh Erskine Winthrop, 14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.
Charles Lutman Sevenoaks, attached 24th Punjabis.
Gilbert Douglas Pybus, 14th King George's Own Ferozepore Sikhs.

No. 977.—In Army Department Notification No. 757, dated the 18th May 1917, *for* " John Pratt, 5th Light Infantry " *read* " John Pratt, 5th Cavalry."

Army Reserves.

No. 978.—In Army Department Notification No. 685, dated the 4th May 1917, against the name of John Frederick Shaw, *for* " 26th July 1916 " *read* " 19th April 1916."

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

SUB-ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 979.—The undermentioned 2nd class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Name	Date
No. 1192 Muhammad Din (E).	
No. 1193 Himmat Singh (E).	
No. 1194 Lal Singh Bedi (E).	
No. 1169 Deoraj, *Rai Sahib* (E).	
No. 1196 Diwan Singh (E).	
No. 1197 Mulk-raj Singh (E).	
No. 1198 Mul Singh (E).	29th April 1917.
No. 1200 Nand Lal (E).	
No. 1201 Bishun-das Sawhney (E).	
No. 1204 Muhammad Barkat-ullah (E).	
No. 1207 Ram Saran Mehra (E).	
No. 1208 Bashi Ram (E).	
No. 1209 Diwan Chand (E).	
No. 1210 Fazl-Shah (E).	
No 1177 Raghunath Singh (E).	
No. 1215 Bal mukand (E).	
No. 1216 Kanhaiya Lal Sukul (E).	
No. 1217 Indar Singh (E).	
No. 1219 Kundan Lal, (E), I.O.M.	
No. 1220 S. Saadat Ali (E).	
No. 1222 Chuhar Khan (E).	1st May 1917.
No. 1224 Muhammad Hussain (E).	
No. 1226 Narindar Singh (E).	
No. 1228 Indar Singh (E).	
No. 1229 Mangal Singh (E).	
No. 1230 Pargan Singh (E), I.O.M.	
No. 1232 Gur-dayal Kashop (E).	
No. 1233 Sampuran Singh (E).	

(E).—Passed in English.

No. 980.—The undermentioned 2nd Class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, and passed the required departmental examination, to be 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

29th April 1917.

No. 1191 Shiv Ram (E).
No. 1199 Guranditta (E).
No. 1203 Milkhi Ram (E).
No. 1212 Ahmad-bakhsh (E).

1st May 1917.

No. 1221 Atar Singh Ilamwadi (E).
No 1225 Mit Singh (E).
No. 1231 Sant Singh (E).

(E) Passed in English.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 981.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred on retirement, on Subadar-Major Sundar Singh, *Sardar Bahadur*, 84th Punjabis. Dated 5th July 1916.

No. 982.—The following promotions are made :—

9th Hodson's Horse.

Kot-Dafadar Tohid Gul Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 21st March 1917, and Kot-Dafadar Fazal Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 23rd March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).

Kot-Dafadar Nigah Ali Shah to be Jemadar, with effect from the 26th January 1917, Dafadar Jahan Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 15th February 1917, and Sowar (acting Lance-Dafadar) Jagpal Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 21st March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

7th Porter Corps.

Kot-Dafadar Baqar Khan (44th Mule Corps) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 19th January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

Machine Gun Corps.

Havildar-Major Amar Singh, 21st Kohat Mountain Battery (Frontier Force), to be Jemadar, with effect from the 29th April 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

1st Brahmans.

Jemadar Rambarakh Misr to be Subadar and Havildar-Major Jwala Parshad Aginhotri, to be Jemadar, with effect from the 20th April 1917 ; *vice* Anrudhnath Tewari, transferred to the pension establishment.

9th Bhopal Infantry.

Jemadar Sher Muhammad Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 15th March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).

Jemadar Habib Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 18th February 1917, Jemadar Makhmad to be Subadar, with effect from the 20th March 1917, Havildar Sharif to be Jemadar, with effect from the 18th February 1917, and Havildar Lakha Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 20th March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

28th Punjabis.

Colour-Havildar Ranya to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th March 1917, and Colour-Havildar Niamat Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 22nd April 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

29th Punjabis.

Jemadar Gurditt Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 22nd February 1917, and Havildar-Major Muhammad Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 32nd Sikh Pioneers.

Jemadar Jaggat Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Sewa Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st June 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

40th Pathans.

Jemadar Sher Akhmad (26th Punjabis) to be Subadar, with effect from the 28th November 1916, Jemadar Khan, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis), to be Subadar, with effect from the 3rd January 1917, Jemadar Mainu to be Subadar, with effect from the 13th January 1917, Colour-Havildar Juma Khan (26th Punjabis) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 3rd May 1916, Havildar Mir Dast (26th Punjabis) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 13th August 1916, Colour-Havildar Sher Akhmad (26th Punjabis) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 7th November 1916, Colour-Havildar Surjan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th December 1916 and Havildar Muhammad Yaqub Khan [20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis)] to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st January 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 42nd Deoli Regiment.

Jemadars Bhor Singh, Ganga Ram, and Birdha to be Subadars, Colour-Havildar Mahadewa, Havildars Zorawar Singh, Dhaunkal Singh, Ghasi, Mahadewa, Bhollu, Sukha and Bajranga to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

Havildars Mong Singh and Jaganatha to be Jemadars, with effect from the 1st May 1917, and to remain seconded.

56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).

Havildar Spin Gul to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).

Havildar Hazrat Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 24th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

61st King George's Own Pioneers.

Jemadar Shaikh Muhiuddin to be Subadar, and Havildar Maduramuthoo (81st Pioneers) to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th December 1916, Colour-Havildar Rajagopal to be Jemadar, with effect from the 31st December 1916, Colour-Havildar Perumal Reddy and Havildar Muhammad Abdul Azim to be Jemadars, with effect from the 18th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

82nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Nawaz Ali to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Firoz Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 9th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

93rd Burma Infantry.

Jemadar Bulaka Singh to be Subadar, with effect from the 12th August 1916; to complete the establishment.

102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.

Jemadar Yar Muhammad to be Subadar, with effect from the 13th February 1917; to complete the establishment.

105th Mahratta Light Infantry.

Jemadar Manajirao Palande to be Subadar, with effect from the 10th January 1917, Jemadars Balkrishna Khanse (110th Mahratta Light Infantry) and Ramchandar Rao Powar (116th Mahrattas) to be Subadars, Colour-Havildar Shaikh Jamal to be Jemadar, with effect from the 26th March 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).

Jemadar Bhera Rawat to be Subadar, with effect from the 1st January 1917, Jemadar Shivnath to be Subadar, with effect from the 29th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

130th King George's Own Baluchis (Jacob's Rifles).

Jemadar Ilam Din to be Subadar, with effect from the 26th January 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Havildar Judhia Sarki to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st May 1917; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles.

Havildar Birman Lama to be Jemadar, with effect from the 24th July 1915; to complete the establishment.

No. 983.—*For* the word "below" in line 3 of the notification relating to the promotion of Jemadar Mubarak Ali Khan 5th Light Infantry in Army Department Notification No. 310, dated the 2nd March 1917, *substitute* "above."

PENSIONS.

WARRANT OFFICERS.

No. 984.—Conductor Frederick Goodburn, Ordnance Department, Northern Army, has been transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 26th May 1917.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 985.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned is permitted to resign the service, with effect from the date specified :—

Temporary Lieutenant Syama Prosanna Gupta,—18th October 1916.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 986.—Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Captain Angus Robertson has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 24th November 1916.

REWARDS.

No. 987.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to notify that the title of "*Bahadur*" is conferred on the undermentioned pensioned Indian officer under the Resolution of the Government of India in the (late) Military Department No. 867-B, dated the 27th February 1893 :—

Subadar Ram Lal, formerly of the 44th Merwara Infantry.

INDIAN ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 988.—The Governor-General in Council has been pleased to sanction the admission of the undermentioned non-commissioned officer to the Military Division of the Indian Order of Merit :—

To the 2nd Class of the Order.

No. 3291 Naik Malik Khan, Rifles, for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in action on 21st April 1917. He commanded a Lewis gun section and when within 500 yards of the enemy's line, and his whole section except himself and two ammunition carriers had been killed or wounded, he himself brought up a Lewis gun under very heavy fire and brought it into action on the enemy, who were collecting for a counter-attack. Naik Malik Khan was killed in this action. His widow, if any, is admitted to the pension of the Order with effect from the date of his death.

INDIAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

No. 989.—Army Department Notification No. 597, dated the 20th April 1917, is cancelled.

CANTONMENTS.

REGULATIONS.

No. 990.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 24 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Cantonment Code, 1912, namely :—

In sub-section (1) of section 2 of the said Code—

(1) *For* Clause (c) the following shall be *substituted*, namely :—

"(c) 'Brigade' means any area allotted to one of the Brigades into which the Army in India is for the time being divided but does not include an Independent Brigade.

(2) *For* clause (c) (e) the following shall be *substituted*, namely :—

"(d) 'Division' means any area allotted to one of the Divisions into which the Army in India is for the time being divided and includes an Independent Brigade."

(3) Clause (g) is hereby *cancelled*.

(4) Clauses (d), (e) and (f) shall be *relettered* (e), (f) and (g).

JUDICIAL.

No. 991.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 113 of the Indian Army Act, 1911 (VIII of 1911), and in supersession of the Army Department Notification No. 1103, dated 5th November 1915, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prescribe the officers mentioned in the first column of the sub-joined table as the officers who, during the continuance of the present war, are to exercise, as regards

persons subject to the said Act serving under their orders the powers under the Act and the Rules made thereunder and specified in the second column :—

The Table.

Officers.	Powers.
Europe.	
(*a*) The Commander-in-Chief of the British Expeditionary Force (France).	
(*b*) The General Officer Commanding the Salonica Force.	
(*c*) Inspectors-General of Communications ...	
(*d*) General Officers Commanding Armies in which Indian troops are serving.	The powers of an officer commanding an army.
(*e*) General Officers Commanding Army Corps in which Indian troops are serving.	
(*f*) General Officers Commanding Cavalry Corps in which Indian troops are serving.	
(*g*) General Officers Commanding-in-Chief of Commands in the United Kingdom.	
(*h*) General Officers Commanding Divisions in which Indian troops are serving.	
(*i*) The General Officer Commanding the London District.	The powers of an officer commanding a division.
(*j*) Base Commandants	
(*k*) Officers Commanding Brigades in which Indian troops are serving.	The powers of an officer commanding a brigade.
Egypt.	
(*a*) The General Officer Commanding-in-Chief the Egyptian Expeditionary Force.	The powers of an officer commanding an army.
(*b*) The Inspector-General of Communications ...	
(*c*) General Officers Commanding Divisions in which Indian troops are serving.	The powers of an officer commanding a division.
(*d*) Base Commandants	
(*e*) Officers Commanding Brigades in which Indian troops are serving.	The powers of an officer commanding a brigade.
East Africa.	
(*a*) The General Officer Commanding-in-Chief the East African Expeditionary Force.	The powers of an officer commanding an Army.
(*b*) The Inspector-General of Communications ...	
(*c*) General Officers Commanding Divisions in which Indian troops are serving.	The powers of an officer commanding a division.
(*d*) Base Commandants	
(*e*) Officers Commanding Brigades in which Indian troops are serving.	The powers of an officer commanding a brigade.

Officers.	Powers.
Mesopotamia.	
(a) The General Officer Commanding-in-Chief the Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force.	The powers of an officer commanding an army.
(b) General Officers Commanding Army Corps ...	
(c) The Inspector-General of Communications ...	The powers of an officer commanding a division.
(d) General Officers Commanding Divisions in which Indian troops are serving.	
(e) The Officer Commanding Tigris Line of Communication Defences.	
(f) The Officer Commanding Euphrates Line of Communication Defences.	
(g) The Officer Commanding Euphrates Front ...	
(h) The Officer Commanding Karun Front ...	
(i) The Base Commandant	
(j) Officers Commanding Brigades in which Indian troops are serving.	The powers of an officer commanding a brigade.
Persia.	
(a) The Officer Commanding the Bushire Force ...	The powers of an officer commanding a division.
(b) The Officer Commanding the British Mission Escort in South Persia.	

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Simla Volunteer Rifles.

No. 992.—Second Lieutenant Charles William Blyth Normand (seconded) to be Lieutenant, *vice* P. A. Cooper, promoted, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Second Lieutenant Henry James Ford to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Second Lieutenant John Rupert Firth (seconded) to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy, and to remain seconded. Dated the 1st September 1916.

Second Lieutenant Thomas George Prince to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 1st September 1916.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

No. 993.—His Excellency the Governor General of India has been pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officer :—

2nd Battalion, The Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Rifles.

Major Edward Dudley Sampson.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 22nd June 1917.

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given :—

First.—That information has been received by me of the death of the officer named and described in the subjoined table.

Secondly.—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name in the same table.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of surplus.	REMARKS.
					Rs. A. P.	
Reverend Father Michael Ryan.	Roman Catholic Chaplain.	Poona	1st November 1916.	Testate	3,123 5 5	Secretary to the Government of India, Army Department.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 22nd June 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 27.—Captain N. F. J. Wilson, C.M.G., Royal Indian Marine, Deputy Director, Royal Indian Marine, is appointed to officiate as Director, Royal Indian Marine, *vice* Commodore W. Lumsden, C.V.O., C.I.E., R.N., A.-D.-C., with effect from 12th June 1917.

LEAVE.

No. 28.—Commodore W. Lumsden, C.V.O., C.I.E., R.N., A.-D.-C., Director, Royal Indian Marine, is granted combined leave on private affairs for eight months, the first 90 days being privilege leave, with effect from the 12th June 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 18th June, 1917.

No 353-E.—Mr O. W. Watkins, Assistant Locomotive Superintendent and Assistant Works Manager, North Western Railway, in class III, grade 1, *sub pro tem*, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate, as Works Manager in class II of that Establishment, with effect from the 8th May 1917, *vice* Mr. T. W. E. S. Wrench, District Locomotive Superintendent and Works Manager, granted leave.

No. 760-E.—Mr. Basil C. Jacobson is appointed, on probation, as an Assistant Storekeeper in class III, grade 4, of the Superior Stores Establishment of State Railways and posted to the North Western Railway.

The 19th June, 1917

No 803-E—Mr. J. H. Smellie, District Locomotive Superintendent, in class II grade I of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways (on military duty) held the officiating rank of Deputy Locomotive Superintendent in class I (Supernumerary) from the 1st September to the 22nd October 1916. Mr Smellie is again promoted to the rank of officiating Deputy Locomotive Superintendent (Supernumerary) from the 3rd March 1917 and until further orders.

No. 822-E-17.—With reference to Railway Board's notification No. 539-E.-17, dated the 27th April 1917, Mr. Mathra Das, officiating District Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, will continue to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent of that Railway until further orders.

The 20th June, 1917.

No. 826-E.—Mr. H. Bloor, Officiating Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, is appointed to officiate as a District Locomotive Superintendent on that Railway, during the absence of Mr. A. K. Homan, District Locomotive Superintendent on privilege leave.

No. 842-E.—Rai Bahadur Jai Narain, District Traffic Superintendent, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, in class II, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, vacated his appointment, under the operation of the rule in Article 650, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th May 1917.

No. 842-2-E.—Mr. L. E. Vining, Officiating District Traffic Superintendent, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, is confirmed in class II, grade 5, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 5th May 1917.

The 21st June, 1917.

No. 798-E.-17.—Mr. Jagan Nath Mehta is confirmed in the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, as an Assistant Storekeeper, in class III, grade 4.

No. 824-F.-16.—In pursuance of sub-section (1) of Section 135 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890) and in continuation of the notification of the Government of India in the Railway Department No. 235, dated the 24th August 1911, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the Administration of the South Indian Railway shall be liable to pay, in aid of the funds of the Local authority set out in the Schedule hereto annexed, the tax specified in second column thereof.

SCHEDULE.

1	2
Local authority.	Tax.
Chidambaram Municipality	Water and drainage Tax.

The 22nd June, 1917.

No. 398-E.-17.—The undermentioned promotions in and to the Chief and Superintending Engineer classes, State Railways, are ordered :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Major L. E. Hopkins, R. E. ...	Executive Engineer, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, officiating, Supernumerary.	26th March 1917.
Lieutenant-Colonel W. C. Smyth, R. E....	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary, Supernumerary.	22nd May 1917.
Mr. A. R. Pakenham Walsh	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	Ditto.
Mr. J. H. Heap	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, s.p.t.	Ditto.
Mr. H. R. Walton	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, s.p.t., Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Mr. J. H. White	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Mr. F. W. Allum	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, s.p.t.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Ditto.
Mr. B. Stapleton	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, s.p.t., Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Mr. F. Furnivall	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, s.p.t.	Ditto.
Major L. E. Hopkins, R. E.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, Officiating, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Mr. J. H. Lovell	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, Officiating.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary.	Ditto.
Mr. J. Woodside	Chief Engineer, 2nd class	Chief Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	26th May 1917.
Rai Bahadur Rala Ram, I.S.O. ...	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, Officiating	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Ditto.
Mr. F. J. Harvey	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, s.p.t.	Superintending Engineer, 1st class, temporary.	Ditto.
Mr. E. Verrières	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, s.p.t.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, temporary.	Ditto.
Major H. E. C. Cowie, D.S.O., R.E. ...	Executive Engineer, Supernumerary.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary, Supernumerary.	Ditto.
Mr. J. Harford	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, Officiating.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary.	Ditto.

No. 764-E.-17.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. Cameron, C.I.E., R.E., Traffic Manager North Western Railway, on return from special duty in Mesopotamia is appointed Controller of Traffic, with effect from the 18th June 1917.

No. 804-E.-17.—Mr. J. H. Lovell, Offg. Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 5, is appointed to hold charge of the duties of the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 6, in addition to his own duties, during the absence of Mr. J. Woodside on privilege leave.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.
PLAGUE.

Simla, the 22nd June 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 16th June 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI ...	...	......	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	27	20
		Ahmedabad City	3	4
		Kaira District	4	3
		Surat Town and Port	10	9
		Surat District	10	8
		Thana District	19	18
	Central	Ahmednagar District	5	2
		Poona District	31	21
		Nasik District	31	23
		Satara District	64	36
		Sholapur District	13	13
	Southern	Kolaba District	6	6
		Ratnagiri Port	3	2
		Ratnagiri District	2	1
		Belgaum District	23	15
		Dharwar District	11	5
		Bijapur District	8	3
	Sind ...	Karachi Town and Port	28	22
		Karachi District	1	2
	Political Charges.	Baroda State	2	1
		Mangrol Port	11	8
		Mandvi Port	1	...
		Mundra Port	5	4

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or [illegible] and Ports.	[illegible]	[illegible]
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Political Charges	Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	[illegible]	
		Satara Agency	8	
		Surat Agency	1	1
		Aden Port	9*	6*
		TOTAL	396	290
MADRAS PRESIDENCY	...	Anantapur District	9	9
		Bellary District	2 (a)	2 (a)
		Mangalore Port	2	2
		Coimbatore District	5	8
		Nilgiris District	2	1
		Salem District	2	1
		Madura District	1(b)	1 (b)
		North Arcot District	5	1
		TOTAL	28	20
BENGAL PRESIDENCY	Presidency	24 Parganas District	1	1
		Calcutta	4	4
		TOTAL	5	5
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Patna	Patna City	1	1
		Patna District	9	9
		Shahabad District	15	18
	Tirhut	Saran District	26	20
		Muzaffarpur District	24	25
		Darbhanga District	7	5

* For two weeks

(a) Two imported. (b) One imported.

In the return for the week ending 9th June 1917, the following addition and correction should be made:—
Khairpur [illegible] 1 death
Saran District [illegible] for [illegible] cases.

Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of [illegible] or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	8	4
		TOTAL	84	82
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut	Saharanpur District	11	6
		Muzaffarnagar District	27	27
	Agra	Mainpuri District	10	9
	Rohilkhand	Bareilly City	1	1
		Bijnor District	1	1
		Moradabad District	15	15
		Pilibhit District	2	2
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad City	8	8
		Farrukhabad District	26	26
		Etawah District	1	1
		Cawnpore District	6	6
		Allahabad City	1	1
		Allahabad District	8	8
	Jhansi	Jhansi District	1	1
		Jalaun District	13	10
	Benares	Jaunpur District	4	3
		Ghazipur District	8	8
		Ballia District	11	11

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
United Provinces	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur District	17	16
		Basti District	8	6
		Azamgarh District	12	14
	Lucknow	Lucknow City	1	1
		Lucknow District	5	5
		Unao District	76	75
		Rae Bareli District	15	13
		Sitapur District	16	13
		Hardoi District	5	5
		Kheri District	7	6
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	1	1
		Gonda District	8	7
		Bahraich District	2	2
		Sultanpur District	11	7
		Partabgarh District	3	3
		Bara Banki District	8	8
		TOTAL	329	308

In the return for the week ending 9th June 1917, add Basti District 27 cases, 14 deaths.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Ambala	Karnal District	11	9
		Ambala District	20	19
	Jullundur	Kangra District	1	...
		Ludhiana District	17	9
	Lahore	Gurdaspur District	14	7
		Sialkot District	3	3
		Gujranwala District	1	1
	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District	1	1
		Rawalpindi District	14	7
	Multan	Lyallpur District		2
	Native States	Jind State	1	1
		Patiala State	3	3
		TOTAL	86	6[illegible]
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	19	16
		Hanthawaddy District	1	1
		Tharrawaddy District	1	1
		Pegu District	7	7
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	5	5
		Bassein District	4	5
		Myaungmya District	18	18
		Pyapon District	4	4
	Tenasserim	Toungoo District	4	3
		Moulmein Town	6	6
	Mandalay	Mandalay Town	1	1
		Katha District	1	1
	Shan States	Northern Shan States	1	2
		TOTAL	72	69

In the return for the week ending 9th June 1917, add the following —

Jullundur District	[illegible] cases,	4 deaths.
Jhelum "	21 "	11 "
Rawalpindi "	15 "	16 "
Attock "	8 "	8 "
Kapurthala State	19 "	nil death

Presidency or Province	Division	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Nagpur	Nagpur District	5	8
		Bhandara District	1	1
	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore District	20	13
		Saugor District	5	3
		Damoh District	6	2
		Seoni District	1	...
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District	4	4
		Nimar District	2	2
		Narsinghpur District	13	12
		Chhindwara District	1	...
	Berar	Amraoti District	8	8
		Yeotmal District	4	1
		Akola District	20	13
		Buldana District	6	1
		TOTAL	97	68
ASSAM	...	......	...	...
COORG	...	......	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	2	2
		Bangalore District	1	1
		Shimoga District	22	14
		Chitaldroog District	3	2
		Tumkur District	5	7
		Kolar District	10	[illegible]
		TOTAL	43	33
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Parbhani District	3	3
		Nander District	32	30
		Raichur District	6	6
		Usmanabad District	98	76
		Bidar District	3	7
		Medak District	41	33
		Warangal District	...	1
		TOTAL	183 (a)	156 (a)

(a) From the 4th to the 10th June 1917.

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths
Central India	...	Gwalior State (Ujjain)	32	23
		Bhopal State	11	...
		Rewa State	1	1
		Total	44 (a)	24 (a)
Rajputana	...	Ajmer City	24	15
		Ajmer District	35	15
		Marwar (Jodhpur) State	1[illegible]	9
		Kishangarh State	7	6
		Jaipur State	45	35
		Jhalawar State	2	6
		Total	1[illegible]8	86
N.-W. Frontier Province	...	...	..	..
Kashmir	...	...	..	.
Baluchistan	...	...	...	...
		Grand Total	1,4[illegible]5	1,204

(a) For the week ending 9th June 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 404-I.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

CIVIL WORKS.
Irrigation.

Simla, the 18th June 1917.

Review of Irrigation in India in 1915-16.

Classificat[illegible] Irrigation W[illegible]

Irrigation Works in India are divided into two main classes, *viz.*, major and minor works. Major Works are sub-divided into :—

(*a*) Productive public works, the capital of which is usually provided from borrowed money.

(*b*) Protective works, designed as a protection against famine, the capital of which is provided from current revenues, and is usually met from the annual grant under Famine Relief and Insurance.*

Capital and revenue accounts are kept for all major works.

Minor works are constructed from funds provided from the current revenues of India, and, broadly speaking, consist of irrigation systems which are not sufficiently important to treat as major works. Some of them are old works constructed by the former rulers of this country, and extended or restored by the British Government; some are works which have been constructed by the British Government; others, again, are village works originally provided by private or communal effort, the control of which the State has been obliged to assume owing to disputes between the parties interested or their inability to maintain the efficiency of the works.

Capital and revenue accounts are maintained for the more important minor works, but for those on which the capital outlay has not exceeded half a lakh of rupees, revenue accounts only are, as a rule, maintained. There is a third class of minor works, consisting for the most part of small tanks, for which neither capital nor revenue accounts are kept. These exist principally in the Madras Presidency.

Productive P[illegible] Works.

2. Productive public works are expected within 10 years after the probable date of their completion to yield sufficient revenue to pay their working expenses and the annual interest calculated at 4 per cent on the capital invested. No project is now sanctioned as a productive public work unless it can be shown beyond reasonable doubt that when fully developed it will fulfil these conditions. This standard was not attained in the case of the earlier irrigation projects, and thus it has happened that several large irrigation works, which were financed from borrowed capital, are not remunerative. There are 14 such works, *viz.*, two in Bihar and Orissa and two in Bengal, seven in the Deccan and Gujarat, two in Madras and one in the North-West Frontier Province. They are still retained on the list of productive works, but expenditure against their capital account is now charged against the current revenues of India. The total accumulated losses on these 14 works have exceeded the sum of $11\frac{3}{4}$ crores. But though they have proved financial failures in the ordinary commercial sense, they have been indirectly of great value in securing large areas of cultivation against the vicissitudes of the seasons.

3. The remaining works in operation, 46† in number, satisfy productive conditions. These works collectively paid during the year 9·59 per cent on

*NOTE—In such cases the expenditure is chargeable to the main head "35—Construction of Protective Irrigation Works." Expenditure in excess of this grant is chargeable to "42 A.—Expenditure on Protective Irrigation Works in addition to that charged to Famine Relief and Insurance."

†NOTE—Except where otherwise stated, this review relates to works actually in operation. The figures in the appended Financial Results of Irrigation operations deal both with works in operation and with those under construction. Hence the figures in the review do not at first sight agree with those contained in the statements referred to.

their capital outlay; while after paying interest charges, the surplus revenue, which they had contributed to the general revenues of the country up to the end of 1915-16, amounted to nearly 54¼ crores of rupees against 45·44 crores, the capital invested on them. The financial results, and the mileage in operation for all productive public works in operation, are shown separately by provinces in Statement I.

4. During the year under review the total area irrigated by all the productive public works, excluding branches in Native States of the Punjab, amounted to 16,639,600 acres.* Towards this total the Punjab canals contributed 7·3 million acres, Madras 3·5, the United Provinces 3 and Sind 1·4 million acres. In Bihar and Orissa an area of 815,900 acres was attained. The return on capital is highest in Madras, where the canals yielded 13·55 per cent, excluding the Kurnool and Barur systems referred to in paragraph 2, expenditure on which is charged to Revenue. The next province in this respect is the Punjab, where a return of 10·90 per cent was realised. In the United Provinces and Sind, the returns realised were 8·34 per cent and 7·29 per cent, respectively. Details regarding other provinces and administrations will be found in Statement I. The return of productive works as a whole, excluding those under construction and not earning revenue, was 8·14 per cent on the capital outlay.

5. There were in operation in the year under review 33 protective works, which together irrigated a total of 444,400 acres. The most important works are the Ramtek reservoir in the Central Provinces, the Betwa and Ken canals in the United Provinces, the Rushikulya in Madras, and the Nira and Godavari systems in the Bombay Presidency. A number of small but interesting tank works are to be found in the Central Provinces. They were sanctioned as experimental works, in accordance with the recommendations of the Irrigation Commission, in order to test how far the people were willing to resort to irrigation for the maturing of their crops and what water rates they were prepared to pay. The results obtained are gratifying and show that the people are beginning to realise the great advantages of irrigation.

6. There were 119 works so classed in 1915-16, the majority of which are in Bombay and Madras. Eight are purely navigation works. The net revenue paid by works of this category amounted to Rs 32,45,206 (excluding navigation canals) or a return of 7·59 per cent on the capital outlay, against 8·39 per cent in the previous year. Nearly all the minor works in Sind return exceptionally high percentages. It is in contemplation to transfer these to the major works class as soon as it is possible to amalgamate them with certain large projects which are in contemplation. The total area served by works of this class was 2,072,000 acres. This figure includes the area shown under Burma, *viz.*, 406,105 acres, which is not under actual irrigation, but represents the area of cultivation on lands reclaimed by river flood embankments.

7. There are numerous works for which only revenue accounts are maintained. They are credited with a share of the land revenue depending on their maintenance and are debited with all expenditure incurred on construction, extension, improvements and maintenance. During the year reviewed these works irrigated an area of 2·5 million acres and returned a net revenue of Rs. 35,79,707.

8. As explained in the opening paragraph of this review, practically all the works of the class which have neither capital nor revenue accounts are situated in the Madras Presidency. They consist of some 37,000 tanks and irrigation channels, mainly the former, the improvements and repairs of which are executed by the Public Works Department, except in the case of the smaller works which are maintained by civil officers. The areas irrigated by works of this class in 1915-16 aggregated 3,474,200 acres. The area irrigated in 1914-15 was 3,401,200 acres.

PUNJAB.

9. In the Punjab the climatic conditions for the whole year (1915-16) were unsatisfactory. During the *kharif* rain in February and March helped early sowings but the cultivators could not make full use of it as they were busy in harvesting

*Note.—This includes the area of old irrigation shown separately in paragraph 19 of this review.

the bumper rabi crops of 1915 till late in the month of April. The prevalence of plague on the Western Jumna and Sirhind canals also restricted early *kharif* sowings. The failure of the monsoon kept river supplies low and Inundation canals got less water than usual. The hot, dry weather caused a scarcity of fodder in the *kharif* particularly in the districts of Rohtak and Hissar and in Jind and Patiala States. Grass hoppers and other insects did some damage to crops on all canals, more especially on the newer ones. On the Lower Chenab canal and Lower Jhelum canal the activity of the boll worm made it necessary to grant fairly liberal remissions on account of the damage done to the cotton crops.

The rabi conditions were similar to the *kharif*. There was rain in September and October and a large area of rabi crops was sown. Much of the "barani" area was irrigated by the canals later on when the usual winter rains failed. The rivers were exceedingly low during the rabi and much difficulty was experienced in successfully adjusting the abnormally short supply to an exceptionally large demand.

In spite of unfavourable conditions and scanty rainfall the results were satisfactory. The area irrigated by works of all kinds was 8,884,811 acres of which 8,448,987 acres were matured. The corresponding figures for the triennium ending 1914-15 are 8,615,758 and 8,220,530 respectively, the increase being due mainly to the development of irrigation on the Upper Chenab canal and Lower Bari Doab canals.

The Colony canals, the Lower Chenab and Lower Jhelum, maintain their high reputation as productive investments They irrigated 2,284,079 and 834,176 acres and earned a gross revenue of 159 and 41 lakhs, respectively, the percentages of net revenue being 30·78 and 20·70 on the Capital outlay. These figures include indirect receipts in the shape of land revenue, malikana, interest on the sale value of land and revenue generally that would not have existed but for the construction of the Colony canals and the colonization and irrigation of the Crown waste lands. If these special receipts are excluded these canals take an ordinary place among those Punjab canals whose returns are not exaggerated by indirect receipts.

The Upper Bari Doab, the Sidhnai, and the Upper Sutlej canals have also done well as their net percentage returns of 15·29, 51·55 and 18·50 respectively clearly show.

The Triple canals (the Upper Jhelum, Upper Chenab and Lower Bari Doab) show a deficit. Development on these canals has been slower than was anticipated, owing to floods in the Jhelum river delaying the completion of the head-works of the Upper Jhelum canal at Mangla. That canal has now been opened and a steady expansion of irrigation on the Triple scheme may be expected within the next few years.

The Indus Inundation canals are disappointing. The return on these canals is little or nothing, the expenditure on maintenance being heavy.

The Sutlej Valley project and the Haveli project are being modified and revised. The Woolar Lake Barrage scheme is receiving further attention in connection with its financial details. New projects under investigation are the Bakra Dam scheme for the extension of irrigation in Hissar and Rohtak and the Sind Sagar Doab project which contemplates the irrigation of a large tract of country with Indus water

UNITED PROVINCES.

10. In the United Provinces the year was marked by deficient rainfall. The monsoons broke early in July but, for the greater part of that month and August, dry weather prevailed with occasional showers. At the end of August and early in September a cyclonic storm travelled up from the Bay and gave very heavy rain in the Cawnpore, Fatehpur and part of the Etawah districts. In the districts of Bundelkhand however the monsoons were well sustained throughout the season. There were no winter rains except light scattered showers in February.

Supplies were generally sufficient for the productive canals during the kharif except for the Ganges canal at the end of August when the demand was intense.

During the rabi, supplies were sufficient to meet the strong demand till December, but after that date the supplies fell and the demand could not be fully met.

There was little or no demand for irrigation from the protective canals whether in the kharif or rabi seasons.

The total area irrigated, 3,243,985 acres, was 23,256 acres less than that irrigated in the previous year, but 105,504 acres more than the average area of 3,138,482 acres for the three years ending 1914-15.

The total assessment of the year was 127¾ lakhs of rupees or Rs. 3 lakhs more than in 1914-15.

MADRAS.

11. In Madras the rainfall of both monsoons was above the average and the net cropped area in the Presidency during the year under review was 39 million acres, the same as in the previous year. The character of the season was favourable and the area irrigated under all classes of works, was 7,378,814 acres, exceeding the previous year's figures by about 200,000 acres.

SIND.

12. In Sind the rainfall is usually negligible and the cultivation depends almost entirely on canal irrigation. The canals depend for their supply on the inundation of the river Indus. The inundation of 1915 was, on the whole, an exceptionally low one. A peculiar feature was the unusually high river level at the commencement of the season and the subsequent failure to realize this promise of a good inundation. It is considered that the river has not reached its fair irrigating level until the reading on the gauge at Bukkur is 13 feet and that on the Kotri gauge is 17 feet. During the year under review, the 13 feet level on the Bukkur gauge was never reached and indeed readings of 12 feet and over were recorded for 5 days only. The Kotri gauge readings are now consistently higher than they used to be and the 'fair irrigating level' of 17 feet was recorded for 65 days as against 100 days in 1914 and 66 in 1913. A scanty amount of rain fell which gave no help and the only way to ward off disaster was to resort to a very rigid system of rotation. This was done with great success and consequently in spite of the low river level and the insufficient supplies in some of the canals the year was not by any means a bad one.

The area irrigated and gross revenue during the year show a decrease of 400,000 acres and an increase of Rs. 67,000 compared with the figures for the previous year. The area irrigated at present is about a quarter of the culturable area of the province. It will, however, be possible to bring a much larger area under irrigation if the river water be headed up to the required level by the construction of a barrage across the Indus. A project for such a barrage just below Sukkur, with two large canals, one on the right and one on the left bank of the Indus, is under preparation.

BOMBAY.

13. In the Presidency proper (Deccan and Gujrat) cultivation is mainly dependent upon rainfall and the tanks and canals, therefore, are useful for the purpose of growing the more valuable crops or to counteract the evil effects of a deficient rainfall. The irrigation schemes in this part of the country involve the construction of storage reservoirs and are costly compared with those of Sind.

In Gujrat the rainfall during the year was much below the average. The Hathmati river gave a very poor supply and the northern part of Gujrat suffered severely, and although the best use was made of the available supply in the Hathmati and Khari systems the area irrigated was about 1-10th only of the previous ten years' average. In the Kaira and Panch Mahals districts too the supply was poor, but some of the tanks proved useful. In the Deccan Irrigation division the rainfall was, on the whole, more favourable, and consequently there was less demand for water. Hence, the irrigation on the works in operation was less than the average, especially on the largest work, the Nira Left Bank canal. The Godavari canals are now practically completed and the area of irrigation should increase rapidly.

Works in progress.—Two large protective works are under construction in the Deccan. These are the Pravara River Works project and the Nira Right Bank Canal project. The storage for the former is at Bhandardara and is termed "Lake Arthur Hill". The dam is about 100 feet high now and will eventually be 270 feet high. Good progress was made with the Nira Right Bank Canal project. The foundations for the new dam at Bhatghar have been taken out over most of the length, and more than one million cubic feet of masonry has been laid. This project, when completed, will be the largest protective Irrigation work in this Presidency.

BENGAL.

14. The canal systems in Bengal, the most important of which are the Midnapur canal, the Hijili Tidal canal, the Circular and Eastern and the Madaripur Bhil systems are used principally for navigation purposes. The Midnapur canal is also utilised for irrigation.

The total area irrigated by the last named was 83,649 acres, showing an increase compared with the preceding year. The increase was chiefly under long leases of the kharif irrigation. The financial results of this work do not fulfil productive conditions, the revenues being just sufficient to meet the working expenses. The estimated value of crops raised on the area irrigated by it amounted to Rs. 51 lakhs.

BIHAR AND ORISSA.

15. In Bihar and Orissa the Sone and Orissa canals of the productive class are used both for irrigation and navigation. The area irrigated during the year under review was 815,947 acres showing a decrease of 92,469 acres as compared with the preceding year. The decrease was chiefly on the Sone canals, and was due to a much smaller *rabi* area having been irrigated owing to seasonable and well-distributed rainfall during the year under report. The financial results of these works do not fulfil productive conditions, but the estimated value of crops raised on the area irrigated by them amounted to over 4 crores of rupees, or two-thirds of the total capital expended on these works. Of the whole length (61 miles) of the Tribeni canal 59 miles were in operation during the year under review, the remaining portion being opened shortly after the close of the year. The prospects of the demand for canal water are favourable The area irrigated during the year under report was 54,090 acres against the preceding triennial average of 48,066 acres. This is almost the area anticipated in the project forecast. But compared with the previous year, there was a falling off of 22,048 acres in the area irrigated by the canal. This decrease was partly due to plentiful rainfall in the middle and latter portions of the *kharif* season and partly to irrigation operations having been stopped on account of the serious damage caused to the canal by heavy floods.

The construction estimate of the canal was closed on 31st March 1914. The works not finished or begun on the 1st April 1914 are being carried out on a schedule, sanctioned by the Government of India, of incomplete works to be finished by the 31st March 1920.

BURMA.

16. In Burma the season was a good one, the rainfall being generally up to the normal and well distributed, except in the Meiktila district where the early and late rains were untimely and the middle rains failed altogether with the result that little irrigation was done there. Some slight damage was done by flood in the Mandalay district and also in the Minbu district.

The area irrigated by the major canals was 269,169 acres, an increase of over 2,000 acres on the area of 1914-1915. The estimated value of the crops grown on land irrigated by major works amounted to 83·8 lakhs as against 71·6 lakhs in the previous year.

CENTRAL PROVINCES.

17. In the Central Provinces, the monsoon, throughout the province, gave ample and exceptionally well distributed rain The total area irrigated was 52 294 acres including 6,731 acres irrigated free of charge from the Mahanadi canal as compared with 44,405 acres in the preceding year. The gross revenue realized during the year was Rs. 1,48,834 as against Rs. 1,63,926 during the previous year.

NORTH-WEST FRONTIER PROVINCE.

18. The rainfall in the North-West Frontier Province was less than that of the previous year and was about 69 per cent of the normal. During *kharif* the rainfall was fairly good and fairly well distributed except in Peshawar. There was practically no rain in November 1915 but during December 1915 and January and February 1916 the rainfall was generally sufficient.

The total area irrigated during the year under review was 307,145 acres against 237,822 acres in the preceding year. The increase was due to the development of irrigation on the Upper Swat River canal.

Summary of irrigation results.

19. The following table summarises the results of irrigation works for all India during 1915-16 in comparison with those of the two previous years :—

Results of irrigation works in operation in India.

Class of work.	Capital outlay to end of the year on works in operation.	Gross revenue during the year.	Net revenue during the year.	Percentage of net revenue on capital outlay to end of year	Net profit during the year *i.e.*, net revenue less interest charges.	Area irrigated.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per cent.	Rs.	Acres.
I.—Productive ...	55,69,45,166	6,66,27,995	4,53,42,324	8·14	2,69,30,150	16,639,600
II.—Protective ...	6,84,62,305	17,87,340	4,50,175	0·66	—17,94,140	444,400
III.—Minor works for which capital and revenue accounts are kept (including works under construction).	6,49,42,877	54,35,485	29,42,609	4·53	14,63,555	2,072,000
IV.—Minor works for which only revenue accounts are kept.	...	68,55,227	35,79,707	...	...	2,514,400
V.—Works for which neither capital nor revenue accounts are kept.	...	1,61,68,[illegible]68	1,12,95,067	...	...	3,474,[illegible]00
Total 1915-16 ...	69,03,50,348	9,68,74,815	6,36,09,882	(*a*) 7·06	2,65,99,565	25,144,600
Total 1914-15 ...	64,00,46,560	10,02,80,767	6,26,34,340	(*a*) 7·64	2,84,72,727	25,578,700
Total 1913-14 ...	61,21,21,482	9,46,71,850	6,33,70,373	(*a*) 8·22	...	24,913,400

(*a*) Percentage calculated on works of classes I, II and III.

The figures in the last column of the foregoing statement include irrigation performed by certain old irrigation works in Bombay and Madras of which the capital cost is not known. The acreage under irrigation and the revenue derived from these works are shown below.

		Area irrigated by old works.	Gross Revenue.	Net Revenue.
		Acres.	Rs.	Rs.
Bombay ...	Productive	145,380	3,05,506	2,09,987
	Minor	294,742	5,82,676	3,80,944
Madras ...	Productive	1,348,436	45,50,434	40,32,866
	Protective	58,100	67,000	67,000
	Minor	218,898	6,36,619	6,01,907
	Total ...	2,065,556	61,42,235	52,92,704

The total area irrigated was 25 million acres, while the value of the crops raised is roughly estimated at Rs. 82 crores.

Outlay in 1915-16.

20. The sub-joined table exhibits the outlay incurred by the State during the year 1915-16 on all classes of irrigation works:—

	Capital outlay (direct charges)	Minor additions, maintenance, and working expenses (direct charges).
	Rs.	Rs.
Works under construction.		
Productive ...	27,33,667	...
Protective ...	56,50,550	...
Minor ...	7,78,818	...
Total ...	91,63,035	...
Works in operation.		
Productive ...	96,61,803	2,01,25,993*
Protective ...	17,77,096	12,87,052*
Minor ...	5,30,552	24,30,106
Total	1,19,69,451	2,38,43,151
Works under classes IV and V ...	...	81,02,638
Grand Total ...	2,11,32,486	3,19,45,789

* Inclusive of share of collection charges in the Civil Departments in Madras, Bombay and Burma.

Comparison of total cropped area with area irrigated.

21. A comparison of the acreage of crops matured by means of the Government irrigation systems, with the total area under cultivation in the several provinces, is given below:—

Province.	Net area cropped.	Area irrigated by Government irrigation works	Percentage of irrigated area to total cropped area	Capital cost of Government irrigation work end of 1915-16 in lakhs of rupees.	Estimated value of crops raised on areas receiving State irrigation, in lakhs of rupees.
	Acres.	Acres.	Per cent.		
Burma	14,089,000	1,271,000	9·0	212	411
Bengal	24,454,000	109,000	0·4	239	81
Bihar and Orissa	8,230,000	878,000	10·6	627	404
United Provinces of Agra and Oudh ...	35,033,000	3,244,000	9·1	1,237	1,601
Ajmer-Merwara	291,000	19,000	6·5	35	5
Punjab	19,380,000	8,219,000	42·4	2,175	2,751
North West Frontier	2,278,000	307,000	13·4	256	143
Sindh	3,400,000	3,378,000	99·3	324	800
Bombay Deccan	24,113,000	282,000	1·2	486	188
Central Provinces (excluding Berar) ...	17,083,000	52,000	0·3	171	20
Madras	39,175,000	7,379,000	18·8	1,102	1,868
Baluchistan	22,000	7,000	31·8	39	2
Total ...	188,148,000	25,145,000	13·3	6,903	8,274

Irrigation works completed since 1900-01.

22. The statement below contains a list of the irrigation systems in the several provinces in India which were completed in or since the year 1900-01.

Province.	Name and class of work.		Total direct cost to end of 1915-16.	Irrigable area.	Principal crops that can be produced.
Madras ...	Nagavalli River System	Productive ...	16,19,049	23,814	Rice.
	Divi Pumping " ...	Do. ...	18,78,872	50,000	Do.
Bombay Deccan.	Kadva River Works ...	Do. ...	9,71,741	14,037	Sugarcane, rice, ground-nut, gram, wheat, bajri, and jowari.
	Mhaswad Tank ...	Protective ...	20,05,553	24,800	
	Chankapur " ...	Do. ...	18,24,088	15,109	
	Godavari canal ...	Do. ...	93,55,562	79,440	Sugarcane, wheat, ground-nut, bajri, rice, gram and chillies.
	Pathri Tank ...	Minor ...	6,27,825	2,500	Ground-nut, jowari, wheat, cotton and maize.
	4 small tanks ...	Do. ...	8,67,033	9,200	Gram, rice and wheat.
	Jamada canal ...	Do. ...	9,91,178	5,000	Wheat, rice, maize, jowari, bajri, gram, tur, udid, mug, ground-nut, cotton and tobacco.
Sind ...	Jamrao canal ...	Productive ...	83,70,122	300,000	Cotton, bajri and wheat.
	Nasrat canal ...	Do. ...	18,20,144	104,100	Cotton jowari, bajri and oilseeds.
	Dad canal ...	Do. ..	25,61,185	145,400	Cotton, jowari, bajri and oilseeds.
	2 small canals ...	Minor ...	4,63,957	53,757	Rice and bajri.
Bihar and Orissa	Dhaka canal ...	Protective ...	5,70,173	12,000	Rice.
United Provinces.	Ken canal	Do. ...	57,76,004	152,200	Rice, wheat and gram.
	Dhassan canal ...	Do. ...	46,95,761	104,400	Wheat and gram.
	Pahuj and Garhmau canals.	Do. ...	8,06,755	18,500	Wheat, gram and rice.
	Ghori canal ...	Do. ...	3,90,293	6,500	Wheat, barley and gram.
	Sukhra canal ...	Minor ...	2,04,079	4,700	Rice, gram, linseed, wheat and barley.
Burma ...	Mandalay canal ...	Productive ...	56,62,039	50,115	Rice.
	Shwebo canal ..	Do ...	57,19,062	170,387	Do.
	Mon canals ...	Do. ...	54,72,477	68,000	Do.
Central Provinces.	Ramtek Reservoir ...	Protective ...	27,47,851	48,000	Rice wheat, sugarcane and oranges.
	14 small tank projects ..	Do. ...	35,99,045	69,506	Rice.
North-West Frontier Province.	Paharpur canal ...	Productive ...	9,05,444	63,450	Wheat and millets.
		Total ...	6,99,05,292	1,604,605	

Work sanctioned or under construction.

23. In the two succeeding statements particulars are given of the more important projects which are in course of construction or under investigation.

Sanctioned works.

Province.	Name and class of work.		Estimated cost, direct and indirect.	Expenditure to end of the year 1915-16 direct and indirect.	Irrigable area in acres.	Districts benefited.	Principal crops that will be produced.
			Rs.	Rs.			
Punjab	*Lower Jhelum canal ...	Productive	1,89,63,088	1,59,65,762	668,921	Gujrat, Jhang and Shahpur.	Wheat, cotton and oil-seeds.
	*Upper Chenab canal ...	Do.	3,73,57,024	3,45,01,593	539,936	Sialkot, Gujranwala, Lahore and Lyallpur.	Wheat, maize, millets, cotton and oil-seeds.
	*Upper Jhelum canal ...	Do.	4,42,95,559	4,23,61,119	327,928	Gujrat	Wheat, cotton and oil-seeds.
	*Lower Bari Doab canal	Do.	2,23,28,402	2,10,81,992	751,055	Lahore, Montgomery and Multan.	Wheat, maize, cotton and grain.
N.-W. F. Province.	*Upper Swat River canal	Do.	1,09,24,287	1,92,26,590	381,562	Peshawar ...	Wheat, barley and oats
		Carried over ...	14,28,70,260	13,31,37,056	2,669,402		

*In operation.

Province.	Name and class of work.		Estimated cost, direct and indirect.	Expenditure to end of the year 1915-16, direct and indirect	Irrigable area in acres	Districts benefited.	Principal crops, that will be produced.
			Rs.	Rs.			
		Brought over	14,28,70,260	13,31,37,056	2,6[illegible]9,102		
United Provinces.	Permanent Head Works, Upper Ganges canal.	Productive	33,78,321	27,17,123	86,166	Saharanpur Muzaffarnagar, Meerut, Bulandshahr, Aligarh, Muttra, Agra, Etah and Mainpuri	Sugarcane, wheat and cotton.
	Ghaggar canal	Protective	35,04,454	26,76,839	66,000	Central uplands of Mirzapur	Rice and wheat.
Central Provinces.	*Weinganga canal ...	Productive	38,03,204	31,80,471	78,965	Balaghat and Bhandara	Rice.
	*Mahanadi " ...	Do. ...	99,30,217	54,07,092	360,000	Raipur ...	Do
	Tandula "	Protective	99,9[illegible] 7	61,09,748	263,412	Drug ...	Do.
	Ghorajheri tank .	Do. ...	12,37,507	8,54,213	15,000	Chanda ..	Do
	Chorkhamara tank project.	Do.	8 [illegible]5,481	3,82,511	20,000	Bhandara ...	Do.
	Bodalkhassa tank project	Do	6,57,265	2,81,745	18,176	Bhandara	Do.
	Naleshwar tank project	Do ..	6,32,542	4,40,151	12,000	Chanda	Do.
	*Asola Mendha tank ..	Productive .	17,07,578	16,77,1[illegible]2	60,000	Chanda ...	Rice and wheat.
Madras.	Mopad reservoir	Protective	21,16,011	14,[illegible]29	12,500	Nellore	Rice
	Toludur project ..	Productive	21,3[illegible],200	7,57,357	25,000	South Arcot ...	Do.
Bombay Deccan	Nira Right Bank canal	Protective	2,57,72,490	94,90,[illegible]54	281,000	Phaltan, Poona, Satara, Sholapur.	Sugarcane, groundnut, bajri, wheat, rice, gram and chillies.
	*Pravara River canals ..	Do .	76,10,8[illegible]6	[illegible]0,19,491	65,085	Ahmednagar ...	
	Budhihal tank	Do	14,54,611	5[illegible]	5,[illegible]18	Sholapur	Jowari and wheat.
	Gokak canal extension ..	Do	1,07,17,147		132,000	Belgaum, Bijapur and the Native States of Kurundwad, Mudhol, Sangli, and Kurundwad.	Sugarcane, wheat, bajri, and oil seeds.
Sind ..	* Mahiwah ...	Productive	15,17,350	14,3[illegible],16[illegible]	145,145	Sukkur . ..	Rice, jowari, wheat, barley, bajri, cotton and oil-seeds.
Bihar and Orissa.	* Tribeni canal	Protective	70,[illegible]0,172	74,61,527	76,158	Champaran ...	Rice.
Burma	Yeu canal .	Productive	50,54,757	31,7[illegible],45[illegible]	10[illegible],294	Shwebo ..	Do.
	Twante canal ...	Do.	68,00,[illegible]73	†36,2[illegible],[illegible]62	.	Hanthawaddy	A navigation work.
		Total	25,88,12,162	10,0[illegible],5[illegible]003	4,502,504		

* In operation.

† This represents outlay on the Canal improvement scheme exclusive of expenditure on the Dredging plant which to end of 1915-16 cost Rs. 32,43,5[illegible]7.

Projects under investigation.

Province.	Name and probable classification of work.		Estimated or approximate direct cost in lakhs of rupees.	Irrigable area in acres.	Districts benefited.	Principal crops that will be produced.
Madras ...	Cauvery reservoir project	Productive	409	363,000	Tanjore .. .	Rice.
	Kistna reservoir project...	Ditto, .	800	735,000	Kistna and Guntur ...	
	Velgode project ...	Ditto ...	28	61,000	Kurnool	
	12 smaller schemes ...	Mainly protective.	344	355,000	Ganjam, Nellore, Kurnool, Coimbatore, Anantapur and Salem	

Province	Name and probable classification of work.		Estimated or approximate direct cost in lakhs of rupees.	Irrigable area in acres.	Districts benefited.	Principal crops that will be produced.
Bombay	Mutha Right Bank canal extension	Productive ..	175	340,000	Poona	Sugarcane, ground-nut, bajri, jowari, wheat, rice, gram, etc
	Right Bank canal from the tail water of the Bombay Hydro-Electric scheme.	Minor	27	13,500	Thana and Kolaba .	Sugarcane, garden crops, rabi and hot weather crops.
Sind ..	Rohri canal, Sukkur Barrage and widening of Eastern Nara Supply channel	Productive .	702*	2,324,000*	The whole of the Left Bank Division comprising three Revenue districts, *viz.*, Nawabshah, Hyderabad and Thar and Parkar	Cotton, wheat and rice.
	Sutanwah, Begari canal	Do	16	177,700	Sukkur and Upper Sind Frontier	Rice, jowari, bajri, wheat and oil-seeds.
Bengal ..	Damodar canal	Do	40	1[illegible]0,000	Burdwan	Rice
Bihar and Orissa	Extension of the Tribeni canal	Protective .	16	50,000	Champaran	Do.
	Karamnasa project	Do.	7	30,000	Shahabad ...	Do.
	Kiul River scheme ..	Productive	55	13,000	Monghyr	Do.
United Provinces	Belan canal . ..	Protective	15	[illegible]0,000	Khairagarh Pargana, Allahabad district	Rice and wheat.
United Provinces and Punjab	Sarda-Ganges-Jumna feeders project	Productive	640	1,524 000	*In the United Provinces—* Rampur State, Pilibhit, Shahjahanpur, Hardoi, Bareilly, Moradabad, Bijnor, Saharanpur, Muzaffarnagar, Meerut, Bulandshahr, Aligarh, Muttra, Agra, Etah, Mainpuri, Farrukhabad, Etawah, Cawnpore, Fatehpur and Allahabad	All the principal *rabi* and *kharif* crops grown in the United Provinces
Alternative	.	..			*In the Punjab—* Gurgaon, Karnal, Delhi, Rohtak, Hissar, Patiala, and Jhind States	
United Provinces	Sarda-Kichha Feeder and Sarda canal for Oudh	Do	721	1 645,000	Pilibhit, Shahjahanpur, Kheri, Pardoi, Hardoi, Lucknow, Unao, Rae Bareilly, Sultanpur, Partabgarh, Sitapur, and Bara Banki	All the principal *rabi* and *kharif* crops grown in the United Provinces
Punjab ..	Sutlej Valley project .	Do	8 5	3,000 000	Lahore, Ferozepore, Montgomery, Multan, Bikaneer and Bahawalpur State	Wheat, gram, jowar and cotton
Burma ..	Remodelling the Kinda canal	Do	15	85,000	Kyaukse	Rice.
Central Provinces	Pangoli Nalla tank project now called Bagh tank.	Protective ..	5[illegible]	75,000	Bhandara	Do
	Deona Nadi tank project	Do	20	15 [illegible]0	Chanda .	Rice and sugarcane.
	Ukai and Gangulpara combined	Do	13	15 [illegible]00	Balaghat ...	Rice
	Hasdeo river scheme	Do	2[illegible]8	45 000	Bilaspur . .	Rice and sugarcane.
	Bina river scheme	Do	3	250,[illegible]00	Saugor	Wheat, rice and sugarcane
	Pathrunda tank project	Do.	10	30,000	Jubbulpore	Rice and wheat.
	Kalimati, now called Chandi tank	Do	1[illegible]	12,70[illegible]	Balaghat ..	Rice
	Lower Wainganga canal project.	Do.	46	73 000	Bhandara and Chanda ..	Rice.
	Kanhan canal scheme	Do.	14	375,000	Nagpur, Bhandara and Chanda	Rice, wheat and sugarcane
	Pench river scheme ..	Do.	[illegible]	.	.	Proposed to feed Kanhan canal and Ramtek reservoir.
	Kharung tank project ..	Do.	24	80,000	Bilaspur	Rice.
Baluchistan	Anambar reservoir project	Productive ..	32	80,000	Loralai	Wheat and barley.
	Toiwal reservoir project	Do	18	44,000	Ditto	Wheat, barley and jowari
	Gambeli reservoir project	Do.	60	218,000	Sibi . ..	Wheat and barley
	Zhob project ..	Do.	63	200,564	Zhob	Wheat, barley and jowari
		Total ...	5,084 to 5,159	11,704,864 to 11,325,864		

* An estimate including a Right Bank canal also is under preparation. It is expected to cost about 400 lakhs of rupees and the culturable area will be about 1 500 000 acres

24. In the following statement is shown the capital outlay incurred on irrigation works during the decade 1906-07—1915-16—

Capital Outlay in decade ending 1915-16.

Province or Administration.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bombay ...	7,05,986	15,23,694	[illegible],16,[illegible]04	27,72,153	24,79,153	27,00,526	28,37,327	44,05,285	49,83,135	41,13,656	2,85,37,950
Madras ...	24,69,512	15,43,707	13,3[illegible],[illegible]43	11,50,066	9,34,252	5,82,289	7,59,503	9,47,103	14,11,503	14,29,719	1,25,81,819
Bengal ...	11,61,814	12,43,095	11,97,[illegible]81	17,94,404	12,60,685	10,14,717	1,00,960	2,07,238	7,10,613	3,20,770	89,42,867
Bihar and Orissa*	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,13,504	6,20,301	2,42,052	66,077	16,41,934
Punjab ...	72,88,678	86,64,531	1,09,57,071	1,10,56,057	1,[illegible]6,63,791	1,60,41,967	1,28,26,643	99,17,267	75,55,469	46,64,241	10,09,39,605
United Provinces	36,43,342	33,12,516	2[illegible],[illegible]5,562	10,[illegible]4,273	21,21,137	20,61,315	22,17,210	28,78,986	26,30,626	26,61,032	2,59,85,909
Burma ...	12,76,074	11,75,858	16,18,044	1[illegible],[illegible]4,750	12,1[illegible],575	20,01,044	26,54,375	19,35,321	17,60,954	14,28,407	1,62,91,132
Baluchistan	20,019	28,991	2,34,162	2,14,974	3,26,315	2,14,021	2,93,950	3,20,108	1,95,863	1,74,365	20,63,208
Rajputana ...	80,735	69,038	7,260	[illegible]031	2[illegible],119	841	7,009	—7,103	5,343	178	1,85,819
North-West Frontier Province	4,73,378	6,70,233	13,13,030	16,91,195	[illegible]1,[illegible]4,606	30,38,842	30,58,256	34,63,326	26,35,097	13,96,430	1,98,26,346
Central Provinces	7,55,693	10,15,197	14,31,917	14,18,12[illegible]	10,06,324	18,62,690	26,82,287	44,54,263	51,15,374	48,77,611	2,46,25,358
Total	1,78,75,734	1,91,60,823	2,1[illegible]1[illegible],[illegible]93	2,13,2[illegible],595	[illegible]1[illegible],[illegible]8,596	2,05,61,952	2,91,42,014	2,91,42,035	2,72,35,879	2,11,32,486	24,16,22,097

* Figures for Bihar and Orissa included under Bengal up to the year 1911-12.

ORDER.—Ordered that this Review with a copy of the Financial Results of Irrigation operations, be distributed as shown on the margin.

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The Honourable the Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces and Assam.
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The Revenue and Agriculture Department.

Ordered, also, that the Review be published in the *Supplement to the Gazette of India.*

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F. C. ROSE,

Secretary to the Government of India.

NOTE.

The rate of interest, 3·4725 per cent, charged on the capital outlay and shown in statements I, II and III, represents the percentage of the total interest actually paid by Government during the year on the mean of the total interest bearing debt at the beginning and at the end of the year (excluding the figures relating to specific Railway debt and advances to Railway companies, *vide* Government of India, Finance Department, Despatch No. 262, dated the 18th July 1907).

2. The direct charges referred to in the statements are made up of outlay on (1) works, (2) establishment, (3) tools and plant, (4) suspense, and less (5) receipts on capital account.

3. The indirect charges represent the charge for :—

(*a*) Capitalized abatement of land revenue calculated at twenty-five times the annual amount of land revenue remitted.

(*b*) Leave and pension allowances calculated at the rate of 14 per cent. on the gross charges for establishment (*vide* Public Works Department Code, Volume II, paragraphs 1724 to 172[illegible]).

4. The phrase "sum-at-charge" mentioned in column 10 of the statements means capital outlay (direct and indirect) *plus* all arrears of simple interest, if any, *i. e.*, balance of total interest over total net revenue.

5. In column 20 of the statements the percentage of working expenses to receipts represents the proportion which the working expenses of the year bear to the actual revenue collected during the year. The latter may, however, include receipts in respect of previous years or may exclude revenue due in respect of, but not collected during, the financial year to which the return relates. A more correct method of striking a ratio between working expenses and revenue is that adopted in statistical statement II-E, appended to the provincial administration reports where the revenue is taken at the amount assessed as due for the financial year concerned.

Financial results of Productive Irrigation Works in India for, and up to the end of, 1915-16.

General Financial results to end of 1915-16

Name of works.	Mileage in operation. Main canals and branches.	Mileage in operation. Distributaries.	Estimated cost of construction (direct and indirect).	Date of completion of work (P. W. Code II, 1918).	Date when system first came into operation.	Total Capital outlay (direct and indirect).	Accumulated arrears of interest.	Accumulated surplus revenues.	Total sum-at-charge (column 7 + column 8).
2	3	4	5	6	6	7	8	9	10
IRRIGATION.	Miles.	Miles.	Rs.	Date.	Date.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
MADRAS.									
Nagavalli River system	24	68	16,24,942	..	1909-10	16,58,219	2,97,136		19,55,355
Godavari Delta system	502	2,008	1,51,85,728	1846-47	1877-78	1,48,27,066		7,62,17,571	1,48,27,066
Kistna Delta system ...	349	2,184	1,63,12,023	1855-56	1876-77	1,62,64,482		5,35,12,380	1,62,64,482
Divi Pumping system ...	50	116	20,65,656		1907-08	19,06,629	3,08,087		22,14,716
Penner River Canals system	31	477	67,04,993	1860-61	1860-61	67,01,911		37,64,127	67,01,911
Kurnool Cuddapah Canal	406	286	2,30,97,791	1882-83	1882-83	2,28,11,790	2,70,17,162		4,98,28,952
Barur tank	11	26	4,43,113	1887-88	1887-88	4,43,113	3,09,786	.	7,52,899
Poiney anicut system	104	78	2,44,258	1855-56	*	2,44,258		8,93,146	2,44,258
Cheyyar anicut system ..	61	120	4,36,450	1852-53	*	4,37,688		1,63,614	4,37,688
Tirukkoyilur anicut system	127	98	3,77,249	1861-62	*	3,75,948		2,56,570	3,75,948
Shatiatope anicut system	41	149	10,47,070	1847-48	*	9,72,516	..	3,54,756	9,72,516
Lower Coleroon anicut system.	166	620	19,41,062	1848-49	*	19,40,672		1,12,48,626	19,40,672
Koladur Project ...		...	21,33,200		*	7,57,357	22,946	.	7,80,308
Cauvery Delta system ...	1,507	1,971	43,83,615	1836-37	*	42,68,577		3,55,89,713	42,68,577
Periyar system	103	105	1,06,63,917	1896-97	1896-97	1,06,47,102	15,37,383		1,21,84,785
Srivaikuntam anicut system	38	46	17,76,236	1870-71	*	16,90,347		8,09,899	16,90,347
Total Madras ..	48308	8,273	8,86,16,402			8,59,48,275	2,94,92,500	18,56,00,399	11,54,40,775
							+15,61,07,899		
Carried over ...	340	8,273	8,86,16,402			8,59,48,275	2,94,92,500	18,56,00,399	11,54,40,775

Financial results of the year 1915-16.

Name of works.	Gross receipts (direct and indirect).	Working expenses (direct and indirect).	Net revenue.	Percentage on Capital outlay, column 7.	Percentage on sum-at-charge, column 10.	Interest at 3·4735 per cent. on direct Capital outlay to end of previous year, plus half the outlay of the year.	Net profit.	Net loss.	Area irrigated.	Percentage of working expenses to receipts (column 11 to column 12).
2	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	15	19	20
IRRIGATION.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Acres.	Per cent.
MADRAS.										
Nagavalli River system	56,527	21,374	35,153	2·12	1·79	56,011	...	20,858	17,422	37·81
Godavari Delta system	42,47,362	9,62,800	32,84,562	22·15	22·15	4,44,346	28,40,216	.	655,158	22·67
Kistna Delta system ...	36,34,411	9,07,698	27,26,713	16·76	16·76	5,26,942	21,99,771	...	652,379	24·98
Divi Pumping system ...	1,17,582	48,054	69,528	3·64	3·14	64,993	4,535		16,727	40·87
Penner River Canals system	6,00,080	1,03,050	4,97,030	7·43	7·42	1,97,398	2,99,632	.	79,955	17·17
Kurnool Cuddapah Canal	2,41,730	1,38,725	1,03,005	0·45	0·21	7,88,845		6,85,840	59,212	57·39
Barur tank	19,651	8,876	10,775	2·43	1·43	14,563		3,788	5,445	45·17
Poiney anicut system	92,328	17,562	74,766	30·61	30·61	8,255	66,511		15,346	19·02
Cheyyar anicut system ..	85,443	24,278	61,165	13·96	13·96	14,562	46,603		20,151	28·41
Tirukkoyilur anicut system	51,886	17,877	34,009	9·05	9·05	12,734	21,275	..	14,232	34·45
Shatiatope anicut system	1,11,450	33,072	78,378	8·06	8·06	31,794	46,584		27,999	29·67
Lower Coleroon anicut system.	3,03,395	76,526	2,26,869	11·69	11·69	64,569	1,62,300	.	68,197	25·22
Koladur Project ...	...			...		16,188	..	16,188	...	..
Cauvery Delta system ...	10,07,104	1,94,184	8,12,920	19·04	19·04	1,40,574	6,72,346	...	169,970	19·28
Periyar system	6,23,797	1,62,311	4,60,486	4·32	3·78	3,56,510	1,03,976	.	94,376	26·06
Srivaikuntam anicut system	1,56,914	1,25,872	33,042	1·95	1·95	54,759	.	21,717	25,629	79·21
Total Madras ..	1,13,50,660	28,42,259	85,08,401	9·9	7·37	27,93,041	64,63,751	7,48,391	2,151,403	25·04
							+57,15,360			
Carried over ...	1,13,50,660	28,42,259	85,08,401			27,93,041	64,63,751	7,48,391	2,151,403	.

N.B.—Only works for which Capital and Revenue accounts are kept should be included in this return.

*Entries not made as information not available.

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PRODUCTIVE PUBLIC WORKS.

Financial results of Productive Irrigation Works in India for, and up to the end of, 1915-16.

Name of works	General Financial results to end of 1915-16. Mileage in operation. Main canals and branches.	Distributaries.	Estimated cost of construction (direct and indirect).	Date of completion of work (P. W. Cod, II, 1918).	Date when system first came into operation.	Total Capital outlay (direct and indirect).	Accumulated arrears of interest.	Accumulated surplus revenues.	Total sum-at-charge (column 7 + column 8).	Financial results of the year 1915-16. Gross receipts (direct and indirect).	Working expenses (direct and indirect).	Net revenue.	Percentage on Capital outlay, column 7.	Percentage on sum-at-charge, column 10.	Interest at 3·4725 per cent. on direct Capital outlay to end of previous year, plus half the outlay of the year.	Net profit.	Net loss.	Area irrigated.	Percentage of working expenses to receipts (column 12 to column 11).
2	3	4	5	6a	6b	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	Miles.	Miles.	Rs.	Date.	Date.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Acres.	Per cent.
Brought forward ...	8,840	8,273	8,86,16,402	...	...	8,59,48,275	2,94,92,500	18,56,00,899	11,54,40,775	1,13,50,660	28,42,259	85,08,401	...	...	27,93,041	64,63,751	7,48,391	2,151,403	...
IRRIGATION—*contd.*																			
BOMBAY (SIND).																			
Desert Canal ...	267	69	27,39,556	1891-92	1872-73	27,20,556	...	29,81,299	27,20,556	3,95,022	1,12,044	2,82,978	10·40	10·40	91,705	1,91,273	...	188,427	[illegible]
Unharwah ...	116	5	7,88,820	1890-91	1885-86	7,88,830	...	19,49,176	7,88,830	1,78,322	51,037	1,27,185	16·12	16·12	26,670	1,00,515	...	76,463	[illegible]
Begari Canal ...	191	54	25,34,587	1890-91	1855-56	24,50,687	...	72,85,978	24,50,687	5,93,257	1,76,871	4,16,386	16·99	16·99	82,363	3,34,023	...	285,458	[illegible]
Mahiwah ...	293	...	15,17,356	Not completed.	1901-02	14,37,167	3,60,763	...	17,97,930	27,956	54,446	—26,490	...	...	47,864	...	74,354	51,529	[illegible]
Eastern Nara Works ...	597	...	70,12,310	1897-98	1854-55	70,00,535	...	39,38,735	70,00,535	6,91,223	2,48,139	4,43,084	6·33	6·33	2,33,191	2,09,893	...	254,709	[illegible]
Jamrao Canal ...	180	437	89,67,266	1901-02	1900-01	86,21,355	...	7,14,976	86,21,355	10,17,429	3,71,374	6,46,055	7·49	7·49	2,87,799	3,58,256	...	270,637	[illegible]
Dad Canal ...	279	101	29,89,919	1906-07	1901-02	26,54,347	6,30,611	...	32,84,958	1,50,684	85,577	65,107	2·45	1·98	88,694	...	23,587	87,590	[illegible]
Naulakh Canal ...	215	60	20,91,618	1906-07	1903-04	18,77,779	25,309	...	19,03,088	1,76,337	1,22,714	53,623	2·86	2·82	63,259	...	9,636	81,997	[illegible]
Nasirkhi Canal ...	...	...	...	...	...	5,145	2,269	...	7,414	...	...	...	...	...	178	...	178	...	...
Sukkur Barrage Works ...	...	...	...	...	...	—284	—25	...	—309	...	...	...	...	...	—10	...	—10	...	...
Total Sind ...	2,071	755	2,86,22,442	...	...	2,75,56,117	10,18,927	1,59,70,164	2,85,75,044	32,30,130	12,22,202	20,07,928	7·29	7·03	9,31,718	11,93,960	1,07,745	1,277,488	[illegible]
							+1,49,51,237									+10,86,215			

BOMBAY DECCAN AND GUJARAT																			
Hathmati Canal including Khari Cut Canal	60	17	13,15,973	1883-84	1873-74	13 15 973	7 99 690		21 1[illegible]	24 425	44,356	—19,931		...	43 693		63 024	(a) 1,506	131·60
Lower Panjhra River Works.		45	4,68,621	1894-95	1851-52	4,68,621	4 77 732	.	9,46,353	16,003	6,445	10,158	2 17	1·07	15,466		5,308	4,968	30·32
Kadwa River Works	24	14	10 34,191	1907-08	1868-69	10 34,191	9,94 691		20 28,882	24 114	15 262	8,862	0 86	0 44	33,744		24,883	3,106	66 81
Pravara River Works—Lakh Canal.	23	9	3,71,891	1893-94	1869-70	3,71,891	5,96,913	...	12,68,814	2,353	2,851	—498		..	12,238	...	12,736	890	13·76
Mutha Canal including Matoba Tank.	88	87	78,88 643	1896 97	1874-75	78 85,163	39,01 035	.	1,17 86,258	3,66 724	1,53,942	2,12,782	2 70	1 51	2,60,526		47,744	11,524	41·92
Ekruk Tank	48	2	13 40,386	1890-91	1872-73	13 40.386	16 37 453		29 77 839	81,952	13,917	68,035	5 08	2 28	42 646	25 399	...	2,366	13·09
Krishna Canal	64		9,46 769	1891 92	1869-70	9 42,476	6,48,_		15,90,841	79 295	13,959	65,336	6 93	4 11	91,916	31,420	..	3,424	18·09
Total Deccan and Gujarat	307	214	1,33 61 474		.	1,33 58 701	93,55 944	.	2 27 14 645	5 95 496	2 50 732	3 44,764	2 58	1 52	4 38 629	59,809	1,53,674	27,169	42 10
																—93,865			
Total Bombay ...	2 378	969	4 19,83 916			4 09,14 818	1 03 74 871	1 59 70 164	5 12 89,689	38,25 626	14 72,934	23,52 692	5 75	4 59	13 60,342	12,53,769	2,61,419	1 304,657	38·50
							+55,95	293								+9,92,350			
BENGAL																			
Midnapur Canal	70	255	84,94,297	Mar 1889		84,94,997	1,31,66 248		2 16 60 545	2 29 092	1,46 019	83 073	0·98	0 38	2,88 534		2,05,461	83,849	63·74
Total Bengal	70	255	84 94 297			84 94,297	1 31 66,248		2 16 60,545	2 29 092	1 46 019	83 073	0 98	0 38	2 88,534		2,05,461	83,849	63·74
																2,05,461			
UNITED PROVINCES																			
Ganges Canal	567	3,264	2 85 63,860	1854	1855 56	3 80,62 727		4,55 08,407	3,80,62 727	50,12,550	12,86 017	37,26 533	9 79	9 79	12,34,369	24 92,324	..	1,269,933	25·66
Lower Ganges Canal	662	3,136	4 14 66 164	1878	1879 80	4 16 95 075		59 70,267	4,16,95 075	17 51,280	11 07 099	26 44,181	6 34	6 34	13,48,264	12,95,917	..	947,842	30·51
Agra Canal ..	100	903	1 94,24,539	1874	1874-75	1 92,96,852	..	62,110	1 22 96,872	8 38 288	3 30,035	5,08,253	4 13	4 13	3,96,934	1,11,329	...	306,406	30·37
Eastern Jumna Canal	129	797	51,96,019	1830	Prior to 1830-31	51,96 585		3,69,42 592	51 96,595	16,68,165	3,91 610	12,76 555	24 57	24 57	1,68,800	11,07,7_5		348,835	88·48
Dun Canal ..		88	13 62,107	1863-64	Prior to 1840-41	13,82 976		3,79 967	13,82,976	1,29,009	60,934	68,075	4 92	4 92	46,758	21,317	..	28,347	47·28
Bijnor Canal		78	3,33,148	1858-59	Prior to 1886 87	3 42,964		4,55,285	3 42 964	36,990	26,944	30 046	8 76	8 76	10,850	19,196		31,996	47·28
Gorai Canal		31	7,16 27_			6,34,710	24 940	...	6 59,650	..			...	..	16,230	.	16,230	2,792	...
Total United Provinces	1 458	8 297	10,00,66,472			9,96,11,889	24,940	8,93,18,668	9,96 36 829	1,14,56 282	32,02,639	82,53,643	8 29	8 28	32 22 135	50,47,738	16 230	2,922,251	27·96
							+8,92,93 728									+50,31,508			
Carried over	7,746	17,794	23,91,61,087			23,49,09,279	5,30,58,559	29,06,89,331	28 80,27,838	3 68 61,660	76,63,85_	1,91,97,809	.	...	76,64 052	1,27,65,258	12,31,501	6,461,960	...

(a) The area irrigated against this work for the year 1914-15 was 21,499 acres instead of 7,264 acres.
(b) Opened for traffic on 1st May 1863 and for navigation in 1865

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PRODUCTIVE PUBLIC WORKS.

Financial results of Productive Irrigation Works in India for, and up to the end of, 1915-16.

Name of works.	Mileage in operation. Main canals and branches.	Mileage in operation. Distributaries	Estimated cost of construction (direct and indirect)	Date of completion of work (P. W. Code II, 1918).	Date which system first came into operation.	Total Capital outlay (direct and indirect).	Accumulated arrears of interest	Accumulated surplus revenues.	Total sum-at-charge (column 7 + column 8).	Gross receipts (direct and indirect)	Working expenses (direct and indirect)	Net revenue	Percentage on Capital outlay, column 7	Percentage on sum-at-charge, column 10.	Interest at 3·4725 per cent. on direct Capital outlay to end of previous year, plus half the outlay of the year.	Net profit.	Net loss.	Area irrigated	Percentage of working expenses to receipts (column 11 to column 12).
	General Financial results to end of 1915-16									Financial results of the year 1915-16									
2	3	4	5	6a	6b	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	Miles.	Miles.	Rs.	Date	Date	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Per cent	Per cent	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Acres	Per cent.
Brought forward	7,746	17,794	23 91 61,0[illegible]	.		[illegible]3 49,69,270	5,[illegible]	29 08,[illegible]	28,[illegible]	2 6[illegible]	[illegible]	1 91,97 [illegible]			76 64,052	1,27,6[illegible],258	12,81 501	6,4[illegible]1,960	
IRRIGATION—*contd.*																			
PUNJAB																			
Western Jumna Canal including Sirsa Branch.	294	1,529	1,75 4[illegible] 068	W. J. Canal 1886; Sirsa Branch 188[illegible]	1820 / 1891-92	1,7[illegible]	.	1 ,24,492	1,[illegible]	20 0[illegible]	14 07 414	16 [illegible],937	9 04	9 04	5,85,986	10,14,951	...	825 083	46·75
Upper Bari Doab Canal	325	1 580	2,14,79 385	1878-79	1860 61	2 18,72 497		4 25,3[illegible] 999	[illegible] 72,4[illegible]	47,18,969	1 [illegible],565	33,16 404	15 29	15 29	7,27,855	26,[illegible]8,549		1,145,334	[illegible]
Sirhind Canal	318	1,569	2.56,06 [illegible]	1886 87	1883-84	2 [illegible],56,559		1,57,3[illegible],629	[illegible] 5 5[illegible],558	32,27,340	12,38 858	19,88,482	7 78	7 78	8,14,273	11,44,209	..	927,959	[illegible]
Lower Chenab Canal	427	2,287	3,18,11,647	1899 1900	.	3,17,96 780	...	11 40 60,690	3,17 96,780	1 [illegible]9 22 240	32 71 993	1,26,[illegible]0,247	39 78	39 78	10,76,007	1,15,74,240		2,284,079	[illegible]
Upper Sutlej Canal	326	395	17,97,414	Upper Sutlej 1858-59; Lower Sohag 1885-86	1855 / 1884	1[illegible],18,381	..	30,29,427	1[illegible],18,351	7,46,103	4,09,708	3,36,395	18 50	18·50	59,438	2,76,957	..	272 746	54·91
Sidhnai Canal	69	232	12,87,874	1886	1886	13,30,961	...	59,33,52[illegible]	13,30,961	8,32 779	1 46,592	6,86,187	51·55	51·55	44,838	6,41,319	..	270,150	17·61
Indus Canal	443	303	29 23,413	1849-50	Prior to 1849	29,73,306	7,40 866	..	37,14 17[illegible]	4,37,175	4,41,584	—4,409	..	...	97,913	..	1,02,322	235,641	101·[illegible]
Lower Jhelum Canal	181	1,011	1,89,63,988	Still in progress.	1901	1,59,65,762	...	1,[illegible]8,76,621	1,59 6[illegible]	41,21,783	8,17,859	33,03,924	20·70	20·70	5,40,661	27,63,263	..	834,176	19·[illegible]

Upper Chenab Canal ..	170	1,051	8,73,57,024	Still in progress	1914 13	3 45 01,593	6[illegible],04 331	.	4,13[illegible]	10,17 388	8,13,908	1,83,525	0 53	0 44	11,46,878		9 63,347	325,063	[illegible]
Upper Jhelum Canal ...	88		4 48 96,559	Do.	1915	4,2[illegible] 61,119	74,[illegible]5 099		4,9[illegible] 28 218	6 2[illegible]4	3,42,150	—3 35,916		...	14,11,009	...	17,46,925	.	5,4[illegible]
Lower Bari Doab Canal ..	134	1,044	2,33,38,402	Do	1913-14	2 10.81 992	31,81 409	.	2 42 63 4[illegible]	5 [illegible]3,1[illegible]7	6,30 98[illegible]	—97,488			7,08,171		7,99,650	247,172	11[illegible]
Total Punjab	2,774	11,041	22,58,98 676			21 69 51,484	1,81 91,705 +22 86	24 67 96,37 04 673	23,[illegible]1 43 89	[illegible]4[illegible] 89 804	1 09 21,516	2,36,58 288	10 90	10·06	72 37,028	2,00,33,518 +1,64,21,265	36,12,253	7,366,402	[illegible]
North-West Frontier Province																			
Lower Swat River Canal ..	22	187	4[illegible] 28,492	1[illegible]-85	[illegible]88[illegible]	13 [illegible]		4[illegible]	43 [illegible] 991	3 [illegible] 419	2 [illegible]	1 41,633	10 18	10 18	+1,45,505	2,96,187		165,499	[illegible]
Kabul Canal	50	17	11,49,767	1893 97	1892 9[illegible]	1,[illegible],069		[illegible]	11,3[illegible]	1 7[illegible]	1 54,1[illegible]	21,173	1·87	1 87	38,440	...	17,968	45,660	[illegible]
Upper Swat Canal ..	149	263	1,94,24,287	Not yet finally completed	19[illegible]4	1 9 [illegible], 90	[illegible]		2 [illegible] 14,29[illegible]	11 [illegible]6	[illegible]2 3[illegible]	—[illegible]			[illegible],28 1[illegible]	..	[illegible],49,466	78,506	2,108[illegible]
Paharpur Canal	42	15	9,20 749	1909-10	1907	9,[illegible],749	[illegible]		13 [illegible]	39 321	[illegible]1,478	—1,[illegible]			31 441		43 298	17,260	1[illegible]
Total North-West Frontier Province	272	482	2 62,2[illegible] 285			2 56 2[illegible] 402	[illegible]2 17 [illegible]4 +22 82	867	2 88 40,153	8 84 [illegible]66	6 34 6[illegible]8	3,29,727	0 90	0 80	8 43,572	2 96 187 —6,13,845	9 10,032	307,145	[illegible]
Carried over	10,792	29,317	4[illegible]07 31 958	.		4[illegible]7[illegible]5 4[illegible] 16	7,41,[illegible]8 [illegible]18	[illegible]4 31 9[illegible] 290	55 [illegible] 11,183	6,233 890	1 92,50,006	4 30,85,824	.	.	1,57,44,647	2,30,94,963	57,53 786	11,135,507	...

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STATEMENT No. I—*concld.*

PRODUCTIVE PUBLIC WORKS.

Financial results of Productive Irrigation Works in India for, and up to the end of, 1915-16.

Number of works.	Name of works.	General Financial results to end of 1915-16. Mileage in operation. Main canals and branches.	Distributaries.	Estimated cost of construction (direct and indirect).	Date of completion of work (P. W. Code II. 1918).	Date when system first came into operation.	Total Capital outlay (direct and indirect).	Accumulated arrears of interest.	Accumulated surplus revenues.	Total sum-at-charge (column 7 + column 8).	Financial results of the year 1915-16. Gross receipts (direct and indirect).	Working expenses (direct and indirect).	Net revenue.	Percentage on Capital outlay, column 7.	Percentage on sum-at-charge, column 10.	Interest at 3·4725 per cent. on direct Capital outlay to end of previous year, plus half the outlay of the year.	Net profit.	Net loss.	Area irrigated.	Percentage of working expenses to receipts (column 11 to column 12).
1	2	3	4	5	6a	6b	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		Miles.	Miles.	Rs.	Date.	Date.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Acres.	Per cent.
	Brought forward	10,792	29,317	40,07,91,918	...	...	47,75,43,165	7,44,68,018	54,31,86,239	53,20,11,183	6,23,35,930	1,92,50,096	4,30,85,834	...	...	1,57,44,647	3,20,94,063	57,53,786	14,135,507	
	IRRIGATION—*concld.*																			
	Burma.																			
[illegible]	Mandalay Canal ...	40	122	58,08,065	31st March 1905.	1902-03	57,94,618	6,60,810	...	64,55,428	3,54,698	1,49,636	2,05,062	3·54	3·18	1,95,395	9,667	...	60,451	[illegible]
[illegible]	Shwebo Canal ...	76	290	59,75,279	31st March 1911.	1906-07	58,71,780	...	14,76,273	58,71,780	8,15,058	2,85,970	5,29,088	9·01	9·01	1,98,827	3,30,261	...	163,443(a)	[illegible]
[illegible]	Mon Canal ...	54	114	56,88,516	31st May 1913.	1911-12	55,07,758	10,97,820	...	66,05,578	4,88,757	2,10,006	2,78,751	5·06	4·22	1,88,646	90,105	...	42,129	[illegible]
[illegible]	Yeu Canal ...	...	...	50,54,752	Under construction.		31,73,489	4,49,320	...	36,22,809	...	...	...	...	...	98,484	...	98,484	...	[illegible]
	Total Burma ...	170	526	2,25,26,612	...	...	2,03,47,645	22,07,950	14,76,273	2,25,55,595	16,58,513	6,45,612	10,12,901	4·98	4·49	6,81,352	4,30,033	98,484	266,016	...
								−7,31,677									+3,31,549			
	Bihar and Orissa.																			
[illegible]	Orissa Project ...	327	1,287	2,72,81,070	31st March 1895.	1865	2,70,58,414	4,30,41,629	...	7,01,00,043	5,69,265	5,11,079	58,186	0·21	0·08	9,15,396	...	8,60,810	276,264	[illegible]

Sone Project ...	[illegible]	[illegible]	2 68 77 390	31st March 1891	1875	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11 98 [illegible]	4 46	2·51	9,00,734	2,97,798		579,683	[illegible]
Total Bihar and Orissa ...	694	2,522	5 41,61 460			5 39 25 901	6 38,91 870	11[illegible]8 17 771	25 76 [illegible]	13 19 782	12 56,708	2 33	1·06	18,19,120	2 97,798	8,60,210	815,947	[illegible]
							−6 38,91 870								−5,62,412			
Central Provinces																		
Asola-Mendha Tank		68	17,37 7[illegible]	Work in progress	August 1911	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	9 [illegible]	−[illegible]			55,929		57,094	8,751	[illegible]
Weingunga Canal ..			38,[illegible]	Do		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		52	−52			92,451		92,503	..	[illegible]
Mahanadi Canal ..	40	8[illegible]	99 30,217		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		70	−70			1 53 620		1[illegible],690	6,731	[illegible]
Total Central Provinces ...	40	154	1 55,30 999			1 02 65 025	8 61 146	11[illegible] 26 171	8 174	9 461	−[illegible]			3 02 000		3 03 287	10,482	[illegible]
							−8 61 146								−3 03 287			
Total Productive Irrigation Works.	11696	32516	58,30,01 029			56 20 81,736	4[illegible] [illegible]	[illegible]	70 35 10 720	6,65 79 007	2 12 24 861	4,53 51 146		1,85,47,119	338,22,794	70,15,767	15,227,952	...
							40 32 33 519								+2 68 07,027			
NAVIGATION																		
Bengal																		
Tidal Canal ..	29		26 14 318	Sept. [illegible] 1879	Sept. [illegible] 18[illegible]3	[illegible]	3[illegible]	[illegible]	48 [illegible]	[illegible]	−[illegible]			[illegible]8 576		1,00,450	.	[illegible]
Total Bengal .	29		26,14,318			26,14,318	36,10 315	62,24,633	48 988	60,862	−1[illegible]			88,576		1,00,450	..	.
							−36 0,315								−1,00,450			
Burma																		
Twante Canal .			68 00 373	Under [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]						2,14,898	.	2 14,898	.	..
Total Burma ..	..		68 00,973	..		6 8 72 839	6 69 237	75 42 076						2,14,898		2 14,898	...	..
															−2,14,898			
Total Productive Navigation Works.	29		94 15 291			94 87 157	42 79 552	1 37 66 709	48 988	60 862	−11,[illegible]4		.	3 03 474		3 15,348	.	...
							−42 79 552											
Grand Total Productive Works	11,725	32 516	[illegible] 24,16 [illegible]			57 15 68 893	14,57,0[illegible]	54[illegible]	71 72 77 429	6 66 27 995	2 12 85 723	4 53,42 272		1,88,50 593	3,38,22,794	73,31,115	15,227,952	...
							39 89 53 967								+2,64,91,679[illegible]			

	Acres.
( )Sagaing District	3,301
Shwebo District	160,142
	163,443

STATEMENT No. II.

PROTECTIVE IRRIGATION WORKS

Financial results of Protective Irrigation Works in India for, and up to the end of, 1915-16.

Name of works	General Financial results to end of 1915-16: Mileage in operation: Main canals and branches	Distributaries	Estimated cost of construction (direct and indirect)	Date of completion of work (P. W. Code II 1918)	Date when system first came into operation	Total capital outlay (direct and indirect)	Accumulated arrears of interest	Accumulated surplus revenue	Total sum-at-charge (columns 7 + 8 − column 9)	Financial results of the year 1915-16: Gross receipts (direct and indirect)	Working expenses (direct and indirect)	Net revenue	Percentage on Capital outlay column 7	Percentage on sum-at-charge, column 10	Interest at 4725 per cent. on direct Capital outlay to end of previous year, plus half the outlay of the year.	Net profit.	Net loss.	Area irrigated.	Percentage of working expenses to receipts (column 11 to column 12).
2	3	4	5	6a	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	Miles.	Miles	Rs.	Date	Date	Rs	R	Rs	R	R	R	Rs	Per cent	Per cent	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Acres.	Per cent.
IRRIGATION																			
MADRAS.																			
Rushikulya system	80	151	[illegible]0,92,120	1891-92	1892-93	[illegible]	[illegible]9,78,825		79,[illegible]	1,99,094	79,[illegible]27	1,19,867	2·[illegible]	1·[illegible]1	1,62,254	...	42,357	50,115	39 79
Bhaganasi project			2,09,000			[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]			..	..		4,422	..	4,422	...	...
Mopad project	...		21,46,011			[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]			.		...	43,424	.	43,424		...
Venkatapuram Tank		.	5,40,000			[illegible]	47,[illegible]		[illegible]			.			11,823	.	11,823	...	...
Total Madras ...	80	151	77,93,731			70,87,686	31,58,627 (−31,58,627)		1,02,46,313	1,99,094	79,227	1,19,867	1·69	1·17	2,21,893	. (−1,02,026)	1,02,026	50,415	39·79
BOMBAY.																			
Deccan and Gujarat.																			
Pravara Canals	33	13	76,10,826	Not completed	1909-10	59,19,491	[illegible]		[illegible]	15,975	20,376	−4,401	..	...	1,95,645	...	1,90,046	3,694	127·[illegible]
Chankapur Tank	13	1[illegible]	17,02,829	1909-10	1909-10	18,81,8[illegible]	6,09,434		[illegible]4,91,304	11,127	18,853	−[illegible],726	...	..	62,682	...	70,408	1,711	169·[illegible]

No.	Name	Col 1	Col 2	Col 3	Col 4	Col 5	Col 6	Col 7	Col 8	Col 9	Col 10	Col 11	Col 12	Col 13	Col 14	Col 15	Col 16	Col 17	Col 18	Col 19
[illegible]	Godavari Canal	110	77	98,86,251	1915-16	1911-12	936,251	15,22,797	...	1,13,59,048	1,91,426	1,47,066	44,370	0·45	0·39	3,19,822	...	2,75,452	19,976	76·89
8	Nira Canal including Shetphal Tank.	107	139	64,61,071	1898-99	1885-86	64,61,071	24,60,508	...	89,21,579	5,54,670	1,55,923	3,98,747	6·17	4·47	2,11,672	1,87,076	...	50,858	[illegible]
9	Bhatwad Tank	66	41	20,96,016	1900-01	1884-85	20,96,016	22,53,309	...	43,49,325	43,216	20,502	22,714	1·08	0·53	69,643	...	46,929	7,985	[illegible]
10	Gokak Canal 1st Section	...	...	4,12,666	1896-97	1884-85	4,12,666	5,18,923	...	9,31,594	...	...	...	...	...	13,922	...	13,922	...	[illegible]
11	Maladevi Tank	...	...	3,14,574	Not completed	Under construction.	3,11,928	1,90,893	...	5,02,821	...	...	...	...	...	10,490	...	10,490	...	[illegible]
12	Budhihal Tank	...	...	14,54,611			5,09,166	1,84,312	...	6,93,478	...	...	...	...	...	17,043	...	17,043	...	[illegible]
13	Nira Right Bank Canal	...	...	2,57,72,499			94,90,654	5,25,921	...	1,00,16,575	...	...	...	...	...	2,78,134	...	2,78,134	...	[illegible]
																	1,87,075	9,02,424		
	Total Bombay	339	260	5,56,61,343	...	...	3,69,22,053	88,67,532	...	4,57,89,585	8,16,424	3,62,720	4,53,704	1·23	0·99	11,69,053	−7,15,349		83,546	[illegible]
								−88,67,532												
	UNITED PROVINCES.																			
14	Betwa Canal	167	571	84,04,424	1885-86	1886-87	83,10,785	62,36,220	...	1,45,47,005	3,06,728	2,49,770	56,952	0·69	0·39	2,76,484	...	2,19,532	95,221	[illegible]
15	Ken Canal	86	255	61,08,619	1908-09	1908-09	59,72,918	17,72,105	...	77,45,023	1,50,905	1,14,264	36,641	0·61	0·47	1,96,761	...	1,60,120	37,220	[illegible]
16	Dhasan Canal	107	181	50,04,963	1910-11	1911-12	48,99,235	14,86,762	...	63,85,997	66,580	1,26,090	−59,510	...	...	1,61,321	...	2,21,331	26,500	[illegible]
17	Pahuj and Garhmau Canals	29	86	8,34,569	1910-11	1911-12	8,26,669	2,16,201	...	10,42,870	17,131	9,045	8,086	0·98	0·78	27,936	...	19,850	2,800	[illegible]
[illegible]	Belan Canal	...	...	...	...	...	36,155	8,406	...	44,561	...	...	...	...	...	1,157	...	1,157	...	
19	Ghori Nadi Scheme	...	11	4,00,460	1915-16	1915-16	4,00,460	53,768	...	4,54,228	46	4,507	−4,461	...	...	13,473	...	17,934	1,050	[illegible]
20	Ghaggar Canal	...	...	35,04,454	...	...	26,76,589	1,38,832	...	28,15,721	...	...	...	...	...	72,604	...	72,604	...	
21	Majhgawan Tank	...	17	4,16,163	...	1915-16	3,55,793	27,087	...	3,82,880	2,836	5,463	−2,627	...	...	10,994	...	13,662	1,570	[illegible]
22	Barwar lake and canal	...	...	4,25,106	...	...	1,90,712	8,052	...	1,98,764	...	...	...	...	...	4,989	...	4,989	...	
23	Batkhara Tank	...	...	6,38,873	...	...	58,984	1,898	...	60,882	...	...	...	...	...	1,447	...	1,447	...	
24	Jaiwanti Tank	...	...	4,23,681	...	...	1,219	21	...	1,240	...	...	...	...	...	21	...	21	...	
	Total United Provinces	389	1,071	2,61,81,342	...	...	2,37,29,819	99,49,352	...	3,36,79,171	5,44,226	5,09,145	35,081	0·15	0·10	7,67,887	...	7,32,806	1,64,450	[illegible]
								−99,49,352									−7,32,806			
	BIHAR AND ORISSA.																			
25	Dhaka Canal	19	24	6,31,627	31st March 1908.	1906-07	5,84,379	2,82,158	...	8,66,537	15,543	19,395	−3,852	...	...	19,811	...	23,663	6,693	[illegible]
26	Tribeni Canal	61	161	79,29,122	31st March 1914	1911-12*	74,84,827	20,47,460	...	95,22,287	1,17,528	2,86,060	−1,68,532	...	...	2,52,003	...	4,20,535	54,090	[illegible]
	Total Bihar and Orissa	80	165	85,60,749	...	...	80,69,206	23,29,618	...	1,03,98,824	1,33,071	3,05,455	−1,72,384	...	...	2,71,814	...	4,44,198	60,793	[illegible]
								−23,29,618									−4,44,198			
	CENTRAL PROVINCES.																			
27	Khapri-Aranda Tank	...	28	3,53,934	March 1909.	1906-07	3,53,934	71,780	...	4,25,714	11,497	18,656	−7,159	...	...	11,614	...	18,773	3,579	[illegible]
28	Chandpur	...	72	6,69,392	Completed in October 1915.	September 1907.	6,69,739	1,34,767	...	8,04,506	10,094	7,327	2,767	0·41	0·34	22,308	...	19,541	3,053	[illegible]
29	Marowda	...	23	3,95,073	March 1909.	1905-06	3,95,073	1,21,999	...	5,17,072	7,408	3,367	4,041	1·02	0·78	13,058	...	9,017	2,364	[illegible]
	Carried over	...	123	14,18,399	...	...	14,18,746	3,28,546	...	17,47,292	29,999	29,350	−351	...	...	46,980	...	47,331	9,001	[illegible]
		878	1,467	9,81,97,165	...	...	7,58,06,764	2,43,05,129	...	10,01,11,893	16,92,815	12,56,547	4,36,268	...	...	24,90,647	...	19,94,379	[illegible]	[illegible]

* The upper half of the Tribeni Canal up to the [illegible] mile was [illegible] for irrigation for the first time in 1913-14.

STATEMENT No. II—concld.

PROTECTIVE IRRIGATION WORKS.

Financial results of Protective Irrigation Works in India for, and up to the end of, 1915-16.

Number of works.	Name of works.	General Financial results to end of 1915-16. Mileage in operation. Main canals and branches.	Distributaries.	Estimated cost of construction (direct and indirect).	Date of completion of work (P. W. Code II, 1918).	Date when system first came into operation.	Total Capital outlay (direct and indirect).	Accumulated arrears of interest.	Accumulated surplus revenues.	Total sum-at-charge (column 7 + column 8).	Financial results of the year 1915-16. Gross receipts (direct and indirect).	Working expenses (direct and indirect).	Net revenue.	Percentage on Capital outlay, column 7.	Percentage on sum-at-charge, column 10.	Interest at 3·4725 per cent on direct Capital outlay to end of previous year, plus half the outlay of the year.	Net profit.	Net loss.	Area irrigated.	Percentage of working expenses to receipts (column 11 to column 12).
1	2	3	4	5	6a	6b	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		Miles.	Miles.	Rs.	Date.	Date.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Acres.	Per cent.
	Brought forward ...	678	1,667	9,81,97,165	...	...	7,58,98,764	2,43,05,129	...	10,01,13,893	16,92,815	12,56,547	4,36,268	...	...	24,30,617	...	19,94,379	8,59,202	...
		...	123	14,18,390	...	...	14,18,746	3,28,546	...	17,47,292	28,999	29,350	—351	...		46,960	...	47,331	9,001	...
	Central Provinces—*concld.*																			
[illegible]	Khola	...	6	96,637	March 1909.	1904-05	96,637	40,962	...	1,37,599	706	681	25	0·03	0·02	3,180	...	3,155	254	[illegible]
[illegible]	Khairee	...	6	1,61,386	Completed in October 1913.	August 1910.	1,61,386	25,523	...	1,86,909	2,075	843	1,232	0·76	0·65	5,465	...	4,233	627	[illegible]
32	Kusraugi	...	8	1,28,084	January 1909.	1905-06	1,25,084	47,892	...	1,75,976	1,389	1,202	187	0·15	0·11	4,125	...	3,938	285	[illegible]
33	Khairadatan	...	5	91,457	March 1909.	1905-06	91,457	34,792	...	1,26,249	256	700	—444	...	...	3,019	...	3,463	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Ghorajheri	...	60	12,37,507	Work in progress.	August 1910.	8,54,213	1,55,360	...	10,09,573	8,876	5,485	3,391	0·39	0·34	27,994	...	24,603	2,939	[illegible]
[illegible]	Kukerdehi	...	6	1,03,763	January 1909.	1905-06	1,03,763	34,945	...	1,38,708	160	788	—628	...	...	3,406	...	4,034	88	[illegible]
[illegible]	Bainakheri Kurud ...	...	10	1,89,630	March 1909.	1906-07	1,85,933	56,682	...	2,42,615	2,644	1,256	1,388	0·75	0·57	6,063	...	4,675	834	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] ...	...	13	1,30,347	March	1906-07	1,30,751	33,426	...	1,64,177	4,901	2,325	2,576	1·97	1·56	4,400	...	1,824	1,963	47·4

38	Pindrawan ..	...	11	1,76 632	March 1909	1905-06	1 78 623	4..187		1910	1..1	2 817	2 617	1 46	1 15	5,814	..	7,197	1,979	31·84
39	Khairbunda ...	...	58	7,77 235	Completed in March 1915	1905-06	7 69 162	1 6[illegible]57		9 51 029	11 78	1 244	1,834	0 24	0·19	25,379	...	23,545	3,907	[illegible]
40	Ramal .	..	11	3 04 [illegible]02	October 1913	October 1909	3 04,902	[illegible],429	..	[illegible]531	1 703	1,469	249	0 08	0·07	10,303	.	10 063	1 142	[illegible]
41	Ramtek Reservoir		209	[illegible],71,342	Completed in February 1914	October 1909	28 90 765	6[illegible]9 315		4 39 783	[illegible]	19 561	2,012	0 07	0 06	95,477		93,465	2,940	[illegible]
42	Wara Tank .	.	15	1 99,403	Completed November 1911	November 1909	1 99 4[illegible]3	46 490		2[illegible]	1,26[illegible]	1 942	44	0 0[illegible]	0 02	6 685	.	6,641	326	97·7[illegible]
43	Barera Kalan ..	..	19	2,32,963	Work in progress	March 1912	1 96 3[illegible]	24 990	..	2 [illegible]0	1,563	1 6[illegible]0	[illegible]49	0 13	0 11	6,372		6,123	472	[illegible]
44	Tendula Canal	...	.	99 99 807	Work in progress	.	61 99 743	10,616		66 20 3[illegible]						1,85,046		1,85,046	...	[illegible]
45	Naleshwar Tank	..	12	6,32 542	Work in progress		4 40,151	[illegible]014		4 [illegible] 665						12 [illegible]51		12,851	...	...
46	Jamunia Tank	. ..		4 89 [illegible]71	Work in progress		4 [illegible]4 470	[illegible]620		4 [illegible]	8[illegible]0	1 04[illegible]	—[illegible]			13 432	.	13 675	321	121·[illegible]
47	Kattanjheri Tank	. ...	..	2 36 066	Work in progress		1,79,862	1[illegible]2 8		1,[illegible]	[illegible]	- -	—2[illegible]			[illegible]		5,472	6	2[illegible]
48	Chorkamara Tank	.. ..	13	8,65 484	Work in progress		82 911	15 [illegible]		4,0[illegible] 11						10 747		10,747	...	...
49	Bodalkassa Tank	..	29	6 57 268	Work in progress		[illegible] 51 745	19,[illegible]2		2 93 247						7 523		7 528	...	...
	Total Central Provinces ..	..	614	2 10,01,145		.	1 55 [illegible]8,492	[illegible]3 [illegible]473 —23 [illegible]		1,79 [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]06 [illegible]	1[illegible]397	0 09	0 08	4 59 011	4,75,104 —4 75 104		27,059	85·29
	Grand Total Protective Works.	878	2 291	11 91,9[illegible]310		...	9 1[illegible]6[illegible] 246	2 66 5[illegible],602 —2 6[illegible]6[illegible]2		[illegible]1 [illegible]0 23 [illegible]49	1[illegible]97 [illegible]41	1 37 16	[illegible]017[illegible]	0 41	0 38	[illegible]9,19 6[illegible]8	24 69 483 —24 69,493		3,86,281	74·31

MINOR WORKS AND NAVIGATION FOR WHICH BOTH CAPITAL AND REVENUE ACCOUNTS ARE KEPT.

Financial results of Minor Works and Navigation in India for, and up to the end of, 1915-16.

Number of works.	Name of works.	General financial results to end of 1915-16: Main canals and branches	Distributaries	Capital outlay (direct)	Date [illegible]	Date [illegible]	Total capital outlay [illegible]	Accumulated arrears of interest	Accumulated surplus revenue	Total sum at charge (column 7 + column 9)	Financial results of the year 1915-16: Gross receipts (direct and indirect)	Working expenses	Net revenue	Percentage on capital outlay	Percentage on sum at charge	Interest on capital outlay [illegible]	Net profit	Net loss	Area irrigated	Percentage of working expenses to receipts (column 11 to column 12)
1	2	3	4	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11	[illegible]	12	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	16	17	[illegible]	19	20
		Miles	Miles	Rs	Date	Date	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Per cent	Per cent	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Acres.	Per cent.
	IRRIGATION.																			
31	Madras	[illegible]	495	[illegible],11,44,758			[illegible],957			1,5[illegible],957	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	2,28,046	...	144,[illegible]	[illegible]
8	Bombay—Sind	1 896		[illegible]		...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,61 116	11,20,846		334,280	[illegible]
30	Bombay—Deccan and Gujarat	[illegible]	231	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible],91 648		2,80 [illegible]	37,820	[illegible]
11	United Provinces		65	84,43[illegible]			[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	0 08	1 2[illegible],178		46,233	151,283	[illegible]
2	Punjab	110	[illegible]	[illegible]	...		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	52	1 26	[illegible]	32,169	31 1[illegible]	49,[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Burma			[illegible]		...	[illegible]			40 30 7[illegible]	14 [illegible]	2,40,[illegible]	1[illegible],49 434	[illegible]			12,49,424		4,96,[illegible]	[illegible]
1	Bihar and Orissa	11[illegible]	1[illegible]	[illegible]	March 1[illegible]	[illegible]	7 [illegible]		...	[illegible]	1,1[illegible]	1 [illegible]	—34					34	Canals closed.	[illegible]
18	Central Provinces		5	[illegible]	Works in progress		[illegible]			[illegible]	2,4[illegible]	4,449	—[illegible]				...	1,996	1,[illegible]	[illegible]
3	Rajputana			[illegible]			[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	0 45	0 4[illegible]	1 [illegible],169	...	98,692	..	[illegible]
6	Baluchistan	17	[illegible]	41,[illegible]		...	[illegible]	18 9[illegible]		[illegible]	21,[illegible]	[illegible] 078	—[illegible]			1,21,[illegible]	...	1,55,170	21,[illegible]	[illegible]
	Total Irrigation	2965	1544	4 95,85,029			4,27 69 491	1 2361614	3,15,60,075	5,51,31 105	48,54,932	16,09 726	32 45 206			11,72,521	26,36,479 +20,72,685	5,63,794	1,72[illegible],420	[illegible]
	NAVIGATION.																			
4	Madras	304	...	[illegible] 31,365		...	[illegible] 31,365			[illegible]	[illegible],846	1 55,[illegible]	—[illegible] 982	—71	...	3,06,5[illegible]	...	3,73,[illegible]	...	[illegible]
4	Bengal	...	...	1,[illegible],27,943			[illegible],42 [illegible]	...		1 2[illegible],42 021	[illegible]	[illegible],47,[illegible]	—2,36,315	...	...	...	...	2,36,315	...	[illegible]
	Total Navigation	304		2,18,59,308	...	...	2,21 [illegible]			2 21,73 [illegible]	5,80 553	8,88 150	—3,0[illegible],697	...	...	3,06,583	.	6,09,130	...	[illegible]
	GRAND TOTAL MINOR WORKS AND NAVIGATION.	3269	1544	7,14,44,336	.	.	6,49 42 877	1 2361614	3 15 60 075 +1 91,98 461	7 73,04,491	54,35,485	24,92,876	29,42,609	4 53	3 80	14,79,054	26,36,479 +14,66,555	11,72,924	1,726,420	[illegible]

* [illegible]

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Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 21st June 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. The monsoon was strong over almost the whole country, and only in a few divisions was the rainfall of the week as much as 20 per cent below the average.

2. *Burma.*—There was nearly general rain in Lower Burma every day except the 14th, and in Upper Burma on the 17th.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Nearly general rain fell in Bengal on the 14th, 17th, 19th and 20th, and in Bihar and Orissa on the 14th, 17th, 18th and 20th.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—Rainfall was nearly general in the United Provinces on the 15th, 19th and 20th, in the Central Provinces on the 15th and 16th, and in Central India on the 15th.

Northwest India.—Rain fell at nearly every station in the Punjab on the 18th, in Kashmir on the 17th, 18th and 19th, and in Rajputana on the 16th.

The Peninsula.—There was nearly general rain every day on the west coast and on the 17th on the north Madras coast.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

June, 14th. Rangoon 3·09", Dhubri 1·76", Cherrapunji 3·99", Darjiling 5·95", Chaibasa 1·45", Ranchi 2·09", Hazaribagh 1·55", Daltonganj 1·88", Gaya 1·27", Mussooree 5·87", Hoshangabad 1·43", Seoni 2·82", Raipur 3·93", Ambala 3·25", Karwar 3·95", Mangalore 7·51", Calicut 2·77", Mercara 2·38" and Masulipatam 1·30".

" 15th. Moulmein 2·80", Dibrugarh 3·55", Sibsagar 3·53", Jhansi 1·18", Neemuch 3·18", Nowgong 2·04", Sutna 2·44", Kotah 1·59", Mangalore 3·40" and Gulbarga 0·95".

" 16th. Port Blair 2·50", Moulmein 3·11", Lashio 1·48", Myitkyina 1·57", Dibrugarh 2·50", Dhubri 2·75", Jalpaiguri 2·61", Neemuch 2·81", Murree 1·89", Rawalpindi 2·03", Jodhpur 6·02", Ajmer 4·70", Kotah 5·20", Udaipur 2·55", Mount Abu 1·56" and Karwar 2·80".

" 17th. Akyab 3·46", Jessore 2·86", Calcutta 1·59", Saugor Island 1·64", Mymensingh 3·60", Balasore 1·64", Jagdalpur 1·71", Simla 1·30", Khushab 1·20", Sibsagar 1·12", Jaipur 1·11", Mount Abu 2·79", Karwar 2·02" and Salem 1·71".

" 18th. Silchar 6·90", Shillong 2·10", Cuttack 3·62", Sambalpur 1·98", Chaibasa 2·81", Ranchi 2·07", Hazaribagh 3·41", Dehra Dun 1·58", Chakrata 1·74", Raipur 3·34", Delhi 2·02", Ludhiana 1·16", Rawalpindi 3·00", Murree 1·55", Montgomery 0·86", Cherat 2·90", Masulipatam 1·50" and Gopalpur 1·43".

" 19th. Moulmein 7·95", Bassein 2·94", Diamond Island 2·80", Kyaukpyu 2·71", Toungoo 1·22", Cox's Bazar 2·26", Barisal 1·51", Sambalpur 1·45, Hazaribagh 1·31", Purnea 1·46", Allahabad 1·28", Mainpuri 2·13", Mukteswar 2·78", Nowgong 1·77", Pendra 2·86", Delhi 1·67", Ludhiana 1·31", Gulmarg 1·20" and Trivandrum 2·55".

" 20th. Tavoy 2·12", Dibrugarh 4·85", Tezpur 1·32", Cherrapunji 1·35", Darjiling 3·80", Cox's Bazar 6·25", Chittagong 1·72", Jessore 1·33", Berhampore 2·50", Cuttack 1·47", Sambalpur 3·06", Darbhanga 1·90", Benares 1·75", Allahabad 2·97", Cawnpore 1·18", Bahraich 1·44", Bareilly 2·24", Sutna 5·62 and Simla 1·20".

4. The rainfall of the week was 20 per cent or more in defect only in Baluchistan, Sind, Gujarat, Berar, the Central Provinces West, the Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad and Mysore. It was within 20 per cent of the normal in the Bay Islands, Burma, Bengal, Bihar, the North-West Frontier Province, the Konkan, Malabar and the Madras Deccan, and was 20 per cent or more in excess in all the remaining divisions.

The rainfall from the 4th May to date is 20 per cent or more in excess over by far the greater part of the country. It differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent in Burma, Assam, Bengal, Kashmir, the Konkan, Malabar and Madras South-East, and is as much as 20 per cent in defect in only the Bay Islands, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan, the Bombay Deccan and Mysore.

Division	Rainfall data for week ending on 21st June 1917: Actual rainfall in inches	Normal rainfall in inches	Excess or defect in inches	Rainfall data from 4th May to 21st June 1917: Actual rainfall to date in inches	Normal rainfall in inches	Excess or defect in inches	Percentage departure from normal: This week	Last week
Bay Islands	5·4	1·7	+0·7	18·3	30·5	—12·2	—40	—50
Lower Burma	8·7	8·1	+0·6	26·8	33·2	—6·4	—19	—23
Upper Burma	1·4	1·4	0	11·8	11·2	+0·6	+5	+6
Assam	5·5	4·4	+1·1	24·1	22·4	+1·7	+8	+3
Bengal	3·4	3·7	-0·3	16·2	16·7	—0·5	—3	—2
Orissa	4·4	2·7	+1·7	11·7	8·9	+2·8	+31	+18
Chota Nagpur	5·8	3·0	+2·8	14·4	7·9	+6·5	+82	+76
Bihar	2·6	2·6	0	10·1	7·6	+2·5	+33	+50
United Provinces, East	2·3	1·3	+1·0	6·2	3·1	+3·1	+100	+117
United Provinces, West	1·9	1·0	+0·9	5·4	2·6	+2·8	+108	+119
Punjab, East and North	2·8	0·6	+2·2	5·7	1·8	+3·9	+217	+142
Punjab, South West	0·9	0·3	+0·6	2·9	1·0	+1·9	+190	+186
Kashmir	1·0	0·2	+0·8	2·4	2·7	0·3	—11	—44
N.-W. Frontier Province	0·1	0·1	0	0·5	0·9	-0·4	-14	-50
Baluchistan	0	0·1	0·1	0·4	0·5	-0·1	—20	[illegible]
Sind	0	0·1	—0·1	0·6	0·2	+0·4	+200	+500
Rajputana, West	3·1	0·5	+2·6	8·0	1·2	+6·8	+567	+60[illegible]
Rajputana, East	4·9	0·6	+4·3	9·8	1·[illegible]	+7·5	+417	+267
Gujarat	0·4	1·5	-1·1	6·7	2·1	+4·6	+219	+9[illegible]
Central India, West	3·8	1·5	+2·3	12·9	3·2	+9·7	+303	+4[illegible]
Central India, East	6·1	2·2	+3·9	10·0	3·2	+6·8	+213	+29[illegible]
Berar	0·5	1·6	—1·1	6·0	4·1	+1·9	+46	+120
Central Provinces, West	1·8	2·3	—0·5	6·3	4·6	+1·7	+37	+95
Central Provinces, East	4·6	2·4	+2·2	10·8	5·1	+5·7	+112	+130
Konkan	7·2	8·6	—1·4	22·7	23·0	-0·3	-1	+4
Bombay Deccan	0·4	1·2	—0·8	4·1	5·1	-1·0	—20	—5
Hyderabad, North	0·3	1·7	-1·4	6·3	[illegible]	+2·8	+57	+161
Hyderabad, South	0·9	1·4	-0·5	5·7	4·1	+1·6	+39	+78
Mysore	0·5	0·7	—0·2	4·8	6·3	—1·5	-24	—23
Malabar	7·8	7·5	+0·3	25·7	29·5	-3·8	—13	—1[illegible]
Madras, South East	0·4	0·3	+0·1	3·0	2·9	+0·1	+3	0
Madras Deccan	0·6	0·6	0	5·0	3·2	+1·8	+56	+69
Madras Coast, North	1·4	1·1	+0·3	8·5	4·2	+4·3	+102	+129

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 16th June 1917.

Burma.—The week's rainfall in Lower Burma though evenly distributed was light as compared with the corresponding week of last year In Upper Burma all except two districts report rain but in the dry zone generally very little rain fell, most districts registering less than half an inch Ploughing for the main rice crop is in progress throughout the Province and sowing of sesamum, groundnut and cotton continues. The condition of standing crops is satisfactory. Cattle are generally healthy. The price of paddy at Rangoon has dropped a rupee The market for white rice is quiet.

Assam—The weather was seasonable and generally favourable. Sowing of broadcast winter rice and planting of sugarcane have been finished. Ploughing for and sowing of the transplanted winter rice manufacture of tea and harvesting of Khasi potatoes are in progress. Cattle disease is reported from nine districts The price of common rice is practically stationary.

Bengal.—During the week seasonable rain generally fell throughout the Province The fall was, however, excessive in a number of places, damaging crops on low lands. Parts of the Midnapore district suffered rather heavily owing to the river Cossaye being in flood Preparation of lands for winter rice and rearing of seedlings in nurseries continue. Transplantation has commenced in places Weeding of jute and autumn paddy is going on in western Bengal The early variety of autumn paddy is being harvested in some of the eastern Bengal districts Damage to standing crops by insects is reported from the 24-Parganas and Jessore districts Fodder is getting scarce in the lowlying tracts of the Hooghly and Dacca districts Cattle disease exists in seven districts The average price of common rice for the Province has risen by about 0·6 per cent as compared with that of the previous week.

Bihar and Orissa—The rainfall during the week was general over the Province, the fall being rather heavy in parts of Orissa and Chota Nagpur and generally light in Bihar Sowing of autumn crops is in progress Standing crops are doing well The price of common rice has risen in five districts, fallen in one and remained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week The supply of fodder and water is sufficient Cattle disease is reported from five districts The number of persons on test works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in Puri was 635 and 677 respectively The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good

The weekly report on scarcity in Singhbhum is as follows In the Kolhan Government Estate the distress was moderate Relief measures are sufficient The public health is good and the physical condition of the workers is satisfactory The average price was 8 seers per rupee The number of persons on test works was 1,447

United Provinces—Almost all districts received rain during the week Standing crops are in good condition Harvesting of early rice has commenced in places. Sowing of cotton, maize and rice and preparation of fields for autumn crops are in progress Sugarcane is in excellent condition The condition of agricultural stock is satisfactory Cattle disease is confined to a few tahsils Fodder and supplies are adequate There has not been any marked rise in prices

Punjab—Light or moderate rain has fallen in parts of the reporting districts and was useful for standing crops and sowing of autumn crops Threshing of wheat has been nearly completed The yield is normal or slightly below normal on irrigated and below normal or poor on unirrigated areas. Sowings of cotton and other autumn crops continue to the normal extent The condition of standing extra spring and autumn crops is average to good. Reaping of extra spring crops is in progress and the yield is generally normal. Cattle are generally healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient Stocks of food grains are sufficient Prices are generally stationary and range between normal and warning rates in the south-east and between warning and scarcity rates elsewhere Price of wheat Rawalpindi 9½ Lahore 10, Lyallpur 10½ and Ambala and Ferozepore 10½ seers per rupee

North-West Frontier Province—Slight rain fell in parts of Peshawar and Dera Ismail Khan The weather is hot The condition of standing crops in the north of the Province is average on irrigated and below average on unirrigated areas but in the south it is average on both. Where reaping of spring crops has been finished, the outturn

is average Sowing of cotton and rice is in progress under normal conditions. The condition of cattle is, on the whole, good Water and fodder are sufficient. The price of wheat in Peshawar is 9¾ and in Dera Ismail Khan 10¼ seers per rupee.

Jammu —The rainfall during the week was generally good Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 13 and maize from 12 to 25 seers per rupee The condition of standing crops is average. Cattle disease of mild type prevails in the Basohli tahsil. Fodder is sufficient except in a few places.

Kashmir —The rainfall during the week was good. Standing crops are in fair condition Sowings of autumn crops are in progress Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are average.

Rajputana.—Except in Jaisalmer the rainfall was general. The weather is hot and cloudy. Lands are being prepared for autumn crops and sowings continue Agricultural stock is healthy. Water and fodder are ample Prices are rising in Mewar, Shahpura, Kotah, Jhalawar, Jaipur, Karauli and Alwar, falling in Jaisalmer, Partabgarh, and Kishengarh and are stationary elsewhere

Central India —The rainfall during the week was partial in Gwalior and general elsewhere The principal falls were over 5 inches in Kannod, over 4 inches in Garot, over 3 inches in Dhar, Jhabua and Alirajpur, over 2 inches in Bundelkhand and Manpur and over 1 inch in Barwani It was insufficient in Bhopal and partial in Bundelkhand. Lands are being prepared for autumn crops Agricultural stock is in good condition. The fodder supply is sufficient. Prices are high in Bhopal and steady elsewhere

Central Provinces —Light to heavy rain was received all over the Provinces, the largest quantity registered at headquarters being [illegible] inches in Raipur Preparation of lands for autumn crops is in full swing and sowing has commenced in several districts. The supply of fodder and water is adequate Cattle are in good condition Gram fell by 2¾ seers per rupee in Buldana. Other variations in prices are irregular and unimportant

Feudatory States Light to moderate rain fell in the States. Sowings continue

Bombay —Good rain fell during the week throughout the Presidency and in Sind. Slight rain was received in Thar and Parkar Lands are being prepared for autumn cultivation and sowing generally continues The fodder supply is adequate Agricultural stock is sufficient Cattle are in good condition. Drinking water is adequate Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Sukkur Thar and Parkar Kaira and the Panch Mahals Prices of food grain have fallen slightly in the Karnatak and are generally steady elsewhere.

Hyderabad.—The rainfall during the week was fair to good except in parts of Raichur, Medak and Nalgonda districts The highest fall was 8 inches 20 cents in Guntur The average fall was 2 inches 23 cents. Lands are being prepared for autumn crops and sowings have generally commenced Lands for the early rice crop are also being prepared. Cattle disease prevails in four talukas Prices of grains show an upward tendency Coarse rice is selling at 8 and white *juar* at 11 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 7 seers per rupee in Bidar and the lowest 1[illegible] seers per rupee in Bir

Mysore —The rainfall during the week was good in Tumkur Mysore, Hassan, Kadur and Shimoga and slight elsewhere The price of rice has risen slightly in Hassan and fallen in Chitaldrug and that of *ragi* has risen in Mysore and Hassan. Sowing of paddy and *ragi* is in progress Standing crops are in good condition Prospects of the season are good Cattle are generally healthy Water and fodder are available

Coorg —Rainfall 7 inches 23 cents. Ploughing for rice continues. Prices of food grains are high. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras —The rainfall was very heavy in Malabar and South Kanara, heavy in Travancore, Cochin and the Nilgiris, good in Ganjam, the Vizagapatam Agency, Godavari, Kistna, Sandar, Chingleput, Madras, North Arcot, and Pudukkottai and fair or light elsewhere Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally but rain is required in parts of one district. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally Sowings of paddy sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally The condition of cattle is generally good The water-supply is insufficient in parts of Ganjam, South Arcot, Central, Deccan except Kurnool and South except Tinnevelly and sufficient elsewhere Pasture is insufficient in five districts and in parts of six others. Fodder is generally available. Prices are steady.

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NOWSHERA.

M. Muhammad Din . . . . Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).

PATNA.

M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

M. Ahmed Din . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
M. Abdur Rahim . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Ahmed Bux . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. S. Karim Bukhsh . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Mohd. Ishaq . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Mohamed Sarwar . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
Pt. Sita Ram Mehta . . . . Hindustani Instructor, Cadet College.
Pt. Hirday Narayan . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Syed Inam Ali . . . . Mission Road, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

M. Ghulam Muhiuddin . . . . R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
M. Ghulam Rasul . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . . C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

M. Fazl-i-Haq . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

Qualified Bengali Teacher.

MURSHIDABAD.

Babu Suresh Chandra Chatterjee . . . . . Krishnapur, Lalgola, P. O., District Murshidabad.

Qualified Canarese Teacher.

BANGALORE.

M. R. Ry. K. Hanumantha Rao . . . . . No. 1, Main Road, Seshadripuram, Bangalore.

Qualified Malayalam Teacher.

ADICHANALLORE.

M. R. Ry. N. Sankara Pillai . . . . . . First Assistant, H. G. E. School, Adichanallore

Qualified Tamil Teacher.

MADRAS.

M. R. Ry. K. Raghavachari . . . . . . Senior Tamil Pandit, Wesleyan Mission Girls' High School, Royapettah.

Qualified Telugu Teacher.

GODAVARI.

M. R. Ry. V. Subba Rao . . . . . . Stewartpetta, Pithapuram, Godavari District.

N.B.—Whenever any teacher changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

CALCUTTA,
The 18th June 1917.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID AND QUINOIDINE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 8¼ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. P. system*, AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1917 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	Rs
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs. in one delivery	29 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	30 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	Rs
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	Rs
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	Rs
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tin.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V. P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 1 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb.	Weg. 3 lbs.	Postage	Re.	0	10	0
,, ,, 2 ,,	,, 6 ,,	,,	Re.	1	0	0
,, ,, 3 ,,	,, 9 ,,	,,	Re.	1	8	0

N.B.—Postage stamps are not accepted as revenue.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 18th June 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 15th June 1917.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE.										
				COIN AND BULLION.							SECURITIES (PURCHASE PRICE).			
				In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.					
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL.	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.	TOTAL.	REMARKS.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	
Calcutta	2,43,09,500	31,40,96,415	33,84,05,915	5,33,56,617	1,39,97,265	3,30,859	5,17,50,000	...	...	...	(a) 9,99,99,946	(b) (c) 50,63,07,510	72,57,42,197	(a) Nominal value—R19,20,81,500. (b) Nominal value—R52,34,31,571 (c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Section 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Ordinance No. II of 1916, at a cost of R42,00,00,000.
Cawnpore	...	92,40,260	92,40,260	1,99,29,898	78,83,963								2,78,13,861	
Lahore	...	6,58,66,710	6,58,66,710	84,35,263	99,31,267								1,83,66,530	
Bombay	44,89,400	28,36,57,100	28,81,46,500	3,54,00,208	2,72,38,563	33,45,608							6,59,84,379	
Karachi	...	3,11,62,010	3,11,62,010	47,86,912	36,35,625								84,22,537	
Madras	15,79,635	9,74,39,440	9,90,19,075	1,31,18,180	1,17,67,020					...			2,48,85,200	
Rangoon	...	5,90,54,690	5,90,54,690	1,72,53,576	48,73,455								2,21,27,031	
	3,03,78,535	86,05,16,625	89,08,95,160	15,22,80,654	7,93,27,153	36,76,467	5,17,50,000	...			9,99,99,946	50,63,07,510	89,39,41,735	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			6,28,925	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									30,75,500	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R			89,02,66,235								TOTAL RESERVE R		89,02,66,235	

Gold worth £55,000 (R8,25,000) was transferred from the Paper Currency Reserve to the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 15th June 1917.
The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 15th June 1917 to 15 lakhs in sovereigns.

E. M. COOK,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 8TH TO 15TH JUNE 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balance of Bullion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department	New rupees made over to Native States.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	2	...	...	2	33	...	38	3	33	5	1	42	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	14	...	...	14	37	...	37	...	(a) 98	1	...	99	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 20 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint;
Calcutta, the 19th June 1917.

BANK OF BENGAL—PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th June 1917.

PARTICULARS.	3 PER CENT. OF 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01	TOTAL.	4 PER CENT. Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	GRAND TOTAL.
Balance of 31st May 1917	28,29,700	94,74,700	4,18,58,400	1,47,61,900	64,59,500	21,48,100	7,47,02,600	2,500	20,50,400	7,95,85,200
Add—										
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount issued in London by Conversion under Notification No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deduct—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balance on 15th June 1917	28,29,700	94,74,700	4,18,58,400	1,47,61,900	64,59,500	21,48,100	7,47,02,600	2,500	20,50,400	7,95,85,200

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Apl. 1917 Enfaced from India 12,410 lakhs, re-transferred from London 12,929 lakhs.
" 16th April 1917 " 30th " " ditto ... ditto 22 lakhs.
" 1st May " " 15th May " ditto ... ditto 7 "
" 16th " " 31st " " ditto ... ditto 5 "
" 1st June " " 15th June " ditto ... ditto ...

12,410 — 12,963

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 16th June 1917.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

THOMASON CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, ROORKEE.

NOTIFICATION.

Roorkee, the 21st March 1917.

A Registry Office for men of the undermentioned grades is kept up by the Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee. Officers and employers of labour requiring men are requested to apply to the Principal:—

1. Engineers
2. Overseers.
3. Sub-Overseers.
4. Draftsmen and Sub-Surveyors.
5. Tracers.
6. Men trained in—
   (a) Photo-Mechanical and Lithographic Work.
   (b) Workshops (both Electrical and Mechanical sides).

W. G. WOOD,
Principal, Thomason College, Roorkee.

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CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS

Delhi, the 14th June 1917.

No. 5655-*Home*.—Mr. I. W. Bowring, Additional Superintendent of Police, Delhi, assumed charge of the duties of the office of the Senior Superintendent of Police, Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of the 2nd May 1917.

No. 5656-*Home*.—Mr. W. Beatty, Assistant Superintendent of Police, assumed charge of the duties of Additional Superintendent of Police, Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of the 2nd May 1917.

No. 5657-*Home*.—Mr. I. W. Bowring, Officiating Senior Superintendent of Police, Delhi, is granted under Articles 260, 308(b) and 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for 2 months and 12 days combined with furlough for 3 months and 18 days with effect from the forenoon of the 16th May 1917.

No. 5658-*Home*.—Mr. P. L. Orde, Additional Superintendent of Police, Delhi, assumed charge of the office of the Senior Superintendent of Police, Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of the 16th May 1917.

The 15th June 1917.

No. 5708-*Home*.—Major R. W. E. Knollys, I.A., District and Sessions Judge, Delhi, is granted under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations privilege leave for 5 weeks with effect from the afternoon of the 7th June 1917.

No. 5709-*Home*.—Mr. J. K. M. Tapp assumed charge of his duties as District and Sessions Judge, Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of the 9th June 1917.

No. 5710-*Home*.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon the Local Government by Section 20 of the Punjab Courts Act, 1914, the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, is pleased to appoint Mr. J. K. M. Tapp to be the District Judge of the Civil District, Delhi, with effect from the date of his assuming charge of that post.

No. 5711-*Home*.—Under the provisions of Section 9, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898), Mr. J. K. M. Tapp is appointed Sessions Judge within the limits of the Sessions Division of Delhi with effect from the forenoon of the 9th June 1917.

W. M. HAILEY,
Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

Delhi, the 12th June 1917.

No. 5587-*C. & I*.—The following draft amendments, which it is proposed to make in the rules made under Section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, which were issued in Punjab Government Notification No. 90, dated 15th February 1909, are published for criticism. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 15th of July 1917, together with any remarks or suggestions received on or before that date :—

Draft Amendment.

(1) Add the following to condition 6 of license Form F :—

"When, however, the quantity of dangerous petroleum does not exceed 20 gallons, it may be kept in a garage, stable or separate store-room not directly communicating with any dwelling room or room where persons assemble."

(2) In condition 11 of license form F. after the words "storage shed" insert the words "or other place of storage referred to in condition 6."

The 14th June 1917.

No. 5637-*Home*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 12 of the Indian Press Act, 1910 (I of 1910), the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies wherever found of a leaflet printed in Arabic, preaching *Jihad*, addressed to "The Moslem warriors who are under the yoke of the British, French and Russians" and purporting to be issued by leading persons of various countries described as "members of the Moslem Ulemas' Association" and all copies of all other documents containing the matter of the said leaflet, on the ground that the said leaflet contains words which have a tendency to bring into hatred and contempt the Government established by law in British India.

No. 5650-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 9th June 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi . .	225,471	87	95	182	99	97	196	...	1	...	91	4	77	1	22	...	44	41	85	41·97	45·20
	Notified Area	3,673	...	...	...	1	3	4	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56·62
	Total .	229,144	87	95	182	100	100	200	...	1	...	95	4	77	1	22	...	44	41	85	41·30	45·38

Delhi, the 19th June 1917.

No. 5801-*Home*.—The following returns of births and deaths in the Delhi Province for the month of May 1917 are published for information:—

Division.	No.	Name of District or Municipal Towns.	Population according to the census of 1911. Male.	Female.	Total.	Births registered. No. registered excluding still births.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still born No.	Deaths registered. Cholera. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Dysentery & Diarrhœa. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Respiratory disease. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Injuries including suicide. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Other causes. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total all causes. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	REMARKS.
1		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Delhi Province.		District excluding Delhi Municipal Town.	102,699	88,486	191,185	563	35·33	...	...	...	9	·56	...	...	267	16·75	3	·18	110	6·90	2	·12	14	·88	216	189	405	25·42	215	194	409	25·67	
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	102,699	88,486	191,185	541	33·95	2	...	...	4	·24	2	·12	275	17·26	1	·06	105	6·59	...	...	22	1·38	215	194	409	25·67	...	...	...	...	
		Increase	...	...	...	22	1·38	...	...	...	5	·32	...	...	...	...	2	·12	5	·31	2	·12	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
		or Decrease	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	·12	8	·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	·50	...	5	4	·25	...	...	...	...	

Division.	No.	District excluding towns.	Population according to the census of 1911. Male.	Female.	Total.	Births registered. No. registered excluding still births.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still born No.	Deaths registered. Cholera. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Small-pox. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Plague. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Fever. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Dysentery & Diarrhœa. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Respiratory disease. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Injuries including suicide. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Other causes. No. registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total all causes. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Total of corresponding month of previous year. Number. Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34
Delhi Province.		Delhi Municipality	129,521	95,950	225,471	737	39·22	31	...	...	12	·64	...	...	297	15·81	23	1·22	253	13·47	2	·11	77	4·10	330	334	664	35·34	553	599	1,152	61·31	
		Total of corresponding month of previous year.	129,521	95,950	225,471	739	39·33	27	2	·11	3	·16	1	·05	553	29·43	28	1·49	272	14·48	5	·27	288	15·33	553	599	1,152	61·31	...	...	...	...	
		Increase or	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	9	·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
		Decrease	...	...	...	2	·11	...	2	·11	...	...	1	·05	256	13·62	5	·27	19	1·01	3	·16	211	11·23	223	265	488	25·97	...	...	...	...	

Delhi, the 19th June 1917.

No. 5803-C. & I.—In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and the Union Bank of India, Limited, Delhi.

In pursuance of section 172 (2) of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, it is hereby notified that the Chief Court of the Punjab, under date the 1st November 1916, has passed orders for the compulsory winding up of the Union Bank of India, Limited, Delhi, and that under section 172 (1) a copy of the said winding up order has been filed with the Registrar, Joint Stock Companies, Delhi.

Delhi, the 20th June 1917.

No. 5840-C. & I.—The following returns of wholesale and retail prices current in Delhi Province are published for information :—

Statement showing prices current (wholesale) of food-grains, etc., in the mart at the head-quarters of the Delhi District during the fortnight ending the 15th June, 1917. (*Vide* paragraph 4 of the Financial Commissioner's Standing Order No. 39.)

WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND OF 82¼ LBS. OR 40 SEERS OF 80 TOLAS EACH.

ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees. Rs.	A.	P.	ITEMS.	Wholesale price in Rupees. Rs.	A.	P.
Rice, unhusked	...			Cotton seed	3	1	6
,, husked	6	6	0	Ghi	63	8	0
Wheat	4	0	9	Flour (Wheat)	4	4	0
Barley	3	0	3	Tobacco Leaf (dry)	8	0	0
Oats	...			Turmeric (unground)	15	8	0
Jowar	2	12	0	Salt	2	1	0
Bajra	2	12	0	Raw Hides (Cow)	35	0	0
Maize	2	7	0	Bran	2	0	0
Gram	3	2	0	Grass (dry)	1	0	0
Arhar Dál	3	8	0	Bhusa (white)	1	1	0
Linseed	6	0	0	Jowar Stalks	0	15	0
Rapeseed (Sarshaf)	4	12	0	Bengal Coal	0	12	0
Poppy-seed	...			Kerosine Oil (per tin, stating the brand)	2	9	3
Til (jinjili seed)	6	4	0	Plough Bullocks, per pair	250	0	0
Sugar (raw), Gur Desi	6	2	0	Sheep, per score	80	0	0
Cotton (cleaned)	...						

Retail prices current of food-grains, etc., at the headquarters of the Delhi District at the close of the half-month ending 15th June, 1917.

(Seers of 80 tolas only.)

ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee. Srs.	Chts.	ITEMS.	Amount per Rupee. Srs.	Chts.
Wheat	9	10	Maize	16	0
Barley	12	12	Arhar (Cajanus Indicus) (husked) (Dál)	11	0
Rice { Best sort	2	12	Firewood	60	0
Rice { Common sort	6	0	Salt { Wholesale	...	
Jowár (Andropogon sorghum)	14	0	Salt { Retail	18	0
Bájra (Pennisetum typhoideum)	14	0	Gur Desi	5	11
Mandwa (Eleusine Coracana)	...		Cotton (unginned)	...	
Kangni (Setaria Italica)	...		Bashar	13	0
Gram (Cicer arietinum) (unhusked)	12	4			

By order,

D. JOHNSTONE,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWÁRA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mount Abu, the 16th June 1917.

No. 1321—1093.—The following draft of a Notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899) is published for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner on or after the 31st July 1917.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to draft before the date aforesaid will be considered by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner :—

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), and with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendments in the Ajmer-Merwara Petroleum Rules issued in this office Notification, No. 1530-1093, dated the 14th October 1909 —

(*a*) Add the following to condition 6 on license form F.—

"When however the quantity of dangerous petroleum does not exceed 20 gallons, it may be kept in a garage, stable or separate store room not directly communicating with any dwelling room or room where persons assemble."

(*b*) In condition 11 endorsed on license form F, after the words "storage shed" insert the words "or other place of storage referred to in condition 6."

No. 1324—330.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12 of the Provincial Small Causes Courts Act (IX of 1887), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint Mr. Mangi Lal Dosi, Tahsildar of Nasirabad, to be Registrar of the Court of Small Causes at Nasirabad and to confer upon him, within the local jurisdiction of the said Court, the jurisdiction of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits of which the value does not exceed twenty rupees.

By order.

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 13th June 1917.

No. 1557-*R*.—The following draft amendments which it is proposed to make in the rules framed under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899) and published with the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 2308, dated the 29th April 1909, is published for criticism.

The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 15th August 1917 with any remarks or suggestions which are received on or before that date :—

I. Add the following to condition 6 endorsed on license form F.—

"When however the quantity of dangerous petroleum does not exceed 20 gallons, it may be kept in a garage, stable or separate store room not directly communicating with any dwelling room or room where persons assemble."

II. After the words "storage shed" in condition 11 endorsed on form F insert the words "or other place of storage referred to in condition 6"

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

Secretary.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 13th June 1917.

No. 1808-B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 (3) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898) as applied to the railway lands specified in the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 261 I. B., dated the 10th February 1913, the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India is pleased to appoint the Assistant to the Resident at Gwalior for Minor States for the time being to be an Additional Sessions Judge to exercise jurisdiction in the Court of the Resident at Gwalior in such cases only as the Resident may make over to him for trial.

By order,
P. NAND LAL,
for First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 15th June 1917.

No. 1896-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6, sub section (1) and section 15, sub-section (3) of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887, (IX of 1887) as applied to the Cantonment of Mhow, and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 2582-I., dated the 31st July 1894, the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India is pleased (1) to appoint Rai Bahadur Pandit Nand Lal, I.S.O., Extra Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General, to be the Judge of the Court of Small Causes in the Cantonment of Mhow and (2) to direct that all suits of a civil nature which are cognizable by a Court of Small Causes and of which the value does not exceed one thousand rupees shall be cognizable by the said Court.

By order,
A. R. JELF,
First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL SIDE.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated the 18th June 1917.

Babu Gopal Chunder Dass, Assistant Registrar of the High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, has been granted an extension of leave for three months on medical certificate under Article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 1st June 1917.

By order,
J. H. HECHLE,
Offg. Registrar.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Dated the 14th June 1917.

No. 4.—Captain S. Sarkar, I.M.S., is appointed to hold charge of the Medical Store Depôt, Rangoon, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the afternoon of the 27th April 1917, or until further orders.

C. P. LUKIS, M.D., Surgeon-General,
Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

Simla, the 18th June 1917.

No. 11.—No. 1279, 1st Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon O. Kunhi Raman, I. S. M. D., is appointed to the Medical Store Depôt, Calcutta, with effect from the 27th May 1917.

H. ROSS, Major, I. M. S.,
for Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909):—

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
282—1917	Narsu Asaram Rane	Hindu	Mazagon, Mount Road	Lately loading and unloading contractor under the name of Asaram Narsu and now unemployed.	11th	June	1917	12th	June	1917
285—1917	Govindji Kalidas Sha	,,	Pydhownie	Lately mehta in the employ of Ratansey Ladha Mucadum and now unemployed.	12th	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
286—1917	Keshavrao Madhowrao Kadam	,,	Nikdavri lane, Girgaum	Lately estate broker and now unemployed	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
287—1917	Aaran Isaacs Chandgaokar	Bene Israel	Sandhursh Road (May Lodge)	Clerk in the Royal Indian Marine Dockyard	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
289—1917	Nursy Tricum Khatri	Hindu	Thakurdwar	Lately servant in the employ of Mohanji Sunderji and now tailor.	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
290—1917	Nagardas Laldas Shroff	,,	Gaiwadi	Lately loan and estate broker and now clerk in the employ of L. Popat Lal & Co.	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
291—1917	Kondiba Tukaram Khade	,,	53, Colaba	Servant in the employ of Ratloo Shiwa & Co.	13th	,,	,,	13th	,,	,,
292—1917	Moloobhai Shivji Cutchi Khoja	Mahomedan	Chukla	Servant in the employ of Karimbhai Jafferji Bootwala.	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
288—1917	Raghowji Mowji Lohar	Hindu	Barbhai Molla	Silversmith	12th	,,	,,	,,	,,	,,
293—1917	Waman Ramkrishna Chawathe	,,	1st Carpenter Street	Clerk in the G. I. P. Railway General Audit Office, Victoria Terminus.	14th	,,	,,	14th	,,	,,
294—1917	Ahmedbhai Mahomedali Dowoodi Vora.	Mahomedan	Pydhownie	Lately carrying on business under the name, style and firm of Abdul Kader Mahomedali & Co. as dealer in clocks and watches and now unemployed.	15th	,,	,,	15th	,,	,,

295—1917	Chandroo Bhageloo Thakur	Hindu	Null Bazar	Maker of silk fringes, tassels, etc.	16th	"	"	16th	"	"
296—1917	Sakharam Tulsaji *alias* Tulshiram Pansare.	"	Colaba	Labourer	"	"	"	"	"	"
297—1917	Shaik Ahmed Shaik Russool Kaji	Mahomedan	Parel, Supari Bag Road	Fitter in the B., B. and C. I. Railway Parel Workshop.	"	"	"	"	"	"
298—1917	Mahadoo Bhanoo *alias* Baboo Bhanoo Palan.	Hindu	Lower Parel	Fitter in the Gold Mohor Mills Ltd.	18th	"	"	18th	"	"
299—1917	Mahadoo Ganoo Sakle	"	Girgaum, Khotachiwadi	Servant in the employ of Pandu Babaji Mayekar.	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,
Bombay, this 18th day of June 1917.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE No. 97 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 2nd June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Thet, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Thet, Trader of Broker Street, Kemmendine, Rangoon, on the 1st day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Thet.

CASE No. 98 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 5th June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Aung Ba, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Aung Ba, broker, of No. 51, Oliphant Street, Rangoon, on the 5th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Aung Ba.

CASE No. 47 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 12th June 1917.

In the matter of Bahadur Khan, of 130th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Bahadur Khan an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 12th day of June 1917.

CASE No. 49 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 12th June 1917.

In the matter of Wasupalli Tumaya, of Mr. Fraser Godown, Dunneedaw, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Wasupalli Tumaya an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 12th day of June 1917.

CASE No. 99 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 6th June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Thu Kha, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Thu Kha of No. 24, 2nd Street, Rangoon, on the 5th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Thu Kha.

CASE No. 101 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 7th June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Tin Shwe, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Tin Shwe, clerk of No. 26, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Tin Shwe.

CASE No. 102 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th June 1917.

In the matter of Kadalee Gowriah *alias* Jesudass, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Kadalee Gowriah *alias* Jesudass, of No. 99, 39th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kadalee Gowriah *alias* Jesudass.

CASE No. 103 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Tun Yin, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Tun Yin, No. 51, 37th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Tun Yin.

CASE No. 104 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 12th June 1917.

In the matter of Ko Moung, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ko Moung, a civil prisoner in the Rangoon Central Jail on the 11th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ko Moung.

CASE No. 105 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 13th June 1917.

In the matter of Chinnasawmy Pillay, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Chinnasawmy Pillay of No. 9, Obo Quarter, Rangoon, on the 12th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Chinnasawamy Pillay.

CASE No. 106 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 13th June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Batun, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 presented by Maung Batun of No. 33, Mayo Street, Rangoon, on the 13th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Batun.

CASE No. 107 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 14th June 1917.

In the matter of A. J. Hyam, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by A. J. Hyam, a civil prisoner in the Rangoon Central Jail on the 13th day of June 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said A. J. Hyam.

D. O'SULLIVAN,
Registrar.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 130 OF 1915.

Re Satish Chandra Sen.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Insolvent Court dated the 5th day of June 1917, the Public examination of the Insolvent will be held at the Insolvent Court on the 3rd day of July 1917, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, all creditors, who may wish to take part in the said examination should first file a proof of their claim at the Office of the Official Assignee and then attend at the time and place above-mentioned.

No. 66 OF 1917.

Re Shaik Mahomed Kadir Meera Sahib.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Insolvent Court dated the 6th day of June 1917, the Public examination of the Insolvent will be held at the Insolvent Court on the 3rd day of July 1917, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. All creditors, who may wish to take part in the said examination should first file a proof of their claim at the Office of the Official Assignee and then attend at the time and place above-mentioned.

Summary Case.

No. 150 OF 1915.

Dated the 20th June 1917.

Re Caetano Ubaldo Fernandes *alias* C. Ubald Brother.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 7th day of August 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

No. 28 OF 1917.

Dated the 18th June 1917.

Re Narendra Krishna Basu.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed debtor having applied for his discharge, the Court has fixed the 4th day of September 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House for hearing the application.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 89 OF 1917.

Dated the 16th June 1917.

Re Mukhram Kayia residing at No. 24-25, Rup Chand Roy's Street Amratolla, Calcutta, a broker in seeds, Kerosine oil, etc.

Ex parte the debtor. C. C. Bose—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 12th day of June 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 90 OF 1917.

Dated the 18th June 1917.

Re Manilal Bhagwandas Patel residing at No. 356, Upper Chitpore Road in Natun Bazar in the town of Calcutta lately a fruit seller having a stall in Natun Bazar aforesaid but at present without any employment.

Ex parte the debtor. N. C. Bural and Pyne – Attorneys for the Insolvent.

On the 12th day of June 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 91 OF 1917.

Dated the 15th June 1917.

Re Notobar Biswas, residing at No. 40, Mundle Street, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business in Jute under the name and style of Notobar Biswas and now without any business.

Ex parte the debtor. R. L. Dutt—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 14th day of June 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 92 OF 1917.

Dated the 19th June 1917.

Re Sewprotab Agarwalla of No. 40, Armenian Street in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business in ghee and then in clothes at No. 18, Paggyaputty in Calcutta aforesaid under the name and style of Sewprotab Agarwalla now without any business but occasionally working as a broker in Hundi transactions.

Ex parte the debtor. R. L. Dutt—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 15th day of June 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

No. 93 OF 1917.

Dated the 19th June 1917.

Re William Morley, at present residing at No. 179, Lower Circular Road in the town of Calcutta, Civil and Military Tailor and Outfitter, lately residing at No. 22, Royd Street in Calcutta aforesaid and carrying on business at Park Mansions in Calcutta.

Ex parte the debtor. A. C. Roy—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 18th day of June 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ERRATUM.

Delhi, the 16th June 1917.

No. 694-E.—In notification No. 660-E., dated the 7th June 1917, regarding the retransfer of Mr. W. H. Nicholls to the Madras Government for the sentence commencing with the words "with effect from" read "On expiry of the leave granted to him in Memo. Notification No. 230-E., dated 10th March 1917."

Delhi, the 18th June 1917.

LEAVE.

No. 699-E.—Mr. L. D. Loomba, Temporary Engineer, attached to the Chief Engineer's Office, Delhi, is granted privilege leave for one month under Articles 242 (*a*), 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th July 1917, or such subsequent date as he is relieved of his duties.

H. T. KEELING,
Secretary, P. W. D.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 19th June 1917.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.	*Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up				2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	2,13,00,000	0	0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* .	63,00,000	0	0			
				1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments				63,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	9,42,89,608	0	3			
Public Deposits at Branches	3,59,59,458	0	0	13,02,49,066	0	3
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				20,04,18,873	3	3
Bank Post Bills, etc. . .				13,48,771	8	0
Sundries				31,74,987	10	11
RUPEES .				37,64,91,698	1	5

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities . .				6,55,18,112	12	0
Other authorized Investments .				1,24,30,040	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .				7,55,54,843	7	6
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities				4,69,06,233	13	2
Bills discounted and purchased				2,50,81,933	8	10
Balances with other Banks .				32,50,235	8	2
Bullion				......		
Dead Stock				29,42,022	10	8
Stamps				11,308	12	9
Sundries . . .				3,95,304	6	4
				23,20,90,029	15	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office*	9,27,98,680	9	10			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches †	5,16,02,987	8	2	14,44,01,668	2	0
RUPEES .				37,64,91,698	1	5

			Rs.		
* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs.	value	Rs.	3,51,592	8	0
† Do. do.	do.	,,	5,30,295	0	0
		Rs.	8,81,887	8	0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 21st June 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 43·08

REPORTS OF DESERTIONS.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 2nd Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, dated at Preston, this 25th day of April 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—22440, Private, Albert Joseph Lemerle.
Age—23 years 3 months.
Height—5 feet 5½ inches.
Colour of—Complexion, brown; hair, dark and straight; eyes, brown.
Trade—Planter.
Date of Enlistment—23rd September 1915.
Place of Enlistment—Bangalore.
Parish and County in which born—Ootacamund, India.
Date of Desertion or absence—22nd December 1916.
Place of Desertion or absence—Cape Town, South Africa.

Marks—Scar in left groin. Tattoo marks clasped hands and anchor on right forearm. Cross anchor and heart left forearm Heart H. J. R. and 11-10-08 on upper left arm.
Information which might assist police in tracing deserter or absentee (*e.g.*, recent address of relations or employer before enlistment)—
(Mother) Mrs. Helen Lemerle,
c/o J. R. LEMERLE, Inspector, Salt and Abkari Depôt, Kasaragode, South Canara.
Under 2 years' service.

C. H. MURRAY, Captain for Lieut.-General,
Commanding, 9th (Secunderabad) Division.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 2nd King's (Liverpool) Regiment attached to Signal Units Depôt, dated at Poona, this 12th day of June 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—10259, Private William Kilshaw.
Age—About 29 years.
Height—5 feet 9 or 10 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh; hair, brown; eyes, grey.
Trade—General Labourer.
Date of Enlistment—13th March 1908.
Place of Enlistment—Gosport.
Parish and County in which born—Hull, Yorkshire.
Date of Desertion or absence—3rd June 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Poona.
Marks—Several marks of boils on chest and abdomen.
Under 10 years' service.

F. HYSLOP, Lieut.-Col.,
Commanding Signal Units Depôt.

Report of a Deserter or Absentee without leave from the 2-7th Battalion, Hampshire Regiment, dated at Deolali, this 18th day of June 1917.

Number, Rank, and Name—307409, Private Joseph Holman.
Age—32 years.
Height—5 feet 5 inches.
Colour of—Complexion, fresh, clean shaven; eyes, hazel; hair, dark brown.
Date of Desertion or absence—16th June 1917.
Place of Desertion or absence—Deolali.
Nose—Pointed.
Chin— „
Face—Hollow cheeks. Long.
Tattoo Marks—Full rigged ship on chest.

F. H. MATURIN, Lieut.-Col.,
Commanding 2-7th Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.

SURVEY OF INDIA—EASTERN CIRCLE.

NOTIFICATION.

Shillong, the 19th June 1917.

No. 2.—Mr. Dhirendra Nath Banerji, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for 3 months under Articles 246 and 260, Civil Service Regulations, from 19th June 1917.

R. T. CRICHTON, Lt.-Col., I.A.,
Superintendent, Eastern Circle.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 19th June 1917.

No. 1247-G.—Mr. S. J. Samson, officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, in the office of the Controller of Military Accounts, 5th (Mhow) Division, reverts to his own grade with effect from the 7th June 1917.

No. 1248-G.—The leave on medical certificate for three months granted to Major C. J. G. Bird, I.A., Military Accountant, 4th class, Military Accounts Department, in notification No. 2292-G., dated the 25th September 1916, is converted into combined leave in India, the first 60 days being privilege leave and the remaining period leave under the leave rules of 1886 for the Indian Army.

B. W. MARLOW, Colonel,
Military Accountant-General.

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POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 14th June 1917.

No. 1407-*s-Ap*.—This office notification No. 850-s-Ap., dated the 18th April 1917, is cancelled.

No. 1414-*s-Ap*.—Mr. N. S. Smith, Probationary Superintendent of post offices, United Provinces, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 25th May 1917 and until further orders.

The 15th June 1917.

No. 1421*s-Ap*.—Mr. N. T. Bray, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 4th grade, and Assistant Director, Postal Services, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, is granted special leave on full pay for three months with effect from the 19th April 1917, under Army Department letter No. H-5332, dated the 4th June 1915.

No. 1432*s-Ap*.—Mr. H. F. P. Dwyer, Assistant Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 1st grade, and sub.*pro tem*. Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from the 26th May 1917. Mr. Rajkumar Lall, Head Assistant, Office of the Inspector General, Railway Mail Service and Sorting, Southern Circle, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. H. F. P. Dwyer or until further orders.

The 16th June 1917.

No. 1447*s-Ap*.—Babu Nalini Kanta Roy, Superintendent of post offices, 4th grade, is granted privilege leave for two months with effect from the 2nd June 1917.

Mr. Faizur Rahman, Probationary Superintendent of post offices, Bengal and Assam, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Babu Nalini Kanta Roy, or until further orders.

2. This supersedes this office Notification No. 1080s-Ap., dated the 14th May 1917.

W. MAXWELL,

Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH ENGINEERING.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 12th June 1917.

No. 1171-*s-E.—E*.—The following officiating promotions in the upper subordinate establishment (Engineering Branch) are sanctioned with effect from the dates specified :—

Names	From	To	With effect from
Mr. J. T. Shave	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, 1st class, officiating.	6th to 17th February 1917.
Mr. W. Poole	Ditto	Ditto	1st March to 8th April 1917.
Mr. W. G. Bunyan	Ditto	Ditto	9th April 1917.

The 14th June 1917.

No. 1249-*s-E.—E*.—Mr. C. T. O'Brien, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, is granted special (field) leave for three months with effect from the 14th May 1917 under Army Department letter No. H. 5332, dated the 4th June 1915.

Simla, the 16th June 1917.

No. 1305s-*E.-E.*—Mr. H. R. Khan, Deputy Superintendent, Engineering, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for three months with effect from the 3rd January 1917.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

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(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 19th June 1917.

No. 3378-*T.*—Mr. A. H. Raikes, who was appointed Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 1st class, in Notification No. 2830-T., dated the 16th May 1917, reverted to the grade of Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class, with effect from the 2nd June 1917.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

Calcutta, the 20th June 1917.

No. 3412-*T.*—Reports of opening and closing of offices received during the period 14th June 1917 to 20th June 1917—

Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
	Government Telegraph Offices.		
Nandikotkur	Madras	6th June 1917	Opened.
Sharakpur	Punjab	6th June 1917	Closed.
	Railway Telegraph Offices.		
Gunna Kalan	North-Western Railway	1st June 1917	Opened.
Pan-aing	Burma Railway	26th May 1917	Opened.

The following alterations in the names of Government Telegraph Offices are notified :—

"Ramnagar (Naini Tal)" instead of Ramnagar (Moradabad)."

"Tirukattupalli" instead of "Tirucattupalli."

W. SUTHERLAND,
Deputy Director-General, Telegraph Traffic.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CURRENCY.

The following is a statement of the cash balances at the Home Treasury of the Government of India on the last day of March 1917 and of the form in which they were held :—

	General Balance.	Gold Standard Reserve.
	£	£
Cash at the Bank of England	1,892,531	...
Short loans	3,498,544	6,001,456
Total Home Treasury balances as shown in the accounts	5,391,075	6,001,456
	11,392,531	

E. M. COOK,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

THE TREASURY;
Calcutta, the 22nd June 1917.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CURRENCY.

No. B. R.-1156.—Preliminary Account of Receipts and Disbursements of the Government of India for the year of 1916-1917 as compared with 1915-1916.

ENGLAND.						RECEIPTS.	INDIA.					
Whole year.		April to March Preliminary.					Whole year.		April to March Preliminary.			
Accounts, 1915-1916.	Revised, 1916-1917.	1915-1916	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.		Accounts 1915-1916	Revised, 1916-1917	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.
£	£	£	£	£	£	**Revenue.**	R	R	R	R	R	R
						PRINCIPAL HEADS OF REVENUE.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Land Revenue (including that due to Irrigation)	35,70,73,000	35,64,86,000	36,03,07,000	36,09,23,000	6,16,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Opium	2,87,63,000	4,72,97,000	2,74,47,000	4,43,62,000	1,69,15,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Salt	5,47,14,000	7,17,99,000	5,46,18,000	7,22,09,000	1,75,91,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Stamps	8,15,04,000	8,70,14,000	7,96,14,000	8,47,54,000	51,40,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Excise	12,94,83,000	13,72,38,000	12,92,16,000	13,79,54,000	87,38,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Customs	8,81,08,000	12,93,86,000	8,78,96,000	12,97,00,000	4,18,04,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Other Heads	8,00,16,000	10,63,92,000	7,92,91,000	10,86,83,000	2,93,92,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	TOTAL PRINCIPAL HEADS	81,96,01,000	93,56,02,000	81,83,89,000	93,85,90,000	12,02,01,000	...
204,100	261,400	204,100	275,200	71,100	...	Interest	1,38,85,000	1,27,31,000	1,30,42,000	1,25,27,000	...	5,15,000
19,200	44,400	19,200	21,300	2,100	...	Posts and Telegraphs and Mint	5,80,58,000	7,13,53,000	5,65,29,000	6,56,02,000	90,73,000	...
1,100	1,300	1,100	1,100	...	...	Receipts by Civil Departments	2,38,62,000	2,53,95,000	2,34,96,000	2,44,92,000	9,96,000	...
66,400	66,300	66,000	64,500	...	1,500	Miscellaneous	91,96,000	1,11,03,000	65,33,000	1,18,97,000	53,64,000	...
74,500	184,300	74,500	184,500	110,000	...	Railways	57,28,97,000	62,24,42,000	57,28,97,000	62,57,05,000	5,28,08,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Irrigation (excluding Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	4,50,80,000	4,83,59,000	4,21,75,000	4,59,62,000	37,87,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Other Public Works	45,61,000	47,01,000	41,99,000	46,89,000	4,90,000	...
339,900	331,900	339,900	330,800	...	9,100	Military Receipts	1,35,28,000	1,70,68,000	1,17,75,000	1,63,70,000	45,95,000	...
705,200	889,600	704,800	877,400	172,600	...	TOTAL REVENUE	1,55,99,83,000	1,74,87,55,000	1,54,90,35,000	1,74,58,34,000	19,67,99,000	...
						Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Capital subscribed by Native States towards outlay on State Railways.	10,00,000	10,00,000	10,00,000	10,00,000		...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Capital of Railway Companies (net Receipts)	1,45,69,000	20,40,000	1,45,69,000	22,22,000	...	1,23,47,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	TOTAL	1,55,69,000	30,40,000	1,55,69,000	32,22,000	...	1,23,47,000
						Debt, Deposits and Advances.						
...	...	...	...	...	...	Permanent Debt (net incurred)	4,93,32,000	10,78,86,000	4,93,32,000	12,32,33,000	7,39,01,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Temporary do. (do.)	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Unfunded do. (do.)	1,34,98,000	2,51,24,000	62,06,000	1,54,79,000	92,73,000	...
5,789,400	862,700	5,789,400	774,300	...	5,015,100	Deposits and Advances (net)	...	59,09,000	...	34,97,000	34,97,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans and advances by Imperial Government	73,64,000	42,20,000	88,19,000	44,98,000	...	43,21,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Do. do. by Provincial Governments	2,33,40,000	2,18,37,000	2,38,57,000	2,12,07,000	...	26,50,000
...	...	...	...	...	...	Loans to Local Boards	1,16,000	1,20,000	1,16,000	1,20,000	4,000	...
21,408,500	16,720,300	21,427,900	16,658,700	...	4,769,200	Remittances (net)		...	...	...	...	...
4,590,100	9,662,000	4,590,100	9,663,300	5,073,200	...	Secretary of State's bills drawn	..	...	.	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	Drafts on London (net)	7,00,20,000	...	7,00,20,000	..	...	7,00,20,000
31,788,000	27,252,000	31,807,400	27,102,300	...	4,705,100	TOTAL	16,36,70,000	16,45,96,000	15,83,50,000	16,80,34,000	96,84,000	...
32,493,200	28,141,600	32,512,200	27,979,700	...	4,532,500	TOTAL RECEIPTS	1,73,92,22,000	1,91,63,91,000	1,72,29,54,000	1,91,70,90,000	19,41,36,000	
7,913,200	12,803,300	7,913,200	12,803,300	4,890,100		Opening Balance	22,16,90,000	18,02,41,000	22,16,90,000	18,02,41,000	...	4,14,49,000
40,406,400	40,944,900	40,425,400	40,783,000	357,600	..	GRAND TOTAL	1,96,09,12,000	2,09,66,32,000	1,94,46,44,000	2,09,73,31,000	15,26,87,000	...

ENGLAND						DISBURSEMENTS.	INDIA.					
WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO MARCH PRELIMINARY.					WHOLE YEAR.		APRIL TO MARCH PRELIMINARY.			
Accounts, 1915-1916.	Revised, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.		Accounts, 1915-1916.	Revised, 1916-1917.	1915-1916.	1916-1917.	Increase.	Decrease.
£	£	£	£	£	£	**Expenditure.**	R	R	R	R	R	R
97,900	113,700	98,300	117,500	19,200	...	Direct Demands on the Revenue	14,05,41,000	14,06,70,000	13,84,32,000	13,85,13,000	81,000	...
2,316,600	1,987,800	2,316,600	2,106,100	...	210,500	Interest (including in India that on Capital Expenditure on Railways and Irrigation Works)	6,72,29,000	6,72,06,000	5,97,54,000	6,03,02,000	5,48,000	...
150,100	394,000	150,000	327,500	177,500	...	Posts and Telegraphs and Mint	4,63,34,000	5,00,11,000	4,26,71,000	3,97,94,000	...	28,77,000
379,800	495,400	382,800	443,700	60,900	...	Salaries and Expenses of Civil Departments	27,73,27,000	28,70,30,000	28,08,40,000	27,75,06,000	...	33,34,000
2,469,700	2,559,900	2,456,000	2,633,400	177,400	...	Miscellaneous Civil Charges	3,95,85,000	4,19,51,000	4,14,24,000	4,63,22,000	48,98,000	...
5,600	2,200	5,600	1,100	...	4,500	Famine Relief and Insurance	1,49,17,000	1,49,67,000	94,24,000	79,39,000	...	14,85,000
9,378,200	9,582,400	9,378,200	9,471,600	93,400	...	Railway Revenue Account (excluding in India interest on Capital Expenditure)	30,79,47,000	31,45,19,000	30,82,04,000	31,46,15,000	64,11,000	...
127,600	128,600	127,600	121,000	..	6,600	Irrigation Revenue Account (excluding in India interest on Capital Expenditure	3,40,42,000	3,27,91,000	3,25,85,000	3,14,85,000	...	11,00,000
50,100	52,000	49,800	53,200	3,400	...	Other Public Works	8,10,24,000	6,94,67,000	7,90,89,000	6,70,60,000	...	1,20,29,000
5,133,500	5,867,400	5,143,000	5,872,400	729,400	...	Military Services	27,55,44,000	31,13,61,000	21,13,66,000	21,96,90,000	83,21,000	...
20,109,100	21,218,400	20,107,900	21,147,500	1,039,600	...	TOTAL EXPENDITURE, IMPERIAL AND PROVINCIAL	1,28,47,90,000	1,32,99,63,000	1,20,37,89,000	1,20,32,26,000	...	5,63,000
...	...	...	.	...	...	*Add*—Provincial Surpluses, that is portion of allotments to Provincial Governments not spent by them in the year	+50,30,000	+2,46,18,000	..	...	.	...
...	...			...	...	*Deduct*—Provincial Deficits, that is portion of Provincial Expenditure defrayed from Provincial balances	−39,72,000	−5,12,000	.	...	...	...
20,109,100	21,213,400	20,107,900	21,147,500	1,039,600	..	TOTAL EXPENDITURE CHARGED AGAINST REVENUE	1,28,67,54,000	1,35,40,69,000	1,20,37,89,000	1,20,32,26,000	...	5,63,000
						Railway and Irrigation Capital not charged to Revenue.						
889,200	329,900	858,000	325,600	...	532,400	Capital outlay on Railways and Irrigation Works	1,84,15,000	2,33,03,000	1,81,49,000	3,29,01,000	1,47,52,000	...
1,017,800	459,700	1,017,800	395,600	..	622,200	Capital of Railway Companies (net payments)		...	...			...
9,900	22,300	9,900	21,800	11,900		Initial expenditure on new Capital at Delhi	48,21,000	36,66,000	48,14,000	36,27,000	...	11,87,000
1,916,900	811,900	1,915,700	743,000	.	1,172,700	TOTAL	2,32,36,000	2,69,69,000	2,29,63,000	3,65,28,000	1,35,65,000	...
						Debt Deposits and Advances						
909,000	500,000	909,000	500,000	.	409,000	Permanent Debt (net discharged		.	...	..	..	...
..	7,000,000	...	7,000,000	7,000,000	.	Temporary do do.	4,50,00,000	6,00,00,000	4,50,00,000	6,00,00,000	1,50,00,000	...
	...	...	...	...	...	Unfunded do. do	.	...		...	..	.
..	..	..	...	...	...	Deposits and Advances (net	3,37,000	...	6,44,95,000	...	...	6,44,95,000
.	..	...	...	...		Loans and advances by Imperial Government	71,87,000	47,25,000	70,31,000	47,72,000	...	22,59,000
	..	.	..	...	...	Do. do by Provincial Governments	1,87,17,000	1,31,25,000	1,92,13,000	1,23,01,000	.	69,12,000
	...	...	...	...	..	Remittances net	32,47,84,000	28,63,06,000	32,52,56,000	42,96,58,000	10,43,72,000	...
	...	..	..	...	..	Secretary of State's Bills paid	7,56,93,000	12,56,36,000	7,63,04,000	12,57,37,000	4,94,33,000	...
4,655,000	..	...	...	...	...	Do. do do. exchange	−9,97,000	−13,98,000	−16,08,000	−43,32,000	−27,24,000	...
		4,665,000	.	..	4,668,000	Drafts on London (net)	.	...	.	..	...	...
5,577,000	7,500,000	5,577,000	7,500,000	1,923,000	.	TOTAL	47,66,51,000	48,84,54,000	53,57,21,000	62,81,36,000	9,24,15,000	..
27,603,000	29,525,300	27,600,600	29,390,500	1,789,900		TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	1,78,06,71,000	1,86,94,92,000	1,76,24,73,000	1,86,78,93,000	10,54,17,000	...
12,803,400	11,419,600	12,824,800	11,392,500	..	1,432,300	Closing Balance	18,02,41,000	22,71,40,000	18,21,71,000	22,94,41,000	4,72,70,000	..
40,406,400	40,944,900	40,425,400	40,783,000	357,600		GRAND TOTAL	1,96,09,12,000	2,09,66,32,000	1,94,46,44,000	2,09,73,31,000	15,26,87,000	...

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	Quantity	Average net value per cwt.	Quantity.	Average net value per cwt.
	Cwt.	R a.	Cwt.	R a.
Sugar, crystallised, beet	...	...	2	20 0
" " and soft, refined in China	1,610	18 12	65,113	19 0
" " " " from Japan	22,718	17 4	257,524	18 4
" " " " from Egypt	...	...	...	...
" " " " from Java, 23 Dutch Standard and above.	308,083	16 12	3,706,679	17 8
" " " " from Java, 16 to 22 Dutch Standard.	70,844	15 4	1,841,414	.6 0
" " " " from Java, 15 Dutch Standard and under.	...	...	...	..
" " " " from Mauritius equal to 16 Dutch Standard and over.	126,728	16 12	427,297	17 0

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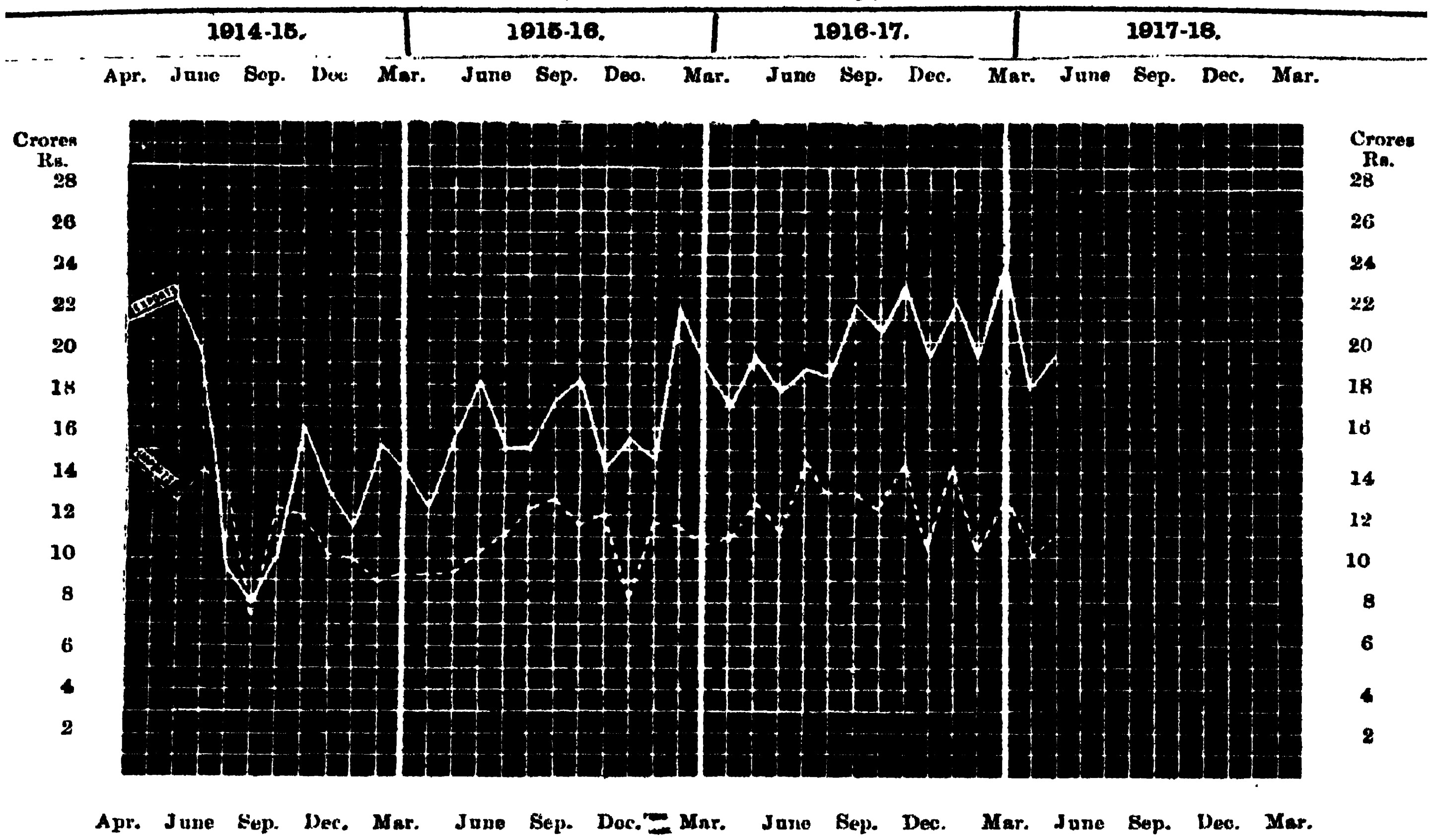
Foreign Sea-borne Trade during May, 1917.

The trade returns of British India for May, 1917, as compared with those of its immediate predecessor, showed increases in total imports, exports, and re-exports. The total imports of merchandise were valued at R11 crores, the exports, including those of wheat and tanned cow hides on Government account, at R19 crores, and the re-exports at over R66 lakhs. As compared with the preceding month (April, 1917), the imports increased by 7 per cent, the exports by 10 per cent, and the re-exports by 3 per cent. As compared with May, 1916, the imports showed a decrease of 13 per cent, the exports of ·2 per cent, and the re-exports of 20 per cent.

The chart showing the course of monthly imports and exports, including re-exports, from April, 1914, to May, 1917, is appended below:—

MONTHLY IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FROM APRIL, 1914, TO MAY, 1917.

(Private Merchandise only)



The actual net excess of exports, including re-exports, over imports was R7,52 lakhs in April, 1917, and R8,60 lakhs in May, 1917. The statement below shows the figures of imports and exports, including re-exports, during April and May, of the years 1915, 1916, and 1917, and the actual net excess of exports over imports during the same periods:—

	1915		1916		1917		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1915	1916	1917
	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)	R(lakhs)
April . . .	9,85	12,50	11,02	17,06	10 26	17,78(a)	3,15	6,04	7,52
May . . .	9,44	15,71	12,63	19,45	11,00	19,60(a)	6,27	6,82	8,60

(a) Includes the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account

Comparisons with April, 1917.—As compared with April, 1917, the most noticeable changes were :—

Under imports : *increases* under kerosene oil (+R12 lakhs), matches (+R10$\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs), iron and steel, sheets and plates (+R14 lakhs), cotton, grey piecegoods (+R38$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), and paper (+R14$\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs), but *decreases* under sugar, 16 D. S. and above (—R13$\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs), salt (- R12 lakhs), cotton, white piecegoods (—R25$\frac{3}{5}$ lakhs), and coloured piecegoods (—R47 lakhs).

Under exports : *increases* under barley (+R18$\frac{2}{3}$ lakhs), pulse (+R36$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), wheat (private and Government) (+R82 lakhs), tea (+R30 lakhs), raw hides (+R10 lakhs), groundnut seed (+R27 lakhs), raw cotton (+R47$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), raw jute (+R18 lakhs), indigo (+R10 lakhs), hides, tanned (+R26 lakhs), skins, tanned (R43$\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs), cotton, twist and yarn (+R40 lakhs), and jute gunny bags (+R21$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), but *decreases* under gram (- R15$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs), rice (—R40 lakhs), lac (—R 15 lakhs), raw skins (—R26 lakhs), raw wool (—R21 lakhs), cotton piecegoods (—R10$\frac{3}{8}$ lakhs), and jute gunny cloth (—R80$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs).

Comparisons with May, 1916.—As compared with May, 1916, the most noticeable changes were :—

Under imports: *increases* under sugar 16 D. S. and above (+R36$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs), aniline dyes (+R10 lakhs), paper (+R10 lakhs), iron and steel, sheets and plates (+R17 lakhs), and matches (+R10$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs), but *decreases* under salt (—R11$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs), textile machinery, cotton (—R12 lakhs), railway materials for construction (—R18$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs), cotton, grey piecegoods (R51 lakhs), white piecegoods (—R41 lakhs), and coloured piecegoods (—R29$\frac{3}{5}$ lakhs).

Under exports : *increases* under barley (+R14$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), gram (+R19 lakhs), pulse (+R42$\frac{2}{5}$ lakhs), wheat (private and Government) (+R2,03$\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs), tea, black (+R63$\frac{3}{8}$ lakhs), coffee (+R11 lakhs), groundnut seed (+R36 lakhs), raw hemp (+R15 lakhs), skins, tanned (+R87 lakhs), cotton, twist and yarn (+R37$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs), and cotton piecegoods (+R14$\frac{3}{5}$ lakhs), but *decreases* under rice (—R50$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs), lac (—R13$\frac{2}{5}$ lakhs), raw hides (—R68$\frac{3}{5}$ lakhs), copra or coconut kernel (—R23$\frac{2}{3}$ lakhs), linseed (—R14$\frac{2}{5}$ lakhs), sesamum seed (—R27 lakhs), raw cotton (—R31 lakhs), raw jute (R21$\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs), raw wool (—R19 lakhs), opium (—R25 lakhs), jute, gunny bags (—R63$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs), and gunny cloth (— R1,04 lakhs).

VARIATIONS IN CLASSES.

The variations in May, 1916 and 1917, as compared with April, 1916 and 1917, respectively, according to the four main classes of merchandise, are as follows :—

	April 1916 R(lakhs)	May 1916 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)	April 1917 R(lakhs)	May 1917 R(lakhs)	Increase(+) or decrease(—) R(lakhs)
IMPORTS						
1. Food, drink, and tobacco . .	1,54	1,59	+5	1,86	1,68	—18
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured . . .	80	64	—16	55	77	+22
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured . .	8,40	10,14	+1,74	7,45	8,22	+77
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified	28	26	—2	40	33	—7
Total .	11,02	12,63	+1,61	10,26	11,00	+74

Exports	April 1916 R (lakhs)	May 1916 R (lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R (lakhs)	April 1917 R (lakhs)	May 1917 R (lakhs)	Increase (+) or decrease (—) R (lakhs)
1. Food, drink, and tobacco . .	3,54	3,02	—52	5,20	6,21	+1,01
2. Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured . . .	8,16	8,88	+72	6,50	6,95	+45
3. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured . .	4,89	6,81	+1,92	5,25	5,63	+38
4. Miscellaneous and unclassified .	17	18	+1	19	15	—4
Total .	16,76	18,89	+2,13	17,14(a)	18,94(a)	+1,80

COMPARISON WITH THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF THE PRECEDING MONTH (APRIL, 1917).†

I.—Imports.

A DECREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF SUGAR AND OF SALT.

Sugar.

The imports of Food, drink, and tobacco in May, 1917, decreased by R18 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, decreased in May, 1917, to 26,646 tons, valued at over R88⅜ lakhs, from 29,727 tons, valued at nearly R1,02¼ lakhs, in the preceding month (April, 1917). The imports from Java and Japan decreased, while those from Mauritius and the Straits Settlements increased. In the two months, ended May, 1917, the imports of sugar, 16 D. S. and above, amounted to 56,373 tons, valued at R1,91 lakhs, as against 38,042 tons, valued at R1,19½ lakhs, in the corresponding period of the previous year. The imports of salt decreased in May, 1917, to 10,926 tons from 37,810 tons in the preceding month.

Salt.

AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF KEROSENE OIL.

Mineral oil.

The value of the imports of Raw materials in May, 1917, increased by R22 lakhs. Imports of mineral oil in May, 1917, showed an expansion to nearly 6 million gallons, valued at R 35 lakhs, from 3¼ million gallons, valued at R20 lakhs, in the preceding month. The quantity of kerosene oil imported increased to nearly 4 million gallons, from nearly 1½ million gallons, and the imports of other kinds of mineral oil, mainly lubricating and fuel oils, maintained the level of the preceding month and amounted to 2 million gallons, valued at R14¾ lakhs.

AN INCREASE IN THE IMPORTS OF MANUFACTURED ARTICLES.

Cotton goods.

The value of the imports of Manufactured articles increased by R 77 lakhs. The imports of cotton piecegoods, including fents, in May, 1917, decreased to 106 million yards, valued at R2,98½ lakhs, from 118⅛ million yards, valued at R3,34⅝ lakhs, in the preceding month. Grey goods increased by 14½ million yards to 54 million yards, but white goods decreased by 13⅜ million yards to 29 million yards, and coloured, printed, or dyed by 12⅛ million yards to 21¾ million yards. In the two months, ended May, 1917, the total imports of cotton piecegoods amounted to 221 million yards, valued at nearly R 6¼ crores, as against 372 million yards, valued at R7¾ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year. The imports of iron or steel sheets and plates increased in May, 1917, to 7,306 tons, valued at R 35⅝ lakhs, from 4,909 tons, valued at nearly R 22 lakhs, in the preceding month.

Iron or steel sheets and plates.

(a) Include the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account.

† Comparison is made with the previous month and not with the corresponding month of last year, owing to the present abnormal circumstances brought about by the war.

II.—Exports.

AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF WHEAT AND A DECREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RICE.

Rice, not in the husk.

Wheat.

The exports of Food, drink, and tobacco increased in May, 1917, by R1,01 lakhs, as compared with the preceding month. The exports of rice, not in the husk, decreased in May, 1917, to 86,210 tons, valued at R1,05$\frac{3}{8}$ lakhs, from 125,130 tons, valued at R1,43$\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs, in the preceding month. In the two months ended May, 1917, the exports amounted to 211,340 tons, valued at nearly R2$\frac{1}{2}$ crores, as against 282,737 tons, valued at R3$\frac{1}{4}$ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year. The exports of wheat (on private and Government account) increased in May, 1917, to R2,06 lakhs, from R1,24 lakhs in the preceding month. In the two months ended May, 1917, the exports (on private and Government account) amounted to R3,30$\frac{1}{4}$ lakhs, as against about R6 lakhs in the corresponding period of the previous year.

A HEAVY INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF TEA.

Tea.

The shipments of tea in May, 1917, increased to nearly 20 million lbs, valued at R1,14$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs, from 14$\frac{1}{2}$ million lbs, valued at nearly R85 lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom took nearly 9 million lbs in May, 1917, as against 7$\frac{1}{3}$ million lbs in April, 1917. The total exports in the two months ended May, 1917, amounted to 34$\frac{1}{3}$ million lbs, valued at nearly R2 crores, as against 26$\frac{1}{2}$ millions lbs, valued at R1$\frac{1}{2}$ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF RAW COTTON AND RAW JUTE.

Raw Cotton.

Exports of raw cotton

	April, 1917	May, 1917
	tons	tons
To Japan . . .	18,188	15,922
„ Italy . . .	186	2,811
„ United Kingdom .	2,742	4,042
„ France . . .	936	1,716
„ China . . .	645	1,191
Total (including other countries) .	23,874	27,648

The value of the exports of Raw materials increased by R45 lakhs. The marginal table shows the exports of raw cotton during April and May, 1917, to the principal importing countries. The shipments increased in May, 1917, to 27,648 tons, valued at R2,67$\frac{1}{3}$ lakhs, from 23,374 tons, valued at R2,19$\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom, France, China, and Italy took larger quantities, while Japan reduced her imports. In the two months ended May, 1917, the exports amounted to 51,022 tons, valued at nearly R5 crores, as against 83,131 tons, valued at R5$\frac{5}{8}$ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Raw Jute.

The exports of raw jute in May, 1917, increased to 27,300 tons, valued at R74$\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs, from 18,533 tons, valued at nearly R56$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs, in the preceding month. The United Kingdom took in May, 1917, 9,128 tons, as against 3,059 tons in April, 1917, and the United States of America 5,256 tons, as against 5,014 tons. In the two months ended May, 1917, the exports amounted to 45,833 tons, valued at nearly R1$\frac{1}{3}$ crores, as against 75,618 tons, valued at nearly R2$\frac{1}{3}$ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

AN INCREASE IN THE EXPORTS OF MANUFACTURED ARTICLES.

Jute gunny bags.

The value of the exports of Manufactured articles increased by R38 lakhs. The exports of jute gunny bags amounted in May, 1917, to 60 millions in number, or 28,822 tons in weight valued at R1,32$\frac{1}{2}$ lakhs, as against 38$\frac{3}{4}$ millions, or 24,821 tons, valued at R1,08 lakhs, in the preceding month. The exports of jute gunny bags in the two months ended May, 1917, amounted to nearly 99 millions in number, valued at nearly R2$\frac{1}{3}$ crores, as against 1,13 millions, valued at R3$\frac{3}{8}$ crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year. The exports of jute gunny cloth in May, 1917, amounted to nearly 62$\frac{1}{4}$ million yards, valued at R87$\frac{3}{4}$ lakhs, as against 1,13$\frac{1}{2}$ million yards, valued at nearly R1,68$\frac{1}{4}$ lakhs, in the preceding month. In the two months ended May, 1917, the exports amounted to 175$\frac{3}{5}$ million

Jute gunny cloth.

yards, valued at R2⅛ crores, as against 175½ million yards, valued at over R3 crores, in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Two months ended May, 1917.

The summary of the results for the two months ended May, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1915 and 1916, is as follows:—

	1915		1916		1917		Actual net excess of exports over imports		
	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	Imports	Exports, including re-exports	1915	1916	1917
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Merchandise (private)	18,79	28,21	23,65	36,51(a)	21,26	37,39(b)	9,42	12,86	16,13
Treasure (private)	2,86	11	2,23	49	1,83	7	—2,75	—1,74	—1,76

It will be seen that, during the two months ended May, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916, the imports of merchandise decreased by R2,39 lakhs or 10 per cent, but the exports, including re-exports, increased by R88 lakhs or 2 per cent. The total value of merchandise decreased by over R1½ crores, or 2 per cent, to over R58½ crores.

Chief increases and decreases.

Comparing the values of the imports and exports during the two months ended May, 1917, with those in the corresponding period of 1916, the chief increases and decreases are as follows:—

I.—Imports.

Increases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	71,51
	Cigarettes	7,94
Class II	Mineral oil (other than kerosene)	4,63
	Silk, raw	8,68
	Wood (timber)	7,62
Class III	Iron and steel—sheets and plates	13,64
Class III	Aniline dyes	12,90
	Cotton, coloured piecegoods	18,70
	" hosiery	6,78
	Silk, piecegoods	8,00
	Woollen piecegoods	8,77
	Matches	6,04

Decreases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Biscuits and cakes	8,00
	Salt	9,04
	Spices—cloves	6,54
Class II	Kerosene oil	30,35
Class III	Motor cars and motor cycles	4,85
	Chemicals	6,42
	Drugs and medicines	9,57
	Bars and channel (steel)	5,07
	Iron or steel—pipes and fittings, cast.	5,72
Class III	Railway carriages and wagons	12,39
	" locomotive engines, etc.	4,59
	" materials for construction	22,57
	Textile machinery (cotton)	7,81
	Cotton, twist and yarn	20,20
	" grey piecegoods	1,22,48
	" white piecegoods	45,74
	Tea chests	10,50
Class IV	Horses	16,98

II.—Exports.

Increases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Barley	38,95
	Gram	54,66
	Pulse	50,97
	Wheat (private and Government)	3,24,06
	Coffee	12,28
	Tea	46,22
Class II	Lac	7,56
	Skins (raw)	14,74
	Hemp (")	25,09
Class III	Skins, tanned	42,41
	Cotton, twist and yarn	65,56
	" piece goods	47,77

Decreases

Class	Article	R (thousands)
Class I	Rice	74,21
Class II	Coal	6,35
	Hides (raw)	84,68
	Manganese ore	7,49
	Castor seed	26,84
	Copra or coconut kernel	58,27
	Cotton seed	9,19
	Linseed	30,00
	Sesamum seed	33,97
Class II	Cotton (raw)	79,15
	Jute (")	1,01,66
	Wool (")	12,76
Class III	Opium	24 35
	Myrobalans	8,05
	Jute, gunny bags	1,18,09
	" " cloth	52,66
Class IV	Bran and pollards	3,48

(a) Includes the value of wheat exported on Government account.
(b) Includes the value of wheat and tanned cowhides exported on Government account.

Imports of Foreign Merchandise.

In the following table are shown the quantities and values of the principal articles of imports during the two months ended May, 1917, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1916:—

Principal Articles		Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (—) in the two months ended May, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916.	
		1916	1917	1916	1917	Quantity	Value
		(thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)
Apparel (excluding haberdashery, hosiery, and boots and shoes)		—	—	27,08	24,47	—	—2,61
Carriages and carts (including cycles and motor cars)		—	—	39,62	33,98	—	—5,64
Chemicals		—	—	32,85	26,43	—	—6,42
Coal	tons	4	11	98	3,24	+7	+2,26
Drugs and medicines		—	—	26,43	16,86	—	—9,57
Dyes, aniline and alizarine	lbs	36	207	1,26	14,64	+171	+13,38
Fruits and vegetables		—	—	6,93	8,73	—	+1,80
Glass and glassware		—	—	26,24	24,39	—	—1,85
Hardware		—	—	46,73	45,19	—	—1,54
Instruments, apparatus, etc.		—	—	31,77	28,06	—	—3,71
Liquors	gals.	799	580	39,19	39,07	—219	—12
Machinery of all kinds, including belting for machinery		—	—	1,07,83	80,67	—	—27,16
Matches	gross	2,033	2,179	19,08	25,12	+146	+6,04
Metals, iron and steel	tons	54	31	1,51,90	1,36,27	—23	—15,63
„ copper	cwts	5	4	4,70	5,46	—1	+76
Oils—mineral	gals.	14,929	9,169	80,90	55,19	—5,760	—25,71
Paper and pasteboard		—	—	33,68	34,36	—	+68
Provisions and oilman's stores		—	—	45,36	29,24	—	—16,12
Railway plant and rolling-stock		—	—	49,40	9,85	—	—39,55
Salt	tons	75	49	31,24	22,20	—[illegible]	—9,04
Spices	lbs	25,999	15,908	34,01	25,47	—10,091	—8,54
Stationery		—	—	12,60	13,18	—	+58
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	cwts	761	1,127	1,19,57	1,91,08	+366	+71,51
Textiles— Cotton, raw	„	1	2	25	79	+1	+54
„ twist and yarn	lbs	5,414	2,681	65,52	45,32	—2,733	—20,20
„ grey piece goods	yards	186,325	93,598	3,49,59	2,27,11	—92,727	—1,22,48
„ white „	„	113,843	71,693	2,24,45	1,78,71	—42,150	—45,74
„ coloured „	„	72,028	55,786	1,98,94	2,17,64	—16,242	+18,70
„ other sorts of manufactures		—	—	58,97	52,22	—	—6,75
Silk, raw	lbs	163	320	8,90	17,53	+157	+8,63
„ manufactures		—	—	49,06	60,71	—	+11,65
Woollen manufactures		—	—	20,19	27,53	—	+7,34

Exports of Indian Merchandise.

The table below shows the quantities and values of the principal articles of Indian merchandise exported during the two months ended May, 1917, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1916 :—

Principal Articles		Quantity		Value		Increase (+) or decrease (—) in the two months ended May 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916	
		1916	1917	1916	1917	Quantity	Value
		(thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	(thousands)	R (thousands)
Chemicals—saltpetre	cwts	107	80	20,39	15,97	—27	—4,42
Coal	tons	173	103	15,81	9,46	—70	—6,35
Coffee	cwts	50	79	27,89	40,17	+29	+12.28
Coir	,,	174	142	20,74	15,92	—32	—4,82
Dyes, indigo	,,	5	7	38,25	38,83	+2	+58
,, myrobalans	,,	238	85	12,73	4,68	—153	—8,05
Grain, pulse, and flour—							
Rice, in the husk	,,	203	141	6,05	4,26	—62	—1.79
,, not in the husk	,,	5,655	4,227	3,21,74	2,49,34	—1,428	—72.40
Wheat — Private	,,	—	—	3,05	5,82	—	+2,27
Wheat — Government	,,	—	—	3 13	3,24,92	—	+3,21.79
Wheat — Total	,,	—	—	6,18	3,30,24	—	+3,24,06
,, flour	,,	177	179	14,78	17 59	+2	+2.81
Barley	,,	439	1,075	26,17	60,12	+636	+38 95
Gram and maize	,,	43	1,766	2 46	91,64	+1,723	+89.18
Jawar and bajra	,,	97	89	4.87	4,15	—8	—12
Pulse	,,	316	968	24,69	75,66	+652	+50,97
Hides, raw	,,	222	110	1,77,12	92 44	—112	—84,68
Skins, raw	,,	103	95	1,03,61	1,18 35	—8	+14,74
Hides and skins, tanned or dressed—							
Hides (a) — Private	,,		5		6,13		
Hides (a) — Government	,,		45		64,70		
Hides (a) — Total	,,	52	50	69,12	70,83	—2	+1,71
Skins	,,	30	24	67,64	1,10,06	—6	+42,42
Total Hides and skins, tanned or dressed (including cow hides on Government account)	,,	82	74	1,36,76	1,80,89	—8	+44,13
Lac—shell	,,	85	45	46,71	56,83	—40	+10,12
Manures	tons	8	7	7,97	6,10	—1	—1.87
Manganese ore	—	—	—	20,16	12,67	—	—7,49
Wolfram ,,	—	—	—	15,82	13,81	—	—1,51
Mica	—	—	—	6,68	11,22	—	+4.54
Castor oil	gals.	532	363	8,23	5,82	—169	—2,41
Coconut oil	,,	1,076	872	21,32	19,09	—204	—2,23
Oilcakes	cwts	397	298	16,13	11.31	—99	—4.82
Opium	,,	3	1	43,67	19 32	—2	—24,35
Seeds—total	,,	3,564	2,155	3,20,20	1,96 41	—1,409	—1,23,79
Castor	,,	555	221	43,52	17,18	—334	—26,34
Copra	,,	358	77	67,00	13,73	—281	—53,27
Cotton seed	,,	250	6	9,45	26	—244	—9,19
Linseed	,,	1,015	547	82,51	52,51	—468	—30,00
Tea	lbs	26,443	34,298	1,53,12	1.99,34	+7,855	+46 22
Textiles—							
Cotton, raw	cwts	1,663	1,020	5,66,21	4,87.06	—643	—79,15
,, twist and yarn	lbs	16,154	25,562	71,14	1,36,70	+9,408	+65,56
,, piece goods	yards	26,144	41,141	51.79	99.56	+14,997	+47.77
Hemp, raw	cwts	133	184	27,14	52,23	+51	+25,09
Jute, raw	tons	76	46	2,32,99	1.31,13	—30	—1,01,86
,, gunny bags — Sacking	no.	54,634	30,492	2,07,71	1,28,11	—24,142	—79,60
,, gunny bags — Hessian	,,	58,510	68,172	1,50,97	1,12,48	+9,662	—38,49
,, gunny bags — Total	,,	113,144	98,664	3,58,68	2,40,59	14,480	—1,18,09
,, gunny cloth — Sacking	yards	9,885	4,781	19,02	8,39	—5,104	—10.63
,, gunny cloth — Hessian	,,	165,660	170,807	2,89,63	2,47,60	+5,147	—42,03
,, gunny cloth — Total	,,	175,545	175,588	3,08,65	2,55,99	+43	—52,66
Wool, raw	lbs	8,621	6,649	70,00	57,24	—1,972	—12,76
Wood, teak	cubic tons	4	3	6,97	7,18	—1	+21
other timber	,, ,,	...	...	18	17	...	—1

(a) Exports of tanned cow hides on Government account are shown separately from September, 1916

TRADE BY PROVINCES.

The total imports and exports, including re-exports, of private merchandise into and from the several maritime provinces during the month of May, 1917, as compared with those of April, 1917, are stated below :—

	IMPORTS		EXPORTS, INCLUDING RE-EXPORTS	
	April, 1917	May, 1917	April, 1917	May, 1917
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Bengal	3,52	4,72	5,83	6,05
Bombay	4,18	3,79	5,68	6,48
Sind	1,27	73	2,87	3,15
Madras	72	99	1,90	2,58
Burma	62	77	1,50	1,34
Total	10,26	11,00	17,78(a)	19,60(a)

Under imports, Madras showed an increase of 37 per cent, Bengal of 34 per cent, and Burma of 24 per cent, but Sind showed a decrease of 42 per cent and Bombay of 8 per cent. Under exports, Madras showed an increase of 36 per cent, Bombay of 14 per cent, Sind of 10 per cent, and Bengal of 4 per cent, while Burma showed a decrease of 11 per cent. These comparisons are with the preceding month (April, 1917).

TRADE WITH THE ALLIES AND NEUTRAL COUNTRIES.

The total trade with the Allies and the principal neutral countries in the month of May, 1917, as compared with April, 1917, is noted below :—

	Imports			Exports			Total		
	April, 1917	May, 1917	+ or —	April, 1917	May, 1917	+ or —	April, 1917	May, 1917	+ or —
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
United Kingdom	5,53	5,55	+2	4,35	5,61	+1,26	9,88	11,16	+1,28
Russia	...	...	...	1	57	+56	1	57	+56
Belgium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
France	25	24	—1	93	1,16	+23	1,18	1,40	+22
Italy	36	30	—6	9	60	+51	45	90	+45
Japan	1,03	1,48	+45	1,99	1,85	—14	3,02	3,33	+31
Sweden	...	15	+15	...	...	...	...	15	+15
Norway	1	10	+9	5	8	+3	6	18	+12
Holland	4	4	...	...	...	...	4	4	...
Spain	3	1	—2	19	...	—19	22	1	—21
United States of America	70	1,21	+51	3,05	1,78	—1,27	3,75	2,99	—76

It will be observed that in May, 1917, as compared with April, 1917, the total trade with the United Kingdom, Russia, France, Italy, Japan, Sweden, and Norway increased, while that with the United States and Spain decreased. The imports from the United Kingdom increased by R2 lakhs, and the exports thereto by R1,26 lakhs. The export trade with the United States of America decreased by R1,27 lakhs, while under imports there was an increase of R51 lakhs only.

BALANCE OF TRADE.

India's Balance of Trade during the two months ended May, 1917, as compared with the corresponding period of 1916, is shown in the appended table. The table takes into account the imports and exports of merchandise

(a) Includes the value of wheat and tanned cow hides exported on Government account

and treasure on private account only, as well as the value of wheat and tanned cowhides exported on Government account :

	Two months, April and May, 1916	Two months, April and May, 1917
	R (lakhs)	R (lakhs)
Exports of Merchandise, including Re-exports *	36,51(a)	37,39 (b)
Imports " *	23,65	21,26
Excess of Exports over Imports	12,86	16,13
Net Imports of Gold *	1,67	1,28
" " " Silver *	7	48
Net Imports of Treasure *	1,74	1,76
Net exports of merchandise and treasure*	11,12	14,37
Council bills and Telegraphic transfers paid in India	4,39	9,87
Sterling bills on London sold in India	...	...
Enfaced Rupee paper (net imports)	23·6	34·6
Interest on enfaced Rupee paper	2·7	3·4
	May (1916)	May (1917)
Average rate of exchange	d. 16·121	d 16·165(c)

In the two months, April and May, 1917, the excess of exports over imports of private merchandise was R16,13 lakhs, as against R12,86 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1916, and the net imports of treasure on private account were R1,76 lakhs as against R1,74 lakhs last year. The net exports (merchandise and treasure) were R14,37 lakhs, as against R11,12 lakhs in 1916.

The amount of Council Bills and Telegraphic Transfers paid in India in the two months ended May, 1917, was R9,87 lakhs, of which, R96¾ lakhs were paid through the Gold Standard Reserve, R8,73 lakhs through the Paper Currency Reserve, and 17¼ lakhs through the Treasuries. In the two months ended May, 1916, the amount was R4,39 lakhs, of which R3,06 lakhs were paid through the Paper Currency Reserve, and R1,33 lakhs through the Treasuries. In the two months ended May, 1915, the amount of Council Bills paid was R3,31⅘ lakhs. As regards enfaced Rupee paper, R45,000 represented the amount of paper enfaced to London, and R35 lakhs the amount re-transferred from London, in the two months, April and May, 1917, while in the corresponding period of 1916, R44,000 represented the amount of paper enfaced to London and R24 lakhs the amount re-transferred from London.

MOVEMENTS OF GOLD AND SILVER (PRIVATE AND GOVERNMENT).

In the month of May, 1917, the imports of gold were valued at nearly R95 lakhs and the exports at R5,900, as against over R33 lakhs and R9,600, respectively, in April, 1917. Of the imports, gold bullion was valued at R77⅓ lakhs as against *nil* in the preceding month, while sovereigns and other British gold coin were valued at R17⅓ lakhs, as against nearly R33 lakhs.

The imports of silver were valued at R3,11⅓ lakhs, of which R2,78⅓ lakhs were on Government account, as against over R2,41½ lakhs on both private and Government account in April, 1917. The exports of silver were valued

* Merchandise and treasure exclusive of Government transactions (other than "wheat" and "tanned cowhides" in the case of exports of merchandise).
(a) Include the value of wheat exported on Government account.
(b) Include the value of wheat and tanned cowhides exported on Government account.
(c) Approximate.

at nearly R37 lakhs, of which R33½ lakhs were on Government account, as against about R30 lakhs, both on private and Government account, in the preceding month.

DECLARED VALUE PER UNIT OF SELECTED ARTICLES.

The declared values per unit of certain selected articles imported and exported during May, 1915, 1916, and 1917, are noted below :—

		May								
		1915			1916			1917		
Imports		R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.
Coal	ton	14	1	4	24	2	9	28	13	5
Sugar, 16 D. S. and above	cwt	15	10	4	16	3	10	16	10	3
Cotton, twist and yarn	lb	0	12	10	1	4	0	1	11	7
" grey piecegoods	yard	0	2	4	0	3	1	0	3	11
" white "	"	0	2	3	0	3	2	0	4	3
" coloured "	"	0	3	11	0	4	7	0	6	3
Exports										
Coal	ton	8	14	11	9	7	8	9	4	1
Coffee	cwt	54	8	2	53	1	10	50	0	9

		May								
		1915			1916			1917		
Exports—contd.		R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.	R	A.	P.
Indigo	cwt	429	0	5	713	5	2	553	7	2
Rice, not in the husk	"	4	12	1	5	13	4	6	2	0
Wheat	"	6	13	10	5	8	2	6	6	7
Manganese ore	ton	16	14	3	23	1	5	18	13	6
Tea	lb	0	9	7	0	9	9	0	9	3
Cotton, raw	cwt	23	6	11	34	0	9	48	5	6
Jute, raw	bale	39	8	1	54	9	5	48	14	0
" gunny bags	no	0	4	6	0	5	3	0	3	6
" gunny cloth	yard	0	1	11	0	2	9	0	2	8

As compared with the corresponding month of the previous year (May, 1916), under imports, the declared unit value of coal rose in May, 1917, by 19 per cent, of sugar by 2 per cent, of cotton twist and yarn by 38 per cent, and of cotton piece goods, grey by 27 per cent, white by 34 per cent, and coloured by 36 per cent. Under exports, raw cotton showed an increase of 42 per cent, wheat (private and Government) of 16 per cent, and rice not in the husk of 5 per cent ; while manganese ore showed a decrease of 18 per cent, jute gunny cloth of 18 per cent, coal of 2 per cent, coffee of 6 per cent, indigo of 22 per cent, tea of 5 per cent, and raw jute of 10 per cent.

CUSTOMS REVENUE.*

The following table shows the gross Indian sea customs revenue (excluding salt revenue) collected on principal articles in May, 1917, as compared with April, 1917, and May, 1916 and 1914 :—

	May 1914 (pre-war month)	May 1916	April 1917	May 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—) in May, 1917, as compared with		
					April 1917	May 1916	May 1914
IMPORT DUTY	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)	R (thousands)
Special duties							
Arms	56	56(a)	36(a)	56(a)	+20	...	...
Liquors	10,71	11,11	7.74	7,89	+15	—3,22	—2,82
Petroleum	8,02	3,68(b)	2,57(b)	1,55(b)	—1 02	—2,13	—6,47
Silver bullion and coin	19,06	6,04	1,95	1.22	—73	— 4,82	—17,84
Silver manufactures	—	50	27	38	+ 11	— 12	—
Sugar	4,67	5,43(c)	8,65(c)	8,56(c)	— 9	+ 3,13	+ 3,89
Tobacco	2,38	3,52	4.20	5,60	+ 1,40	+ 2,08	+ 3,22
Duty at 2½ per cent							
Machinery	—	1,18	68	87	+ 19	—31	—
Metals—Iron and steel	1,50	1,42	1,18	1,77	+ 59	+ 35	+ 27
Railway plant, etc.	—	70	10	10	...	—60	—
Duty at 7½ per cent							
Articles of food, etc., excluding sugar	2,40	4,35	3,04	3,11	+ 7	—1,24	+ 71
Raw materials, etc.	1,68	2,61	3,14	3,37	+ 23	+ 76	+ 1,69
Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—							
Cotton manufactures	12,71	14,51	27,15	22.03	— 5.12	+ 7,52	+ 9,32
Others	16,72	25,53	18,48	23,61	+ 5,13	— 1,92	+ 6,89
Total (including other articles)	81,13	84,06	80 29	82,98	+ 2,69	—1,08	+ 1,85
EXPORT DUTY on jute	—	6,15	9,11	9,84	+ 73	+ 3,69	—
" " rice	7,87	7,51	5,72	4,69	—1,03	—2,82	— 3,18
" " tea	—	1,03	1,30	2,34	+ 1,04	+ 1,31	—

* The Indian Tariff (Amendment) Act, IV of 1916, took effect from 1st March, 1916.
(a) Excludes the 7½ per cent duty on explosives.
(b) " " " petroleum.
(c) " " " confectionery.

The customs duty figures are an index to the volume of the import trade as under exports jute, rice, and tea only are subject to duty. In the two months ended May, 1917, the import duties increased to R1,63¼ lakhs from R1,49½ lakhs in the two months ended May 1916, and the export duty rose to R33 lakhs from less than R26 lakhs. The total customs revenue (excluding salt but including excise duty on cotton manufactures and land customs) in the two months, April and May, 1917, amounted to about R2,05 lakhs, as compared with nearly R1,82½ lakhs in the same period of last year.

Railway Statistics.

Railway statistics, like the import and export statistics above, are a valuable index to the general movement of trade throughout the country, and show that the earnings from 1st April to 2nd June, 1917, were R13,26 lakhs, as against R12,49 lakhs in the corresponding period of 1916, or an increase of R77 lakhs.

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COTTON PRESS RETURN.

No. 16 of 1916-17.

I.—Cotton Press Return for India in the half-month ending 30th April, 1917.

(Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total estimated outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each) (*a*)	Percentage to total for India	Total number of presses in the Province or State	Number of presses for which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton pressed in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity pressed from 1st September, 1916, to 30th April, 1917, (bales of 400 lbs each) — Current year	Total quantity pressed … — Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	35·6	194	36	47,049	336,573	514,200
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	14·0	164	76	37,142	620,999	1,021,777
Madras	377,000	8·8	55	18	(*b*) 12,246	86,970	136,255
Punjab (including Native States)	333,000	7·8	92	2	2,063	160,313	188,082
United Provinces	309,000	7·2	80	2	267	244,273	234,168
Sind	74,000	1·7	16	3	3,436	52,597	47,514
Burma	45,000	1·1	16	(*g*)	...	40,048	24,175
Bihar and Orissa	16,000	0·4	...	...	...	...	...
Bengal	20,000	0·5	3	3	1,636	8,286	10,421
Assam	11,000	0·3	...	...	...	...	...
North-West Frontier Province	6,000	0·1	1	1	128	3,126	930
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	0·4	9	5	2,553	28,825	(*c*)
Delhi	...	...	1	1	46	1,113	1,248
TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (*d*)	3,329,000	77·9	631	147	106,566	1,583,123	2,178,770
Hyderabad	500,000	11·7	41	(*f*)	(*f*)	3,541	17,993
Central India	309,000	7·2	32	(*f*)	(*f*)	(*f*)	(*f*)
Rajputana	119,000	2·8	10	2	5,625	36,818	19,562
Mysore	16,000	0·4	3	(*f*)	(*f*)	6,025	17,179
TOTAL NATIVE STATES (*e*)	944,000	22·1	86	2	5,625	46,384	54,734
GRAND TOTAL	4,273,000	100	717	149	112,191	1,629,507	2,233,504

(*a*) The figures in column 2 are the estimates for 1916-17 as published in the Supplementary Memorandum on the Cotton crop of 1916-17, dated the 20th March, 1917.
(*b*) Figures for the weeks ending 21st and 28th April, 1917.
(*c*) No returns received.
(*d*) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*e*) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*f*) Returns not received from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.
(*g*) Season closed.

II.—Return of Cotton received in the Mills in India in the half-month ending 30th April, 1917. (Season 1916-17, *i.e.*, from 1st September, 1916, to 31st August, 1917.)

Province or State	Total number of mills in the Province or State	Number of mills from which returns have been received for the half-month	Quantity of cotton received in the half-month (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total quantity received from 1st September, 1916, to 30th April, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	
				Current year	Previous year
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	177	26	12,251	175,551	245,203
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	10	9	956	40,537	74,557
Madras	14	7	(*a*) 6,254	68,667	66,754
Punjab	3	1	141	4,927	9,365
United Provinces	15	(*b*)	(*b*)	19,450	41,638
Sind	3	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)	(*b*)
Bengal	10	9	7,223	55,980	43,294
Ajmer-Merwara	2	2	506	37,642	(*b*)
Delhi	2	2	1	9,180	11,262
TOTAL BRITISH PROVINCES (*c*)	236	56	27,332	411,934	492,073
Hyderabad	3	1	39	4,042	3,910
Central India	3	1	1,485	19,861	13,129
Rajputana	1	(*e*)	(*e*)	(*e*)	(*e*)
Mysore	2	(*e*)	(*e*)	1,337	2,200
TOTAL NATIVE STATES (*d*)	9	2	1,524	25,240	19,239
GRAND TOTAL	245	58	28,856	437,174	511,312

***Note.*—This statement shows the quantity of *unpressed* cotton received in the mills, the quantity of pressed cotton coming through the presses not being taken into account, as this is included in statement I.**

(*a*) Figures for the weeks ending 21st and 28th April, 1917.
(*b*) No returns received.
(*c*) Including Native States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*d*) Excluding States situated within provincial boundaries.
(*e*) Returns not received from the Bombay Chamber of Commerce.

III.—Total quantity of cotton pressed in the Pressing Factories and of unpressed cotton received in the Spinning Mills, from 1st September, 1916, to 30th April, 1917, in *British Provinces (including Native States within Provincial boundaries).*

Province	Total estimated outturn of cotton crop (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of cotton pressed up to 30th April, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Quantity of unpressed cotton received in spinning mills up to 30th April, 1917 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Total of columns 3 and 4 (bales of 400 lbs each)	Percentage ratio of col. 5 to col. 2
1	2	3	4	5	6
Bombay (including Native States) and Baroda	1,519,000	336,573	175,551	512,124	33
Central Provinces and Berar (including Native States)	600,000	620,999	40,537	661,536	110
Madras	377,000	86,970	68,667	155,637	41
Punjab (including Native States) } North-West Frontier Province } Delhi }	339,000	164,552	14,107	178,659	52
United Provinces	309,000	244,273	19,450	263,723	85
Sind	74,000	52,597	...	52,597	71
Burma	45,000	40,048	...	40,048	89
Bengal } Bihar and Orissa } Assam }	47,000	8,286	55,980	64,266	136
Ajmer-Merwara	19,000	28,825	37,642	66,467*	349
TOTAL	3,329,000	1,583,123	411,934	1,995,037	5[illegible]

***Note.*—This table contains the totals of tables I and II excluding Hyderabad, Central India, Rajputana, and Mysore**

* Includes cotton received from the adjoining States in Rajputana.

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Joint Stock Companies.

APRIL, 1917.

Table 1.

Abstract Statement of Companies incorporated in British India and the Mysore State and registered in the month of April, 1917.

Classification	Number of Companies	Aggregate authorised Capital
		(Rs. 1,000)
Banking and Loan Companies	8	4,65
Railways and Tramways Company	1	1,00
Landing, Shipping, and Warehousing Company	1	5,00
Trading Companies other than those specified above	5	10,00
Rice Mills Company	1	1,50
Tea Planting Companies	5	13,00
Planting Company other than those specified above	1	1,00
Coal Mining Companies	12	9,00
Company other than those specified above	1	2,00
GRAND TOTAL	25	47,15

Table 2.

Detailed statement showing particulars of Joint Stock Companies incorporated in British India and the Mysore State and registered in the month of April, 1917.

No.	Class and Name	Situation of Registered Office	Objects	Authorised capital
	I.—Banking, Loan, and Insurance.			Rs.
1	Friends' Union Bank	Shillong, Assam	Banking and loan	20,000
2	Khulna Kayastha Bank	Bengal	Banking	25,000
3	Bhanga Loan Office	Bhanga, Bengal	„	20,000
4	Nator United Bank	Nator, „	„	1,00,000
5	Gaybari Loan Office	Sonatoli, Rangpur, Bengal	„	30,000
6	Belka Loan Office	Belka, Bengal	„	30,000
7	Coimbatore Mahajana Bank	Coimbatore, Madras	Banking and loan	2,00,000
8	Nayar Bank	Tripriar „	„ „ „	40,000
	Total Banking, Loan, and Insurance	......	......	4,65,000
	II.—Trading.			
	(a) Railways and Tramways.			
9	Nasik Tramway Co.	Bombay	Constructing and working a tramway.	1,00,000
	(b) Landing, Shipping, and Warehousing.			
10	Fraser & Co.	Calcutta, Bengal	Boating, landing, and shipping.	5,00,000

Table 2—*contd.*

Detailed Statement showing particulars of Joint Stock Companies incorporated in British India and the Mysore State and registered in the month of April 1917—*contd.*

No.	Class and Name	Situation of Registered Office	Objects	Authorised capital
				Rs.
	II—Trading—*contd.*			
	(*c*) *Others.*			
11	Chari & Co.*	Calcutta, Bengal	Tanning and manufacturing leather goods, etc.	50,000
12	Bengal Aerating Gas Factory	" "	Manufacturing liquid carbonic acid gas and oxygen, etc.	6,50,000
13	Entente Agency (India)	Bombay	General trade and agency	1,00,000
14	Udipi Sri Krishna Transport Co.	Mangalore, Madras	Carrying passengers and goods, etc.	1,00,005
15	Tile and Sanitary Works†	Thirthalli, Mysore	Manufacturing earthen ware	1,00,000
	Total, others	......	......	10,00,005
	Total, Trading	......	......	16,00,005
	III.—Mills and Presses.			
16	Bari Ghat Milling Co.*	Mangalgarh, Bihar and Orissa	Planting, milling rice, and manufacturing sugar, etc.	1,50,000
	IV.—Tea and other Planting Companies.			
	(*a*) *Tea.*			
17	Saroda Tea Company	Jalpaiguri, Bengal	Planting tea, etc.	3,00,000
18	Mirzapore Tea Company	Calcutta, "	" "	2,00,000
19	Saraswatipur Tea Company	Jalpaiguri, "	" "	2,00,000
20	Eastern Dooars Tea Company	Calcutta, "	" "	3,00,000
21	Sidley Dooars Tea Company	" "	" "	3,00,000
	TOTAL, TEA	......	......	13,00,000
	(*b*) *Others.*			
22	Burdwan Planting Timber and Trading Company*	Benakuri, Burdwan, Bengal	Planting myrabollam trees, etc.	1,00,000
	TOTAL, TEA AND OTHER PLANTING COMPANIES.	......	......	14,00,000
	V.—Mining and Quarrying.			
23	Kosta Collieries	Calcutta, Bengal	Mining coal, etc.	8,00,000
24	Niga Valley Collieries	" "	" "	1,00,000
	TOTAL, MINING AND QUARRYING.	......	......	9,00,000
	VI.—Others.			
25	The Bijou*	Calcutta, Bengal	Carrying on the business of theatre proprietors	2,00,000
	GRAND TOTAL.	......	......	47,15,005

* Registered as a private company.
† Registered under the Mysore Regulation III of 1895.

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IMPORTS INTO CHIEF PORTS DURING APRIL, 1917

RETURN SHOWING the QUANTITIES of the PRINCIPAL STAPLES of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE IMPORTED into CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, KARACHI, and MADRAS PORTS by RAIL, RIVER, and SEA during APRIL, 1917

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TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN SELECTED ARTICLES IN APRIL, 1917.

The object of the tables appended is to show the quantities of the principal staples of agricultural produce imported from the various provinces, etc., and from foreign countries into the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, and Karachi, and into the Madras ports during the month of April, 1917, as compared with the corresponding month of 1916. The statis'ics include the foreign sea-borne and coasting trade as well as the inland (rail and river-borne) trade. They have been furnished by Collectors of Customs, Steamer Companies, Railway Audit Officers, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, etc.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN APRIL 1916 AND 1917.

It will be seen from Table I, that the imports by rail, river, and sea in April, 1917, as against the corresponding month of 1916, show (in round numbers) an increase of—

310 per cent in tea
(9,865,200 lbs as against 2,406,200 lbs last year).

228 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour)
(171,100 tons as against 52,100 tons last year).

51 per cent in raw cotton
(502,400 bales as against 331,800 bales last year).

33 per cent in gram and pulse
(69,300 tons as against 52,000 tons last year).

The imports of rape and mustard seed by rail, river, and sea into ports show a fall of 47 per cent (21,000 tons as against 39,800 tons last year) due mainly to smaller exports from the United Provinces. The decrease of 46 per cent (32,500 tons as against 60,300 tons last year) in the imports of linseed is accounted for by smaller exports mainly from Bihar and Orissa and the United Provinces. The imports of jute into Calcutta show a decrease of 23 per cent (152,000 bales as against 198,800 bales last year), owing to smaller exports from Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. The fall of 10 per cent (106,600 tons as against 118,700 tons last year) in the imports of rice (including paddy) into ports is mainly due to smaller exports from the Madras Presidency and Burma.

It will be seen from Table IV (wheat, excluding wheat flour) that the principal sources of the imports in April, 1916, were the United Provinces and the Central Provinces and Berar. During the corresponding month of 1917, the provinces from which the ports received their supplies were mainly the Punjab (29 per cent of the total), the United Provinces (17 per cent), the Central Provinces and Berar (17 per cent) and Rajputana and Central India (15 per cent). Table XI shows the *exports* out of India of wheat (including wheat flour) month by month during the last six years.

NOTE.—One bale of cotton or jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.
One maund is equivalent to 82⅐ lbs.
One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice.

TRADE FLUCTUATIONS IN APRIL, 1916, AS COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS MONTH.

As compared with March, 1917, the imports in April, 1917, into the ports referred to above show (in round numbers) an increase of—

75 per cent in rape and mustard seed
(21,000 tons as against 12,000 tons previous month).

67 per cent in wheat (excluding wheat flour)
(171,100 tons as against 102,200 tons previous month).

53 per cent in linseed
(32,500 tons as against 21,200 tons previous month).

15 per cent in gram and pulse
(69,300 tons as against 60,200 tons previous month).

14 per cent in raw cotton
(502,400 bales as against 438,800 bales previous month).

and a decrease of—

40 per cent in jute
(152,000 bales as against 253,700 bales previous month).

39 per cent in tea
(9,865,200 lbs as against 16,150,500 lbs previous month).

3 per cent in rice (including paddy)
(106,600 tons as against 109,500 tons previous month).

The Statistics for the month of April, 1916 and 1917, together with those for March, 1917, and April, 1917, are summarised below :—

SUMMARY TABLE I.

(1) Articles	(2) Imports, April, 1916	(3) Imports, April, 1917	(4) Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in April, 1917, as compared with April 1916
	bales	bales	Per cent
Cotton, raw	331,821	502,431	+51·4
	tons	tons	
Wheat (excluding wheat flour)	52,087	171,076	+228·4
Rice (including paddy)	118,722	106,598	—10·2
Gram and Pulse	51,958	69,287	+33·4
Linseed	60,349	32,479	—46·2
Rape and Mustard seed	39,758	21,031	—47·1
	bales	bales	
Jute	198,774	151,978	—23·5
	lbs	lbs	
Tea	2,406,248	9,865,159	+310

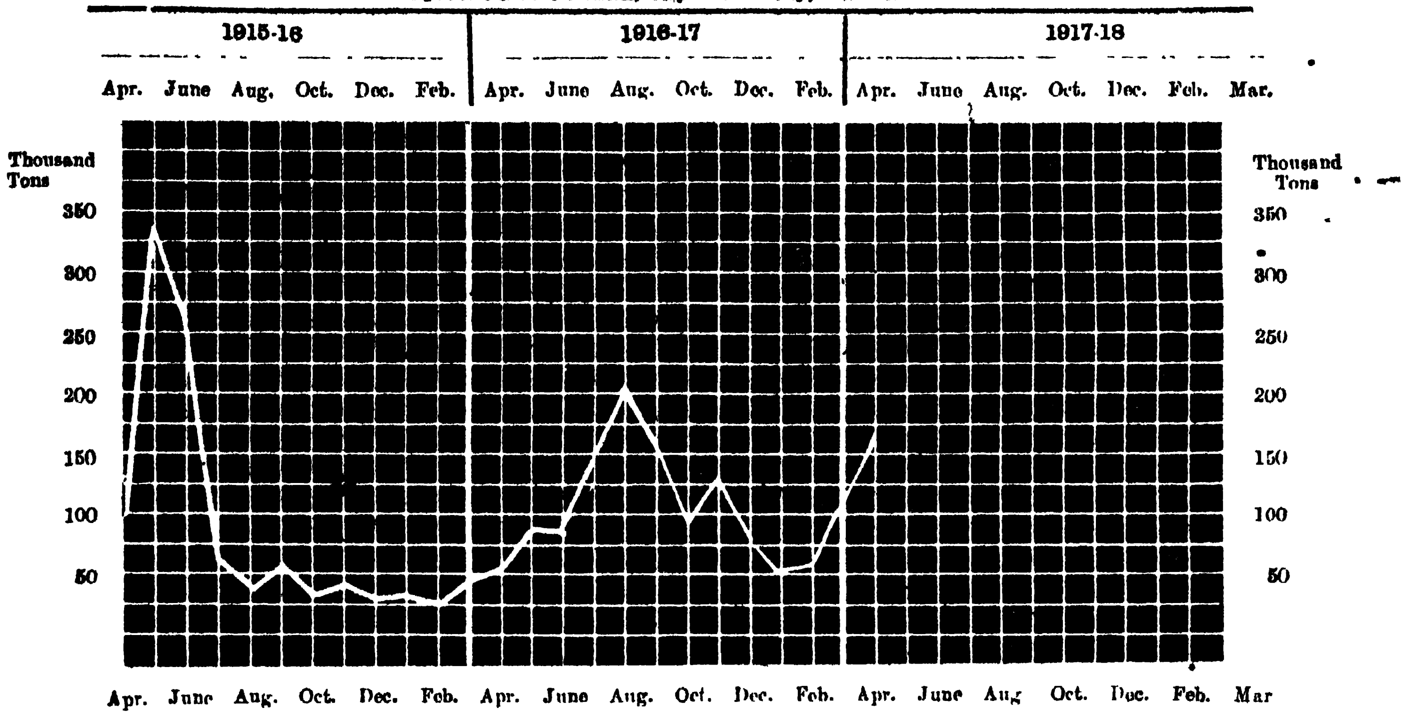
SUMMARY TABLE II.

Articles	Imports, March, 1917	Imports, April, 1917	Increase (+) or decrease (—) of imports in April, 1917, as compared with March, 1917
	bales	bales	Per cent
Cotton, raw	438,772	502,431	+ 14·5
	tons	tons	
Wheat (excluding wheat flour)	102,156	171,076	+ 67·5
Rice (including paddy)	109,492	106,598	—2·6
Gram and Pulse	60,226	69,287	+15
Linseed	21,203	32,479	+ 53·2
Rape and Mustard seed	12,031	21,031	+ 74·8
	bales	bales	
Jute	253,735	151,978	—40·1
	lbs	lbs	
Tea	16,150,538	9,865,159	—38·9

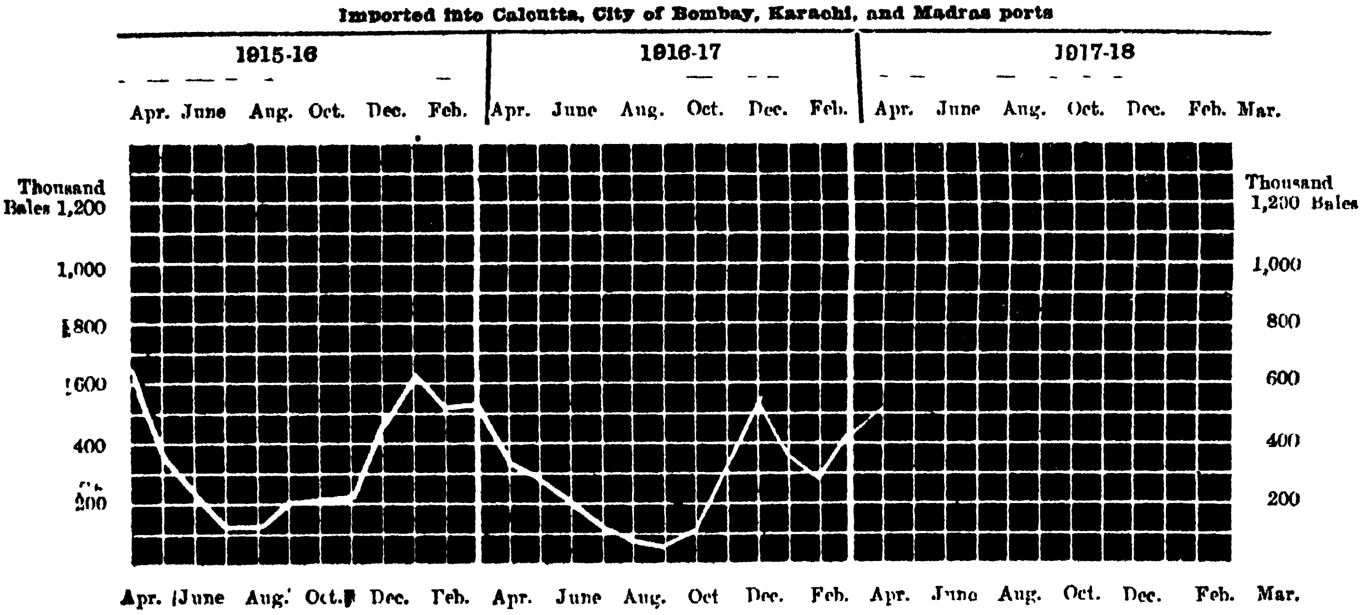
The annexed charts show the course of the monthly imports of wheat, cotton, and jute from April, 1915, to April, 1917 :—

IMPORTS BY RAIL, RIVER, AND SEA OF WHEAT, COTTON, AND JUTE FROM APRIL, 1915, TO APRIL, 1917

WHEAT
Imported into Calcutta, City of Bombay, and Karachi



COTTON (RAW)
Imported into Calcutta, City of Bombay, Karachi, and Madras ports



JUTE (RAW)
Imported into Calcutta

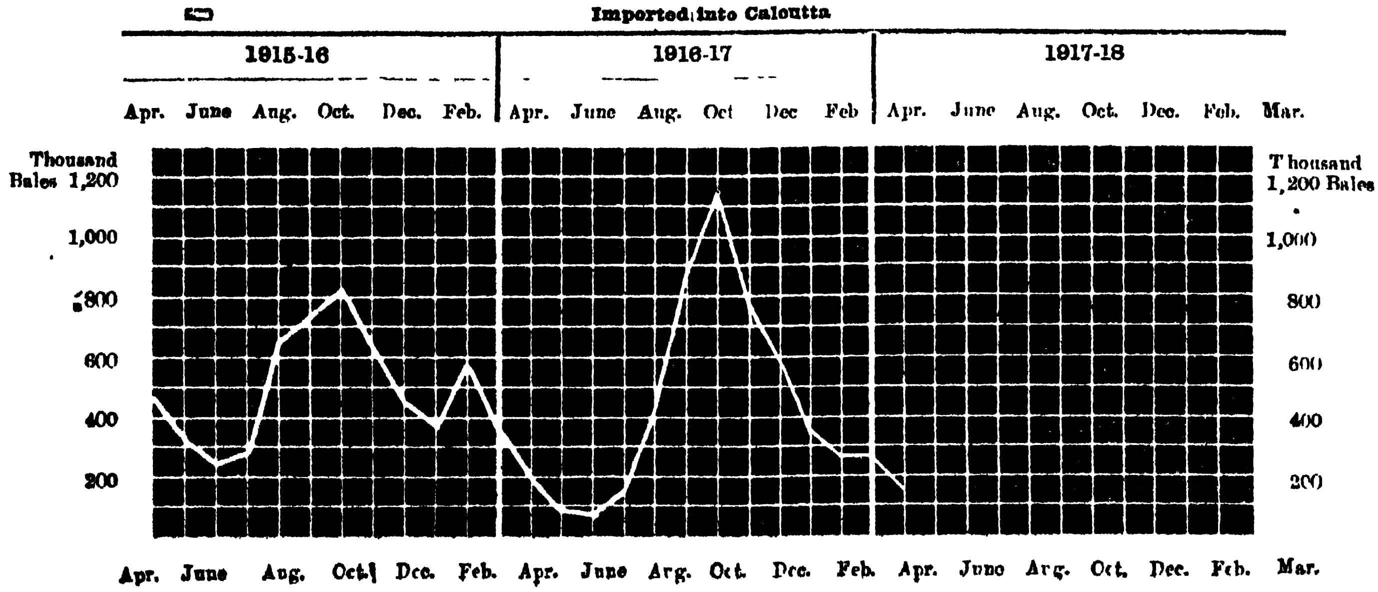


TABLE III.—Cotton, raw

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	City of Bombay 1916	City of Bombay 1917	Karachi 1916	Karachi 1917	Madras ports 1916	Madras ports 1917	TOTAL 1916	TOTAL 1917
	Imports in April									
	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales	bales
By Rail and River—										
Assam	241	474	...	...	...	...	...	...	241	474
Bengal	3,197	7,710	...	720	...	...	...	...	3,197	8,430
Bihar and Orissa	11	8	...	..	...	...	...	...	11	8
U P of Agra and Oudh	206	2,132	5,200	2,461	21	..	...	...	5,427	4,593
Punjab		436	3,433	12 057	8,564	15 080	...	...	11,997	27,582
Sind and Br Baluchistan	..	.		..	3,725	13,479	...	...	3,725	13,479
Raj and C India	..	.	23,234	29 886	...		...	...	23,234	29,886
Bombay	1,478	10,675	100,651	224,008	...	...	3,625	2,215	105 754	236,393
Central Provinces and Berar	6,605	3,891	80,282	55,589	...	...	...	...	86,887	59,429
Nizam's Territory	...	...	12,672	11,209	...	...	...	789	12,672	11,998
Madras	476	1,441	15,848	8 380	...	...	30,297*	29,203	46,118	39,024
Mysore	...	..	1,431	1,729	...	...	454*	523	1,885	2,252
TOTAL	12 214	26,766	242,246	345 484	12,310	28 568	34,378*	32,730	301,148	433,548
By Sea—										
Bengal		...	.	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	..	.	.	..	...	...		...	...	..
Bombay	398	...	1	2,340	...	...	1,138	...	1,537	2,340
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...		4,388	19 352	...	...	...	...	4,388	19 352
Madras		1,110	40	8,536	..	...	...	...	40	9,646
Burma	411	2 340		79	...	..	...	...	411	2,419
Non-Br Ports in India		...	24,170	34 769	...	...	...	...	24,170	34,769
Foreign Countries	..	...	127	357	...	...	..	.	127	357
TOTAL	809	3,450	28,726	65,483	...	..	1,138	...	30,673	68,883
TOTAL IMPORTS	13,023	30,216	270,972	410 917	12,310	28,568	35,516	32,730	331,821	502,431

NOTE —Provinces named in the first column include their chief port or ports "Madras ports" includes the ports of Madras, French Ports (Pondicherry with its suburb Villianur, and Karikal, exclusive of sea imports from Non-British Ports and Foreign countries), Negapatam, Tuticorin, Calicut, Cocanada, Vizagapatam, Cuddalore, Cochin, Tellicherry, Cannanore, Masulipatam, Mangalore, Quilon, Porto Novo, Badagara and Dhanushkodi

One bale of cotton is equivalent to 400 lbs

*Revised figures

TABLE IV.—Wheat (excluding wheat flour)*

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	City of Bombay 1916	City of Bombay 1917	Karachi 1916	Karachi 1917	TOTAL 1916	TOTAL 1917
	Imports in April							
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	..	..	...	...	.	...	...	...
Bengal	11†	910	...	...	...	..	11	910
Bihar and Orissa	1,615†	3,363	...	.	.	..	1,615	3,363
U P of Agra and Oudh	15,334†	11,874	591	3,672		13,772	15,925	29,818
Punjab	594	47	2,388	462	5,850	49,506	8,831	50,015
Sind and Br Baluchistan	..		..	..	2,240	12,632	2,240	12,632
Raj and C India	67	49	6 084	25,111		206	6,151	25,366
Bombay	.		2,018	13,735	..	...	2,018	13,735
Central Provinces and Berar	6,491	6,341	5 185	22,299	...	...	11,676	28,640
Nizam's Territory	...	..	187	673	...	..	187	678
Madras	1	...			...	...	1	...
Mysore	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	7
Kashmir	..		...	...		...	...	..
TOTAL	24,113	22,584	16,453	65,959	7,590	76,116	48,156	164,659
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	1	.	8	2	9	2
Sind and Br Baluchistan	...	...	2,702	.	...	...	2,702	...
Madras	...	...		...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...
Non-Br Ports in India	...	...	1,218	4,303	...	2,112	1,218	6,415
Foreign Countries	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
TOTAL	2	...	3,921	4,303	8	2,114	3,931	6,417
TOTAL IMPORTS	24,115	22 584	20,374	70,262	7,598	78,230	52,087	171,076

* See also Table XI

† Revised figures

TABLE V.—Rice (including paddy)*

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	Karachi 1916	Karachi 1917	Madras ports 1916	Madras ports 1917	TOTAL 1916	TOTAL 1917
	Imports in April							
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	25	2	...	...	...	...	25	2
Bengal	20,238	18,318	...	...	366	189	20,599	18,507
Bihar and Orissa	8,030	1,441	...	...	425	995	8,455	2,436
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	18	5	...	...	...	...	18	5
Punjab	31	41	1,636	1,029	...	...	1,667	1,070
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	11,721	21,266	...	...	11,721	21,266
Raj. and C. India	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	30
Bombay	2	...	...	...	13	8	15	8
Central Provinces and Berar	970	57	...	...	...	...	970	57
Nizam's Territory	...	...	...	...	28	53	28	53
Madras	2,920	3	...	...	17,777†	11,899	20,697	11,902
Mysore	...	...	...	...	29	104	29	104
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	27,229	19,897	13,357	22,295	18,638	13,248	59,224	55,440
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	37	...	37	...
Bihar and Orissa	344	513	...	...	...	...	344	513
Bombay	2	2	18	20	635	331	655	353
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	67	558	27	28	94	586
Madras	...	...	...	...	72	63	72	63
Burma	29,629	14,844	...	...	28,412	34,797	58,041	49,641
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign Countries	254	2	...	...	1	...	255	2
TOTAL	30,229	15,361	85	578	29,184	35,219	59,498	51,158
TOTAL IMPORTS	57,458	35,258	13,442	22,873	47,822	48,467	118,722	106,598

* One maund of paddy is taken as equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Revised figures

TABLE VI.—Gram and Pulse

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917	City of Bombay 1916	City of Bombay 1917	Karachi 1916	Karachi 1917	TOTAL 1916	TOTAL 1917
	Imports in April							
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—								
Assam	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	13
Bengal	5,498	7,131	...	...	...	...	5,498	7,131
Bihar and Orissa	1,738	3,587	...	189	...	919	1,738	4,695
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	10,802	9,221	5,972	6,826	1,532	5,298	18,306	21,345
Punjab	71	34	1,513	1,912	8,067	20,151	9,651	22,097
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	2	696	953	696	955
Raj. and C. India	391	230	294	4,105	51	1,435	736	5,770
Bombay	10	...	2,502	2,124	...	...	2,512	2,124
Central Provinces and Berar	2,438	819	8,662	3,518	...	10	11,100	4,347
Nizam's Territory	31	41	797	94	...	...	828	195
Madras	46	34	...	...	...	...	46	34
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kashmir	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	21,025	21,110	19,740	18,770	10,346	28,766	51,111	68,646
By Sea—								
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	52	42	247	70	299	112
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	144	9	21	2	165	11
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	88	88	14	...	...	88	102
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	59	390	...	2	59	392
Foreign Countries	1	16	235	1	...	7	236	24
TOTAL	1	104	578	456	268	81	847	641
TOTAL IMPORTS	21,026	21,214	20,318	19,226	10,614	28,847	51,958	69,287

TABLE VII.—Linseed

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
	Imports in April					
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—						
Assam	618	99	...	...	618	99
Bengal	413	1,366	...	...	413	1,366
Bihar and Orissa	19,448*	10,983	2,894	893	22,342	11,876
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	4,946*	1,539	9,767	4,204	14,713	5,743
Punjab	...	...	12	1	12	1
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. and C. India	64	28	4,878	3,571	4,942	3,599
Bombay	...	...	2,513	2,011	2,513	2,011
Central Provinces and Berar	162	23	8,555	2,705	8,717	2,728
Nizam's Territory	...	...	5,001	4,989	5,001	4,989
Madras	...	4	78	154	78	158
Mysore	...	...	5	...	5	...
TOTAL	25,651	14,042	33,703	18,028	59,354	32,070
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	941	393	941	393
Foreign Countries	...	...	54	16	54	16
TOTAL	...	...	995	409	995	409
TOTAL IMPORTS	25,651	14,042	34,698	18,437	60,349	32,479

* Revised figures.

TABLE VIII.—Rape and Mustard Seed

Whence exported	Calcutta		City of Bombay		TOTAL	
	1916	1917	1916	1917	1916	1917
	Imports in April					
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
By Rail and River—						
Assam	247	743	...	...	247	743
Bengal	49	59	4	...	53	59
Bihar and Orissa	709	923	...	...	709	923
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	33,777	9,204	2,872	324	36,649	9,528
Punjab	50	3,373	...	1	50	3,374
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raj. and C. India	333	1,631	604	395	937	2,026
Bombay	...	131	534	2,424	534	2,555
Central Provinces and Berar	191	1,025	190	25	381	1,050
Nizam's Territory	...	...	86	14	86	14
Madras	..	732	7	...	7	732
Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	35,356	17,821	4,297	3,183	39,653	21,004
By Sea—						
Bengal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	...	...	1	...	1	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...	2	15	2	15
Madras	...	...	...	..	...	...
Burma	...	...	...	...	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...	102	12	102	12
Foreign Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	...	...	105	27	105	27
TOTAL IMPORTS	35,356	17,821	4,402	3,210	39,758	21,031

TABLE IX.—Jute

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917
	Imports in April	
	bales	bales
By Rail and River—		
Assam	10,491	10,971
Bengal	145,028	128,214
Bihar and Orissa	33,998	8,688
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	...	...
Punjab	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Raj. and C. India	...	...
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar	...	...
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	...	...
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	189,517	147,873
By Sea—		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	9,257	1,820
Bombay	...	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	...
Burma	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	...	2,285
TOTAL	9,257	4,105
TOTAL IMPORTS	198,774	151,978

NOTE.—One bale of jute is equivalent to 400 lbs.

By "Calcutta" is meant the town of Calcutta with Howrah and the Kidderpore Docks. The imports exclude, therefore, imports into those jute mills which are outside this area. Such mills form the large majority of the total number of mills manufacturing jute.

TABLE X.—Tea

Whence exported	Calcutta 1916	Calcutta 1917
	Imports in April	
	lbs.	lbs.
By Rail and River—		
Assam	1,607,205	8,166,231
Bengal	794,139	1,614,940
Bihar and Orissa	411	6,912
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	741	2,304
Punjab	82	658
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	
Raj. and C. India	...	411
Bombay	...	...
Central Provinces and Berar		
Nizam's Territory	...	...
Madras	165	73,284
Mysore	...	...
TOTAL	2,402,743	9,864,740
By Sea—		
Bengal	...	...
Bihar and Orissa	..	...
Bombay	..	...
Sind and Br. Baluchistan	...	...
Madras	...	..
Burma	...	...
Non-Br. Ports in India	...	...
Foreign Countries	3,505	419
TOTAL	3,505	419
TOTAL IMPORTS	2,406,248	9,865,159

NOTE.—One maund is equivalent to 82$\frac{2}{7}$ lbs.

TABLE XI.

The following statements show the exports of (1) wheat, (2) wheat flour, and (3) Total (wheat and wheat flour) from British India by sea to foreign countries during each month of the six official years, 1911-12 to 1916-17, and April and May, 1917. The figures are in thousands of tons :—

1.—Wheat.

Months.	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18
	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.
April	68	69	27	9	11	3(a)	93 (a)
May	136	107	166	24	105(a)	2	161 (a)
June	189	244	260	169	292(a)	42	
July	266	328	318	169	187(a)	44	
August	125	153	135	43	48(a)	75	
September	66	232	135	56	6(a)	139	
October	66	148	53	88	... (b)	151	
November	74	114	47	55	... (b)	79(a)	
December	97	80	22	37	... (b)	99(a)	
January	102	99	20	25	... (b)	52(a)	
February	75	51	10	22	2(a)	15(a)	
March	97	35	9	9	1	33(a)	
TOTAL	1,361	1,660	1,202	706	652	734	
	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17
Production (in thousands of tons)	10,061	9,924	9,853	8,358	10,087	8,518	10,160*

* Third General Memorandum on the wheat crop (May, 1917).

NOTE.— In this statement the figures of production for one year have been placed below those of exports of the next year because the production of one year is usually exported in the next year.

(a) Include exports on Government account.

(b) Exports were below 1,000 tons in these months.

2.—Wheat flour.

Months.	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18
	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.
April	4	4	6	6	5	2	3
May	4	4	9	3	2	7	6
June	4	6	10	5	4	5	
July	5	5	8	8	6	4	
August	6	6	4	6	4	4	
September	6	5	7	4	6	6	
October	4	9	9	4	4	8	
November	3	5	6	4	7	7	
December	4	6	4	3	3	6	
January	5	7	6	5	9	5	
February	4	5	4	4	4	7	
March	3	6	6	2	4	8	
TOTAL	52	68	79	54	58	69	

3.—Total (wheat including wheat flour converted into wheat).†

Months.	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18
	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.	000's of tons.
April	74	74	36	17	17	6	97
May	141	113	179	29	108	12	162
June	196	252	274	176	298	49	
July	273	335	329	181	196	50	
August	133	161	141	52	54	81	
September	74	239	145	61	15	148	
October	72	161	66	94	6	162	
November	79	122	55	61	10	89	
December	103	89	27	42	4	108	
January	109	109	29	32	13	60	
February	81	59	16	28	6	25	
March	100	44	18	11	7	44	
TOTAL	1,435	1,758	1,315	784	734	834	
	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17
Production of wheat (in thousands of tons).	10,061	9,924	9,853	8,358	10,087	8,518	10,160§

† Ten tons of wheat are taken as equivalent to seven tons of wheat flour.

§ Third General Memorandum on the wheat crop (May, 1917).

NOTE (1).—On an average for the three years ending 1913-14, 4·1 per cent of the total export of wheat (including wheat flour) was exported in April; the percentages for the other months are as follows:—May 9·6 per cent, June 16 per cent, July 20·8 per cent, August 9·7 per cent, September 10·2 per cent, October 6·6 per cent, November 5·7 per cent, December 4·9 per cent, January 5·5 per cent, February 3·5 per cent, and March 3·6 per cent.

(2) Exports of wheat (excluding wheat flour) from the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, and Karachi by sea during May 1917 week by week as compared with the corresponding periods of last year are given below:—

	1916 tons.	1917 tons.
Week ending 5th May	222	35,408*
" " 12th "	1,465	49,430*
" " 19th "	718	52,296*
" " 26th "	5,770	31,863*
	8,175	168,997

* Inclusive of figures on Government account

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 29th June, 1917.

AN

ORDINANCE

TO

Provide for the acquisition of gold imported into British India.

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which makes it necessary to provide for the acquisition by the Governor General in Council of gold imported into British India after the commencement of this Ordinance.

Now, therefore, in exercise of [illegible] conferred by section 72 of the [illegible] India Act, 1915, the Governor [illegible] to make and promulgate the following Ordinance :—

and 6 Geo. V., C. 61.

ORDINANCE NO. III OF 1917

1. (*1*) This Ordinance may be called the Gold (Import) Ordinance, 1917.

Short title and extent.

(*2*) It extends to the whole of British India including British Baluchistan and the Sonthal Parganas.

2. In this Ordinance, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,

Definitions.

'coin' means metal used for the time being as money, and stamped and issued by the authority of some State or sovereign power in order to be so used,

'gold' means gold coin or gold bullion,

'import' means the bringing by sea or land into British India

3. (*1*) Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, the Governor General in Council or any person appointed by him in [illegible] behalf may by order in writing within ten [illegible] the date of import, take possession of [illegible] gold imported into British India after the commencement of this Ordinance, and such gold shall thereupon vest absolutely in His Majesty.

Power to take possession of imported [illegible]

(*2*) When any gold is taken possession of in the exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*), the Governor General in Council shall pay to the owner thereof on production of such documents as the authority making the order under sub-section (*1*) may require, a sum in respect of such gold calculated at the rate set out in the Schedule.

(*3*) If any dispute arises as to the fineness of any such gold a certificate of assay by the Assay Master of any mint established under the Indian Coinage Act, 1906, shall be conclusive.

III of 1906.

SCHEDULE.

Class of gold.	*Rate.*
(1) Gold coins coined at His Majesty's Royal Mint in England or at any Mint established in pursuance of a Proclamation of His Majesty as a branch of His Majesty's Royal Mint. Provided that such coins have not been called in by any Proclamation made in pursuance of the Coinage Act, 1870, or have not lost weight so as to be of less weight than that for the time being prescribed for like coins by or under the said statute as the least current weight.	Rs. 15 for one sovereign.
(2) All other gold not included in entry No. 1	Re. 1 for every 7·53344 grains Troy of fine gold.

CHELMSFORD,
Viceroy and Governor General.

SIMLA,
The 29th June, 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.
MINT.

No. 1469-F.

Simla, the 29th June, 1917.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the import of all gold coin or gold bullion, provided that nothing in this notification shall apply to any gold coin or bullion imported by or for the use of Government, or under a license granted by the Chief Customs Officer at the place of import.

No. 1470-F.

In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, namely:—

After Rule 21 of the said Rules the following Rule shall be inserted, namely:—

Prohibition regarding current gold or silver coin.

"21-A. No person shall melt, break up or use otherwise than as currency, any current gold or silver coin.

In this rule, 'coin' means coin which is legal tender under the Indian Coinage Act, 1906 (III of 1906)."

H. F. HOWARD,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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CHELMSFORD,
Viceroy and Governor General.

SIMLA,
The 29th June, 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 28th June, 1917.

No. 557.—The following promotions in the grades of Superintendents in the Home Department are sanctioned with effect from the 28th May 1917:—

Mr. A. Lawrence to be Superintendent, 1st grade.

Rai Prasanna Kumar Basu Bahadur to be Superintendent, 2nd grade.

Mr. Ramani Mohan Ganguli to be Superintendent, 3rd grade.

No. 559.—With reference to the Home Department notifications no. 322-C., dated the 8th December 1916, and no. 402, dated the 30th May 1917, the following acting arrangements in the grades of Superintendents in the Home Department are sanctioned with effect from the 28th May 1917 :—

Mr. H. C. Marsden to be Superintendent, 1st grade, sub. *pro tem.*

Mr. Bijay Krishna Banarji to be Superintendent, 2nd grade, sub. *pro tem.*

Mr. U. C. Stuart to be Superintendent, 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.*

MEDICAL.

The 25th June, 1917.

No. 202.—In supersession of the Home Department notification no. 496, dated the 14th September 1916, Major J. W. D. Megaw, M.B., I.M.S., Professor of Pathology at King George's Medical College, Lucknow, is appointed temporarily to be Principal of the College in addition to his own duties, with effect from the date on which he assumed charge as Principal until further orders.

No. 205.—The services of Dr. A. E. Moore, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Delhi.

POLICE.

The 20th June, 1917.

No. 352.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the exemption made by entry (5) of Schedule I of the Indian Arms Rules, 1909, in favour of native officers retired from His Majesty's Indian Forces shall cease to extend to Najib Khan, a retired Subedar of Shahnagar in the Fatehpur district.

J. H. DE BOULAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN AND POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 25th June, 1917.

No. 852-Est.-A.—Major D. M. Field, of the Political Department, is posted as Assistant to the Resident in Kashmir for Leh, with effect from the 18th May 1917.

No. 1277-I.B.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Berar Rural Boards Law, 1885, namely :—

I. (*i*) After clause (*e*) of sub-section (1) of section 22, the following clause shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*ee*) the net proceeds of the special school rate (if any) levied in accordance with section 22-A ".

(*ii*) In sub-section (3) of the same section, before the words "The district fund", the words "save as otherwise provided by this Law " shall be inserted.

II. After section 22, the following section shall be inserted :—

" 22-A. (1) In addition to the cess levied in the district for the establishment and maintenance of schools, a District Board may, subject to the provisions hereinafter contained, impose a special school rate on persons occupying houses, buildings or lands within the limits

of any village or group of villages in which a school has been established or is maintained by the Board for the benefit of the inhabitants of such village or group of villages, or in which an additional school is, in the opinion of such Board, required for the use of such inhabitants.

(2) The special school rate shall not be imposed in any village or group of villages except with the previous sanction of the Chief Commissioner in each case, and the Chief Commissioner shall not sanction a proposal for the imposition of such rate unless it has been made by a resolution passed at a special meeting of the District Board by a majority of not less than two-thirds of the members present.

(3) The school rate shall be imposed upon the persons specified in sub-section (1) according to their circumstances and property within the said limits :

Provided (*a*) that it shall not be leviable from any person whose annual income from sources other than agriculture is less than two hundred rupees ; and

(*b*) that any person who pays the cess imposed under section 159 of the Hyderabad Assigned Districts Revenue Code, 1896, shall not be liable to pay the rate, except in respect of non-agricultural property or income derived from sources other than agriculture.

(4) The net proceeds of the school-rate shall be appropriated exclusively to the equipment and maintenance of such school or schools existing or to be established within the limits of the village or group of villages in which the rate has been collected, as the Board may determine.

(5) When a school-rate is imposed in accordance with the provisions of this section, it shall be assessed and collected, in any village in which a tax or charge is imposed under the Central Provinces Village Sanitation Act, 1902, as applied to Berar, by the village Punchayat, and in any other village by such means and in such manner as may be prescribed by the Chief Commissioner.

III. In clause (*j*) of section 83, the word "and" in the second place where it occurs, shall be omitted, and after the words "purposes of that area" the following shall be added, namely :—

> "and, subject to the provisions of sub-section (5) of section 22-A, the assessment and collection of the school-rate imposed in accordance with the provisions of that section".

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 28th June, 1917.

No. 858-G.—Under section 3 of the Persian Coast and Islands Order in Council, 1907, the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. H. F. Forbes, I.C.S., on special duty under the orders of the Hon'ble the Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, to be a Judicial Assistant to His Majesty's Consul-General for Fars and the Coasts and Islands of the Persian Gulf, with effect from the 22nd June 1917, and until further orders.

No. 870-Est.-B.—The services of 2nd Lieutenant C. King, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse), are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor General in the North-West Frontier Province, for employment with the Frontier Militia, with effect from the 13th June 1917.

A. H. GRANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

The 28th June 1917.

No. 872-Est.-A.—Major F. H. Humphrys, Political Agent, Tochi, is appointed as Political Officer with the Waziristan Field Force, for Northern Waziristan, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 9th May 1917.

No. 873-Est.-A.—The Hon'ble Sir John Donald, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., Resident in Waziristan, is appointed as Chief Political Officer with the Waziristan Field Force, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 9th May 1917.

No. 874-Est.-A.—Mr. J. A. O. Fitzpatrick, C.I.E., Political Agent, Wana, is appointed as Political Officer with the Waziristan Field Force, for Wana, Gomal and Mahsuds generally in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 9th May 1917.

No. 876-Est.-A.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Macwatt, Indian Medical Service (Bengal), an Agency Surgeon of the 1st class, substantive *pro tempore*, and Chief Medical Officer in Rajputana and Civil Surgeon, Ajmer, is appointed temporarily to hold visiting charge of the office of Residency Surgeon, Western Rajputana States, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 14th May 1917, and until further orders.

The 29th June, 1917.

No. 882-Est. B.—Captain J. W. G. Ouseley, I.A.R.O., officiating Assistant Inspecting Officer, Central India States Imperial Service Cavalry and Transport, is appointed to officiate as Inspecting Officer, with effect from the 21st June 1917 and during the absence on field service of Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. Pennington, M.V.O., 9th Hodson's Horse, or until further orders.

No. 884-Est.-B.—Captain J. W. G. Ousely, I.A.R.O., officiating Inspecting Officer Central India States Imperial Service Cavalry and Transport, is appointed to officiate as Inspecting Officer, Kathiawar States Imperial Service Cavalry, in addition to his own duties with effect from the 21st June 1917, and until further orders.

No. 886-Est.-B.—2nd Lieutenant A. M. H. Russell, I.A.R.O., attached 3rd Skinner's Horse, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Inspecting Officer, Central India States Imperial Service Cavalry and Transport, with effect from the 18th June 1917, and until further orders.

J. B. WOOD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 25th June, 1917.

No. 686-F.E.—Mr. H. Denning, I.C.S., has been posted as Deputy Accountant General, Punjab, with effect from the 19th June 1917.

The 26th June, 1917.

No. 690-F.E.—The privilege leave for six weeks granted to Mr. F. L. Silva, Chief Superintendent, class II, and Assistant Examiner, Local Fund Accounts, Bombay, in notification No. 540-F.E., dated the 18th May 1917, published on page 881 of Part I of the Gazette of India, dated the 19th May 1917, has been extended by one day.

No. 902-C.W.C.—Mr. G. M. Vaidya, a Superintendent in the Office of the Controller of War Accounts, is appointed to be Assistant Controller of War Accounts (Munitions), with effect from the 20th March 1917.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

MINT.

The 29th June, 1917.

No. 1469-F.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the import of all gold coin or gold bullion, provided that nothing in this notification shall apply to any gold coin or bullion imported by or for the use of Government, or under a license granted by the Chief Customs Officer at the place of import.

No. 1470-F.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, namely:—

After Rule 21 of the said Rules the following Rule shall be inserted, namely:—

"21-A. No person shall melt, break up or use otherwise than as currency, any current gold or silver coin.

Prohibition regarding current gold or silver coin.

In this rule, 'coin' means coin which is legal tender under the Indian Coinage Act, 1906 (III of 1906)."

Accounts and Finance.

Estimates and Accounts.

The 28th June, 1917.

No. 1450-F.—*Monthly Preliminary Statement of Receipts and Payments at Civil Treasuries in India.*

May 1917. **Lakhs of Rupees.**

	May.		To end of May.		Whole year.	
	1917-1918.	1916-1917.	1917-1918.	1916-1917.	Budget, 1917-1918.	Actuals Preliminary, 1916-1917.
Civil Revenue.						
Land Revenue (including Land Revenue due to Irrigation) ...	2,83	2,52	4,98	4,37	36,12	36,09
Opium ...	28	38	46	59	5,08	4,44
Salt ...	50	57	1,02	1,10	5,96	7,22
Stamps ...	69	68	1,51	1,43	8,93	8,48
Excise ...	1,16	1,09	2,37	2,18	13,99	13,79
Provincial Rates ...	...	...	...	...	4	5
Customs ...	1,04	1,03	2,05	1,83	14,09	12,97
Income Tax ...	41	28	64	42	7,48	5,41
Forest ...	18	13	33	22	3,40	3,56
Registration ...	9	9	16	15	83	81
Tributes from Native States ...	5	3	8	6	93	83
Other Civil Revenue ...	43	34	85	63	5,10	5,56
Total, Civil Heads ...	7,64	7,09	14,45	12,98	101,95	99,20
Major Irrigation Revenue ...	10	8	13	11	4,45	4,27
Other Public Works Ordinary Revenue ...	3	4	6	8	77	65
Total, Civil Revenue (including Ordinary Public Works) ...	7,77	7,21	14,64	13,17	107,17	104,12
Civil Expenditure.						
Interest on Ordinary Debt and that on Railways and Irrigation Works	—66	—62	—1,07	—71	—6,61	—5,65
Opium ...	—53	—53	—55	—81	—1,98	—1,36
Famine Relief (Civil) ...	...	...	...	—3	—8	—27
Other Civil Expenditure ...	—3,97	—3,89	—7,53	—7,47	—51,30	—46 28
Total, Civil Heads ...	—5,16	—5,04	—9 45	—9,02	—59,97	—53,56
Major Irrigation Working Expenses ...	—14	—16	—27	—29	—2,09	—1 99
Buildings and Roads Expenditure ...	—33	—38	—61	—63	—7,20	—5,79
Famine Relief (Public Works) ...	—2	—6	—7	—11	—60	—50
Other P. W. Ordinary Expenditure ...	—12	—9	—21	—16	—1,28	—1,09
Total Civil Expenditure (including Public Works) ...	—5,77	—5,73	—10,61	—10,21	[illegible]	—62,93
Irrigation Capital Expenditure ...	—7	—7	—13	—13	—88	—84
Delhi Capital Expenditure ...	—3	—3	—6	—9	—38	—36
Total, Public Works Capital Expenditure ...	—10	—10	—19	—22	—1,26	—1,20
Receipts into Civil Treasuries from, and issues from those Treasuries to, the following Non-Civil Departments.						
The figures comprise Revenue, Expenditure, and Debt and Remittance transactions.						
Posts and Telegraph (Net) ...	—1,27	—8	—2,43	—23	—1,24	—1,99
Marine (Net) ...	—1,12	—1,16	—2,04	—2,22	—10,92	—11,72
Military Works (Net) ...	—83	—25	—1,39	—42	—3,84	—4,91
Military Receipts ...	+28	+18	+50	+29	+2,55	+2,93
Military Issues ...	—7,48	—5,14	—14,32	—8,51	—61,59	—63,68
Railway Receipts.						
East Indian Railway ...	+78	+92	+1,54	+1,62	+9,25	+8,97
Other Railways ...	+5,11	+4,93	+9,94	+9,31	+51,75	+53,44
Total ...	+5,89	+5,85	+11,48	+10,93	+61,00	+62,41
Railway Issues.						
East Indian Railway ...	—61	—61	—1 12	—1,12	—5,30	—5,38
Other Railways ...	—3,37	—3,04	—6,74	—5,76	—33,20	—33,05
Total ...	—3,98	—3,65	—7,86	—6,88	—38,50	—38,43
Total, Non-Civil Departments.	—8,51	—4,25	—16,06	—?,04	—52,54	—55,39
Civil Debt and Remittance Transactions.						
Permanent Debt and Special Loans (Net + Receipts more, — receipts less than payments) ...	+9,88	...	+19,87	...	+10,37	+12,3?
Temporary Loan ...	...	...	—50	...	—50	—6,00
Mint Certificates and Bullion Advances (Net as above) ...	+9	+24	—3	+22	+10	+1,19
Remittance of Gold ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Currency Transfers against Silver ...	+2,00	...	+4,01	...	+6,29	+22,43
Deposits of District Funds ...	—5	+49	—19	+36	—28	+18
Loans by Governments ...	+28	+23	+49	+52	+24	+86
Council Bills paid (including Telegraphic) at Rs. 15 per £ ...	+2,36	—66	—23	—1,37	—70	—12,53
Other Debt Heads ...	—18	+1,26	—1,65	+1,02	—2,18	+1,87
Total, Debt and Remittance Transactions ...	+14,38	+1,56	+21,77	+75	+13,34	+20,32
Grand Total, Receipts and Issues ...	+7,77	—1,31	+9,55	—3,55	—4,43	+4,92
Opening Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks ...	24,73	15,78	+22,95	18,02	22,74	18,03
Closing Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks ...	32,50	14,47	32,50	14,47	18,2?	22,94

H. F. HOWARD,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 30th June, 1917.

No. 7410.—Mr P N. Chandavarkar, an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, is granted privilege leave for two months and twenty-six days, with effect from the 20th July 1917, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the leave.

No. 7417.—Mr. F. C. Barclay, I.C.S , is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, with effect from the 16th June 1917, and is posted to Burma.

EMIGRATION.

The 30th June, 1917.

No 7279.—In pursuance of Section 116-A., sub-section (4) of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901, as amended by the Assam Labour and Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1915, the Governor General in Council is pleased to approve of the election of Mr. W. R. Alexander to be a Member of the Assam Labour Board as a representative of the Assam Branch, Indian Tea Association, *vice* Mr. A. Chrystall, resigned.

GEOLOGY AND MINES ESTABLISHMENT.

The 30th June, 1917.

No. 7250.—The following officiating promotions of the officers of the Geological Survey of India are notified with effect from the dates specified :—

Mr. H. Walker, A.R.C.S., F.G.S., Assistant Superintendent, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, with effect from 1st January 1916 to 4th June 1916 and again from 1st November 1916 to 30th March 1917, *vice* Dr. L. L. Fermor, A.R.S M , D.Sc., F.G.S., deputed to the Bokaro Coalfield.

Also with effect from 1st to 4th April 1917 *vice* Dr. L L. Fermor, A.R.S.M., D.Sc., F.G.S , deputed to the Indian Munitions Board.

Mr. G. H. Tipper, M.A., F.G.S., Assistant Superintendent, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, with effect from 5th April 1917 until further orders *vice* Dr Fermor, deputed to the Indian Munitions Board.

Mr. G de P. Cotter, F.G.S., Assistant Superintendent, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, with effect from 1st to 4th April 1917 *vice* Dr. E. H. Pascoe on military duty.

Mr. H. Walker, A.R.C.S., F.G.S., Assistant Superintendent, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, with effect from 5th to 13th April 1917 *vice* Dr. E. H. Pascoe on military duty.

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ARCHÆOLOGY AND EPIGRAPHY.

Simla, the 23rd June, 1917.

No. 128.—Mr. Rakhal Das Banerjee, M. A., Assistant Superintendent, Archæological Survey, is appointed to be Superintendent, Archæological Survey, Western Circle, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the date on which he takes over charge of his duties, and until further orders.

GENERAL.

The 28th June, 1917.

No. 467.—The services of Kunwar Maharaj Singh, Assistant Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Education, are replaced at the disposal of the United Provinces, with effect from the afternoon of Saturday, the 30th June 1917.

E. D. MACLAGAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 29th June 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 994.—The undermentioned officers are granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the acting rank of Captain while commanding a company of Sappers and Miners. Dated the 17th February 1917 :—

Lieutenant G. D. Watson, Royal Engineers.
Lieutenant F. G. Drew, Royal Engineers.
Lieutenant E. F. Johnston, Royal Engineers.

No. 995.—The undermentioned officers are granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Railway Transport Officer :—

Lieutenant F. L. Engledow, 1-5th Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment). Dated the 5th March 1917.
Second Lieutenant L. J. Hicks, Indian Army Reserve of Officers. Dated the 29th May 1917.

No. 996.—Second Lieutenant W. Ashcroft, 7th (Queen's Own) Hussars, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant of a Standing Camp. Dated the 21st March 1917.

Royal Regiment of Artillery. Royal Garrison Artillery.

No. 997.—The undermentioned warrant officer to be 2nd Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

No. 25869 Battery Serjeant Major Martin Delaney. Dated the 29th May 1917.

PERSONAL STAFF.

No. 998.—The Viceroy and Governor General has been pleased to make the following appointment on His Excellency's Personal Staff, with effect from the 16th June 1917 :—

To be Aide-de-Camp.

Captain Lord C. A. Carnegie, Scots Guards, *vice* Second Lieutenant E. B. Baring, 1-9th Battalion, The Hampshire Regiment, resigned.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 999.—The services of Lieutenant C. H. Marsh, Indian Army Reserve of Officers are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General in Central India for employment as Cantonment Magistrate.

INDIAN ARMY.

Unattached List.

No. 1000.—The undermentioned Gentleman Cadets from the Cadet College, Wellington, to be Second Lieutenants, subject to His Majesty's approval, with a view to their appointment to the Indian Army. Dated the 18th June 1917 :—

Cyril Drummond Le Gros Clark.
Noel Hugh-Jones.
Geoffrey Ronald Hailstone.
Arthur Wilmot Wadeson Holworthy.
Vivian Fox-Strangways.
Donald MacLachlan Macmillan.
Reginald Francis Fernie Carter.
Reginald Frederick Desmond Plunkett.
Kenneth Sayer Morgan.
William Angus Boyd Iliff.
Herbert Ralph Jackman.
John Park Graham.
Hugh Featherstone Cameron Cannell.
George Ronald Pouncey.
Thomas Alan Belben.
Alfred Tennyson Oates.
Claude Ernest Pert.
George Allan Preston.
Terence Claud Crichton.
William Frederick Norman Sandham.
Edgar Kenelm Yiend.
Thomas Benjamin Middleton.
Eric Peregrine Platt.
Richard Bampfield.
Cecil Douglas Lovett Turner.
Harry Claude Champion.
Douglas Graeme Robertson.
Percy Trant Clarke.
Charles Philip Jerome Prioleau.
Ernest Leslie Chaplin.
Erichsen Shafton Ewen Rerrie.
Colin Shaw Maclaren.
Frederick Alfred Buck.
Marmaduke Reginald Metcalfe.
William John Harding.
Henry Finch McIntyre.
Arthur Ernest Henry Macann.
Thaddeus Daniel Vincent Lawton.
Seymour Sidney Ayshford Shippard.
Walter Mandeville.
Adrian Bazeley Barltrop.
Charles Gordon Hanmer.
Albert Edward Sansom.
Norman Murray Macleod.

Richard John Carruthers.
Derek Harold Peel Yates.
Charles Albert Hendrick.
Edward Croxall Whitehead.
Edward Hugh Septimus Shuttleworth.
John Henry Devereux Parkin.
William Simeon Edmund Warran.
Hugh Livingstone Bucknall.
Wilfrid Harold Perkins.
Reginald Joseph Lynch.
Jack Bolton Woodman.
James Wallace Partridge.
James Waller Gargrave Covernton.
Eric Salter.
John Alexander Finlay.
Herbert Allan Stevenson.
Hugh Jack Melville.
George Craigie Prophit.
Henry Kingsley Morton.
Robert Francis Sproule.
Ronald de Vere Richardson Fox.
Frederick Roy Ommanney.
Charles Edward Humphreys.
Francis Patrick McKernan.
Leslie Allan Kenworthy.
Esmond Lewis Pearce Foster.
Colinton Eastmead.
Montagu Banks Pearman Reeve.
Rowland Marshall Davies.
Ronald Charles Sidney Bates.
Robert John McCleery.
Brantford Shadwell Hartland.
Humphrey John Bebbington.
Campbell Marshall.
John Cedric Mylrea Kirk.
John Edward Heggart.
Belford Kinchant Featherstone.
Cuthbert Denison Richards.
Henry Arthur Herbert.
George Harold Seater.
Osmond de Turville Lovett.
William Roxburgh.
Henry Mortimer Poulton.
James Loftus Tottenham.
Henry Francis Coventry.
Donald Mary Clarke-Bell.
Noel Edward Campbell Hemsworth.
James Owen Needham.
Charles Edward Morton.
John Shepherd Chilcott.
Arthur Trevithick Track Bake.
Eric Adrian Hayes-Newington.

INDIAN ARMY.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1001.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

William Clarke Grummitt.	Dated 21st June 1917.
Jocelyn Theodore Tanner.	Dated 22nd June 1917.
Charles Stewart Smellie.	
William Aitchison.	
Henry Studdy.	Dated 25th June 1917.
John Stanley Ker.	Dated 26th June 1917.

Infantry Branch.

Robert Chapman Briggs.	Dated 18th May 1917.
William Henry Ker Howard.	Dated 22nd May 1917.
Arthur Tudor Williams.	Dated 4th June 1917.
James McPherson.	Dated 10th June 1917.
Edward Selwyn Hoernle.	Dated 13th June 1917.
Leo Inrig.	Dated 17th June 1917.
Thomas Goodfellow Pendrigh.	Dated 18th June 1917.

Dated 20th June 1917.

Walter Henry Neate.
Kenneth Alfred Madge.
Frederick Alexander Cooper.
Archibald Elton-Williams-Jervis.
Harry Leonard Hodgson.
George Alfred Tippetts-Aylmer.
Terence St. Kevin Murphy.
Alfred John Bush.
Wenden Ray Bush.
James William Nickalls.
Harry Gow Nicolson.
William John White.
William Harrold Goulstone.
Arthur Gilbert Clinton.
Cyril Rowland Hill.
Douglas Austin Daly.
Cecil Walter Williams.
Charles Edward Cutting.
George Frederick Boissonade Atkins.
Robert Septimus Forsyth-Forrest.
Harold Mancle Bazett.
Herbert John Ferguson.
Frederick William Willard.
Norman Nuttall.
William Morgan Burlington Highley.
Robert Gilbert George Hislop.
Sydenham Henry Peppin.
Edward William Keen.
Herbert Pryce Knowles.
Walter Eric Hill.
Henry George Lang.
John Rennie King.

Frank George Foster Storey.
Leonard Cullis.
George Henry Batterbury.
Edward James Tobin.
William Coke Gee.
John Edward Bristow Gapper.
John Henry Smart.
Thomas Palk Carew.
Walter Eugene DeBrunner.
Richard Lund.
Harry Rogers.
Frank Herbert Batterbury.
Clement Edward Simpson.
Henry Russell Hastie.
David Samson Henderson.
Jonas William Henry Lett.
Walter Reginald Allbrook.
James Chalk.
Donald Hugh Fraser.
Alexander John Happell.
Henry Brockbank Lyon.
Frederick Roy Croft.
Fletcher Ritson.
Robert Barker.
Alexander Douglas Paterson.
William Court Johnston.
William George Thomas Moore
Arthur Kendall Harcourt Powell.
Frank William Robert Perry.
Alfred Joseph Crilly.
Thomas Marlow.
Hubert Melville Shelverton.
George Howe
Frederick William Willcock.
James Stanley Johnston.
William Edward Leggs.
Vere Mathews.
Matthew Alexander Findlay.
Reginald William McCarthy.
Gerald George Ray.
Clifford Anson.
William Rees John.
David John Jones.
Ewart Gwyn Haydn Evans.
Arthur Stanley William Martin.
Eric McWilliam Wright.
Geoffrey Clarke.
Owen Henry Bourne Dunn.
Oswald Deacon Hopps.
Ernest Reginald Craig Forbes.
Robert Schofield Swithenbank.
Arthur Walter Pryde.
John Martin Jennings.
Walter Thomas Stoddart.
Maurice Prince LaBouchardiere.
Llewllyn Stanley Seal.
Dudley Cedric Bailey.
James Dunn.
Lawrence Edward Fisk.
William Norman Naismith.
Alfred Thomas Curd.
Henry Hughes.
Benjamin William Pedley Dodds.
William Dundonald Audley.
Harold Alfred Fisher.
James Joseph MacMahon.
Christopher Dawson.
William Colquhoun Fraser.
William Morgan Jenkins.
Alexander Duthie Gaul.
William Henry Webb.

Dated 21st June 1917.

Robert Chetwynd-Palmer.
George Herbert Desmond Dalrymple-Waller.
Walter David Morton.

Dated 22nd June 1917.

Dated 23rd June 1917.

Leonard Rudolph Gething.
Sydney William James Barron.

Dated 25th June 1917.

Charles Edwin Donnithorne-Lutter.
James Frederick Rogerson.
Hedley Lloyd Morris.

No. 1002.—Charles Maurice Dakeyne Cade, (Second Lieutenant, Territorial Force Reserve, General List), to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 23rd April 1917, but to rank from the 5th August 1914.

No. 1003.—Henry Edward Broadbent, (Second Lieutenant, Yorkshire Dragoons), to be Second Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 25th June 1917, but to rank from the 14th June 1915.

No. 1004.—Second Lieutenant William Henry Ker Howard, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while employed as Commandant, 35th Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 22nd May 1917.

No. 1005.—Second Lieutenant Robert Chapman Briggs, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, 35th Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 18th May 1917.

No. 1006.—Second Lieutenant Arthur Tudor Williams, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, 30th Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 4th June 1917.

No. 1007.—Second Lieutenant James McPherson, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, 30th Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 10th June 1917.

No. 1008.—Second Lieutenant Edward Selwyn Hoernle, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Assistant Commandant, 33rd Labour Corps, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 13th June 1917.

No. 1009.—Second Lieutenant Walter Thomas Pigot, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant, 63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st December 1915.

No. 1010.—Second Lieutenant George Perryman Ewens, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant, 2nd Battalion, 19th Punjabis, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 12th January 1917.

No 1011.—Second Lieutenant Ralph Walter Tobin, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant while holding the appointment of Adjutant, 80th Carnatic Infantry, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 16th April 1917.

No. 1012.—Second Lieutenant F. H. Edwards, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding an appointment graded as a General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade. Dated 18th May 1917.

No. 1013.—Second Lieutenant W. G. L. Gilbert, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is granted, subject to His Majesty's approval, the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Railway Transport Officer. Dated the 11th June 1917.

No. 1014.—In Army Department Notifications No. 180, dated the 19th February 1915 and No. 685, dated the 4th May 1917, *for* "Robert Gofts Bolster" *read* "Robert Crofts Bolster".

No. 1015.—In Army Department Notification No. 978, dated the 2nd August 1916, against the name of James Evan Lloyd-Williams, *for* "21st April 1916" *read* "10th April 1916".

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1016.—The following is published for general information :—

Fourth supplement dated the 18th April 1917 to the London Gazette of the 17th April 1917, pages 3723—3733.

War Office,
18th April, 1917.

The following Despatch has been received by the Secretary of State for War from Lieutenant-General the Honourable J. C. Smuts, K.C., Commander-in-Chief, East African Force :—

General Headquarters,
East Africa,
28th February, 1917.

Sir,—I have the honour to forward the following despatch describing the operations of the forces under my command from the 28th October, 1916, to the 20th January, 1917, when I relinquished control of the forces in the field in German East Africa :—

Reorganisation.

(1) In my last despatch I described the reorganisation effected in our transport and supply services consequent on the capture of Dar-es-Salam and the restoration of the Central Railway. It remains to add a few words in reference to the reorganisation of the fighting units under my command effected at the same time. Our advance to the areas of the Rufiji and Great Ruaha rivers through numerous tsetse-haunted belts had resulted in the loss of most of the animals of the mounted troops, and the very rapid rise of the sick rate among all the troops. It was clear that white troops who had had repeated attacks of malaria or dysentery would in the further prosecution of the campaign in those extremely unhealthy areas be more of an encumbrance than a help. I therefore decided to abolish the Third Division, under Major General C. J. Brits, including the Second Mounted Brigade, under Brigadier-General Enslin, and to return these officers with their staffs to South Africa ; to incorporate into the First Mounted Brigade, under Brigadier-General Nussey, all fit men belonging to the Second Mounted Brigade, and finally to evacuate from East Africa all white troops declared to be medically unfit by special medical boards My forces, therefore, again became organised into two divisions, under Major-Generals Hoskins and van Deventer respectively, while

Brigadier-General Beves' infantry brigade again became a force reserve under my immediate control. As a result of these steps close on 12,000 white troops were evacuated from East Africa between the middle of October and the end of December, 1916, and their places were to some extent taken by the new King's African Rifles battalions, which I was forming and training with the sanction of the War Office, as well as by the Nigerian Brigade under Brigadier-General F. H. B. Cunliffe, C.B., C.M.G., which reached Dar-es-Salam in the second and third weeks in December.

Position of enemy at end of October.

(2) The position of the enemy on the 27th October, the date of my last despatch, was shortly described in that document in the following words :—

"The net result of all these operations is that the Germans have been driven south over the Central Railway, and are now in the north-east, off the Rufiji river and about thirty miles to the north of it ; in the west, along, or south and east of the Great Ruaha and Ulanga rivers ; and that, with the exception of the Mahenge plateau, they have lost every healthy or valuable part of their Colony. In the east they are cut off from the coast, and in the south the Portuguese Army has appeared north of the Rowuma river."

The retiring enemy from Tabora had reached the vicinity of Iringa and Malangali.

Distribution of our Forces at the end of October.

(3) My own forces were at the same time distributed as follows :—

In the east a force of some 2,000 rifles under Brigadier-General J. A. Hannyngton, C.M.G., D.S.O., had been conveyed by sea from Dar-es-Salam and concentrated at Kilwa and formed the nucleus of the First Division, which, after some reorganisation and transfer of units, was assembled later at the same place, and was intended to take part in a great encircling move south of the Rufiji. General Hannyngton's force was in occupation of Kilwa Kiwindje and Kilwa Kissiwani, and, after some minor actions, had pushed out detachments which held Njinjo, Mtumbei-Chini, Mitole, Matandu and Kibata. In view of a reported movement of the enemy towards Utete from the Mgeta front General Hannyngton had been warned to strengthen his Kibata detachment and to watch carefully towards the north. Preparations in connection with transport and supplies for the force which it was intended should eventually operate from Kilwa were in train, though progress was necessarily slow in consequence of the wide dispersion of the transport which was being collected, its conveyance by sea, and the heavy losses of animals, which had to be made good throughout the forces.

Msanga, 45 miles south-west of Dar-es Salam, was occupied by a small column under Lieutenant-Colonel T. J. Willans, D.S.O. The presence of the enemy at Kissangire, 12 miles further to the south-west, constituted a threat to our railway communications, and an attempt by a smaller column to dislodge the enemy force had failed on the 9th October.

In the centre opposite the enemy on the Mgeta river, occupying Tulo, Duthumi, Kwa-Hongo, Dakawa and Kissaki, was the First Division under Major-General A. R. Hoskins, C.M.G., D.S.O.

On this front operations were practically at a standstill, and the conditions closely resembled those of trench warfare. The situation here underwent no change until the resumption of the general offensive at the end of December. General Sheppard's Brigade was in front line, and in reserve was the brigade formerly commanded by General Hannyngton, whose place had been taken by Colonel (later Brigadier-General) H. de C. O'Grady. I had already decided to move this last Brigade to Kilwa when the time appeared suitable for the step.

The 2nd South African Infantry Brigade, under Brigadier-General P. S. Beves, had been withdrawn to Morogoro, where it was held in reserve. As already explained the remainder of the 3rd Division to which General Beves' Brigade originally belonged, had been released from service, and the Division ceased to exist on the 24th October.

In the west the forward troops of the second Division under Major-General J. L. van Deventer were in occupation of Iringa, Njukwa's drift on the Ruaha, and Kidodi ; the remaining troops of the Division were on the Central Railway and concentrating preparatory to moving southwards.

The Nyasaland-Rhodesia force under Brigadier-General E. Northey, A.D.C., was partly round Iringa, but the larger portion of the force was on the Ruhudje river, about Mkapira, where strong forces of the enemy were opposing us.

The situation about Iringa and to the south of that place, where detachments of the enemy force under General Wahle from Tabora were endeavouring to break through and join hands with their Mahenge troops, was at this time confused. Different encounters between patrols and detachments had occurred and communications were irregular and interrupted. General Northey at the time was often without means of communication with his troops in the Iringa area.

A battalion of South African Infantry had been sent to General Northey, and was on the way to Songea *via* Chinde, the Zambesi and Wiedhafen.

The Lake force recently commanded by Brigadier-General the Honourable Sir C. P. Crewe, K.C.M.G., C.B., had been abolished and such of its units as were not disbanded were

sent to the Second Division, with the exception of one battalion, which remained in occupation of a portion of the Central Railway eastwards from Tabora. Tabora was occupied by the Belgian forces.

Transfer of 1st Division to Kilwa and rearrangement of its troops.

(4) On the 28th October I left Morogoro for Dar-es-Salam, and thence proceeded by sea to Kilwa Kiwindje, where I saw General Hannyngton on the 31st and discussed the local situation, returning to Dar-es-Salam on the 1st November.

As a consequence of my investigations at Kilwa I decided on the early movement of General O'Grady's brigade to that place, and that General Hoskins, with his Divisional Staff, should proceed to assume command of the Kilwa force.

The troops at Kilwa at this date were formed into the 3rd East African Brigade, under General Hannyngton, and a reconstituted First Division, under General Hoskins, was brought into existence by the addition of General O'Grady's brigade.

General Sheppard's brigade, which was to remain on the Mgeta front, became an independent brigade under my own direction.

General Hoskins assumed command at Kilwa on the 15th November, and the transfer of General O'Grady's brigade by road, rail and sea to the Kilwa area occupied from the 7th to the 29th November.

Delay in resuming the general offensive.

(5) Throughout November and December no general offensive was possible, and operations were confined to those undertaken by the different forces to deal with the situation as it developed in their respective areas during those two months and to adjust their positions to the requirements of the plan for combined action against the enemy when the time arrived.

The operations during November and December will be dealt with later, but I think it may be well to state some of the circumstances which contributed to the d[illegible]in our general advance.

When it became necessary to call a halt after the operations which had produced the result which has been shortly described in the second paragraph of this despatch, disease had played havoc amongst the troops, of whom large numbers were totally unfit without medical attention, prolonged rest, change of climate and nourishment to make any sustained effort. The wastage due to the above cause was enormous, and the reduction in the number of effective rifles was alone enough to stop all further movement until reinforcements were available.

The Mechanical Transport was in seriously damaged condition in consequence of the strain of continuous work over appalling roads, or trackless country, and extensive repairs, for which there had been no time, were essential. The personnel of this transport suffered, as did every other branch of the forces, from the same diseases as affected the fighting troops, and as men dropped out increasing strain was thrown on those able to keep going, until the loss of men threw scores of vehicles out of work.

Animal diseases had wiped out horses, mules and oxen by thousands, and it was necessary to replace this transport in some way or other before movement was possible.

The strain upon all ranks of all units and services due to the steadily increasing effect of disease had reached the limit which was endurable.

It is out of the question here to do more than thus barely to mention one or two of the more conspicuous of the numerous difficulties which hampered our activity during the time which elapsed between the arrival of our forces at Kissaki in the middle of September, and the resumption of our general advance on the 1st January, 1917. While these difficulties were being overcome Kilwa port was being prepared as a base, and a division of troops was transferred to that theatre. This division, well south of the Rufiji, was intended to play a conspicuous part in the coming operations in the Rufiji area.

Operations of Kilwa force.

(6) At first little happened in the area occupied by our forces based on Kilwa except patrol work, in which our troops maintained the upper hand, movements of detachments, and minor encounters with the enemy. From captured documents, however, and prisoners' statements, I obtained indications of an intended offensive movement by the enemy, and more definitely of a coming attack on our detachment at Kibata. The last information induced me temporarily to modify my plans and to refrain from a movement towards Liwale as I had at first intended. The enemy force in this area was at the beginning of November estimated at ten companies.

On the 8th November it was reported that the enemy was attacking Kibata on the previous day. This eventually proved to be the case, but the attack was easily repulsed with slight loss to ourselves, and the enemy withdrew on the 9th. The attack was evidently in the nature of a reconnaissance, and, in view of the probability of a renewed attempt, the necessary precautions were taken, and at the same time the feasibility of occupying Ngarambi, about 30 miles west of Kibata, was investigated.

The remainder of the month was occupied as before in patrol work, each side watching the other closely.

Our troops were in occupation of Mpotora, on the road to Liwale, on the 7th November, and the 20th November saw a battalion on the way to occupy Ngarambi, of which we took possession on the 2nd December without opposition.

Rain began in the Kilwa area early in December, and continued with some violence—though intermittently—until late in the month, seriously interfering with our movements at times.

On the 5th December considerable patrol activity was noticeable in the vicinity of Kibata, and on the afternoon of the 6th the enemy began an attack on that place which developed on the following day, when he brought several naval as well as field guns into action. The attempt to invest Kibata by the enemy continued until the 15th December, heavy attacks being delivered and repulsed on the 7th and 8th, and various outlying positions changing hands several times. On the 10th, following a determined night attack on the night of the 9th/10th, an effort by the enemy to surround Kibata became apparent, and, to deal with this, I agreed to the temporary evacuation of Ngarambi for the purpose of the necessary concentration. On the 11th the infantry fighting was somewhat less severe, though heavy artillery fire was directed on one position. The heavy rain, and consequently bad state of the roads, prevented our artillery from coming up, and considerable casualties to our troops were thus inevitable. On the 12th December the enemy had worked further round the Kibata position to the east and south-east, but this represented the full extent of his effort to encircle the place, and on the 15th the first effects of a movement by General Hannyngton from the west against the enemy's right became perceptible, General O'Grady's brigade co-operating from Kibata.

The Gold Coast Regiment took a commanding hill west of Kibata and maintained its position in spite of heavy counter-attacks and considerable casualties, especially from the enemy's larger guns.

Communication between Kibata and Kilwa was at this time subject to constant interruption.

On the morning of the 16th General O'Grady's brigade occupied a hill 3,500 yards north-east of Kibata; from this date the situation at Kibata became devoid of incident of any special importance. We held our positions and the enemy remained inactive, except for patrol work in our front, occupying an extended line along commanding ridges, but somewhat retired from the former positions. General Hoskins on the 21st December stated his opinion that he would be able to frustrate any attempt by the enemy to move to the south by any direct route through the Matumbi mountains At this stage I ordered General Hoskins to hold some battalions ready to move north-west when the execution of my general plan was undertaken, and advised him of my intention to proceed to the Mgeta front on the following day to direct operations.

Operations in the West.

(7) November and December were periods of considerable activity in the west, where Generals van Deventer and Northey were operating, though here, as elsewhere, the operations were mainly of a local character.

In order to deal with the enemy force which, under General Wahle, had come towards Mahenge from Tabora and was moving about the Iringa district somewhat aimlessly in various detachments, General van Deventer had pushed forward the 7th South African Infantry and a Cyclist Battalion, the latter under Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Fairweather, D.S.O., who for the time being assumed command of the two battalions and a portion of General Northey's force under Lieutenant-Colonel F. A. Rodger, D.S.O. The two battalions from the Second Division were very weak, but the transport position had not recovered sufficiently at this time to make it possible to send greater numbers, though here, as elsewhere, the utmost effort was being made to prepare for the general advance.

If we had been able to feed a larger number of troops at this stage, south of the Central Railway, in the western area, there is little doubt that we should have handled the enemy force from Tabora far more severely than we were able to do in our difficult circumstances.

The 7th South African Infantry reached Iringa on the 23rd October, and Lieutenant-Colonel Fairweather, with the Cyclist Battalion, on the following day.

On the 25th October General van Deventer reported that the larger portion of the enemy's Tabora force had broken through southwards between Alt-Iringa and Ngominji on the night of the 22nd/23rd and had cut all communication with General Northey, who for some time remained without any means of issuing orders to his troops at Iringa. In these circumstances I placed General van Deventer in charge of the situation at Iringa, and he temporarily assumed control of Lieutenant-Colonel Rodger's portion of General Northey's force. In addition to the concentrated portion of the enemy forces above referred to, many small parties broke through in the darkness, which of course they were able to do without any fear of detection over a large front.

General Northey's forces on the Ruhudje were at the same time being attacked by superior forces.

The passage of the enemy through our lines occupied some three weeks, and this period was marked by much fighting of detachments and patrols.

The main incidents of these operations were as follows—fuller details in many instances will no doubt be available from the despatches of General Northey in due course :—

On the 23rd October a patrol of Rhodesian askaris, under command of Lieutenant-Colonel Baxendale, was ambushed and lost 33 in killed, wounded and missing, with one machine gun. It is to be regretted that Lieutenant-Colonel Baxendale was among those who lost their lives.

On the 25th a small detachment of the 4th South African Horse encountered a strong force at Malangamagara wells, 12 miles north of Iringa, and inflicted a heavy defeat on the enemy, of whom many were killed and captured. The enemy abandoned all thier sick and wounded after this action, and the Commanding Officer wrote asking for their protection by us.

On the 29th October a small post at Ngominyi was compelled to surrender to a very superior strength of the enemy after a resolute and gallant defence. Two naval 12 pounder guns lost here were retaken by us in the course of operations almost immediately afterwards. Captain Clerk, commanding the post, was killed.

A detachment of some 12 Rhodesian askaris at Madibira was also surrounded and captured.

At dawn on the 30th October Lieutenant-Colonel Hawthorn attacked the enemy on the west bank of the Ruhudje and obtained a signal success, capturing 6 Europeans and 75 askaris unwounded, together with a 6 c.m. gun, 3 machine guns, and large quantities of ammunition and telephone and other material. Five European and 37 askari dead of the enemy were buried on the scene of the engagement.

On the 30th and 31st October our positions at Altiringa were attacked, but the attacks failed, and the enemy sustained appreciable casualties.

On the 7th November the enemy was still south of Iringa, but had attempted no offensive since his defeats at the end of October. He had left behind many sick and wounded at different camps and released considerable numbers of our prisoners of war, and the state and morale of his troops were reported as indifferent.

In the meantime arrangements had made some headway, and a column, under Colonel A. J. Taylor, was being concentrated to move at an early date from Dodoma to Iringa, while the mounted brigade of the Second Division—which since its withdrawal from the Uluguru operations in August had been resting, reorganising and refitting at Morogoro—was on its way, reduced to approximately 1,000 rifles, to Iringa.

These movements were preparatory to a concentration of General Northey's forces about Lupembe and southwards, while General van Deventer was to assume command in the neighbourhood of Iringa and link up with General Northey to the south.

On the 8th November General Northey reported an enemy concentration against Malangali, where we had a small detachment, and that he had detached 400 rifles under Lieutenant-Colonel R. E. Murray to assist the post.

The force under Lieutenant-Colonel Hawthorn had been ordered to withdraw to Lupembe.

From the 8th to 12th the post at Malangali was defended most gallantly against considerable odds. Three assaults were repulsed at close quarters, and heavy loss was sustained by the attacking enemy. On the 12th Lieutenant-Colonel Murray's relieving force arrived and attacked from the south, taking full advantage of the surprise which it had been able to effect, and inflicting heavy damage on the enemy, of whom nine Europeans in one company alone were captured. The captures included one machine gun and much ammunition.

Abortive attacks were delivered by the enemy at Ssongea on the night of the 14th/15th and at Lupembe on the 17th.

These last rebuffs apparently caused the enemy to abandon any idea of further immediate offensive action, and for some little time the operations reverted to a minor degree of importance.

On the 16th November the leading regiment of the Mounted Brigade reached Iringa.

By the 19th all information pointed to the withdrawal of the whole of the enemy forces eastwards to take up a chain of positions covering Mahenge and extending from Kidatu by Lofia, Mfua, Lukegeta, Makua's, Mfirika to north-east of Ssongea.

The presence of an enemy force about Madibira had been for some time persistently reported, and it was known that early in the operations, which resulted in the eastward movement of General Wahle's force, a detachment had either become separated from the main Tabora force or from some cause or other had been delayed.

The retirement of the enemy and the arrival of fresh units of the Second Division at Iringa having made the position secure, the occasion seemed suitable for an attempt to round up the enemy detachment which was assumed to be following the Tabora force. A big gun was reported to be with the detachment.

General Northey accordingly arranged to send a force under Lieutenant-Colonel Murray by motors to attack the enemy detachment from the south, while General van Deventer was instructed to co-operate from Iringa.

On the 21st it was definitely ascertained that the enemy detachment had occupied Ilembule mission (N. W. of Ubena) on the previous day and was moving to the east.

At noon on the following day the enemy was still at Ilembule, half Lieutenant-Colonel Murray's column being near Emmaberg and the remainder at Ubena.

On the 22nd the second half of the South African Infantry Battalion which had been sent to General Northey arrived at Wiedhafen.

At noon on the 24th the enemy at Ilembule had been surrounded by Murray, and on the 26th, after resistance, the entire force was captured by him. The enemy force was commanded by Lieutenant-Colonel Huebener, and consisted of 7 officers, 47 other Europeans and 249 askaris, and one howitzer and three machine guns were also taken. This highly creditable enterprise was carried out with trifling casualties to our forces engaged.

The losses incurred by the enemy in the operations round Iringa and Lupembe in dead which we had buried and prisoners we had taken, amounted to 125 Europeans and 619 askaris.

On the 25th November I left Morogoro to visit the western front, and investigated the country to the Ruaha River and beyond, and on the 29th I instructed General van Deventer to retake Muhanga, which the enemy had occupied, and from there to move a strong force to Ifakara and further east to Luwegu, while General Northey was to deal with the enemy at Mfirika and Ssongea by moving to the Ruhudje River and Mponda, respectively.

As a preliminary feature of my general plan I intended the enemy to be driven over the Ruhudje and Ulanga rivers.

It was plain that the feeding of any considerable force south of the Ruaha River during the wet season was a problem of almost insurmountable difficulty, as it was apparently impossible to avoid vast inundated swampy areas of which the passage appeared impossible. I therefore determined to drive the enemy over the two rivers named above, and by creating a dump of supplies south of the Ruaha, to collect sufficient food to sustain a force which could watch the enemy until the rainy season was over and our advance became once more practicable.

I had investigated the possiblity of feeding more troops by way of Lake Nyasa, but was compelled to abandon the idea.

On the 1st December I went to Dar-es-Salam chiefly to make arrangements for the institution of a river transport service in connection with my coming operations on the Rufiji, and returned to Morogoro on the 5th. While at Dar-es-Salam I took the opportunity of visiting the force at Mssanga.

On the 4th General Northey moved his headquarters from Neu Langenburg to Ubena.

About this time constant patrol skirmishes took place between the enemy about Lukegeta and Mfirika and General van Deventer's troops and those of General Northey, respectively.

Continuous heavy rain in the west produced conditions under which every movement became a matter of extraordinary difficulty, and the supply situation was at times seriously insecure; and on the 19th December General van Deventer, whose headquarters were now at Iringa, reported that he had been unable to build up the reserve of supplies which we had hoped we should have been able to collect at Iringa, and that he could not feed his whole division during the forward move which was then imminent. He further advised moving a considerable portion of his command back to the railway, and that a reduced force of three infantry battalions and a squadron of mounted troops should be kept at Iringa for the advance. To this I agreed.

It is of interest, as indicating in some measure the difficulties which are attendant upon military movements on a large scale in tropical Africa, here to observe that of 1,000 mounted men who had marched from Morogoro early in November, rather more than 90 per cent. had lost their horses by death from disease by this date, *viz.*, in six weeks.

The combined forward movements by Generals van Deventer and Northey, in conjunction with the movements of the general advance elsewhere, were arranged to begin on the 24th December.

Operations in the area between the Rufiji and Central Railway from Dar-es-Salam to Kiwu.

(8) Before describing the operations which took place on our resumption of the offensive on all fronts at the end of the year, it is necessary briefly to touch upon the events which occurred during November and December in the Mssanga-Kissangire area.

As already stated, an attempt by a small column on the 9th October to drive away an enemy force in occupation of Kissangire had failed.

This column, after its unsuccessful effort, retired to Maneromango and there entrenched.

The force was strengthened at first by the addition of some South African Infantry, and later by sending to it the 57th Rifles and a section of mountain artillery from the first division at Tulo. These last reinforcements joined the column on the 21st October at Mssanga which was occupied.

Information at this time clearly indicated that the enemy, no doubt misled by native information of the movements of different detachments, very largely overestimated our strength at Mssanga.

On the 3rd November the enemy held Mkamba and Kissangire, and was patrolling actively to the north in the direction of the Central Railway.

On the 5th November Lieutenant-Colonel Willans was advised of the enemy's exaggerated estimate of our strength, and ordered by actively patrolling and in any other way possible to encourage the impression. In point of fact, the opposing forces at this point were practically equal in respect of numbers.

On the 6th a detachment was sent to Kongo, about 16 miles west of Mssanga. The strength of this detachment was 300 rifles and two machine guns, while remaining at Mssanga were 450 rifles, two guns, and four machine guns.

On the 18th Colonel N. H. M. Burne, D.S.O., took over command of the forces in this area from Lieutenant-Colonel Willans.

By the end of the month the enemy had occupied a third position at Kibesa, some 12 miles south of Mssanga, but though patrolling was active on both sides, and several attempts by the enemy to reach the Central Railway were frustrated little more had occurred.

In the early part of December the heavy rains, which had fallen elsewhere, were prevalent in this area also.

On the 12th the Inspector-General of Communications, under whose orders the Mssanga force was acting, was warned of the coming general advance and instructed to arrange the advance of the columns from Mssanga and Kongo, and to consider the preparation of a third small column to co-operate from the coast in the north Rufiji Delta.

On the 16th December considerable activity by the enemy before Mssanga was reported and all patrols were engaged on being sent out. The enemy advanced and drove in our picquet on the southern end of a ridge dominating the Mssanga camp and water and seized a considerable portion of the ridge. An engagement ensued, the enemy being reinforced, but on the morning of the 17th the attack had been repulsed, and he retired leaving some dead on the field.

Nothing else of importance occurred till the general advance, and the activities of our forces in this area were confined to watching the enemy closely with a view to obtaining early information of any retirement on his part.

The General Advance resumed.

(9) By the 22nd December the preparations for an advance on all fronts were complete. The period of preparation had been one of constant activity and continuous strain. It is not possible here to attempt any description of the varied work of the different services and sections concerned. The records of the departments are available and furnish full information. I may, however, state that an intimate knowledge of all the circumstances of our position is absolutely essential to a correct and fair estimate of what was accomplished.

Operations in the West.

I shall deal first with the operations in the west under Generals van Deventer and Northey. In spite of heavy rains which had just fallen, both were ready to advance on the 24th December in a combined offensive to drive the enemy over the Ulanga and Rufiji rivers.

Colonel Byron from Ssongea had attacked and dispersed the enemy on the 20th at Njamebenjo, and captured some stock and arms and a considerable quantity of native foodstuffs.

On the 25th December the troops of the Second Division encountered the enemy strongly entrenched east of Lukegeta Nek, and, while the attack was in progress at that place, the Mounted Brigade was sent from Makungwas to cut off the retreat of the enemy to the south and a force under Colonel Taylor moved from Boma Likininda's to the east of Muhanga to get astride the road at Boma Dwangire and join hands with the Mounted Brigade. The detachment at Njukwas was at this time held up by the flooded condition of the Lukosse river and was building rafts by which to try to effect a crossing.

The country generally was reported as very mountainous and covered with dense bush.

At the same time General Northey reported that the investment of the enemy's position at Mfirika was proceeding satisfactorily.

On the 26th he reported his forces as closing in on all sides of Mfirika, and that a portion of Murray's column was astride the Mfirika-Mahenge road.

On the same day General van Deventer reported that the enemy was in position at Magoma (Lukegeta Nek) but had lost his advanced position, and that his own troops were in occupation of a ridge in front of the main position held by the force opposing him. Colonel Taylor, on the previous day, had arrived within a few miles of Muhanga and the Mounted Brigade was in the vicinity of Makungwas.

On the 27th General Northey reported that he had occupied Mfirika on the previous day, the enemy having evacuated his position during the night of the 24th/25th and retired along the Mahenge road, having left a rearguard in position six miles east of Mfirika.

The report from the Second Division on this date was to the effect that the enemy had strongly resisted our advance on the previous day, 26th, fighting having been continuous. During the night of the 26th-27th our troops were pushed up to within 300 yards of the enemy's main position, but dawn on the following day found the position empty, the enemy having slipped away through dense bush during the night. General van Deventer expressed the hope that his troops near Muhanga might prevent the escape of the enemy, who, he reported, had suffered heavy casualties.

On the 27th the enemy tried to break through near Muhanga, but was driven back by the Mounted Brigade and engaged between the Lukosse and Luugwe rivers, and Taylor's

column and the force at Magoma were pushed on to co-operate. The enemy again attempted to effect his retirement on the 28th, and was once more driven back, but eventually escaped through the dense bush and forest under cover of darkness and eluded pursuit.

The operations of Generals van Deventer and Northey at this time are interesting as showing the practical impossibility of cornering an enemy in country of a nature such as that in which these operations were conducted.

For the remainder of the period with which this despatch deals, the operations in the west, though they resulted in gradually pressing the enemy back, were not marked by any incident of special interest.

On the 1st January the Second Division drove back an enemy force which had advanced from Mageta Posten, and the Njukwas detachment occupied Kissada, while the situation before General Northey remained practically unchanged.

On the 2nd General van Deventer reported that torrential rains had stopped his movements and that he was confining himself to active patrol work.

On the 3rd General Northey reported that Murray's column had assaulted and captured the southern end of the enemy's position east of Mfirika, and on the following day the enemy force at Msalala (east of Mfirika) had retired and was being pursued.

On the 5th January General Northey reported that the enemy retiring eastward before him had taken up another position and that our attack upon this position was still in progress.

On the 6th Byron's column dispersed an enemy force at Gumbiro.

On the 9th General Northey's advanced troops were in touch with the enemy six miles east of Sylvester Falls, and on the next day the enemy were retiring partly eastwards towards Mahenge and partly to the south towards Ifinga. Our advanced troops were about Smani and ten miles east of Sylvester Falls.

On the 11th General Northey reported that Lieutenant-Colonel Hawthorn was still pressing the enemy eastwards, and that Lieutenant-Colonel Murray was leaving Mfirika for Ifinga.

Three days later (on the 14th) the enemy were forced back from Smani and north-east of Songea between Likuju and Mpondas, and a quantity of stores fell into our hands.

On the 16th Murray's column of General Northey's force secured the bridge over the Ruhudje at Malawis, six miles north-west of Ifinga.

During the next few days the enemy continued to withdraw, followed by our troops, and a gradual retirement by the enemy towards the east and the south was still in progress in this theatre when I left the country.

Rufiji Operations.

(10) I now return to the main operations in the Rufiji area.

On the 22nd December I left Morogoro and proceeded to Duthumi, where advanced general headquarters were established on that date.

The distribution of our forces on this front was as follows:—

On the Mgeta front under my immediate command were:—General Sheppard's brigade (the 1st East African Brigade, hereafter referred to as the 1st Brigade), in occupation of our line as already described. The 2nd South African Infantry Brigade, under General Beves, was at the summit of Sheppard's pass, on the road between Ruwu and Tulo, and was under orders to reach Dakawa on the 25th. The Nigerian Brigade, under Brigadier-General F. H. B. Cunliffe, C.B., C.M.G., of which the first units had reached Dar-es-Salam on the 9th December, was in process of concentration at Ruwu and was to assemble at Tulo for the initial phases of the coming operations.

The First Division (Hoskins') was still in its positions to the south of the Rufiji, about Kibata and in the Kilwa area, warned to be ready to advance. Headquarters of this division moved to Mitole on the 25th.

The columns at Mssanga and Kongo were in readiness to move forward on receiving my instructions to that effect, which were to be sent when my own operations had reached a stage where co-operation could be effected with the best result.

The opening movements in connection with the main advance on the Mgeta front under my own direction were timed to begin on the 26th December, but continuous heavy rain compelled me to postpone all movement until the 31st, when the weather improved. This delay, though forced upon me, was not without advantage, as it enabled the Nigerian Brigade, which was somewhat behindhand, to complete its equipment and come up.

Two main considerations governed my dispositions, *viz.*, the seizure of a crossing over the Rufiji and the capture, if possible, of the enemy force immediately opposing me. To the former of these two objects I attached the highest importance, and the chief problem which confronted me was how to seize a crossing over the river without allowing the enemy to become aware of my intention, for I was particularly anxious that the enemy should not evade a heavy blow by an early retirement from my front. Once over the Rufiji my intention was to move south-east and effect a junction with Hoskins' division moving north-west from the Mathumbi mountains and by these combined movements to cut all connection between the two enemy forces on Rufiji and at Mahenge respectively, and either to envelop the enemy on the Rufiji or deal him a heavy blow as he escaped south.

To secure a crossing over the Rufiji I decided to detach a considerable force to make a wide detour and capture and maintain a bridgehead in the neighbourhood of Mkalinso, twenty miles south-west of Kibambawe, while with the remainder of my forces I attacked and held the enemy north of the Rufiji.

My arrangements to the above end were as follows:—

The march to Mkalinso was entrusted to Beves' Brigade, which was to reach Kirengwe, ten miles west of Kissaki, on the 31st December. From Kirengwe General Beves was ordered to send forward a picked body of scouts towards the Rufiji and, on the 1st January, to push forward his engineers and pioneers to Kwa, Hobola, accompanied by half a battalion. On the following day this advance party—the half battalion increased to one battalion—was to reach Kidete and to arrive in the neighbourhood of the junction of the Ruaha and Rufiji rivers on the 3rd January. The remainder of the Brigade was to follow one march in rear of its advanced troops. Before daybreak on the 4th January a crossing was to be effected in Berthon boats over the Rufiji below its junction with the Ruaha, and a bridgehead was to be prepared and held on the right bank while a light raft was being constructed

With the object of keeping the enemy in his positions while this flank march was in process of execution, I decided to deliver a holding attack from our forward entrenched positions on the Duthumi front while two forces worked their way round the enemy's flank by the east and west.

The holding attack was to be set in motion at daybreak on the 1st January by the Nigerian Brigade under Brigadier-General Cunliffe, and to the Army Artillery under Brigadie General Crowe was allotted the task of supporting this attack. Stress was laid on the fact that the enemy should not be turned out of his positions till instructions were received that the attack was to be pressed.

For the purpose of the local flank movement to the east a column was formed of the 2nd Kashmirs, detached from the 1st Brigade, and a battalion from the Nigerian Brigade, the force being placed under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. Lyall, of the 2nd Kashmirs. Colonel Lyall was instructed to reach Kiruru, twelve [illegible] east of Duthumi, on the evening of the 31st December, and thence on the following [illegible] to move to south and occupy Tshimbe on the Kiderengwa to Beho-Beho road. On arrival at the road the force was to entrench and send forward patrols to establish contact with the 1st Brigade coming from the west. Colonel Lyall was told to do his best to prevent the retreat of the enemy. If the enemy was enclosed, Colonel Lyall's force was to be merged in the command of General Sheppard.

The movement round the enemy's western flank was necessarily more complicated, and its execution was allotted to the first Brigade under General Sheppard. It was of importance to prevent information of the departure of Beves' brigade from Kirengwe reaching the enemy, and a double company of the the 130th Baluchis was detached on the afternoon of the 31st December to move to Wiransi, which was to be occupied or masked from the north on the following day. The rest of this battalion was to march well in rear of the enemy position at Dawaka to the Dakawa to Wiransi road and, leaving a post on that road, to move on the 1st January towards Kidegede-Kiderengwa. To this battalion was entrusted the responsibility of establishing contact with Colonel Lyall's force.

The movement of the first Brigade in connection with the general plan, was to begin at daybreak on the 1st January, and was to be directed to the envelopment of the enemy position at Dakawa and a continuous advance eastwards.

On the 1st January the operations on the Mgeta front began, the preliminary movements on the day before having been carried out without any hitch.

At about 10 a.m. General Sheppard reported the 130th Baluchis under Lieutenant-Colonel Dyke, who were astride the Wiransi road north of Wiransi and south of the German Porter Camp, were being attacked by three companies, and he was pushing on towards the scene of the action. A demonstration on the Duthumi front was ordered to prevent any detachment by the enemy from that quarter. Two hours later General Sheppard reported the Dakawa position clear of the enemy, and that he had joined hands with Lieutenant-Colonel Dyke. The 130th Baluchis, after a long and fatiguing march the previous afternoon and night, had come on to the road behind the enemy, who, while retreating south on this road before Sheppard's advance, unexpectedly found the road occupied. The enemy then delivered four determined charges against the Baluchis, and, after severe fighting in which the bayonet was several times used at close quarters, retired to the east of the Wiransi road. The casualties on both sides were comparatively heavy, and the action, though short in duration, was of a severe character. Sheppard arrived on the scene after this action was over.

In the meantime General Cunliffe had been engaged on the Duthumi front, but, owing to the nature of his task, had not pressed an advance.

At 2-30 p.m., Lieutenant-Colonel Lyall reported that he was near the Kiderengwa to Beho-Beho road, half a mile to the north of Tshimbe, and an hour later was engaged with the enemy, from whom a 4·1 howitzer had been captured and who apparently had not observed his approach, but, on realising that the road of their retreat was blocked, at once turned back from before the Nigerian Brigade to endeavour to regain their line of retirement. Between 6 and 7 o'clock in the evening the enemy delivered a heavy attack on the Nigerian battalion

of Lyall's column, the attack dying down at 7 o'clock. It seemed clear that the enemy north of Lyall would make a determined effort to get past him to the south during the night, and orders were issued to Lyall to keep a sharp look out for any movement on the part of the enemy, in order that the First Brigade might be directed to move to the best advantage.

At 11 a m. the double company of the 130th Baluch's had occupied Wiransi, taking some prisoners and stores there.

Beves' brigade reached Kwa Hobola in the evening and the First Brigade pushed on in the night to Wiransi. Lyall's force remained in position at Tshimbe.

The night of the 1st-2nd passed without incident.

In the course of the morning of the 2nd it became clear that the whole enemy force on the Mgeta front had retired to the south of our forces.

Upon this information I ordered the Nigerian Brigade to push down the Duthumi to Kiderengwa road and establish touch with Lyall, which was done during the day, Kiderengwa being occupied by the Brigade at 11 a.m After its troops had established touch with Lyall the Nigerian Brigade was withdrawn again to Duthumi.

The existence of an enemy position on the Tshogowali river near Beho-Beho had long been known, and it might be assumed that the retiring enemy force would concentrate there

I decided once more to make an attempt to encircle the enemy, and with this object the First Brigade was moved from the Wiransi to Beho-Beho road westward between Fuga and the Tshogowali river, with orders to reach a ridge south of the river early the following morning. The 130th Baluchis were sent direct towards Beho-Beho-Kwa Mahinda, Lyall's column being ordered to move to the same place at daybreak on the 3rd.

General Beves was warned of the enemy retirement, and that he had no time to lose if the Rufiji crossing was to be seized without opposition. He reported his arrival at 8-30 P.M., at Mhumbi, and that he would push on two and a half hours later and endeavour to effect a crossing early on the 3rd. His troops had been marching and road making for 14 hours, and had just completed a march of 20 miles. So far no sign of the enemy had been observed. They were still 10 miles from the Rufiji.

On the 3rd January, at 6-30 a.m., and therefore, a day ahead of their programme, the advance troops of Beves' Brigade, after a 30 miles' continuous march, crossed the Rufiji a few miles south of Mkalinso, and secured and entrenched a bridgehead. The march of the 2nd South African Infantry Brigade on this occasion was a noteworthy achievement, even in a campaign which affords repeated instances of splendid endurance by every unit of the forces under most trying and exhausting conditions.

The main object of my operations had thus been achieved in a shorter time than I had thought possible.

On the same day, the 3rd, the First Brigade was marching through most difficult country towards its objective south of the Tshogowali River.

At 4-35 Lyall's column just north of Beho-Beho encountered opposition, which increased until a sharp action developed, which terminated after dusk. Touch w s established between this column and our force on the Wiransi road at Beho-Beho-Kwa Mahinda at 5 P.M.

General Sheppard was ordered to move on to the Beho-Beho to Kibambawe road south of the enemy early the next morning, and Lyall's column of the 130th Baluchis, the combined force now under Lieutenant-Colonel Dyke of the latter regiment, were instructed simultaneously to press an attack from the north. If the enemy again evaded our forces, he was to be followed rapidly to prevent him from concentrating against Beves' Brigade.

The last-named detachment was held at Mkalinso, and spent the day in strengthening its position crossing troops and stores, and patrolling well out from the right bank of the river.

The First Division was warned of the desirablity of not committing too strong a force at Kibata, and to the east of it. In the reports of this division the first indications of a withdrawal of the enemy westwards were to be observed.

On the 4th, at 10-30 A M., the First Brigade arrived on the road, and had a sharp engagement with the enemy retiring from Beho-Beho, but, though severely handled, the enemy again slipped past. The brunt of this action was borne by the 25th Royal Fusiliers, and their casualties included Captain F C. Selous, D.S.O., who fell at the head of his company.

The air reconnaissances this day showed that the repair of the Rufiji bridge at Kibambawe had been nearly completed by the enemy, who had for some days been working to make good the damage caused by flood. The bridge had been constantly bombed by the aeroplanes which did consistently excellent work throughout the operations.

The First Division reported further portions of the Kibata area clear of the enemy, and that reconnaissances were proceeding.

The situation north of the Rufiji and Utete was unchanged, except that some measure of success was achieved by an ambush laid by enemy patrols, as a result of which two officers and nine other ranks of the Arab Rifles were killed.

Early on this date a force from the Force Reserve surprised an enemy party at Mkalinso and accounted for three Europeans, twelve askaris, and a number of porters.

On the 5th January the First Brigade, which had been rejoined by the 130th Baluchis and 2nd Kashmirs, reached Kibambawe, and found the enemy had crossed the Rufiji during the night, and was holding the right bank. The whole roadway of the bridge had been removed.

General Sheppard was ordered to cross the Rufiji during the night of the 5th-6th.

From information which was obtained at Mkalinso, it appeared that the enemy force, which crossed the river at Kibambawe, had been ordered to retire east along the north bank, but had found it impossible to do so in consequence of the hurried nature of its retreat, and the danger of being cut off by our advance.

By the morning of the 6th January one double company and two machine guns had crossed the Rufiji at Kibambawe, and lay throughout the day concealed in the reeds on the river bank, the enemy having failed to detect the crossing.

I proceeded on this date to Kibambawe, and reconnoitred the position from the left bank, which commands the right bank at this place, and ordered the crossing of troops to be continued during the following night, and that reconnaissances should be pushed out early on the 7th, provided an adequate number of troops had been passed over the river

On my way back to Duthumi I received information that an enemy force was two miles east of Mkalinso entrenched, having apparently arrived during the night of the 5th-6th. Upon this I ordered General Beves to take steps to deal with this force.

Reports of the weakening of the enemy strength in the Matumbi mountains opposite the First Division continued

On the 7th the enemy offered stiff resistance to the 30th Punjabis of the First Brigade, who were on the right bank of the Rufiji opposite Kibambawe, and the latter sustained severe casualties, but maintained their position. Owing to accurate enemy gun fire the idea of crossing more troops by daylight had to be abandoned.

General Beves reported that, after an engagement, the enemy force near Mkalinso had retired, and that a considerable strength of his brigade was occupying Mkalinso camp.

The troops of this brigade had by this time become very exhausted, and further advance from Mkalinso was accordingly suspended.

On the 8th January I proceeded to the Rufiji at General Beves' crossing and saw General Beves and investigated the situation. Before returning I instructed General Beves to withdraw his forces from Mkalinso and remain concentrated on the right bank [illegible] river at his original place of crossing.

Orders were sent to the First Division, in view of the strong evidence that the enemy was moving to the west from Kibata, to send a battalion towards Mohoro, and to the west of it, to clear up the situation.

General Sheppard reported the situation unchanged at Kibambawe, beyond that he had crossed more troops.

Though able to maintain his position, he was not in a position to undertake offensive action. He was instructed to hold his positions.

The Nigerian Brigade left Duthumi *en route* for Beves' crossing on the Rufiji, it being intended that the offensive south of the Rufiji should be resumed when the fresh brigade arrived at the river.

The enemy resistance in the Kibata area had much diminished, and the movement of part of the First Division north towards the Rufiji delta was beginning.

The enemy north of the Rufiji was found to have evacuated his position at Mkamba on the night of the 8th-9th, and was reported to be retiring towards Kssegesse, and our forces were moving in pursuit On the 10th January Colonel Burne occupied Kihesa.

The enemy opposite the First Brigade at Kibambawe was less aggressive, but watching the river most carefully.

In the Kibata area troops of the First Division advanced both north and west to keep in touch with the retreating enemy, and occupied Mwengei and Ngarambi respectively.

The situation was now clearing up. The enemy detachments north of the Rufiji at Kissangire and Mkamba were falling back south, followed by our patrols, and several companies were stated already to have crossed the river about 15 miles west of Utete. Kissegesse was occupied on the 17th by Colonel Burne, who immediately marched on to Koge. The withdrawal of the enemy from the Kitschi and Matumbi mountains north of Kibata continued. Our troops reached Mohoro on the south Rufiji delta on 16th January and found a 4 1-inch naval gun abandoned by the enemy some distance south of it. While the situation north of the Rufiji and eastwards towards the delta was thus rapidly clearing up, it still remained uncertain whether the enemy would attempt to make a stand at Utete and elsewhere south of the Rufiji, and so afford us an opportunity to cut off his retreat, or whether he would move south without loss of time This uncertainty still remained when I relinquished the command on the 20th January. The gap between the most westerly troops of the First Division at and north of Ngarambi and Beves' Brigade at Mkalinso was still too wide to prevent such a retreat to the south, and in order to close or contract it, General Cunliffe's Nigerian Brigade was ordered to move forward from Mkalinso to Luhembero on 17th January, at the same time that the forces of Sheppard and Beves were to clear the enemy from the south of the Rufiji at Kibambawe. These orders were successfully carried out, the south bank of the river, as well as Mkindu and Luhembero, being occupied on the 18th January, and thereafter Cunliffe's Brigade followed the retreating enemy towards the south-east. Such was the situation on the 20th January when I handed over the command to General Hoskins and sailed from Dar-es-Salam.

On concluding this, my final despatch, I desire again to record my deep obligation to my Staff, all Divisional, Brigade, and Regimental Commanders, and all heads of Services and Departments.

Especially do I wish finally to emphasise the fact that the success hitherto achieved in this most trying and exacting campaign is mainly due to the unremitting efforts and resolute endurance of all ranks throughout the whole force.

To the Navy my obligations for the success of the campaign are too numerous to be expressed.

I must also express my gratitude to the various Governments which have come so readily and effectively to our assistance throughout the period of my command.

The Government of India has kept up a flow of reinforcements and remount mules for mountain batteries, and has provided large quantities of tentage, clothing, and miscellaneous articles, besides the entire food supply for the Indian troops, and of flour and canteen stores for the British troops. The Indian ration has been of exceptionally good quality, particularly the "atta" and "ghi," regarding which the Indian soldier is most critical.

Besides these, we have received 96 box motor cars, with a liberal proportion of spare parts.

The Government of the Union of South Africa has maintained a steady flow of reinforcements, collected enormous numbers of coloured labourers and conductors for transport, remount and railway services, and provided 23,144 horses, 24,198 mules, and 7,546 donkeys for the Force, besides 565 touring and box motor cars, and 766 ox and mule wagons over and above those originally sent with the South African contingents.

In addition to the above, we have been kept supplied with fodder and many articles of food-stuffs, besides ordnance and engineer stores.

All demands have been completed with the utmost care and promptitude.

British East Africa and Uganda Governments.—Since the commencement of the campaign, these Governments have unreservedly placed their resources at the disposal of the Army, both in the matter of allowing a large proportion of the European civil officials to take up military service, and also by employing many of those who remained behind, on meeting our large demands for porters, local foodstuffs, &c.

The authorities of Zanzibar have raised and equipped two corps of porters, besides rendering many acts of assistance, such as placing the Government steamers at our disposal, establishing a convalescent home for officers and other charitable organisations.

Such aid as is possible and necessary will, without doubt, continue to be afforded to my successor in the command, and I trust that when, as I confidently hope will soon be the case, the campaign is brought to a successful issue, the various Governments will be approached and asked to indicate the names of those individuals whose services, in connection with the East African Expeditionary Force, should be specially recognised.

My grateful acknowledgments are due to the several Red Cross Societies British, South African and Indian, for the very generous way in which they have not only given large quantities of comforts for the troops but have also provided motor ambulance cars, motor launches &c.

I also wish to thank the South African Gifts Committees, representing a vast number of individual donors, for their large contributions of gifts, and my only regret is that the exigencies of the campaign prevented the majority of them being issued till the troops were on the eve of departure from East Africa.

His Highness the Maharaja Scindia of Gwalior came forward in a most patriotic manner at the commencement of the campaign, and equipped, with a complete medical staff and every comfort, a convalescent home of fifty beds for Indian officers and men, which has been constantly in use and of the greatest benefit. "Scott Sanatorium" was also taken over by him for the use of convalescent British officers, and has proved of great value.

Major McMillan very generously provided two convalescent homes entirely at his own expense, which were splendidly staffed and equipped and were of the utmost benefit to the troops.

Several other ladies and gentlemen most kindly placed their houses at our disposal as convalescent homes, and the constant use made of them testifies to the manner in which they were appreciated.

The East African Field Force Fund and the Women's War Work League have rendered most active and loyal assistance since the commencement of the campaign, and the troops owe these bodies a deep debt of gratitude.

I am particularly indebted to the representatives of the Young men's Christian Association in India and South Africa, who have not only being untiring in their efforts for the welfare of the troops, but have also worked the field force canteens which have proved of so much value to them.

The Garrison Institute has also done excellent work.

I have already brought to notice the names of all those under my command whose services I wish specially to commend to your favourable notice.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

J. C. SMUTS,

Lieutenant-General,

Commanding East African Expeditionary Force.

No. 1017.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Third Supplement dated the 2nd May 1917 to the London Gazette of the 1st May 1917, pages 4179, 4180, 4184 and 4185.

War Office,
2nd May 1917.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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Flying Officers.—

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11th Apr. 1917.

2nd-Lt. D. S. Buchanan, Ind. Army Res. of Off.

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MEMORANDA.

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Capt. W. A. K. Fraser, M.C., Ind. Cav., to be acting Maj. whilst serving as Maj. on Hd. Qrs. 16th Mar. 1917.

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Fifth Supplement dated the 3rd May 1917 to the London Gazette of the 1st May 1917, page 4197.

War Office,
3rd May 1917.

The undermentioned temp. appt. is made :—

Officer in Charge of Labour Records.—Lt.-Col. R. F. R. Formby, ret. pay, Ind. Army. 1st Apr. 1917.

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Second Supplement dated the 4th May 1917 to the London Gazette of the 4th May 1917, pages 4295 and 4301.

War Office,
4th May 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

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2nd Lt. H. Christie, Ind. Army Res. of Off., to be acting Capt. whilst empld. with Railway Operating Divn. 27th Feb. 1917.

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Third Supplement dated the 5th May 1917 to the London Gazette of the 4th May 1917, pages 4311, 4312, 4313, 4314 and 4326.

War Office,
5th May 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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GENERAL STAFF.

G. S. Os.—

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2nd Grade.—

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Major S. A. Delme-Radcliffe, ret. pay, Ind. Army, *vice* Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) W. V. Nugent, D.S.O., R.A. 1st Mar. 1917.

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3rd Grade—

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Capt. P. J. Gout, M.C., Ind. Inf. 6th Mar. 1917.

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ATTACHED TO HD.-QR. UNITS.

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Brig. Comdr.—Lt.-Col E. R. B. Murray, Ind. Inf., and to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst so empld. 15th Mar. 1917. (Substituted for the notification regarding this officer in the Gazette of 9th Mar. 1917).

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ATTACHED TO HD.-QR. UNITS.

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Area Quartering Committees.

Presidents.—

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Col. H. James, ret. pay, Ind. Army. 20th Mar. 1917.

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ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mily. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made :—

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Flying Officers (Observers).

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Temp. Capt. W. H. L. O'Neill, Ind. Army. 28th Mar. 1917, with seniority from 4th [illegible] 1917.

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INFANTRY.

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East Lancashire Regt.—Captain H. M. Burrows, Indian Army, to be Maj (temp.) from 8th Sept. 1916 to 31st Mar. 1917.

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Fifth Supplement dated the 7th May 1917 to the London Gazette of the 4th May 1917, pages 4341 and 4345.

War Office,
7th May 1917.

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MEMORANDA.

Bt. Col. W. M. Southey, C.M.G., Ind. Army, to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst empld. as Brig.-Comdr. 31st Mar. 1917.

The undermentioned to be temp. Lt.-Cols. (with the pay and allowances of a Maj.) whilst empld. on recruiting duties.

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Fitzwarren Lloyd, late Lt.-Col., Assam Valley Light Horse. 19th Feb. 1917.

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PROMOTIONS.

Royal Garrison Artillery.

No. 1018.—The undermentioned officer to be acting Captain whilst performing the duties of Captain of a battery of Mountain Artillery :—

Lieutenant H. W. Moore, No. 3, Mountain Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery, from the 17th February 1917 to the 16th May 1917.

No. 1019.—The following acting promotion is made :—

1st Garrison Battalion, The Norfolk Regiment.

Major A. B. Black to Acting Lieutenant-Colonel, *vice* Colonel R. H. Martin, C.B., C.M.G., officiating in command of the Karachi Brigade, 6th June 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1020.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Second Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

11th June 1917.

Francis Leslie Philpott, 27th Light Cavalry; whilst acting Adjutant of the regiment.

No. 1021.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified, but not to carry pay and allowances prior to the 1st September 1916:—

Captains to be Majors.

9th March 1916.

Arthur Thomas Sheringham, D.S.O., 121st Pioneers.

8th May 1916.

Geoffrey Norton Thompson, 43rd Erinpura Regiment.

Eric Conway Irwin, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry, (Brownlow's Punjabis).

27th May 1916.

Richard Harold O'Donnell Paterson, 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.

22nd June 1916.

Basil de Lisle Brock, M.C., 126th Baluchistan Infantry.

24th July 1916.

William Clarke Kirkwood, 97th Deccan Infantry.

18th January 1917.

William Henry Ralston, M.C., 47th Sikhs.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

6th September 1915.

Cuthbert Neil Harding, 88th Carnatic Infantry.

20th September 1915.

Kenneth Robert Scott, 31st Punjabis.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

16th June 1916.

Frank Tomlinson, attached 105th Mahratta Light Infantry.

15th September 1916.

Richard Barrow, attached 86th Carnatic Infantry.

15th November 1916.

Richard Mowbray Newton-King, attached 38th Dogras.
Cecil Mickleburgh Spaull, attached 86th Carnatic Infantry.
George Henry Connor, 33rd Punjabis.

18th April 1917.

William Gwynn Bennett, 47th Sikhs.
George Hubert Bland, attached 105th Mahratta Light Infantry.
Hereward Chappell, 39th Garhwal Rifles.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Southern Army.

No. 1022.—Supernumerary Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Thomas William Charlesworth, seconded, to be Commissary, and to remain seconded;

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain William Power to be Commissary;

Supernumerary Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Walter John Kendall to be absorbed;

Conductor Thomas Edward Ward to be Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant subject to His Majesty's approval;

Sub-Conductor Ernest Victor Johnson to be Conductor; and

Staff Serjeant Alexander Maitland March to be Sub-Conductor;

vice Commissary and Honorary Captain James Garrett Colburt, supernumerary on attaining the age of 55 years, with effect from the 30th May 1917.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 1023.—The undermentioned 3rd Class Assistant Surgeons, (Supernumerary 2nd class), having completed five years' service in that class, to be 2nd Class Assistant Surgeons, substantively, with effect from the 7th June 1917 :—

Charles Mark Ernest Warner.
James Michael Rodrigues, M.C.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1024.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Risaldar-Major Muhammad Amin Khan, *Sardar Bahadur*, 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis), with effect from the 16th May 1917.

No. 1025.—The following promotions are made :—

33rd Queen Victoria's Own Light Cavalry.

Kot-Dafadar Rai Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st June 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners.

Hav[illegible] Moung Gyi to be Jemadar, with effect from the 24th April 1917 ; to complete [illegible] establishment.

17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).

Jemadar Tungal Khan to be Subadar and Havildar Yaqub Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th March 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

31st Punjabis.

Havildar Sadda Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 12th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

2nd Battalion, 67th Punjabis.

Havildar Kala Singh to be Jemadar, with effect from the 11th November 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

108th Infantry.

Havildar-Major Mir Tasadduq Husain to be Jemadar, with effect from the 30th April 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

114th Mahrattas.

Havildar Data Ram Chauhan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st June 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

116th Mahrattas.

Subadar Ramchandar Ghorpade to be Subadar-Major and Jemadar Abdurrahman Khan to be Subadar, with effect from the 8th January 1917 ; *vice* Shaikh Babu, *Sardar Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment.

Jemadar Baburao Ghorpade to be Subadar, with effect from the 9th February 1917, Havildar Data Ram Sawant to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st August 1916, Havildar Vishnujirao Ghag to be Jemadar, with effect from the 10th October 1916, Havildar Anna Chowan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st November 1916, Havildar Keshaorao Sinde to be Jemadar, with effect from the 1st December 1916, Havildar Usman Khan to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th January 1917, Havildar Shaikh Muhammad Usman to be Jemadar, with effect from the 17th January 1917, Havildar Yadorao Barge to be Jemadar, with effect the 1st February 1917, and Havildar Narayan Kadom to be Jemadar, with effect from the 8th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

Havildar Sayyid Dastagir to be Jemadar, with effect from the 20th June 1916 ; to complete the establishment.

Jemadar Sayyid Dastagir to be Subadar, with effect from the 9th February 1917 ; to complete the establishment.

98th Infantry.

No. 1026.—Muhammad Hussain to be Jemadar, on probation, with effect from the 12th April 1917, supernumerary to establishment.

35th Sikhs.

No. 1027.—The promotion of Jemadar Buta Singh to Subadar, published in Army Department Notification No. 1190, dated the 6th October 1916, is antedated, without pay and allowances, to the 1st September 1915. He will rank senior to Subadar Harnam Singh II.

53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

No. 1028.—The promotion of Jemadar Gagan Singh to Subadar has effect from the 15th March 1917 and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 898, dated the 8th June 1917.

92nd Punjabis.

No. 1029.—The promotion of Havildar Shan Muhammad to Jemadar has effect from the 23rd February 1917 and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 898, dated the 8th June 1917.

121st Pioneers.

No. 1030.—The promotion of Colour-Havildar Gharsi Ram to Jemadar is antedated to the 4th January 1915 and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 898, dated the 8th June 1917.

No 1031.—The following retired Indian officers have been re-employed in the Indian Army, with effect from the dates specified against their names :—

Rank and Name.	Former Regiment.	How employed.	Date of re-employment.
Risaldar-Major Pahlwan Khan, *Bahadur*.	12th Cavalry ...	Depot, 12th Cavalry ...	25th March 1917.
Subadar-Major Sapuran Singh	15th Ludhiana Sikhs ...	Indian Convalescent Section, Deesa.	3rd April 1917.
Subadar-Major Venkatanarasayya, *Bahadur*.	80th Carnatic Infantry ...	Garrison Company, Secunderabad.	30th October 1916.
Risaldar Mukab Ram ...	20th Lancers (Deccan Horse)	Indian Convalescent Section, Deesa	26th April 1917.
Subadar Arjun Singh ...	23rd Sikh Pioneers ...	83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.	6th February 1916.
" Mal Singh ...	26th Punjabis ...	Indian Convalescent Section, Deesa	14th May 1917.
" Chanda Singh ...	30th Punjabis ...	Indian Convalescent Section, Deesa	3rd April 1917.
" Sawan Singh ...	45th Rattray's Sikhs ...	Indian Convalescent Section, Deesa.	14th May 1917.
" Narasimhulu, *Bahadur*.	80th Carnatic Infantry ..	Depot, 80th Carnatic Infantry.	20th April 1917.
Subadar Dharmarajulu ...	Ditto ..	Ditto	1st May 1917
" Karam Khan	87th Punjabis	Depot, 87th Punjabis ...	24th February 1917.
" Rama Kadam .	114th Mahrattas ...	Indian Convalescent Section, Deesa	13th April 1917.
" Lala Pawat ...	120th Rajputana Infantry	Ditto ...	9th May 1917
Subadar Shahbaz Khan .	122nd Rajputana Infantry	Depot, 122nd Rajputana Infantry.	18th February 1917.
" Ghisa Ram .	123rd Outram's Rifles ...	Indian Convalescent Section Deesa.	13th May 1917.
Ressaidar Muhammad Amir Khan	30th Lancers (Gordon's Horse).	Indian Convalescent Section, Deesa	3rd April 1917.
Jemadar Venkatasami ...	2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners.	2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners	8th February 1917.
" Pal Singh ...	26th Punjabis	Indian Convalescent Section, Deesa	3rd April April 1917.
" Fazal Din	Hong Kong Singapore Battalion.	Ditto ...	Ditto

DISMISSALS, REMOVALS AND DISCHARGES.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH

No 1032—The services of 4th class Assistant Surgeon Albert Edward Leavers are dispensed with on account of physical disability, with effect from the 1st May 1917.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No 1033—Second Lieutenant Daniel Lewis McIver, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 25th June 1917.

RETIREMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 1034.—Lieutenant Edmund Heaton Peverell, 93rd Burma Infantry, has been permitted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India to resign his commission in the Indian Army, on appointment to a temporary commission on the General List for service with the Royal Flying Corps; with effect from the 24th April 1917.

No. 1035.—In Army Department Notification No. 943, dated the 15th June 1917, *for* "25th April 1917" *substitute* "26th April 1917."

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 1036.—His Majesty the King-Emperor has been graciously pleased to approve the admission of the undermentioned Indian officer to the 2nd Class of the Order of the British India with the title of "*Bahadur*" in recognition of his services with the Turco-Persian Frontier Commission in 1914. Dated the 30th December 1916 :—

Jemadar (now Ressaidar) Tawakli Khan, 18th King George's Own Lancers.

This appointment will be supernumerary to the authorised establishment and will be absorbed by the lapse of one appointment in three vacancies.

ORGANISATION.

No. 1037.—Mr. J. C. K. Peterson, I.C.S., Bengal, is appointed Controller of Munitions, Bengal Circle under the Indian Munitions Board, in addition to his other duties, with effect from the 29th June 1917.

No 1038 - The Hon'ble Mr. C. A. H. Townsend, I.C.S., Director of Agriculture and Industries, Punjab, [illegible] appointed Controller of Munitions, Punjab Circle, under the Indian Munitions Board, [illegible] to his existing duties.

No. 1039.—Mr. [illegible] E. Keatinge is appointed Controller of Indian Indents under the Indian Munitions Board, with effect from the 31st May 1917.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Aden Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1040.—The name of James Bett Gray is as now described, and not as stated in Army Department Notification No. 656, dated the 27th April 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 29th June 1917.

Under paragraphs 52 and 53 of the Regulations under the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, notice is hereby given :—

First.—That information has been received by me of the death of the officer named and described in the subjoined table.

Secondly.—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name in the same table.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased are to be lodged with the official referred to in the column of remarks within two calendar months from the date of this notice.

Rank and name.	Corps or Department.	Date of death.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of surplus.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	
Lieutenant-Colonel F. W. Thomas	Indian Army ...	20th January 1916.	Not known	358 13 0	Secretary to the Government of India, Army Department.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 29th June 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 29.—The following appointments are made in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the dates specified :—

To be temporary Lieutenants.

John Andres Vendrell, with effect from the 14th May 1917
Charles Lewis McConney, with effect from the 18th May 1917

To be temporary Sub-Lieutenant.

Herbert Alfred Cridland, with effect from the 26th April 1917.

PROMOTIONS

No. 30.—The following supernumerary promotions are made in the Royal Indian Marine with effect from the dates specified :—

From the 1st January 1916.

To be Chief Engineers

Engineer R. E. C. Bolton, D S.O., R.I.M.

Engineer F. T. Frazer, R.I.M.

From the 1st January 1917.

To be Commander, 1st Grade.

Captain E. J. C. Hordern, R.I M., (Government of India Marine Department Notification No. 6, dated the 23rd January 1917, is hereby cancelled).

To be Commander, 2nd Grade.

Commander G. H. S. LaTouche, R.I.M

To be Commander, 3rd Grade.

Lieutenant (temporary Commander) H Morland, R.I.M.

To be Chief Engineers.

Engineer E. E. Macpherson, R.I.M.

Engineer E. Guppy, R.I.M.

Correction.

No. 31.—In Government of India, Marine Department Notification No. 21, dated the 27th April 1917, *for* "Engineer R. E. C. Bolton, D.S.O., R.I.M." *read* "Engineer G. E., Wood, R.I.M."

A. H BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 25th June, 1917.

No. 277-P.-16.—The Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 1, Calcutta, having inspected the Ahmadpur-Pachandi section of the Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway, authorised its opening for passenger traffic with effect from the 30th May 1917. The Railway Board, after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

No. 761-E.—Mr. T. Pinder, Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, Eastern Bengal Railway, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Locomotive Superintendent in class II of that Establishment, with effect from the 4th June 1917 and until further orders.

The 26th June, 1917.

No. 825-E.-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 391-E., dated the 3rd April 1917, Mr. H. W. Huggins, Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, North-Western Railway, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, will continue to officiate as a District Locomotive Superintendent, in class II of that establishment, until further orders.

No. 825-2-E.-17.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 392-E., dated the 4th April 1917, Mr. I. S. Cameron, Officiating District Locomotive Superintendent, North-Western Railway, reverted to his substantive appointment of Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 26th April 1917.

The 27th June, 1917.

No. 200-P.-16.—The Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 1, Calcutta, having inspected the Fakirpur-Rainagar Section of the Bankura-Damoodar River Railway, authorised its opening for passenger traffic, with effect from the 6th June 1917. The Railway Board, after considering his report, have confirmed his action.

No. 843-E.—Mr. H. N. Irwin, Probationary Assistant Storekeeper, (on military duty) is confirmed in his appointment in class III, grade 4, of the Superior Stores Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 5th January 1915.

No. 843-2-E.—Mr. H. N. Irwin, Assistant Storekeeper, (on military duty) in class III, grade 4, of the Superior Stores Establishment, is promoted to class III, grade 3, of that establishment, with effect from the 1st January 1917.

No. 4052-S.-17.—Whereas the Governor General in Council is of opinion that certain rails of the Sutlej Valley Section of the Southern Punjab Railway together with all fastenings, sleepers, plant and [illegible]erial connected therewith can be utilized in connection with the prosecution of the pr[illegible]r.

Now, therefor[illegible]suance of sub-rule (1) of Rule 11-A. A. of the Defence of India (Consolidation) R[illegible]915, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to requir[illegible] Agent of the North-Western Railway being the person in charge of the said things [illegible]lace at his disposal at Lodhran station one hundred miles of rails of the said Su[illegible] Section of the Southern Punjab Railway together with all fastenings, sleepers, pla[illegible]al connected therewith.

The 28th June, 1917.

No. 257-W.-17.—The Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 6, Bombay, having inspected the double line, Badnera to Dhamangaon, Bhusawal-Nagpur Section, Great Indian Peninsula Railway, a length of 28·76 miles, authorised its opening to public traffic with effect from 25th January 1917. The Railway Board after considering his report have confirmed his action.

No. 864-E.—Malik Mohamed Sher Khan Nun, Probationary Assistant Traffic Superintendent, North Western Railway, in class III, grade 5, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is confirmed in his appointment and promoted to class III, grade 4, of that establishment, with effect from the 10th March 1917.

The 29th June, 1917.

No. 468-E.—In Railway Board's Notification No. 468-E., dated the 27th April 1917, *for* 11th April 1917 *substitute* 3rd April 1917.

No. 759-P.-16.—It is hereby notified for general information, that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Company, for a line of railway on the metre and 2′ 6″ gauges, alternatively from Hubli, a station on the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway, to Sirsi, *viâ* Kalghatgi and Mundgod, a distance of about 68 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Hubli-Sirsi railway reconnaissance survey.

No. 766-P.-16.—It is hereby notified for general information that sanction has been accorded by the Government of India to the construction by the Baroda Durbar of a line of railway on the 2′ 6″ gauge from Choranda, a station on the Miyagam-Malsar Railway to Koral on the river Nerbudda, a distance of 11·68 miles.

No. 817-E.-17.—Mr. W. A. E. Hanby, Deputy Chief Engineer, Eastern Bengal Railway, and Superintending Engineer, 1st class *s.p.t.*, State Railways, is permitted to retire from the service of Government under the operation of the rule in Article 650, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd July 1917.

No. 817-1-E.—With reference to Railway Board's Notification No. 817-E., dated the 29th June 1917, Mr. E. S. Christie, Executive Engineer, Eastern Bengal Railway, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Chief Engineer of that Railway with the officiating rank of Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, until further orders.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Simla, the 29th June, 1917.

The following preliminary statement of plague seizures and deaths reported in India, during the week ending the 23rd June 1917 is published for general information :—

Presidency or Province	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
DELHI ...	...	......	...	...
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY AND SIND	Northern	Bombay City	45	34
		Ahmedabad City	1	1
		Surat Town and Port	10	8
		Surat District	7	3
		Thana District	21	21
	Central	Ahmednagar District	[illegible]	12
		West Khandesh District	[illegible]	2
		Poona District	10	9
		Nasik District	37	[illegible]
		Satara District	183	[illegible]
		Sholapur District	18	14
	Southern	Kolaba District	2	2
		Ratnagiri Port	5	5
		Ratnagiri District	...	1
		Belgaum District	57	40
		Dharwar District	13	7
		Bijapur District	17	10
	Sind ...	Karachi Town and Port	13	11
		Hyderabad District	3	3
	Political Charges.	Baroda State	2	1
		Mangrol Port	5	2
		Tuna Port	3	...
		Mandvi Port	...	1
		Mundra Port	3	4
		Kathiawar Agency	4	3

In the return for the week ending 16th June 1917 add the following :—

Kanara District . . . 1 case, nil death.
Sukkur " . . . 1 case, [illegible] death.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 20,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
Bombay Presidency and Sind	Political Charges	Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country States	[illegible]	91
		Akalkot State	1	1
		Satara Agency	7	5
		Aden Port	3	2
		Total	614	444
Madras Presidency		Anantapur District	3	3
		Bellary District	9	8 (a)
		Mangalore Port	2	3
		[illegible]batore District	1	1
		Nilgiris District	1 (a)	1 (a)
		Salem District	..	1
		North Arcot District	2	1
		Total	18	18
Bengal Presidency	Burdwan	Howrah Town	1	1
	Presidency	Calcutta	3	3
		Total	4	4
Bihar and Orissa	Patna	Patna District	7	6
		Shahabad District	15	18
	Tirhut	Saran District	11	9
		Muzaffarpur District	8	4
		Darbhanga District	5	4

(a) One imported.

Province or Agency.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 20,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
BIHAR AND ORISSA	Bhagalpur	Monghyr District	1	1
		TOTAL	47	41
UNITED PROVINCES	Meerut	Saharanpur District	1	4
		Muzaffarnagar District	28	21
	Agra	Etah District	15	9
	Rohilkhand	Bijnor District	[illegible]	5
		Budaun District	...	[illegible]
		Moradabad District	13	[illegible]
	Allahabad	Farrukhabad District	12	12
		Fatehpur District	2	2
		Allahabad District	4	4
	Benares	Ghazipur District	10	11
		Ballia District	34	34

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
UNITED PROVINCES	Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur District	5	3
		Basti District	27	25
		Azamgarh District	8	9
	Lucknow	Lucknow District	5	5
		Unao District	28	30
		Rae Bareli District	10	13
		[illegible]ur District	7	8
		Hardoi District	1	1
		Kheri District	5	3
	Fyzabad	Fyzabad District	3	1
		Gonda District	6	3
		Bahraich District	3	3
		Sultanpur District	2	2
		Partabgarh District	1	1
		Bara Banki District	5	4
		TOTAL	240	221

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
PUNJAB	Ambala	Karnal District	5	1
		Ambala District	7	2
	Jullundur	Jullundur District	4	10
		Ludhiana District	5	4
	Lahore	Lahore City	4	11
		Lahore District	51	38
		Amritsar District	1	...
		Gurdaspur District	2	2
		Sialkot District	2	2
		Gujranwala District	8	3
	Rawalpindi	Gujrat District	1	...
		Jhelum District	12	11
		Rawalpindi District	13	...
	Native States	Patiala State	[illegible]	8
		TOTAL	113	83
BURMA	Pegu	Rangoon Town	28	26
		Hanthawaddy District	9	9
		Pegu District	1	1
	Irrawaddy	Bassein Town	4	4
		Bassein District	15	15
		Myaungmya District	20	20
		Pyapon District	5	5
	Tenasserim	Toungoo District	3	4
		Moulmein Town	8	7
	Shan States	Northern Shan States	1	1
		TOTAL	94	93

In the return for the week ending 16th June 1917, *add* the following :—

Jullundur City	1 case,	1 death.	
Jullundur District	43 cases,	13 deaths.	
Lahore "	71 "	41 "	
Lahore City	26 "	21 "	
Jhelum District	11 "	7 "	

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL PROVINCES	Jubbulpore	Jubbulpore Town	1	1
		Jubbulpore District	3	2
	Nerbudda	Hoshangabad District	1	1
		Narsinghpur District	9	10
		Chhindwara District	...	1
	Berar .	Amraoti District	12	8
		Yeotmal District	9	6
		Akola District	13	8
		Buldana District	17	8
		TOTAL .	65	45
ASSAM ...	...	......	...	...
COORG ...	...	......	...	...

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 30,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
MYSORE STATE	...	Bangalore Civil and Military Station	1	1
		Bangalore District	7	7
		Mysore District	43	23
		Hassan District	12	8
		Kadur District	2	1
		Shimoga District	44	22
		Chitaldroog District	10	6
		Tumkur District	1	1
		Kolar District	1[illegible]	8
		TOTAL	134	77
HYDERABAD STATE	...	Aurangabad District	1	1
		Parbhani District	3	3
		Usmanabad District	21	30
		Bidar District	2	2
		Atrafibalda Sarfikhas District	4	4
		TOTAL	31 (a)	40 (a)

(a) From the 11th to the 17th June 1917.

Presidency or Province.	Division.	Districts, States, Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants, and Ports.	Plague seizures.	Plague deaths.
CENTRAL INDIA	...	Gwalior State (Ujjain)	16	17
		TOTAL	16 (a)	17 (a)
RAJPUTANA		Ajmer City	5	3
		[illegible]mer District	13	15
		[illegible]ar (Jodhpur) State	12	13
		[illegible]ishangarh State	2	...
		Jaipur State	37	38
		Jhalawar State	6	5
		TOTAL	75	4
N.-W. F. PROVINCE	...	......	...	...
KASHMIR	...	Jammu Province	29	10
		TOTAL	29	10
BALUCHISTAN	...	......	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL	1,480	1,182

(a) For the week ending 16th June 1917.

In the return for the week ending 16th June 1917, *add* Jammu Province 40 cases, 24 deaths.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Rainfall summary for the seven days ending at 8 hrs. on Thursday, the 28th June 1917, based on the Indian Daily Weather Reports of the period.

1. A partial break in the Arabian Sea monsoon prevailed during the first three days of the week, but the monsoon began strengthening on the 25th and by the close of the week was giving moderate to heavy rain on the west coast of the Peninsula and in the Central Provinces. A shallow depression formed at the head of the Bay and passed into Orissa on the morning of the 28th. The rainfall of the week in most divisions was below the average.

2. *Burma.*—Rainfall was nearly general every day in Lower Burma.

Northeast India, including Orissa.—Nearly general rain fell in Assam on the 21st, 22nd, 23rd and 25th, in Bengal on the 22nd, and in Bihar and Orissa on the 21st and 26th.

The United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces.—There was nearly general rain in Central India on the 27th, and in the Central Provinces on the 26th and 27th.

Northwest India.—Only a few falls of rain were reported, chiefl[illegible] Gujarat.

The Peninsula.—Rainfall was nearly general on the west coast [illegible] the week; in other parts of the Peninsula rain fell locally.

3. The chief amounts of rainfall reported were as follows :—

June	21st.	Mergui 2·25″, Tavoy 2·76″, Moulmein 2·00″, Akyab 10·2[illegible], [illegible]punji 7·75″, Darjiling 4·38″, Cox's Bazar 3·69″, Nar[illegible]ganj 2·80″, Berhampore 2·06″, Mymensingh 2·50″, Patna [illegible]·48″, Gorakhpur 1·35″ and Satna 2·39″.
„	22nd.	Tavoy 3·25″, Narayanganj 1·82″, Darjiling 4·40″, Cherrapunji 7·30″, Purnea 2·72″, Veraval 0·95″ and Mangalore 2·37″.
„	23rd	Victoria Point 2·92″, Bassein 4·78″, Cherrapunji 5·73″, Dhubri 1·89″, Jagdalpur 1·24″ and Sholapur 0·91″
„	24th	Tavoy 3·08″, Moulmein 2·63″, Rangoon 2·27″, Bassein 2·14″, Jalpaiguri 3·97″ and Mercara 1·80″.
„	25th.	Tavoy 2·61″, Moulmein 2·92″, Diamond Island 3·00″, Lashio 2·07″, Gauhati 1·55″, Jalpaiguri 4·53″, Surat 1·81″, Calicut 1·78″, Cochin 3·10″, Trivandrum 1·90″ and Cuddalore 1·67″.
„	26th.	Sambalpur 1·27″, Bareilly 1·90″, Seoni 1·51″, Raipur 2·33″, Ratnagiri 2·85″, Karwar 3·85″, Belgaum 1·78″, Mangalore 4·50″ and Calicut 4·08″.
„	27th.	Moulmein 2·30″, Sibsagar 1·78″, Balasore 1·11″, False Point 1·26″, Cuttack 1·91″, Cawnpore 2·10″, Kotah 0·95″, Veraval 1·87″, Neemuch 1·60″, Nowgong 1·15″, Khandwa 2·40″, Hoshangabad 1·17″, Saugor 1·39″, Seoni 2·61″, Pachmarhi 3·04″, Jagdalpur 3·08″, Karwar 1·90″ and Mangalore 3·10″.

4. The week's rainfall was as much as 20 per cent in excess in only the Bay Islands, Lower Burma, Malabar, Madras Southeast and the Madras Coast North. It was within 20 per cent of the normal in Orissa, Bihar, Gujarat, Central India West, the Central Provinces, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan and Mysore, and was 20 per cent or more in defect elsewhere.

The rainfall from the 4th May to date is 20 per cent or more in defect in the Bay Islands, Kashmir, the North-West Frontier Province, Baluchistan and Mysore. It differs from the normal by less than 20 per cent in Burma, Assam, Bengal, Berar, the Konkan, the Bombay Deccan, Malabar and Madras Southeast, and is 20 per cent or more in excess in all the remaining divisions.

Division.	Rainfall data for week ending on 28th June 1917.			Rainfall data from 6th May to 28th June 1917.			Percentage departure from normal.	
	Actual rainfall in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches.	Actual rainfall to date in inches.	Normal rainfall in inches.	Excess or defect in inches	This week.	Last week.
Bay Islands	4 8	3 9	+0·9	23·1	34·4	—11·3	—33	—40
Lower Burma	9 8	7·5	+2·3	36·6	40 7	—4·1	—10	—19
Upper Burma	1·0	1·5	—0 5	12 8	12·7	+0·1	+1	+5
Assam	2 9	4·3	—1·4	27·0	26 7	+0·3	+1	+8
Bengal	3 0	4 0	– 1 0	19·2	20 7	—1·5	—7	—8
Orissa	2 8	3 1	—0·3	14·5	12·0	+2·5	+21	+31
Chota Nagpur	1·4	2 4	—1·0	15 8	10·3	+5·5	+53	+89
Bihar	3·2	3 0	+0·2	13 3	10·6	+2·7	+25	+33
United Provinces, East	1·2	2 3	—1·1	7·4	5·4	+2·0	+37	+100
United Provinces, West	0·6	2·0	—1·4	6·0	4·6	+1·4	+30	+105
Punjab, East and North	0	1·1	—1·1	5 7	2 9	+2·8	+97	+217
Punjab, South-West	0	0 3	—0·3	2·9	1·3	+1·6	+123	+190
Kashmir	0	0·3	—0 3	2 4	3·0	—0 6	—20	—11
N.-W. Frontier P[illegible]	0	0·1	—0·1	0·5	1·0	—0·5	—50	—44
Baluchistan	0	0 1	—0·1	0 4	0·6	—0·2	—33	—20
[illegible]	0	0 3	—0 3	0·6	0·5	+0·1	+20	+200
[illegible]	0 1	0·4	—0·3	8 1	1·6	+6·5	+406	+567
Rajputana, East	0·3	0·9	—0 6	9 6	2·7	+6·9	+256	+417
Gujarat	1 2	1 2	0	7·9	3·3	+4·6	+139	+219
Central India, West	1 3	1·6	—0 3	14 2	4·8	+9·4	+196	+303
Central India, East	1·8	2·5	—0·7	11 8	5 7	+6·1	+107	+213
Berar	0 6	1·6	—1·0	6 6	5 7	+0·9	+16	+46
Central Provinces, West	2 3	2·5	—0·2	8·6	7 1	+1·5	+21	+37
Central Provinces, East	2·6	2·7	—0 1	13·4	7 8	+5 6	+72	+112
Konkan	5·7	5·7	0	28·4	28·7	—0·3	—1	—1
Bombay Deccan	1 0	0 9	+0·1	5·1	6·0	—0·9	—15	—20
Hyderabad, North	0·3	1·1	—0·8	6 6	5 1	+1·5	+29	+57
Hyderabad, South	0·7	1·1	—0·4	6 4	5·2	+1·2	+23	+39
Mysore	0·3	0·3	0	5·1	6·6	—1·5	—23	—24
Malabar	8·4	5·1	+3 3	34·1	34·6	—0 5	—1	—13
Madras, South-East	0·5	0·3	+0 2	3·5	3·2	+0 3	+9	+3
Madras Deccan	0·3	0 7	—0·4	5·3	3·9	+1 4	+36	+56
Madras Coast, North	1·3	1·0	+0·3	9·8	5 2	+4·6	+88	+102

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Dated the 28th June 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

Season and Crop Prospects for the week ending Saturday, 23rd June 1917.

Burma.—The rainfall in Lower Burma was heavy and well distributed during the week. Districts of the wet zone in Upper Burma also report good rain but in the dry zone the fall was light again this week. Ploughing of winter rice is becoming general and nurseries are being sown. Operations concerning dry crops continue under normal conditions. The agricultural outlook is satisfactory everywhere. Cattle are generally healthy. The price of paddy has risen to Rs. 103 per hundred baskets. The market for white rice is dull.

Assam.—The weather is seasonable and generally favourable. Harvesting of autumn rice has commenced. Ploughing for and sowing and transplantation of winter rice seedlings, manufacture of tea and harvesting of Khasi potatoes are in progress. Cattle disease is reported from nine districts. The price of common rice is practically stationary.

Bengal.—During the week seasonable rain fell throughout the Province. In a number of places the fall was heavy. Transplantation of winter paddy is now in full swing and weeding of autumn paddy and jute is still in progress in Western Bengal. Early autumn paddy and summer *til* are being harvested in parts of eastern Bengal. Floods continue to cause damage to standing crops in parts of the Midnapore district. In Jessore *til* and jute are suffering on account of heavy rainfall. Insects are reported to have caused further damage to paddy and jute in parts of this district. The condition and prospects of standing crops are fairly good. Cattle disease exists in eight district[illegible] [illegible]er is getting scarce in Hooghly and Dacca. The average price of common rice for th[illegible]e has risen very slightly as compared with that of the previous week.

Bihar and Orissa.—The rainfall during the week was general o[illegible] the Province, the fall being heavy in the Patna and Tirhut divisions and generally moderate in the [illegible] of the Province. Sowing of autumn crops continues and that of winter paddy has com[illegible]. Standing crops are doing well. The price of common rice has risen in five districts [illegible] re-mained stationary in the remaining districts as compared with that of the preceding week. The supply of fodder and water is sufficient. Cattle disease is reported from eight districts. The number of persons on test works in Puri was 801. The condition of standing crops in the Feudatory States of Orissa is good.

The weekly report on scarcity in Singhbhum is as follows :—In the Kolhan Government Estate the distress was moderate. Relief measures are sufficient. The public health is good. The physical condition of workers is satisfactory. The average price was 8 seers per rupee. The number of persons on test works was 1,591.

United Provinces.—General and well distributed rain fell throughout the provinces to the benefit of sugarcane. More rain is still wanted in certain districts in the upper and central Doab. Fields are being manured and prepared for autumn crops. Sowing of maize, *Juar*, cotton and rice continues. Cattle disease is reported from fourteen districts but the condition of agricultural stock is, on the whole, satisfactory. Food, fodder and water are ample. Prices tend to rise.

Punjab.—Light to moderate rain was nearly general. It was beneficial for standing crops and for autumn sowings but more rain is wanted in parts of the southeast. Threshing of wheat has been completed. The yield is normal or slightly below normal on irrigated and below normal or poor on unirrigated areas. Sowings of cotton and other autumn crops continue and are normal. The condition of standing extra spring and autumn crops is generally good. Extra spring crops are being reaped with yield generally normal. Cattle are generally healthy and fodder and water for drinking and irrigation purposes are sufficient. Stocks of food grains are sufficient. Prices are generally stationary and range between normal and warning rates in the southeast and between warning and scarcity rates elsewhere. Price of wheat :—Rawalpindi 9¼ Ferozepore and Lahore 10 and Ambala and Lyallpur 10½ seers per rupee.

North-West Frontier Province.—Slight rain fell throughout the Province. The weather is hot. Hail also fell in parts of Bannu but no damage was done. The condition of standing crops in the north of the Province is average on irrigated and below average on unirrigated areas but in the south it is average on both. Spring crops are being threshed with outturn average. Sowing of autumn crops continues. The condition of cattle is, on the whole, good. Water and fodder are sufficient. The Paharpur canal is running. The public health is good. Prices are stationary. The price of wheat in Peshawar is 9⅝ and in Dera Ismail Khan 9⅝ seers per rupee.

Jammu.—Slight rain fell during the week. Prices are fluctuating. Wheat sells from 9 to 13 and maize from 11 to 25 seers per rupee. The condition of standing crops is average. Cattle disease of mild type prevails in the Basohli tahsil. Fodder is sufficient except in a few places.

Kashmir.—The rainfall during the week was good. Standing crops are in fair condition. Sowings of autumn crops have been finished. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient. Prices are normal.

Rajputana.—The week has been marked by heavy falls of rain in nearly all parts of Rajputana excepting Bundi, Bikanir and Banswara where only light showers were received. The weather is hot and cloudy. Ploughing and sowing are in progress. Agricultural stock is healthy. Fodder is ample. Prices show no change of importance.

Central India.—The rainfall during the week was general. The principal falls were over 4 inches in Kannod, Garot and Dhar; over 2 inches in Mehidpur, Jhabua and Alirajpur, and over 1 inch in Bundelkhand. The fall was insufficient in the Gwalior *prant* of the Bhopal Agency and partial in Bundelkhand. Lands are being prepared for autumn crops. Sowings have commenced in Indore, Malwa and the Southern States. Agricultural stock is generally in good condition. The fodder supply is sufficient except in the Bhaisaunda State in the Baghelkhand Agency. Prices are high in Bhopal, have fallen slightly in Gwalior and are steady elsewhere.

Central Provinces.—Light to moderate rain fell throughout the Provinces, nowhere exceeding 2 inches except in Mandla. More rain would be welcome in Nimar, Wardha, Bhandara, Raipur and Berar. Ploughing of fields and sowing of crops are proceeding. There is no deficiency of fodder and water anywhere. Agricultural stock is in good condition. Variations in prices of food grains are unimportant but show an upward tendency.

Feudatory States.—There was good rain in the States and sowings are progressing.

Bombay.—[illegible] rainfall during the week was general throughout the Presidency Proper but insufficient [illegible] Gujarat, the Karnatak and the Deccan. No rain fell in Sind. Lands are be[illegible]ared for autumn cultivation in parts. Sowing generally continues. Seedlings [illegible] ing except for slight damage by grasshoppers in parts of Kathiawar. [illegible] withering in four talukas of Thar and Parkar for want of moisture. The fodder [illegible] adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Cattle are in good condition. Drinking [illegible] quate. Water for irrigation is deficient in parts of Sind, Kaira and the Panch Mah[als]. Prices of food grains are generally steady.

Hyderabad.—The rainfall during the week was scanty except in parts of Nizamabad and Warangal. The average fall was 76 cents. The highest fall was 4 inches 64 cents in Madhra. Sowings of autumn crops are in general progress except in parts of the Gulbarga and Raichur districts where more rain is awaited. Lands for early rice have been prepared. Cattle disease prevails in six talukas. Variations in prices of grains are insignificant. Coarse rice is selling at 8 and white *juar* at 12 seers per rupee in Hyderabad city. The highest price of *juar* in districts is 7 seers per rupee in Bidar and the lowest 18 seers per rupee in Bir.

Mysore.—The rainfall during the week was good in Kadur and light to fair elsewhere. The price of rice has risen slightly in Kolar and Chitaldrug and that of *ragi* has risen in Kolar, Tumkur and Chitaldrug and fallen in Hassan. Markets are well supplied. Sowing of paddy and *ragi* is in progress. Standing crops are in good condition. Prospects of the season are good. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

Coorg.—Rainfall 3 inches 88 cents. Ploughing for rice continues. The price of food grains is high. The public health is fair. Water and fodder for cattle are sufficient.

Madras.—The rainfall during the week was heavy in Malabar and South Kanara, heavy in Travancore and Cochin, good in Kurnool, Nellore, the Nilgiris and the Circars and fair to light elsewhere. Standing crops are in fair to good condition generally but rain is required in parts of one taluka of one district. Harvesting of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops is proceeding normally with outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops are proceeding normally. The condition of cattle is generally good. The water-supply is insufficient in parts of Ganjam, South Arcot, Central, Deccan except Kurnool and South except Tinnevelly and sufficient elsewhere. Pasture is insufficient in five districts and in parts of six others. Fodder is generally available. Prices are fairly steady.

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(FAMINE.)

Statement showing the number of persons on relief works and in receipt of gratuitous relief in the Districts of British Provinces and in Native States affected by famine or scarcity in India.

For the week ending 16th June 1917.

	Name of District or State	AREA UNDER FAMINE RELIEF							TRACTS UNDER "SCARCITY" AND "OBSERVATION AND TEST."	
		Area affected in square miles	Estimated population of area in column 3	Number of persons employed on relief works	NUMBER OF PERSONS ON GRATUITOUS AND SPECIAL RELIEF.			Grand total on relief	Number of persons on test works	Number of persons in receipt of gratuitous relief
					Dependants of relief-workers relieved on works	Relieved in villages, kitchens, poor-houses, etc.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
				BIHAR AND ORISSA						
1	(a) Singhbhum (Kolhan Government Estate).	(Not known)			..	...	...	[illegible]	[illegible]	..
2	(b) Puri ..	(Ditto)			..	...	...	...	688	677
	Total			..	...			...	2,065	677

(a) Tract under scarcity.
(b) " " observation and test

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Advertisements and Notices by Private Individuals and Corporations

LOST.

The Government Promissory Note No. 135879 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 500 (Five hundred only) originally standing in the name of Ram Chandra Bhattacharjee the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicate in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of the advertiser—SRIMATI SATADAL BASINI DEVI,
Residence—care of Babu Dina Nath Mukerjee,
Nebpara, Kalna, (District Burdwan).

LOST.

The Government Promissory Note No. 171230 of the 3½ per cent loan of 1st May 1865 for Rs. 1,000 one thousand only, originally standing in the name of Dina Nath Singha Roy, Dijobar Singha Roy, Girindra Nath Singha Roy and Upendra Nath Singha Roy surviving Executors of Rajeshari Devi, the proprietors, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicate in favour of the proprietors. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above mentioned security.

Name of the Advertiser—GIRINDRA NATH SINGHA ROY,
one of the Executors of RAJESHARI DEVI,
Residence -Dwarhatta, Dwarhatta P. O., District Hooghly.

LOSS OF CURRENCY NOTES.

The following half notes and full notes are missing from the night of Wednesday, the 6th June 1917, from Madhogung, District Partapgarh.

20 (twenty) half notes for Rs. 100 each numbering from $\frac{\text{V B}}{72}$ 44075 to $\frac{\text{V B}}{72}$ 44094 all of Calcutta Circle.

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A. N. GRIEVE,
Deputy Conservator of Forests,
Singhbhum Division.

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APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS UNDER SECTION 3.

June 18.

3104. Ramchand Nathumal Oswal. *Free artificial leg.*

3105. Ramchand Nathumal Oswal. *Insect proof device.*

June 19.

3106. A. St. P. Pooley. *An improved water cooler.*

3107. General Electric Co. *Improvements in elastic fluid turbines.*

3108. J. W. Haran. *A new or improved metallic fabric or framework to be used in the construction of reinforced concrete floors, roofs and the like.*

3109. F. W. Cotterill Ld., W. L. Bayley and F. B. Wilson. *Improvements in and connected with machines for bifurcating spikes, and for punching slot holes in bolts and the like.*

3110. J. I. Leary. *Apparatus for generating and burning hydro-carbon vapors.*

3111. Diver Mineral Separator Co., Ld. *Improvements in amalgamator and separator.*

3112. W. Lobell. *Improvements in ore crushing machinery.*

June 20.

3113. [illegible]ker. *Lens lifting forceps for surgical use.*

3114. J. [illegible] George. *Improvements in and relating to rotary engines.*

3115. E. V. Brabant. *A machine for removing the flax seed from the flax.*

[illegible] Mrs. M. A. Gould. *Improvements in or relating to triple closure bottle stoppers.*

[illegible] S. J. Ross. *Improvements in or relating to lock-nuts.*

3118. J. B. Vogelsang. *Improvements in and relating to the treatment of ores.*

3119. F. Marsh. *Improvements in boot and shoe sole protectors.*

3120. J. W. T. Olan. *Improvement in mariners' compasses.*

3121. G. H. Bailey, G. W. A. Foster and British Aluminium Co., Ld. *Improvements relating to the production and utilisation of magnesium chloride.*

3122. N. Malcolmson. *Improvements in or relating to dyeing.*

3123. M. Chane. *Improvements in apparatus for the production of weft spools or cops on weft ring spinning machines.*

June 22.

3124. Asteck Singh. *A hood for a four seated cart.*

3125. H. W. Sullivan. *Improvements in or relating to systems of telegraphy.*

3126. L. A. Sanders and A. J. Sanders. *Improvements in a process for coating or impregnating objects.*

3127. B. M. Banerjie. *Smoke preventing contrivance for Indian "chulahs".*

APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED AND ADVERTISED UNDER SECTION 6.

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2639. G. J. Fowler and G. Mumford. *An improved fertiliser.*

2667. G. W. Singh. *Improved automatic shutter or sluice gate.*

3074. A. E. Pearse. *Electric bell switch working in conjunction with the railway carriage private door lock.*

3077. Fibre Corporation Ld. and G. Michot. *Improvements relating to machines for de-seeding flax.*

3078. Fibre Corporation Ld. and G. Michot. *Improvements in and relating to the scutching of flax and other fibrous materials.*

3079. K. S. Sanghani. *Self closing cock.*

3082. F. C. Griffin. *Improvements connected with septic tank privies.*

3084. J. Peterson. *Improvements in power developing and transmitting devices.*

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2342. Society of Chemical Industry in Basle. *Method of manufacturing new copper compounds of direct dyeing ortho-oxy-azo-dyestuffs in substance and on the fibre.*

2550. C. S. Bivar. *Improvements in tea rollers.*

2757. General Electric Co. *Improvements in and relating to systems of electric motor control.*

2795. General Electric Co. *Improvements in and relating to regenerative electric motor control systems.*

2908. G. Constantinesco and W. Haddon. *Improvements in vaporisers for internal combustion engines.*

2947. S. O. Johns. *Improvements in flushing valves.*

2976. S. S. Sastry. *Improved Telugu typewriter.*

2985. C. Fell and C. Bell. *Motor danger signal.*

3012. W. J. H. Strong. *Motor driven fans.*

3015. Thakurdass Sureka. *Patternless system of producing rice-bowl moulds by means of dies.*

3029. W. A. Hickman. *Improvements in motor boats.*

3030. Drakes, Ld., and J. W. Drake. *Improvement in apparatus for controlling the draught on furnaces.*

3031. R. G. Berry and H. W. Moore. *Improvements in and relating to route indicating and signalling devices for use on railways and the like.*

3032. Seay Syndicate, Ld. *Improvements in connection with processes and apparatus for refrigeration and the production of ice.*

3033. A. Davies and Edgar Allen and Co., Ld. *Improvements in magnetic separators.*

3035. J. W. Stamp. *Improved mode of and apparatus for deodorising night soil, slaughter house refuse and other analogous materials.*

3036. E. Roirant. *Improvements in the manufacture of hollow glass articles and in glass shaping and blowing machines therefor.*

3039. S. H. Menzies. *Improvements relating to the treatment of water sewage and the like.*

3040. G. Constantinesco and W. Haddon. *Improvements in mechanical wave transmission of power.*

3041. J. N. Wilbur and J. G. Mohrweis. *Improvements in mowing machines.*

3042. A. Wilzin. *Improvements in the manufacture of glass bottles and in glass shaping and blowing machines therefor.*

3043. W. W. Coe and W. W. Coe, Jr. *Improvements in or relating to the production of dyes or stains.*

3044. Dorr Company. *Improvements in or relating to apparatus for separating liquids from solids in fluid suspensions.*

3046. H. J. Jack and A. G. Lobley. *Improvements in or relating to the production of powdered or granulated metals.*

3047. L. Girodo and Sir E. L. Durand. *Improvements in apparatus for the generation of acetylene.*

3048. G. Honegger. *Improvements in governing devices for piston pumps.*

3049. W. J. H. Strong. *Improvements in and relating to hot air motors or the like especially adapted for driving fans.*

3050. Donaldson & Fisher Co. *Improvements in and relating to cotton-picking machines.*

3051. B. Johnson. *An improved cotton picker.*

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2555. Porter and Morris.
2576. English.
2619. Ed. Kummer A. G.
2710. Craven.
2713. Craven.
2869. Laurie.
2903. Sanghani.
2924. Echlin.
2938. Galardi and Patuzzo.
2941. Bachmann.
2949. Rugeroni.
2951. Lamson Pargon Supply Co., Ld.
2954. Rand & Co., Ld.
2955. Lane.
2957. Humphrey.
2958. Metropolitan Carriage Wagon & Finance Co., Ld., and Chandler.
2959. Cortesi, Prassone and Contin.
2961. Mineral Separation, Ld.

PATENTS SEALED.

2667. Laybourne.
2909. McEwen.
2927. Hamilton.
2932. Ionides (Jr.).
2935. Pillet-Will.

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188 of 1905. Duggan. (To 1 August 1918.)
16 of 19[illegible] Wakefield. (To 13 August 1918.)
228 of 1[illegible] [illegible]tern Syndicate Ld. (To 14 June 1918.)
375 of [illegible] Lawrence. (To 19 December 1918.)
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671 of 1909. Kuhn. (To 25 June 1918.)
586 of 1910. Watzlawik. (To 19 June 1918.)
[illegible]75 of 1911. Heilmann. (To 1 June 1918.)
758 of 1911. Postans. (To 6 August 1918.)
306 of 1912. Degn and anr. (To 17 June 1918.)
316 of 1912. Devsey. (To 2 July 1918.)
517 of 1912. Alkemade. (To 17 September 1918.)
968 of 1913. Sumner. (To 26 May 1918.)
1020 of 1913 Pintsch's Electric Manufacturing Co., Ld. (To 25 June 1918.)
1028 of 1913. Cobb. (To 30 June 1918.)
1039 of 1913. Walker. (To 7 July 1918.)
1045 of 1913. Scott. (To 7 July 1918.)
1167 of 1913. Fraser and anr. (To 8 September 1918.)

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1910.

664, (Cobbold).

1912.

132, (Pelly).

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M. Chhote Lal . . . . B. T. Bazar, Meerut Cantonment.
M. Jawala Parshad, II . . . . Regimental Munshi, 12th R. H. A. Brigade, Meerut Cantonment.
M. Jamaluddin . . . . British Cavalry Bazaar, Cross Street, Meerut.

MOZUFFERPORE.

M. Mohd. Shuaib . . . . Arabic Teacher, Zilla School, Mozufferpore.

MULTAN.

M. Sultan Mohammad . . . . . . Regimental Munshi, Multan Cantonment.

MURREE HILLS.

M. S. C. Bagchi . . . . Munshi, Lawrence Government European School, Ghoragali, P. O. Murree Hills.

MUSSOORIE.

M H. Ahmad Fakhriey . . . . . . Islamia School, Mussoorie.

NAINI TAL.

M. Faqir Ulla . . . . St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

NOWSHERA.

M. Muhammad Din . . . . Pay Havildar and Head Clerk, 23rd Peshawar Mountain Battery (F. F.).

PATNA.

M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi . . . . . . Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

M Ahmed Din . . . . Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
M. Abdur Rahim . . . . Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.

QUETTA.

M. Mohd. Rahim Shah . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Ahmed Bux . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. S. Karim Bukhsh . . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Mohd. Ishaq . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Mohamed Sarwar . . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
Pt. Sita Ram Mehta . . . . . . Hindustani Instructor, Cadet College.
Pt. Hirday Narayan . . . . . . Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Syed Inam Ali . . . . Mission Road, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

M. Ghulam Muhiuddin . . . . R. A. Brigade Munshi, Rawalpindi.
M. Ghulam Rasul . . . . Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan . . . . . . C/o Kazi Najam-ud-din Khan, Officers' Munshi, Jhangi Street, Rawalpindi City.

ROORKEE CITY.

M. Fazl-i-Haq . . . . Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City.

SIALKOT.

M. Ajab Shah Anand . . . . Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Sialkot.

Qualified Bengali Teacher.

MURSHIDABAD.

Babu Suresh Chandra Chatterjee . . . . Krishnapur, Lalgola P. O., District Murshidabad.

Qualified Canarese Teacher.

BANGALORE.

M. R. Ry. K. Hanumantha Rao . . . No. 1, Main Road, Seshadripuram, Bangalore.

Qualified Marathi Teachers.

EAST KHANDESH.

Mr. Laxman Narayan Phandis, B.A. . . . C/o Mr. M N. Phandis, Editor, Kavya-Ratnawali, Jalgaon.

POONA CITY.

Mr. Govind Krishna Modak . . . . . Sanskrit Teacher, New English School, Poona City.
Mr. D. K. Pathak . . . . . . 442, Sadashiv Peth, Poona City.

SHOLAPUR.

Mr. Vishnu Anant Salgarkar . . . . c/o Mr Harichand Amichand Shah, Sholapur.

Qualified Malayalam Teacher.

ADICHANALLORE.

M. R. Ry. N. Sankara Pillai . . . . First Assistant, H. G. E. School, Adichanallore.

Qualified Tamil Teacher.

MADRAS.

M. R. Ry. K. Raghavachari . . . . . Senior Tamil Pandit, Wesleyan Mission Girls' High School, Royapettah.

Qualified Telugu Teacher.

GODAVARI.

M. R. Ry. V. Subba Rao . . . . . . Stewartpetta, Pithapuram, Godavari District.

N.B.—Whenever any teacher changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners.

CALCUTTA,
The 27th June 1917.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

SULPHATE OF QUININE, SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE, CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE, RESIDUAL ALKALOID AND QUINOIDINE.

Manufactured at the Bengal Government Cinchona Plantation.

These articles are guaranteed to be free from wilful admixture with other Cinchona alkaloids. Quinine can be purchased by Government officers, District and Local Boards for Hospitals and Dispensaries in the Provinces of Bengal, Bihar, Punjab and Assam on indents duly countersigned by the Civil Surgeon of their Districts. It can also be purchased by Missionaries for *bonâ fide* public purposes. It is never sold to private persons or firms. Cinchona Febrifuge both in powder and 3¼ grain tablet forms and Cinchonidine can be purchased by Government officers and the general public. It is also sold by the Principal Druggists in Calcutta. Quinoidine or *Pure amorphous alkaloid* and *Residual Alkaloid* or *Amorphous cinchona alkaloid*, which contains about 40 per cent. of *pure amorphous Alkaloid*, are for sale to Missionaries and Government Institutions only. *These drugs are sold strictly cash and in advance but private purchasers may use the V. P. P. system*, AND ARE OBTAINABLE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT, JUVENILE JAIL, ALIPORE.

The rates for these drugs from 1st April 1917 are as follows:—

SULPHATE OF QUININE.

	Rs.
For quantities 60 lbs. and above in one delivery	28 per lb.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. but below 60 lbs in one delivery	29 ,,
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	30 ,,

SULPHATE OF CINCHONIDINE.

	Rs.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	11 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	12 ,,

CINCHONA FEBRIFUGE.

	Rs.
For quantities of not less than 6 lbs. in one delivery	5 per lb.
For any quantity less than 6 lbs.	6 ,,

RESIDUAL ALKALOID OR *AMORPHOUS CINCHONA ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE OR *PURE AMORPHOUS ALKALOID* AND QUINOIDINE TABLETS.

	Rs.
For any quantity	4 per lb.

Quinine is available in 1-oz., ¼-lb., ½-lb., 1-lb. and 4-lb. tins.
Cinchonidine is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Cinchona Febrifuge is available in ¼-lb., ½-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Residual Alkaloid is available in 10-lb., 5-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine is available in 10-lb. and 1-lb. tins.
Quinoidine Tablets are available in 1-lb. tin.

Transit charges are in addition to the above prices in every case.

Drugs are sold for cash or by V.P. Post. Price of Postage must accompany the price of the drug (when the drug is required by Post). The name of the Railway and Steamer Station or Post Office must be written distinctly when the parcels are required by Rail, Steamer or by Post. A scale of Postage is given below:—

[For ¼ and ½ lb. 4 As.; 1 lb. 6 As.; 2 lbs. 10 As.; 3 lbs. 12 As.; 4 lbs. 1 Re.; 5 lbs. Re. 1 As. 4; and for 6 lbs. Re. 1 As. 6.]

Quinoidine tab. 1 lb. Weg. 3 lbs. Postage Re. 0 10 0
,, ,, 2 ,, ,, 6 ,, ,, Re. 1 0 0
,, ,, 3 ,, ,, 9 ,, ,, Re. 1 8 0

N.B.—Postage stamps will not be accepted as revenue.

DEPARTMENT OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY.

Calcutta, the 26th June 1917.

Abstract of the accounts of the Department of Issue of Paper Currency on the 22nd June 1917.

	TOTAL AMOUNT OF NOTES IN CIRCULATION.			RESERVE. Coin and Bullion. In India.			In England.		In Transit between India and England.		Securities (Purchase price).			REMARKS.
	In Reserve Treasuries.	Elsewhere.	TOTAL	Silver Coin.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion under coinage.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Gold Coin and Bullion.	Silver Bullion.	Held in India.	Held in England.	TOTAL.	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R (a)	R (b) (c)	R	
Calcutta	3,47 27 835	31 30 81 885	34 78,09 720	5 59 21,043	1.15.[illegible].465	17 76,513	5,17,50,000	...		...	9,99,99,946	50,86,68,060	73 16.42,327	(a) Nominal value—R10,20,81,500.
Cawnpore		2,44.64.755	2 44 64.755	2.20 68.505	75,12 678				..			..	3.05,80,846	(b) Nominal value—R52,58,61,571.
Lahore	...	6,41.43.520	6 41,43 520	1.79 20 255	1,33,18,567				.	.			2,52,38,855	(c) Includes Treasury Bills purchased under Sec. 3, Act XI of 1917, as amended by Ordinance No. 11 of 1917 at a cost of R42 crores.
Bombay	22.55 870	28,89,70,295	29 12 26,165	4 07.41,491	2 75 53,600	50 01 438	.		.	...	...		7,35,96,579	
Karachi		2,96 71 880	2,96,71,880	[illegible] 31 967	9857 125		.		...		.		93,19,112	
Madras	34 22.540	9,73,91,120	10,08 13 660	1.[illegible]7,34 515	12 07 020		..		.	..	...	..	1,90,61 535	
Rangoon	.	5 55,56,215	5,55,56.215	[illegible]	48 71 955				...		.	...	2,18,64.771	
	4,04,06,215	87 63 09 700	91 67,15 945	16 5[illegible].70,945	7,25,86,779	67.78,361	5,17,50,000	...	..		9,99,99,946	50,86,68,060	91,03,04,025	
Deduct—Withdrawn from circulation by Foreign Circles and in course of remittance to Circles of Issue			84,68,420	*Deduct*—Amount due on Bills drawn by one Circle on another									20,56,500	
TOTAL CIRCULATION R .			90,82,47,525								TOTAL RESERVE R .		90,82,47,525	

Gold worth £76,000 (Rs. 11,40,000) was transferred to the Paper Currency Reserve from the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve during the week ending 22nd June 1917.

The Gold held in the Indian branch of the Gold Standard Reserve amounted on the 22nd June 1917 to 5 lakhs in sovereigns.

E. M. COOK,
Offg. Controller of Currency.

STATEMENT OF SILVER OPERATIONS AT THE CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY MINTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM 16TH TO 22ND JUNE 1917.

(In Lakhs of Standard Tolas.)

Name of Mints.	Coinage of British India Government Coins.													Coinage for Egyptian Government.			Subsidiary Coinage for the Straits Settlements Government.		
	Receipts.				Coinage.			Balan[illegible]lion and Coin.											
	Purchased silver.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins from Treasuries, etc.	Native State coins.	Total.	New rupees and small silver coins delivered to Treasuries or Currency Department.	New rupees made over to Native States.	Total.	New coin ready for delivery.	Currency Bullion.	Other Government Bullion.	Withdrawn and uncurrent coins.	Total.	Receipt of Bullion for coinage transferred from currency balance.	Piastres coined and paid over.	Closing balance of Bullion.	Receipt of Bullion for subsidiary coinage.	Subsidiary coin coined and paid over.	Closing balance.
Calcutta	...	1	...	1	19	...	19	...	(a) 19	4	1	24	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bombay	21	5	...	26	24	...	24	...	(b) 91	1	5	97	4	4	...	...	...	...

(a) Exclusive of 35 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.
(b) Exclusive of 16 of purchased silver brought on the Mint premises but not yet received.

A. McCORMICK, Lt.-Colonel, R.E.,
Master of the Mint.

His Majesty's Mint;
Calcutta, the 27th June 1917.

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Receipts in the North-West Frontier Province for April 1917 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1917-18.

Revenue and Receipts.	Budget Estimate for 1917-18.			Receipts in April 1917.	Receipts from 1st April to 30th April 1917.		
	Imperial.	Special.	Total.		Imperial.	Special	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—Land Revenue	...	22,77,000	22,77,000	...	...	14,606	14,606
II.—Opium	...	47,000	47,000	...	...	4,554	4,554
IV.—Stamps	...	7,25,000	7,25,000	...	...	55,157	55,157
V.—Excise	...	3,35,000	3,35,000	...	...	38,218	38,218
VI.—Provincial Rates	...	1,000	1,000	...	...	...	...
VII.—Customs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
VIII.—Income Tax	6,000	2,50,000	2,56,000	...	...	8,408	8,408
IX.—Forest	...	2,42,000	2,42,000	...	...	7,943	7,943
X.—Registration	...	45,000	45,000	...	...	4,513	4,513
XI.—Tribute from Native States	...	..		...	...	...	...
XII.—Interest	30,000	...	30,000	..	808	...	808
XVIA.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	...	2,30,000	2,30,000		...	16,966	16,966
XVIB.— Ditto —Jails	...	46,000	46,000	...	...	1,616	1,616
XVII.—Police	..	23,000	23,000	...	...	3,565	3,565
XIX.—Education	...	24,000	24,000	...	...	2,859	2,859
XXA.—Medical	...	1,000	1,000	...	...	5	5
XXB.—Sanitation	...	...	...	.	...	348	348
XXIA.—Agriculture	...	6,000	6,000	...	...	1	1
XXIB.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuation, etc.	...	23,000	23,000	...	...	2,870	2,870
XXIII.—Stationery and Printing	...	23,000	23,000	...	...	32	32
XXV.—Miscellaneous	...	1,24,000	1,24,000	..	...	10,714	10,714
XXIX.—Irrigation—Major Works—Direct Receipts	9,03,000	4,08,000	13,11,000	...	17,605	17,604	35,209
XXX.—Irrigation—Minor Works and Navigation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XXXI.—Civil Works	...	1,59,000	1,59,000	...	...	9,795	9,795
Total Revenue and Receipts	9,39,000	49,89,000	5[illegible],28,000	...	18,413	1,99,774	2,18,187
Add—Debt Accounts	...	...		...	...	...	89,69,284
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	91,87,471
Opening Cash Balance	...	...	...	...	...	...	(a) 23,71,420
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,15,58,891

(a) On 1st April 1917.

J. C. MITRA,
Offg. Accountant-General, Punjab.

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB,
LAHORE;
The 19th June 1917.

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB.

Distribution Statement of the Expenditure in the North-West Frontier Province for April 1917 and of the Budget Estimate for the year 1917-18.

Expenditure.	Budget Estimate for 1917-18. Imperial.	Special.	Total.	Disbursement in April 1917.	Disbursement from 1st April to 30th April 1917. Imperial.	Special.	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1.—Refunds and Drawbacks	14,000	13,000	27,000	...	517	517	1,034
2.—Assignments and Compensations	9,000	9,000	[illegible]	...	94	94	188
3.—Land Revenue	4,14,000	2,92,000	[illegible]	...	42,988	31,687	74,675
6.—Stamps	14,000	15,000	[illegible]	...	853	853	1,706
7.—Excise	9,000	8,000	[illegible]	...	648	648	1,296
10.—Income Tax	1,000	...	1,000	...	32	31	63
11.—Forest	70,000	71,000	1,41,000	...	2,314	2,315	4,629
12.—Registration	6,000	7,000	13,000	...	571	572	1,143
13.—Interest on Ordinary Debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14.—Interest on other obligations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18.—General Administration	2,68,000	1,25,000	3,93,000	...	19,225	7,590	26,815
19A.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law	4,68,000	2,34,000	7,02,000	...	37,867	17,434	55,301
19B.— Ditto —Jails	1,51,000	1,52,000	3,03,000	...	15,146	15,146	30,292
20.—Police	12,50,000	12,49,000	24,99,000	...	1,17,746	1,17,745	2,35,491
22.—Education	3,16,000	3,15,000	6,31,000	...	35,789	35,789	71,578
23.—Ecclesiastical	57,000	...	57,000	...	4,603		4,603
24A.—Medical	1,01,000	85,000	1,86,000	...	6,274	4,766	11,040
24B.—Sanitation	1,20,000	1,19,000	2,39,000	...	496	496	992
25.—Political	26,17,000	24,36,000	50,53,000	...	1,89,013	1,79,546	3,68,559
26A.—Agriculture	76,000	77,000	1,53,000	...	2,684	2,684	5,368
26B.—Scientific and other Miscellaneous Departments	4,000	5,000	9,000	...	361	362	723
27.—Territorial and Political Pensions	61,000	...	61,000	...	3,629	...	3,629
28.—Civil Furlough and Absentee Allowances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29.—Superannuation Allowances and Pensions	89,000	89,000	1,78,000	...	8,651	8,651	17,302
30.—Stationery and Printing	61,000	61,000	1,22,000	...	3,100	3,099	6,199
32.—Miscellaneous	21,000	21,000	42,000	...	1,201	1,202	2,403
33.—Famine Relief	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
36.—Reduction or Avoidance of Debt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
42.—Major Works—Working Expenses	13,18,000	2,88,000	16,06,000	...	...	...	...
43.—Minor Works and Navigation	24,000	25,000	49,000	...	733	732	1,465
45.—Civil Works	13,84,000	13,78,000	27,62,000	...	611	610	1,221
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	89,23,000	70,74,000	1,59,97,000	...	4,95,146	4,32,569	9,27,715
Add—Debt Accounts	...	...	...	...	...	...	50,63,553
TOTAL	...	...	...	...	...	...	59,91,268
Balance on 30th April 1917		...	...	..	...	...	25,67,623
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,15,58,891

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, PUNJAB,
LAHORE;
The 19th June 1917.

J. C. MITRA,
Offg. Deputy Accountant-General, Punjab.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 26th June 1917.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities . .	6,56,95,607	12	0
Reserve Fund Rs. 2,13,00,000 A. 0 P. 0; Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* . 63,00,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0	Other authorized Investments .	1,24,30,040	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	63,00,000	0	0	Loans on Government and other authorized Securities .	7,70,26,257	6	3
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 8,91,49,328 A. 9 P. 6; Public Deposits at Branches 4,37,08,502 1 11	13,28,57,830	11	5	Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorized Securities	4,83,77,551	7	2
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	20,28,11,011	7	7	Bills discounted and purchased	2,14,02,277	2	9
Bank Post Bills, etc. . . .	15,87,540	11	8	Balances with other Banks .	39,51,874	10	11
Sundries	32,73,914	10	2	Bullion	......		
				Dead Stock	29,41,908	7	6
				Stamps	11,765	15	9
				Sundries . . .	3,96,608	6	5
					23,22,33,891	4	9
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 9,63,84,381 A. P.; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches † 5,32,12,055 0 11	14,95,96,436	4	1
RUPEES .	38,18,30,327	8	10	RUPEES .	38,18,30,327	8	10

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 3,51,622 8 0
† Do. do. do. „ 7,01,542 8 0

Rs. 10,53,165 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, 28th June 1917.

H. MITCHELL, Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary & Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 43·93

CURRENCY NOTE.

The following Currency Note of the Rangoon Circle is stated to have been wholly lost and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number. Any other person claiming a right to it is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned.

Note wholly lost.

Register No.	Number of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
WD/1 of 1916/1917 . . .	IC/70 04779 . . .	Rs. 10	The Agent, Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, Bombay, on behalf of The New York Branch of the Bank.

J. J. LATTA,
Assistant Accountant General,
In charge Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPARTMENT,
Rangoon, the 16th June 1917.

TREASURE TROVE.

NOTICES.

It is hereby notified under section 5 of Act VI of 1878 that the undermentioned treasure was found on 22nd March 1917 by one Vadamalai Pandithan of Conjeevaram while removing sand from the Odai poramboke S.-No. 1169 in Conjeevaram town, 1 Division, Chingleput district.

Description.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
1 Granite idol of Ganesa	10	0	0
1 Do. of Elephant	2	0	0
	12	0	0

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or a part thereof are hereby requested to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Chingleput district, Saidapet, at his office on 26th October 1917 at 11 A.M. in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

It is hereby notified under section 5 of Act VI of 1878 that the undermentioned treasure was found on 12th March 1917 by one P. M. Kuppuswami Mudali of Bhana Sahib Street, Big Conjeevaram, whi[illegible]king a well in his compound in S. No. 2485, town site Poramboke, in Conjeevaram tow[illegible] Ward, Chingleput District.

Description.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
1 Stone image of Draupadi ammal 2' high	14	0	0
1 Stone image of Dharmaraja 1½' high	10	0	0
A copper plate 6" square called Rakshabandanam	0	12	0
	24	12	0

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or a part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Chingleput, Saidapet, at his office on 26th October 1917 at 11 A.M. in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. F. BRYANT,
Collector.

CHINGLEPUT DISTRICT, SAIDAPET, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
Dated 14th June 1917.

It is hereby notified under section 5 of Act VI of 1878 that the following treasure was found on or about the 28th November 1916 by Chinnakannu Chetti and his brother Munuswami Chetti of Parameswaramangalam when demolishing the wall of their house in Parameswaramangalam village, Madurantakam Taluk, Chingleput District.

Description.	Value.
31 old gold coins.	Rs. 147-4-0.

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or a part thereof are hereby requested to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Chingleput District, Saidapet, at his office on 9th November 1917 at 11 A.M. so that the matter may be enquired into and determined according to law.

J. F. BRYANT,
Collector.

CHINGLEPUT DISTRICT, SAIDAPET, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
Dated 20th June 1917.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 19th June 1917.

No. 767.—Major H. McC. Cowie, R.E., Deputy Superintendent, is granted special medical leave for 3 months, with effect from the 18th April (forenoon), under the Government of India, Finance Department, No. 283-C. S. R., dated 28th March 1917.

S. G. BURRARD, Colonel, R.E.,
Surveyor General of India.

SURVEY OF INDIA—TRIGONOMETRICAL SURVEY OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Dehra Dun, the 20th June 1917.

No. 146.—In supersession of this office Notification No. 144, dated the 25th May 1917, Mr. Abdul Karim, B.A., Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for 3 months, under the provisions of Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 11th May 1917.

G. P. LENOX-CONYNGHAM, Colonel, R.E.,
Superintendent, Trigonometrical Survey.

NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 19th June 1917.

No. 7.—Mr. F. C. Judges, Assistant Engineer, passed the Lower Standard Examination in Hindustani held at Lahore Cantonment on the 5th July 1915.

R. R. GALES,
Agent, N. W. Railway.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 22nd June 1917.

No. 5.—Mr. Ajoy Kumar Gupta, Probationary Assistant Traffic Superintendent, passed the Lower Standard Examination in Hindustani held on the 11th June 1917.

E. A. S. BELL,
Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 22nd June 1917.

LEAVE.

No. 711-E.—Mr. T. Harvey, Offg. Executive Engineer, I Project Division, Delhi, is granted privilege leave for 25 days under articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 25th June 1917 or such subsequent date as he is relieved of his duties.

H. T. KEELING,
Secretary, P. W. D.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER, DELHI.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 12th June 1917.

No. 5587-C. & I.—The following draft amendments, which it is proposed to make in the rules made under Section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, which were issued in Punjab Government Notification No. 90, dated 15th February 1909, are published for criticism. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 15th of July 1917, together with any remarks or suggestions received on or before that date :—

Draft Amendment.

(1) Add the following to condition 6 of license Form F :—

"When, however, the quantity of dangerous petroleum does not exceed 20 gallons, it may be kept in a garage, stable or separate store-room not directly communicating with any dwelling room or room where persons assemble."

(2) In condition 11 of license form F. after the words "storage shed" insert the words "or other place of storage referred to in condition 6."

Delhi, the 21st June 1917.

No. 5881-Financial.—In supersession of the Notification No. 3891, dated the 15th May 1917, the Chief Commissioner is pleased, in exercise of the power delegated to him by the Governor General in Council under section 9, sub-section (1) of the Super-Tax Act, 1917 (VIII of 1917) by the Government of India's (Finance Department) Notification No. 760-F., dated the 6th April 1917, to make the following rules under the said section for carrying out the purpose of the said Act in the Province of Delhi :—

1. The return and the declaration referred to in section 5 of the Super-Tax Act, 1917, shall be in the form annexed to these rules, and all persons or companies required by the Collector to furnish a return shall comply with the instructions contained therein, and furnish the particulars required by these instructions.

2. Any assessee to super-tax, who desires to make payment of the tax by instalments shall, at the same time as he furnishes the return referred to in rule 1 submit an application to the Collector for permission to do so, and the Collector may, after consideration of the amount assessed and of the circumstances of the case, direct the payment of the amount due in such instalments and on such dates as he thinks fit;

Provided that in no case shall the date for payment of the last instalment be later than the 15th January in the year for which the tax is payable.

3. A Government Officer may, if he so desire, make payment of the super-tax to which he is assessed, or an instalment thereof, by deduction from his salary bill of the amount payable. The officer must advise the Collector that such deduction has been made, and the Accountant General or the Treasury Officer, as the case may be, shall advice the Collector of the realisation of the amount so deducted.

4. All applications for a refund of super-tax due on account of the modification or revision of an assessment on objection or appeal shall be dealt with by the Collector in accordance with the procedure prescribed under the principal Act in respect of applications for a refund of the tax chargeable under that Act, so far as the procedure may be applicable.

SUPER-TAX.

Return under section 5, Clauses (1) and (2), Super-tax Act, VIII of 1917, of income accruing and arising in British India.

(This return should be sent under cover and marked Confidential).

Name, Residence (in full) and Designation.

Total Income.		Remarks.
1		2
	Rs.	
I.		
Salary (including commission), annuity, pension or gratuity received during the year. (NOTE.—Payments received in British India on account of services rendered out of British India to be declared under IV-G below)		
II.		
Dividends from companies during the year		
III.		
Interest on securities during the year . . . . . . (NOTE.—Securities include— (a) Promissory notes, debentures, stock or other securities of the Government of India, and (b) Debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or company).		
IV.		
Income received under the following heads during the year :— A. Trade or profession . . . . B. Profits accrued in partnership with others . . . C. Interest on mortgages, fixed deposits, current accounts, sums lent to traders and loans to others, club debentures, etc. D. House property, including rental value where occupied by owner and land (excluding agricultural). E. Director's fees, survey fees, university and other examination fees, etc. F. Income received from outside British India including pensions, dividends and income from agricultural land not assessed to land revenue. G. All other income not specified e.g. rewards, honoraria, horse racing stakes, profits on share transactions, etc.		
TOTAL .		

I/We declare that the income shown in the return is truly estimated on each of the sources herein mentioned, that it has actually accrued within the period stated and that I/we/the company have no other sources of income. The income shown accrued in the year ending

Dated 191.

Signature.

N. B.—Please see instructions on the reverse.

INSTRUCTIONS.

1. *Name, Residence and Designation.*—In the case of a firm or company the ordinary designation of the firm or company should be entered. If the person, firm, company or Hindu undivided family making the return has several places of residence or business, they should be all mentioned, the principal place of residence or business being specified.

2. In column 1 particulars of the total income should be given against the heads specified. The income shown in the return should be that for the "previous year" for which the accounts have been last made up, *i. e.*, the year ending on the 31st day of March in the year immediately preceding that in which the assessment is to be made, or, if the accounts of a person or company have been made up in the year immediately preceding that in which the assessment is to be made, then, at the option of such person or company, the year ending on the day on which his or its accounts have been so made up. The date of the close of the previous year should be stated in the declaration.

3. The following sources of income, exempted under section 2 of the Act read with section 5(1) (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*e*), (*g*) and (*h*) of the principal Act, should not be included in the particulars of income:—

(1) any rent or revenue derived from land which is used for agricultural purposes and is either assessed to land revenue or subject to a local rate assessed and collected by officials of the Government, as such, or

(2) any income derived from—

(*i*) agriculture, or

(*ii*) the performance by a cultivator or receiver of rent-in-kind of any process ordinarily employed by a cultivator or receiver of rent-in-kind to render the produce raised or received by him fit to be taken to market, or

(*iii*) the sale by a cultivator or receiver of rent-in-kind of the produce raised or received by him, when he does not keep a shop or stall for the sale of such produce, or

(3) any building owned and occupied by the receiver of the rent or revenue of any such [illegible] as is referred to in clause (1), or by the cultivator, or the receiver of rent-in-kind, of any land with respect to which or the produce whereof any operation mentioned in clause (2) is carried on;

Provided that the building is on or in the immediate vicinity of the land, and is a building which the receiver of the rent or revenue, or the cultivator or the receiver of the rent-in-kind, by reason of his connection with the land, requires as a dwelling-house, or as a store-house, factory or other out-building;

(4) any income derived from property solely employed for religious or public charitable purposes; or

(5) subject to any conditions and restrictions which may be prescribed in this behalf such portion, not exceeding one-sixth, of the income in respect whereof a person would, but for this exception be chargeable under this Act, as is deducted from the salary of the person under the authority or with the permission of the Government for the purpose of securing a deferred annuity to him or a provision to his wife or children after his death or is paid by the person to an insurance company in respect of an insurance or deferred annuity on his own life or on the life of his wife; or

(6) any interest on stock-notes;

(7) in the case of a Hindu undivided family, so much of the joint income of such family as has been actually expended or paid for the maintenance or other expenses of any member of such family or paid or finally allotted to any such member;

(8) in the case of a firm, so much of the income of the firm as has been paid or finally allotted to any of the members of the firm; and

(9) in the case of a company, so much of the income of the company as has been paid or declared for payment by way of dividends or otherwise to any of its members.

NOTE.—Nothing in clauses (7) (8) or (9) shall be deemed to exempt from super-tax any income therein referred to when received by any member of such family, firm or company.

4. In the remarks column particulars should be given to show—

(*a*) in the case of a Hindu undivided family, so much of the joint income of such family as has been actually expended or paid for the maintenance or other expenses of any member of such family or paid or finally allotted to any such member;

(*b*) in the case of a firm, so much of the income of the firm as has been paid, or finally allotted to any of the members of the firm;

(*c*) in the case of a company so much of the income of the company as has been paid or declared for payment by way of dividends or otherwise to any of its members;

(*d*) in the case of a company or firm the amount of the excess profits duty levied in England in respect of Indian profits liable to super-tax;

(*e*) Where income is derived from property solely applied for religious or public charitable purposes, the amount of that income;

(*f*) Where a deduction is made from the income on account of the exemptions described in instructions 3(5) above the amount of the deduction.

5. The amount of income tax assessment in the year preceding that for which super-tax is to be charged must not be deducted from the income shown in column 1 of the return. For the purpose of the return, income tax deducted at the source in respect of dividends of companies and interest on securities should be added to the amount actually received by the assessee in order to ascertain the sum liable to super-tax.

The 21st June 1917.

No. 5884-*Home*.—The following return of births and deaths at the undermentioned Municipal Towns in the Province of Delhi for the week ending the 16th June 1917 is published for information :—

1	2	3	4			5			6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17
			Births.			Deaths.			Cause of Death.									Infants under one year of age.				
No.	Name of Municipal Towns.	Population of 1911.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Injuries.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Ratio of births per 1,000 of population per annum.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population per annum.
	Delhi . .	225,471	104	119	223	95	104	199	...	2	...	103	6	61	2	25	6	43	37	80	51·43	45·90
	Notified Area	3,673	1	...	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	14·15	28·31
	Total .	229,144	105	119	224	96	105	201	...	2	...	105	6	61	2	25	6	44	38	82	50·83	45·61

The 23rd June 1917.

No. 5929-*Home*.—The following return of deaths registered in the Province of Delhi during the half month ending 15th June 1917, is published for information :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
			Death registered in the half month.										Infants under one year of age.		
Rural Circles in the Province.	Deaths registered in previous half months.	Total in present half month.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Fevers.	Dysentery and Diarrhœa.	Respiratory.	Snake-bite.	Hydrophobia.	All other causes.	Measles and chicken-pox.	Males.	Females.	Total.
P. S. Alipur	44	52	...	...	...	31	1	20	...	...	...	...	11	8	19
Nangloi	28	56	...	...	...	33	1	18	...	...	4	1	8	9	17
Najafgarh	23	28	..	2	...	18	..	6	...	...	2	...	2	4	6
Subzimundi	19	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paharganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...		...	...	...
Mehrauli	52	55	...	1	...	26	1	22	...	...	5	3	13	7	20
Raisina	17	3	...		...	1	...	2	...	...	...	..	1	1	2
Shahdara	8	7	...	1	..	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
New Cantonment	13	20	...	1	..	7	...	6	...	...	6	3	1	3	7
Total of the District .	204	222	...	5	...	123	3	71	.	...	17	7	39	33	72

By order,

D. JOHNSTONE,

Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER, AJMER-MERWARA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mount Abu, the 16th June 1917.

No. 1321—1093.—The following draft of a Notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899) is published for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner on or after the 31st July 1917.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to draft before the date aforesaid will be considered by the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner :—

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), and with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to make the following amendments in the Ajmer-Merwara Petroleum Rules issued in this office Notification No. 1530-1093, dated the 14th October 1909 —

(*a*) Add the following to condition 6 on license form F :—

" When however the quantity of dangerous petroleum does not exceed 20 gallons, it may be kept in a garage, stable or separate store room not directly communicating with any dwelling room or room where persons assemble."

(*b*) In condition 11 endorsed on license form F, after the words " storage shed " insert the words " or other place of storage referred to in condition 6."

The 22nd June 1917.

No. 1359-4.—In accordance with the provisions of section 25 of the Ajmer Municipalities Regulation (V of 1886), the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner is pleased to notify the appointment of Munshi Nur Mohamed, Sub-Agent, West Patent Press, Kekri, as a nominated member of the Municipal Committee, Kekri, *vice* Babu Abdul Gafur deceased for a period of 3 years with effect from the 1st June 1917.

By order.

B. J. GLANCY,

First Assistant to the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 13th June 1917.

No. 1557-*R*.—The following draft amendments which it is proposed to make in the rules framed under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899) and published with the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 2308, dated the 29th April 1909, is published for criticism.

The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 15th August 1917 with any remarks or suggestions which are received on or before that date :—

I. Add the following to condition 6 endorsed on license form F :—

" When however the quantity of dangerous petroleum does not exceed 20 gallons, it may be kept in a garage, stable or separate store room not directly communicating with any dwelling room or room where persons assemble."

II. After the words " storage shed " in condition 11 endorsed on form F insert the words " or other place of storage referred to in condition 6 "

By order,

R. CHENEVIX TRENCH,

Secretary.

THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Central India Agency, Indore, the 15th-23rd June 1917.

No. 1892-*D*.—In supersession of Notification No. 1400-D., dated the 3rd May 1917, Rai Sahib Babu Har Prasad is appointed sub *pro tem* Superintendent, Sehore, with effect from the forenoon of the 21st April 1917.

By order,

A. R. JELF,

First Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF LOWER BURMA.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

CASE NO. 47 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 12th June 1917.

In the matter of Bahadur Khan, of 130th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Bahadur Khan an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 12th day of June 1917.

CASE NO. 19 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 12th June 1917.

In the matter of Wasupalli Tumaya, of Mr. Fraser Godown, Dunneedaw, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Wasupalli Tumaya an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 12th day of June 1917.

CASE NO. 99 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 6th June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Thu Kha, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Thu Kha of No. 24, 2nd Street, Rangoon, on the 5th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Thu Kha.

CASE NO. 101 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 7th June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Tin Shwe, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Tin Shwe, clerk of No. 26, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Tin Shwe.

CASE No. 102 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th June 1917.

In the matter of Kadalee Gowriah *alias* Jesudass, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Kadalee Gowriah *alias* Jesudass, of No. 99, 39th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Kadalee Gowriah *alias* Jesudass.

CASE No. 103 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 8th June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Tun Yin, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Tun Yin, No. 51, 37th Street, Rangoon, on the 7th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Tun Yin.

CASE No. 104 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 12th June 1917.

In the matter of Ko Moung, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ko Moung, a civil prisoner in the Rangoon Central Jail on the 11th day of J[illegible] 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ko Moung.

CASE No. 105 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 13th June 1917.

In the matter of Chinnasawmy Pillay, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Chinnasawamy Pillay of No. 9, Obo Quarter, Rangoon, on the 12th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Chinnasawamy Pillay.

CASE No. 106 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 13th June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Batun, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Batun of No. 33, Mayo Street, Rangoon, on the 13th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Batun.

CASE No. 107 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 14th June 1917.

In the matter of A. J. Hyam, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by A. J. Hyam, a civil prisoner in the Rangoon Central Jail on the 13th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said A. J. Hyam.

CASE No. 35 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 15th June 1917.

In the matter of Abdul Karim Jeewa, Merchant, of No. 60, Edward Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Abdul Karim Jeewa an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 5th day of June 1917.

CASE No. 38 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 15th June 1917.

In the matter of Hashim Suleman, Cloth Merchant, of No. 52, 26th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Hashim Suleman, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 5th day of June 1917.

CASE No. 65 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd June 1917.

In the matter of Siblal Sunar, of No. 58, 36th Street, Rangoon.

Notice is hereby given that the order of this Court adjudging the said Siblal Sunar, an insolvent pursuant to the provisions of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, was annulled by an order made on the 22nd day of June 1917.

CASE No. 108 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 14th June 1917.

In the matter of N. Sree Pathay, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Neelagiri Sree Pathay, of No. 47, 40th Street, Rangoon, on the 14th day of June 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Neelagiri Sree Pathay.

CASE No. 109 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 15th June 1917.

In the matter of Ayavadas, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Ayavadas of No. 59, 36th Street, Rangoon, on the 15th day of June 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Ayavadas.

CASE No. 110 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 21st June 1917.

In the matter of Maung Aye Maung, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Maung Aye Maung, Contractor, of 61st Street, Rangoon, on the 20th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Maung Aye Maung.

CASE No. 112 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 21st June 1917.

In the matter of Dorrasa, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Dorrasa, Clerk, of No. 75, 39th Street, Rangoon, on the 12th day of June 1917, an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the 21st day of June 1917 against the said Dorrasa.

CASE No. 113 OF 1917.

Rangoon, the 22nd June 1917.

In the matter of Tan Boon Ait, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that on a petition for the benefit of the Presidency Towns Insolvency Act, 1909, presented by Tan Boon Ait, a civil prisoner in the Rangoon Central Jail on the 21st day of June 1917 an order of adjudication of insolvency was made by the Chief Court of Lower Burma on the same day against the said Tan Boon Ait.

D. O'SULLIVAN,
Registrar.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

In Insolvency.

No. 222 OF 1914.

Dated the 27th June 1917.

Re Robert Alpine D'Cruz.

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 6th day of June 1916, the order of adjudication made herein on the 3rd day of September 1914, was annulled.

No. 68 OF 1915.

Dated the 25th June 1917.

Re Prag Das Ratni (Bungshidhur Prag Das).

Ex parte the debtor.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of Court, dated the 6th day of March 1917, the order of adjudication made herein on the 22nd day of February 1915, was annulled.

Notice of Adjudication Order.

No. 94 OF 1917.

Dated the 27th June 1917.

Re Birendra Kumar Dutt, residing at No. 131-A, Cornwallis Street, in the town of Calcutta, and carrying on business as a tobacconist under the name, style and firms of "B. C. Dutt" and "Dutt and Mukherjee," at stalls Nos. B.88 and B.91, respectively, in the Sir Stuart Hogg Market, in Calcutta aforesaid.

Ex parte the debtor. Jyotindra Nath Mitra—Attorney for the Insolvent.

On the 21st day of June 1917, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed as an Insolvent.

NOTE.—All debts due to the estate should be paid to me.

G. McD. FALKNER,
Official Assignee of Calcutta

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

In Insolvency.

No. 543 OF 1916.

Dated the 19th June 1917.

Re Dhanjisha Manekji Engineer, of Bombay, Parsi inhabitant, residing at Dhobi Talao, lately a Chauffeur in the service of Mr. Dossabhai B. Jijibhai and now unemployed; an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 15th day of September 1916 against the said insolvent has been this day annulled.

No. 546 OF 1915.

Dated the 19th June 1917.

Re Allibhai Essaji Colabawalla, of Bombay, Mahomedan inhabitant, residing at Chimna Butcher Street, Null Bazar, a Dealer in second-hand goods; an Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the order of adjudication made herein on the 23rd day of August 1915 against the said insolvent has been this day annulled.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY.

IN INSOLVENCY.

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909) :—

No	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
300—1917	Hassan Bachoo Cutchi Memon	Mahomedan	Kambekar Street	Dealer in China and Japan Curios under the name of Bachoo Molidina Cutchi Memon.	19th	June	1917	19th	June	1917
301—1917	Ardesir Pallonji Dalal	Parsi	Chinchpokli	Formerly doing business of carting agent and lately engine-driver in the G. I. P. Railway and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
302—1917	Ransord Ooka Mochi and Fakir Ooka Mochi.	Hindu	No. 33, Delisle Road	1st Debtor shoemaker and the 2nd Debtor workman in the B. B. and C. I. Railway.	"	"	"	"	"	"
303—1917	Gulam Husein Ibrahim Thanawala	Mahomedan	Pydhowni, Abdul Rahman Street, No. 365.	Lately canvasser for printing work, and now unemployed.	20th	"	"	20th	"	"
304—1917	Charles Spencer	Anglo-Indian	Lamington Road, Tardeo	Chauffeur in the B., B. and C. I. Railway	"	"	"	"	"	"
305—1917	Ramchandra Raghunath Kosle	Hindu	Elphinstone Road	Sizer in the Union Mills Co., Ltd.	21st	"	"	21st	"	"
280—1917	Bhoormal Budhmal Kothari and Mookanchand Bhoormal Kothari.	"	Sutar Chawl	Lately commission agents in partnership under the name and firm of Bhoormal Kothari, and now unemployed.	11th	"	"	11th	"	"
306—1917	Mahadeo Bhiwa Moorkar	"	Lady Jamsedji Road	Toddy drawer	21st	"	"	"	"	"
307—1917	Bhana Poonja Koombhar	"	3rd Koombharwada	Carpenter in the employ of Jadowji Jootha	"	"	"	"	"	"
308—1917	Gangaram Laxumon Panchal Sutar.	"	Chunabhati, Tardeo	Carpenter in the G. I. P. Railway	"	"	"	"	"	"
309—1917	Abdulhusein Kaderbhai Dawoodi Vora.	Mahomedan	Abdul Rehman Street	Servant in the employ of A. Esmailji and Co., Cutlery Merchants.	23rd	"	"	23rd	"	"
310—1917	Esmal Hassam Khoja	"	Palkhi Molla	Lately bullock cart keeper and bullock cart driver, and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"

Notice is hereby given that the petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to this Court, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Presidency-Towns Insolvency Act, 1909 (III of 1909)—*contd.*

No.	Names.	Denomination.	Address in Bombay.	Description.	Date of presentation of petitions.			Date of the adjudication.		
					Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.
311—1917	Bhikha Purshotum Mirai	Hindu	No. 40, 42, Duncan Road	Tailor	25th	June	1917	25th	June	1917
312—1917	Constancio Phillip Trindade	Goanese	Upper Mohim	Fitter in the G. I. P. Railway	"	"	"	"	"	"
313—1917	Curcino Rebello	"	Upper Mohim	Fitter in the G. I. P. Railway	"	"	"	"	"	"
314—1917	Sakerchand Amulakh Shah	Hindu	Javeri Bazar	Lately speculator in cotton, and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"
315—1917	Sebastian Francis Fernandes *alias* S. F. Fernandes *alias* S. Fernandes *alias* S. Francis.	Portuguese	No. 10, Bazar Gate Street, Fort.	Lately timekeeper in the Military Works, and now unemployed.	"	"	"	"	"	"

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Debtors' petitions, that the said Debtors have been adjudged Insolvents, and that the real and personal estate and effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, have been duly made.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE, HIGH COURT,
Bombay, this 25th day of June 1917.

R. B. PATEL,
Chief Clerk

IN THE COURT OF LALA TOPAN RAM, M.A., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT, DELHI.

SUIT No. 35 OF 1917.

Dated the 22nd June 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Chaitwa, son of Bhona, Caste Chamar of Ghanda Province, Delhi.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Chaitwa to be adjudicated him an insolvent has been admitted in this Court, and will be heard on 2nd July 1917.

SUIT No. 37 OF 1917.

Dated the 22nd June 1917.

In the matter of Insolvency of Farhatulla, son of K. B. Shamsululama Moulvi Zakaulla, Delhi, Kacha Chailan.

It is hereby notified under section 12 of Act 3 of 1907, that an application filed by Farhatulla to be adjudicated him an insolvent has been admitted in this Court, and will be heard on 16th July 1917.

FORM No. 8.

Notice to creditors of the date of consideration of a composition or scheme of arrangement.

SECTION 27.

IN THE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES AT DELHI.

In the matter of Insolvency of Kidar Nath, son of Buddha Nath, and Khun Chand, son of Kidar Nath of Delhi, Debtor.

SUIT No. 9 OF 1917.

Dated the 18th June 1917.

Take notice that the Court has fixed the 17th day of July 1917, for the consideration of a composition (or scheme of arrangement) submitted by Kidar Nath and Khun Chand, the debtors in the above insolvency petition. No creditor who has not proved his debt before the aforesaid date will be permitted to vote on the consideration of the above matter.

If you desire to be represented at the abovementioned hearing you should be present in person or by duly instructed pleader with your proofs.

FORM No. 4.

Order of Adjudication.

IN THE COURT OF INSOLVENCY JUDGE AT DELHI.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 18 OF 1917.

Dated the 16th June 1917.

In the matter of Mrs. E. F. Rao, Censor, Telegraph Office, Railway Station, Delhi.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 28th March 1917, on behalf of the said debtor and on reading the said petition and hearing the creditors it is ordered that the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

TOPAN RAM,

Judge, Insolvency Court, Delhi.

NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 26th April 1917.

No. 7.—Mr. Muhammad Ibrahim, Superintendent, Warthganj Depôt, cis-Indus and Kalabagh Mines Division, is granted privilege leave for 3 months from the 17th May 1917.

The 9th June 1917.

No. 55.—So much of the Notification No. 182, dated the 20th November 1916, as relates to the promotion of Mr. Ahmad Hussain, Assistant Superintendent, 2nd grade, from 16th to 28th September 1916, is hereby cancelled.

J. F. CONNOLLY,
Commissioner, Northern India Salt Revenue.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(POST OFFICE.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 20th June 1917.

No. 1489-*s-Ap*.—Mr. Muhammad Zaman Khan, Probationary Superintendent of post offices, Punjab and N. W. F Circle, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, with effect from the 29th May 1917 and until further orders.

Simla, the 22nd June 1917.

No 1546-*s-Ap*.—The furlough for three months from the 24th March 1917, granted to Mr. K. K. Lalkaka, Superintendent of post offices, 4th grade, in combination with privilege leave for three months, is commuted into leave on medical certificate. He is granted an extension of leave on medical certificate for one month and eight days from the 24th June 1917.

Simla, the 23rd June 1917.

No. 1554-*s-Ap*.—Munshi Man Mohan Lal, Reserve Superintendent of post offices, 5th grade, United Provinces, is granted extra privilege leave for one month with effect from the 16th April 1917 to enable him to proceed to the Pasteur Institute at Kasauli for anti-rabic treatment.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.
(TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 27th June 1917.

No. 3508-*T*.—The following officiating promotions are sanctioned for the period specified :—

Name.	Rank.		Period.	
	From	To	From	To
Mr. J. Garrad	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	Deputy Superintendent, 1st class.	1st May 1917	5th June 1917.
Mr. P. Wallis	Telegraph Master	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class.	8th May 1917	Until further orders.

No. 3513-*T*.—The following promotions are sanctioned with effect from the 22nd February 1917.

Name.	Rank. From	Rank. To	Nature of appointment.
Mr. P. V. D'Souza	Dy. Superintendent, 2nd Class and Officiating Dy. Superintendent, 1st Class.	Dy. Superintendent, 1st Class.	Permanent (on probation).
„ P. E. W. Rosemeyer . . .	Telegraph Master and Officiating Dy. Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Dy. Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Ditto.

2. The promotion of Mr. Rosemeyer sanctioned in Notification No. 2172-T., dated the 12th April 1917, is cancelled.

No. 3517-*T*.—The following promotion is sanctioned with effect from the 20th March 1917 :—

Name.	Rank. From	Rank. To	Nature of appointment.
Mr. J. J. Toomey	Telegraph Master and Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Permanent (on probation).

No. 3521-*T*.—The following promotions are sanctioned with effect from the dates specified.

Name.	Rank From	Rank To	Nature of appointment	Date.
Mr. H. Pitcher . . .	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class and Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 1st Class.	Deputy Superintendent, 1st Class.	Permanent (on probation.)	1st April 1917.
„ S. A. Martelli . .	Telegraph Master and Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Ditto	Ditto
„ J. A. Howse . .	Telegraph Master .	Ditto	Officiating . .	1st May 1917.

No. 3525-*T*.—The following promotions are sanctioned with effect from the 1st April 1917 :—

Name.	Rank. From	Rank. To	Nature of appointment.
Mr. R. J. Costello	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd class and Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 1st Class.	Deputy Superintendent, 1st Class.	Permanent (on probation).
„ W. L. Webster . . .	Telegraph Master and Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Ditto.

No. 3529-T.—The following officiating promotions are sanctioned with effect from the date specified :—

Name.	Rank. From	Rank. To	Date.
Mr. M. Lymn	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Deputy Superintendent, 1st Class.	1st April 1917.
„ L. M. Seldon	Telegraph Master	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	24th April 1917.

No. 3532-T.—The following promotion is sanctioned with effect from the 16th April 1917 :—

Name.	Rank. From	Rank. To	Nature of appointment.
Mr. T. G. Slark	Telegraph Master and Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Permanent (on probation).

No. 3536-T.—The following promotion is sanctioned with effect from the 4th June 1917 :—

Name.	Rank. From	Rank. To	Nature of appointment.
Mr. A. Cabral	Telegraph Master and Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Deputy Superintendent 2nd Class.	Permanent (on probation).

No. 3540-T.—The following reversions are ordered with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	Rank. From	Rank. To	Date.
Mr. H. Marley	Officiating Superintendent of Post Offices, Traffic.	Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	16th June 1917.
„ W. J. Benson	Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Class.	Telegraph Master	12th June 1917.

W. MAXWELL,
Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs.

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Name of Office.	Where situated.	Date.	Remarks.
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